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## Theologians Under Hitler



The Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Georgia  
*and*  
The Baptist Center for Ethics  
Invite the Public

To a *free* viewing of this provocative documentary.

Monday, November 14 at 9:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church, Griffin

106 W. Taylor St.

Contact CBF/GA at 1-877-336-6426 ext. 21 or email [fbroome@cbfga.org](mailto:fbroome@cbfga.org)

## Awards/Honors

### Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia

#### DISTINGUISHED CHURCHWOMAN OF THE YEAR

Each year, Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia honors a woman from our state as Distinguished Churchwoman of the year. Qualifications for this award include significant contributions to ministry by a Baptist woman who has experienced a call to ministry and is fulfilling that call in a salaried and/or non-salaried position. Nominations for this honor are reviewed and the final selection is made by the Steering Committee of Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia. Nominations by persons throughout the state are welcomed and should include a brief written summary of the woman's call and qualifications for ministry and a letter of recommendation.

All nominations should be **received in writing by March 15**. Nominees for the award are evaluated according to the following criteria:

- Demonstrates faithful commitment to the development of her ministry;
- Exhibits the characteristics of a mentor of women in ministry;
- Exemplifies qualities of gifted leadership and redemptive service;

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- Maintains an active role in the ministry of her local church; and
- Displays support for the goals and visions of BWIMGA.

A sub-committee, appointed by the Steering Committee, will review nominations and bring recommendations back to the Steering Committee for a final vote. The recipient of the Churchwoman of the Year Award will be honored during the Annual Spring Meeting of Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia.

**Please mail all nominations to:**

Nikki Hardeman  
c/o First Baptist Church  
P.O. Box 1189  
Rome, GA 30162-1189

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## Vocational Opportunities

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### Harlem Baptist Church

P.O. Box 790  
Harlem, GA 30814  
(706) 556-6439

#### **Full-time Youth Minister**

Please send resumes to:  
Harlem Baptist Church  
ATTN: DeWayne Smoak

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### Shurlington Baptist Church

2270 Shurling Drive  
Macon, GA 31211  
478-742-1488

#### **Part-time / Bi-vocational Children's Minister Position**

Responsibilities:

Establish and direct the children's ministry for toddlers to 6th grade. The ministry involves Bible study, fellowship activities, summer camps, and various other age appropriate activities.

#### **Part-time / Bi-vocational Youth Minister Position**

Responsibilities:

Direct an established youth ministry program. Work with an active Youth Committee to plan and conduct various youth activities including Bible Study, outreach, fellowship, summer camp, and other appropriate youth activities. This is an established program but is open to new ideas.

Email or call [Shurlington Baptist Church](#) for additional information.

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## Missions Opportunities

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This is a time when we are getting ready to prepare to give at Christmas to the less fortunate children of the world. In many places we are preparing shoe boxes with all kinds of goodies. Listed below is an option for a gift at Christmas that can really make a difference – the gift of life.

First of all, calculate this set of facts: Malaria claims twice the number of victims as AIDS each year. Globally, 500 million people are infected with malaria each year. Ninety percent (90%) are in Africa. Every 30 seconds a child dies of malaria.

You can make a difference. For \$6.00 you can provide an insecticide-treated sleeping net for an entire family. Go to [www.hisnets.org](http://www.hisnets.org) and see how you can give the gift of life for Christmas. Contact [Jimmy Lewis](#), CBF/GA Missions Coordinator, for more information.

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## Upcoming Opportunities

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**November 13-14**  
**First Baptist Church of Griffin**  
**CBF/GA 2005 Fall Convocation**  
**AND**  
**Network Gatherings**



For complete Convocation details see page 2 of the [Oct/Nov 2005 Visions](#) on the CBF/GA website.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Network gatherings are scheduled to meet on Monday (Nov. 14) from 1:30 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. The following networks are scheduled:

- Chaplaincy
- Children's Ministry
- Education Ministry
- Music Ministry
- Student Ministry

Contact [Devita Parnell](#) for additional information.

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## Church Information

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- Dr. Peter Rhea Jones is serving as the Interim Pastor at First Baptist Church of Morrow.
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## Resource Update

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[Acacia Resources offers “The Practice of Living Faithfully” curriculum online](#)  
EthicsDaily.com Staff

[face2face links the Fellowship, local churches by sharing, engaging](#)  
Bob Perkins, Jr., CBF Communications

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## IN the NEWS

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[CBF-endorsed chaplain provides pastoral care to military chaplains in Afghanistan](#)  
Patricia Heys, CBF Communications

[Mid-Atlantic CBF hires first full-time coordinator](#)  
Carla Wynn, CBF Communications

[CBF Coordinating Council approves new constitutional preamble](#)  
[Council enters dialogue to expand multi-ethnic participation in Fellowship](#)  
Lance Wallace, CBF Communications

[Fellowship taps Moraga to lead Hispanic Initiative](#)  
Courtney Hodges

[CBF Day on Campus aims to expand relationships with partner schools](#)  
Courtney Hodges

[Fellowship responds to natural disasters in Pakistan, Guatemala](#)  
Sue H. Poss, CBF Communications

Visit [CBF-National for all the latest news updates](#)

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## Reminders

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- **October 24-25**  
**Like a Mustard Seed: Supporting and Celebrating Small Church Leadership**, Samford University, Birmingham, AL  
For more information visit [www.samford.edu/groups/rcpe](http://www.samford.edu/groups/rcpe).
- **Nov. 13-14**  
**CBF of Georgia Fall Convocation**  
First Baptist Church of Griffin  
Speaker: Millard Fuller

2006

## 2006-2007 Institute for Preaching and Pastoral Renewal

[Candler School of Theology](#)

Develop Preaching Skills.....Find Pastoral Renewal.....Learn Experientially

A year-long program of continuing education for clergy that involves three phases:

**An** introductory seminar (January 9-12, 2006, at Candler in Atlanta, GA)

**An** educational pilgrimage to the Holy Land (April 17-28, 2006)

**A** seminar blending reflection on the Holy Land with text-to-sermon planning and preparation (January 8-11, 2007, at Candler in Atlanta, GA)

Enrollment is limited to 20 people. Due to generous funding from The Holy Land Institute for Pastoral Renewal, Inc., participant cost is \$1,000.

Email [ocme@emory.edu](mailto:ocme@emory.edu) or call 404-727-0714 for additional information.

- **February 4, 2006**

**Now Serving: Atlanta 2006**

9:00 am – 7:30 pm

Mercer University, Atlanta

McAfee School of Theology and CBF of Georgia team up to sponsor this one-day **collegiate mission event** in Atlanta. Students will experience a variety of mission sites around the city. The day concludes with dinner and worship. The band, *Timber*, and Amy Shorner, preacher, will lead in worship. Cost of \$5 includes meals and t-shirt.

Contact [Ryan Clark](#) or [Devita Parnell](#) for more information.

- **February 8-11, 2006**

**Current Retreat**

FBC Decatur

*Current* is a group of young Baptist ministers, leaders, and divinity students who seek to connect young Baptists through the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. *Current* hosts an annual retreat, a simultaneous missions project, and annual gatherings at the CBF General Assembly.

For more information, visit [Current](#) on the web.

- **March 17-19, 2006**

**March Mission Madness**

First Baptist Church of Warm Springs

**March 24-26, 2006**

**March Mission Madness**

First Baptist Church of Morrow

MMM is an Annual Weekend Missions Retreat sponsored by the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of Georgia and attended by church youth groups and their adult chaperones. Email [Scott Ford](#) or call 678-386-5449 for additional information.

- **May 4-5, 2006**

**The University Campus: Tomorrow's Moderate Baptists**

First Baptist Church of Decatur

1:30 p.m. (May 4) – 12 noon (May 5)

Co-sponsored by the Center for Baptist Studies, CBF National, and CBF/GA. This

conference seeks to act as a catalyst for collegiate ministry among moderate Baptists and to encourage concrete actions at the local church level in the area of college missions. Email [Devita Parnell](#) or [Buddy Shurden](#) for additional information.