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### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The 2021 – 2022 Proposed Budget, developed by the Finance/Stewardship Committee was emailed/mailed to all Executive Board Members on October 13, 2021. Votes were received via email, mail, and phone. 23 Executive Board Members, representing 14 member churches, cast a vote supporting the adoption of the Proposed Budget. This constitutes a majority of those polled and meets the requirements for a quorum of churches (1/3 of member churches). Therefore, the proposed budget is APPROVED by the Executive Board, in accordance with the JRBA ByLaws which authorizes them to attend to all matters of the Association between sessions. A COPY OF THE NEW BUDGET CAN BE FOUND AT THE END OF THE NEWSLETTER. If there are any questions, please direct them to Judy Ownby, Treasurer/Finance/Stewardship Chair, at [jownby@verizon.net](mailto:jownby@verizon.net).

**Also note that a copy of the BGAV Annual Report will be mailed to all member churches.**

### EVENTS AND DETAILS



#### NOVEMBER 3, 2021

**ALL ITEMS FOR HOPE FOR APPALACHIA ARE DUE TODAY!**

(Coats, Gloves, Hats, Scarves, Blankets, Kindergarten Bags, and Band Aids should be turned in today.)

November 5 OCC Shoebox Packing Event at Antioch (Scottsville)

6:30 – 8:30 PM



November 6

**Movie Night at Buckingham**

7:00 PM

*Fireproof* will be the movie showing. Dinner will be served.

November 7

**Ordination Service at Antioch Union (at Antioch campus)**

11:00 AM

Ordination of Josh Cook (Pastoral Intern) into the Gospel Ministry  
Guest Speaker: Rev. Tom Cook (Josh's father), U. S. Navy Chaplain

**BGAV VIRTUAL ANNUAL MEETING  
November 9 – 10, 2021**

For the health and safety of our BGAV family, the 198<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Baptist General Association of Virginia will again be a virtual event with the ability to connect from around the world.

THEME: Mountain of Healing – Isaiah 2:1-5  
SPECIAL GUESTS: Howard-John Wesley and Kate Campbell

Tuesday, November 9, will include auxiliary group gatherings, breakout sessions, and an evening main session featuring our special guests, plus a report from Executive Director John Upton. Wednesday, November 10, will feature more breakout sessions, a business session for messengers, and a final gathering with the BGAV family.

Churches should have received a messenger packet containing their login information and messenger allotment during the last week of September.

Registration is now open for messengers and guests at <https://meeting.bgav.org/register/>. All registered **messengers must be elected by his/her church**. Only messengers are permitted to vote during the business session on Wednesday morning.

**Registration will close on Tuesday, November 9, at 7:30 PM , EST.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Registered messengers will receive an email with a link to a step-by-step video on the secure online voting process. If you do not receive this link, call JRBA and ask for it. To view and register for the Breakout Sessions on Tuesday (3 PM) and Wednesday (9 AM, 2 PM, and 3 PM), go to <https://meeting.bgav.org/breakouts/>.

<b>November 10</b>	<b>Senior Citizens Fellowship at Mulberry Grove</b> Bluegrass/Gospel Music. Fellowship Covered Dish Lunch	<b>11:00 AM</b>
<b>November 11</b>	<b>VETERANS DAY</b>  <b>Hope for Appalachia Volunteers Meeting at New Salem Baptist Church</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
<b>November 12 &amp; 19</b>	<b>Blue Ridge Food Distribution at Crystal Cathedral</b> Volunteers needed at 9:30 AM	
<b>November 14</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Community Lunch at Fitzgerald Memorial</b>	<b>Noon</b>



**Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child  
Collection Week**

**November 15 – 22, 2021**

Collection Site: Bethlehem Baptist Church

**Drop-Off Schedule**

Sunday, November 14: 1:00 – 5:00 PM  
Monday, November 15 – Friday, November 19: 3:30 – 5:30 PM  
Sunday, November 21: 1:00 – 5:00 PM  
Monday, November 22: 8:00 – 11:00 AM

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15 & WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17**

**THE JRBA OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED.**

**THANKSGIVING MEALS**  
**Sunday, November 21**

**Mt. Zion – Noon**

**Enon – Service at 11 AM, Lunch at Noon**

**Cedar – 5:00 PM**  
(All are welcome to join!)

**Chestnut Grove – 5:30 PM**  
Special Music by Chris Lewis



**November 22** **Information for the December edition of the JRBA calendar and newsletter are due TODAY by 9:00 AM.** Be sure to include all Christmas cantatas, programs, and Christmas happenings! Also include New Years' Eve Watch Services. Include all outreach and celebrations for November.



**Tuesday, November 23, 2021**  
**Community Thanksgiving Service**  
**Fitzgerald Memorial – 7:00 PM**

Tear Wallet Baptist, Tar Wallet Baptist, Shiloh New Covenant, Payne United Methodist, Hobsons Chapel United Methodist and Fitzgerald Memorial Baptist Combined Service

**November 24**

**The JRBA Office will be Closed for Thanksgiving.**

**THANKSGIVING DAY**  
**Thursday, November 25, 2021**

*Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise;  
 give thanks to Him and praise His name.  
 For the Lord is good and His love endures forever;  
 His faithfulness continues through all generations.  
 Psalm 100:4-5*



**LOOKING AHEAD>>>**



**Christmas Cantata at Sharon**  
**Sunday, December 5 at 7:00 PM**

*The Road to Bethlehem, A Journey to the Newborn King, will be presented by the choir.  
 Plan now to attend to embrace the message of joy and love, and experience once again  
 the fulfillment of God's promise.*

**January 15, 2022**  
**Deadline to send in Bless Your Pastor Request for Amazon Gift Card**  
<https://blessyourpastor.org/bless-your-pastor-reporting-form/>

**THE "GATHERING" CHURCH**

Since our churches seem to be back on a regular schedule, this segment of the newsletter will be discontinued in December.

If you have events, other than your regular services, be sure to include them for the calendar!

**FITZGERALD MEMORIAL:** Fellowship dinners will be held every Wednesday in November (except November 24) at 6:00 PM, with Bible Study at 7:00 PM.

**GOSHEN:** Sunday Worship is weekly at 11:00 AM. Tuesday Bible Study is each week at 11:00 AM. Wednesday Prayer Service is each Wednesday at 7:00 PM, except for November 11 – that night WMU & Brotherhood will meet.

**JRBA REACHES OUT>>>**

**V.B.S. FOLLOWUP**

**CEDAR:** A Bible Camp Day was hosted on Saturday, October 16, for Middle School and High School Youth. There was a total of 16 youth and 5 adult leaders in attendance.

**HOMEcoming FOLLOW-UP**

**GLADSTONE MEMORIAL:** Homecoming was celebrated on October 3. It was a tremendous success and blessing. Major Schmitt brought a great challenge and Smokey Wilson sang. All in attendance had their hearts blessed.

**JONES CHAPEL:** Homecoming was celebrated on October 3, with Rev. Jim Lamb as Guest Speaker and Mercy's Well providing special music. J. L. and Reba Ownby Myers, the first couple married in the church building in 1959, were in attendance. It was a great day of renewal and fellowship.





## MISSIONS COMMITTEE

- I. **RISE AGAINST HUNGER:** Since we sent over \$12,000 to the Rise Against Hunger in March, 2021, I am challenging us to collect at least \$10,000 this year for this worthy effort to feed hungry people around the world.
- II. **BLUE RIDGE FOOD BANK:** Due to Thanksgiving, distributions will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays of November. Please meet at the Crystal Cathedral on November 12 and November 19 to help give out food to about 300 needy persons.
- III. **MISSION TRIPS:** Malcolm Warfield will be going on a mission trip to Uganda in November. He will be helping the people raise food and will also be preaching the Gospel. He will appreciate our prayers and financial help.
- IV. **PRISON MINISTRY:** We are pleased that doors are opening for worship services at the Buckingham Correctional Center. Rev. Michael Khol is conducting Spanish Language services and I am conducting English speaking services on the second Thursday of each month. Please pray for these times of sharing the Good News.
- V. **HOPE FOR APPALACHIA:** Thanks for supplying warm winter wear, Kindergarten bags, and Band Aids for our friends in Appalachia. Let us pray for our team as they deliver the clothes during the first week of December.

THANKS FOR YOUR MISSION WORK DURING THESE DIFFICULT DAYS.

In Christ's Love,  
*Jimmy Dunn*  
 Missions Committee Chair

# ALMA HUNT OFFERING for Virginia Missions

Church	Offering-to-Date
<b>Antioch (Scottsville)</b>	<b>\$1,500.00</b>
<b>Buckingham</b>	<b>\$ 900.00</b>
<b>Cedar</b>	<b>\$ 330.00</b>
<b>Chestnut Grove</b>	<b>\$ 315.00</b>
<b>Jones Chapel</b>	<b>\$ 360.00</b>
<b>Mt. Zion</b>	<b>\$ 795.00</b>
<b>Mulberry Grove</b>	<b>\$ 675.00</b>
<b>Sharon</b>	<b>\$ 215.00</b>
<b>Tar Wallet</b>	<b>\$ 230.00</b>

## CHURCH OUTREACH

**ANTIOCH (SCOTTSVILLE):** A meal was provided for the Scottsville Volunteer Fire Department on Thursday, October 21. Coffee and cake will be served to poll workers and voters who vote at the church polling station on Tuesday, November 2, starting at 6 AM through at least lunchtime. A meal will be provided for the Fluvanna Football Team on Thursday, November 4. An OCC Shoebox Packing Party is scheduled for November 5. A Fall Festival was held on October 30, with an estimated 500 in attendance. It was a great opportunity to bring Jesus to the community and help shine His light through food, song, cars, stuffed animals, prayers, talk, etc. Thank you to all the many volunteers for your hard work!

**ANTIOCH UNION:** A Trunk-or-Treat event was held on Saturday, October 30, from 6:00 – 7:15 PM, for the area children.

**BUCKINGHAM:** The Annual Brunswick Stew was held on October 16. It was a huge success. Many quarts of stew were donated to area shut-ins and \$1,000 was also raised. Many people helped and all in attendance enjoyed the event! Buckingham collected winter wear for Hope for Appalachia. They are also working on OCC Shoeboxes. They plan to prepare Thanksgiving food boxes for needy families and shut-ins.

**CEDAR:** The church family collected winter wear for Hope for Appalachia and are currently collecting OCC shoeboxes. They are planning for their Thanksgiving Food Drive and their Christmas Angel Tree.

**FIRST BAPTIST DILLWYN:** Members are giving many warm clothes for Hope for Appalachia. Stationed in front of the parsonage, some members gave out candy and loving words about Jesus to children on Saturday, October 30, from 5:00 – 7:00 PM, during the town's Halloween celebration. Led by their Helping Hands Ministry, members will be preparing and serving lunch to military veterans and their spouses on Veterans Day, November 11, from 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM. All veterans and spouses are asked to drive into the parking lot where they will be greeted and given a meal. FBC thanks all veterans for their service and for the privilege to honor them. Helping Hands continues to minister in the name of Jesus by giving gas cards, goodie baskets, and fruit baskets, phone calls, visits, and other remembrances. They are also reaching out to the teachers and staff members of the public schools and Central Virginia Christian School with small gifts. On Sunday, November 21, FBC will be preparing and delivering about 100 meals to people of the area who have special needs.

**FITZGERALD MEMORIAL:** A Fall Night Costume Contest was held on Saturday, October 30.

**MT. ZION:** The WMU gave \$140 for Campaign 140 at Camp CrossRoads. They also gave \$100 to Gracelnside for Christmas gifts for Fluvanna Correctional Center for Women. They also donated hygiene and stationery kits for the prison. They prepared Kindergarten bags for Hope for Appalachia as well as many items of warm clothing. The Sewing Ministry made 215 children's blankets. Mt. Zion hosted a Trunk-or-Treat on Saturday, October 30, for area children.



**MULBERRY GROVE:** The church family collected warm winter wear and Band Aids for Hope for Appalachia. Fleece balndkets were made to send to Kentucky. 60 Kindergarten bags were packed on October 31, during the Sunday School hour, with 41 volunteers participating. (See pictures below.) Supper was provided for the BCHS football team on Monday, November 1. The church family will be working on OCC Shoeboxes in the coming weeks.



**SHARON:** Members supported the warm winter wear drive for Hope for Appalachia and made monetary contributions to BGAV Disaster Relief and to the Alma Hunt Offering. Rose of Sharon WMU continues visiting with and delivering meals to those who are sick or homebound.



**JONES CHAPEL:** The Family Fun Festival brought out a great crowd on Saturday, October 23. (See pictures below.) Jones Chapel packed Kindergarten bags and provided new blankets for the Hope for Appalachia winter wear collection. They also provided 5 trunks of candy at the October 29, Trunk-or-Treat held behind Cumberland Court House. Members donated candy for the Youth to pre-package and hand out at the event. A special offering was received on October 31, for the Amish Family involved in the accident in Cumberland County. Jones Chapel extends their sincere sympathy to the children and the Amish Community.



The weather was beautiful for jumping on inflatables, car show, corn hole, dunking booth and much more!



Camden Wood, Hannah Lenz, and Emily Cox were on hand to register guests at the festival.



Jake Fulcher took kids and adults on a hayride where they were able to visit the “pumpkin patch” and bring back a nice big pumpkin. Hayrides were a big hit!



### HOPE FOR APPALACHIA FALL MISSION TRIP

Church	# Boxes Band Aids
Antioch Union	9
Arvon	19
Buckingham	3
Enon	61
First Baptist Dillwyn	57
Goshen	11
Mt. Zion	10
Mulberry Grove	37
Sharon	10
Tar Wallet	5
Brown’s Chapel	47

### HOPE FOR APPALACHIA - KINDERGARTEN BAGS

Church	# Kindergarten Bags	Other
Antioch (Scottsville)	80	5 large hand sanitizers, 5 pairs gloves, 16 hats, 2 toothpastes, 1 coloring book, 3 bags, 5 pencil sharpeners, 16 boxes crayons, 100+ pencil erasers
Antioch Union	59	1 coloring book, 4 packs pencils, 7 packs toothbrushes
Arvon	20	2 notebooks, 2 folders, 1 hat, 20 pairs gloves, 4 toys, 2 packs glue sticks, 6 toothbrushes, 1 pencil sharpener
Buckingham	7	Extra Backpacks
Fitzgerald Memorial	24	
Goshen	12	5 coloring books, 5 packs stickers, 3 packs erasers, 8 packs pencils, 4 toothpastes, 2 packs colored pencils, 1 pack jumbo pens, 6 highlighters, 3 boxes crayons, 2 packs pencil sharpeners, 3 packs glue sticks, 16 toys, 6 toothbrushes
Jones Chapel	60	
Mt. Zion	29	
Mulberry Grove	60	10 Pairs of Gloves
Sharon	10	
Tar Wallet	21	
Brown's Chapel	10	

### HOPE FOR APPALACHIA - WINTER WEAR

Church	Coats	Hats	Gloves	Scarves	Blankets	Other
Antioch (Scottsville)	5	39		18	27 children's 9 baby	
Antioch Union	12	10		1	9	
Buckingham	9	7	8			
Cedar	32	30	41	24	26	1 pillow, 5 extra items, \$125.00
Chestnut Grove	17	10	19	1	7	
Enon	6	16	16	3	9	1 vest, 17 pairs socks, 2 pants
First Baptist Dillwyn	26	30	16	6	20	46 pairs socks, 1 purse
Fitzgerald Memorial		24	24		48 full size 48 children's	
Goshen	15	19	45	6	24	6 pairs socks
Jones Chapel		22			50 children's	
Mt. Zion	10	21	21		215	9 boots, 3 shoes
Mulberry Grove	17	12	19	2	12 fleece 1 weighted	14 pairs socks
Sharon	12	43	31	6		
Tar Wallet		263	396		4	

JRBA thanks all those who delivered Hope items to the JRBA office or directly to Tar Wallet! Special thanks to Rev. Roger Woody and his wife, Darlene, Gwynn Tyler, Rev. Michael Khol, and Laura Higgins, for transporting the Hope for Appalachia items brought to JRBA to Tar Wallet. A big SHOUT-OUT to Laura Higgins as she continues to work with the items preparing them for delivery by the team in early December.

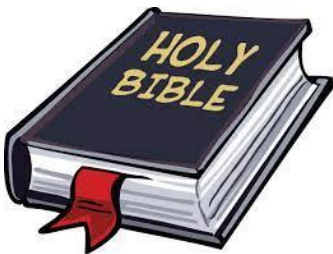
Our team, Rev. Woody Moore, Rev. Roger Woody, and Wayne Gough will be delivering the items to the schools in Kentucky during the first week of December. May God give them safe travel and many opportunities to bless others in His name. Our prayers go with them.



# FLUVANNA CORRECTIONAL CENTER FOR WOMEN

Church	Hygiene Kits	Stationery Kits	Other
Buckingham	2		Extra Stationery
Mt. Zion	13	8	\$100 to GraceInside
Tar Wallet	117		Hundreds of Extra Items: 50 notebooks, 2 books of stamps, 484 Christmas Cards, 120 Birthday cards, 1,000 envelopes, 552 pencils, Plus many additional boxes of Christmas cards, and 3 large boxes of other extra stationery items
Rocky Mount UMC	10		

*JRBA thanks Marilyn Snoddy for delivering all the items for the Fluvanna Correctional Center to Effort Baptist Church in Palmyra.*



*Inasmuch as you have done it for one of the least of my brethren, you have done it to me.*  
Matthew 25:40

## JRBA LEARNS AND GROWS>>>

**FIRST BAPTIST DILLWYN:** Rev. Glynn Coleman was recently called to serve as the Interim Pastor. Glynn began his ministry with FBC on Sunday, September 26. His sermons from Acts 2 have focused on the nature and work of the church. Glynn's love for Jesus and for all people is contagious and it is permeating FBC in a wonderful way! Glynn is not only ministering to the persons attending the Worship Services, but through visits and phone calls he is lovingly ministering to shut-ins and others with special needs. FBC sincerely welcomes Glynn to FBC and JRBA.

## IN LOVING MEMORY>>>

**Buckingham** lost a long-time, faithful member on October 31. Mrs. Dorothy Jones went to be with the Lord and is fondly remembered by the church family and all who knew her. She was an ardent worker in the church and in the JRBA Association throughout her life. She is remembered for her faithfulness to the Lord, her work in WMU, and her generosity to mission efforts here and around the world. She will be sorely missed. Our sincere sympathy is extended to her family. Her daughter, Betty, is our JRBA WMU Director and is following in her mother's footsteps promoting the mission efforts of women in our churches.



**Cedar** extends sympathy to the family of Arnold Morris who passed away on September 26, 2021. A memorial service was held on Sunday, October 24, at the church.

**Chestnut Grove** extends sympathy to Alice Carter whose son, Danny Ellis, passed away.

**Jones Chapel** extends sympathy to Sherri Green and her family on the passing of her mother, Mrs. Ann White.



## HATS OFF TO...

Church Clerks who have submitted their Annual Church Profile:

Cedar: Pat Allen  
Fork of Willis: Brenda Parker  
Jones Chapel: Carol Ownby  
Mt. Zion: Dorothy Davis  
Mulberry Grove: Denise Leatherwood  
Sharon: Tammy Brown

*Thank you for your prompt submission of your church's report! Also, thank you to the Church Treasurers who play a major role in the accuracy of this yearly report. May God bless you all for your faithful service to your churches.*



## IN APPRECIATION>>>

To: Michael Khol, JRBA Leadership, and Phyllis Tyler

I want to express my sincere appreciation for the very thoughtful gift.\* The next time I go to Walmart I sure will be thinking of you all! It's been a pleasure being the Modertaor again, but sad that we weren't able to have our meetings and all the wonderful fellowship.

God Bless You All  
*Marilyn Snoddy*

\*A WalMart gift certificate was given to Marilyn for her faithful service to JRBA, serving for the past two years as our Moderator. She was a valuable resource to Phyllis during the pandemic and provided the leadership needed during a difficult time. We appreciate her!.

## JRBA CELEBRATES>>>



### PASTORS' APPRECIATION MONTH OBSERVED

**ANTIOCH (SCOTTSVILLE):** Antioch celebrated Pastor Appreciation the entire month of October and also celebrated Rev. Dave Vogt's birthday on October 10.

**CEDAR:** On Sunday, October 10, the church family honored Pastor Tommy and Margaret with a special gift in recognition of Pastor Appreciation Month.

**GLADSTONE MEMORIAL:** Pastor Appreciation was celebrated with cards, gifts, and a wonderful meal. Pastor Fetty notes that God has truly blessed his family with the wonderful church family at Gladstone. He considers it a privilege to pastor such an awesome fold.

**JONES CHAPEL:** Sunday, October 10, was Pastor Appreciation Sunday at Jones Chapel. The church family "appreciated" Pastor Richard and Michelle with gifts and cards, and a slide presentation showing various events and special services throughout the year.



**MULBERRY GROVE:** Pastor Appreciation was celebrated on Sunday, October 31, during the Worship Service. Several members, including the children, sang and Rev. Willard Spurlock presented scripture. Monetary gifts from the church were presented to Rev. Michael Khol, Pastor, and Austin Williams, Associate Pastor. Flowers were presented to Laura Khol (pastor's wife) and Kathy Williams (Austin's mother) for their support of the guys, and to Mary Gowin, Custodian.

**SHARON:** The congregation expressed love and appreciation of Rev. and Mrs. Perry Clore through an old-fashioned "pounding", with gifts of specialty groceries, homemade goodies, gift cards, and notes of friendship and appreciation for their years of dedicated ministry at Sharon and beyond.

### OTHER CELEBRATIONS

**ANTIOCH (SCOTTSVILLE):** A Child Dedication Service was held on October 17. The following children were dedicated: Barrett and Calder Aldridge (Parents, Austin and Laura Aldridge), Savannah Bossieux (Parents, Brandon and Heather Bossieux), Baylor and Brentley Lamonte (Parents, Dominick and Erin Lamonte), Avery and Everett Marshall (Parents, Jacob and McKenzie Marshall), and Ezra Vogt (Parents Dave and Laura Vogt).

**FIRST BAPTIST DILLWYN:** Sunday, October 24, was a very special day as the ordinance of baptism was shared at the 11 AM service. Rev. Glynn Coleman preached a powerful sermon and Rev. Lewis Brandt baptized Gabrielle Gunter. Rev. Jimmy Dunn and Rev. John Muth shared in the service. The whole church rejoiced!

**ENON:** Five new members have been received during the past quarter. Those joining the church are Mike, Angel, Mark, and Marisa Kinder and Rose Dunevant. Enon praises God for what He is doing in their ministry!

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION>>>

- **ATTENTION VBS DIRECTORS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED THE ONLINE 2021 VBS REPORT:** Please go to <https://vbs.lifeway.com/churchreport/> and do so as soon as possible. Let Phyllis know when it has been completed. Thanks.
- **ATTENTION AMAZON SHOPPERS:** Don't forget to go to <https://smile.amazon.com> when you shop. Enter your Amazon username and password and select James River Baptist Association as the non-profit to which you wish to donate. Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases to JRBA. This is a great way to financially support JRBA at NO cost to you.
- **ATTENTION CHURCH CLERKS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED YOUR CHURCH'S ANNUAL CHURCH REPORT:** Please note that the deadline for churches that operate on a October 1 – September 30 calendar was **October 20, 2021**. Please get your ACP done as soon as possible. IF you enter it online, be sure to let Phyllis know. The deadline for churches that operate on a January – December calendar is **January 17, 2022**. This is an important report as it is the official record of the church for 2021.



- **Following the Star**, the daily devotional series for Advent and Christmas returns to <https://d365.org> beginning November 29. It includes scripture, a prayer, and meditative thoughts accompanied by gentle music. For bulletin insert, go to <https://d365.org/share>.

## KEEP IN PRAYER>>>

- Those who are lost and need to know the Savior
- JRBA Churches without a pastor: Buckingham, Chestnut Grove, and First Baptist Dillwyn
- JRBA Church and Pastors
- Malcolm Warfield's Mission Trip to Uganda in November
- JRBA Hope for Appalachia Mission Trip to Kentucky – First Week of December
- Those who are ill with COVID-19
- COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution
- Government Leaders (Local, State, & National)
- All those affected by violence or natural disasters
- Victoria Gina Vassile, JRBA WMU Project Ruth Adoptee
- Jimmy & Suzanne (Bryan) Brock – Church planters in Virginia Beach
- All those in our congregations who are ill or who have lost loved one.



*Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.  
And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.  
Philippians 4:6-7 (NIV)*

## FROM OUR MODERATOR>>>

Last month our outgoing moderator, Marilyn Snoddy, encouraged us to be “busy being the hands and feet of our Lord Jesus Christ.” What a reminder of what each of us can and should be doing each day. Even though this has been a bizarre 20 months, and counting, we just have to be more creative about how we are the hands and feet of Jesus Christ. I am looking forward to where the Lord will lead our association and pray for the same continued love, optimism, and unity that is our association (even if we do have to rethink how we associate together). I pray the Lord will see us through this pandemic (hopefully soon!) and that we come out stronger for it. I am looking forward to working with each of you.

In the precious name of my Lord Jesus,  
*Michael Khol*



## JRBA OFFICERS (2021 – 2022)

Moderator	Rev. Michael Khol
Vice Moderator	Mrs. Marilyn Snoddy
Clerk	Mr. Frank Breault
Treasurer	Ms. Judy Ownby
Reporter/Historian	Mr. Terry Towler
Sunday School Director	Rev. Jimmy Dunn
Discipleship Director	VACANT
Baptist Men's Director	VACANT
VBS Director	Mr. Frank Breault
Music Director	Mrs. Marilyn Snoddy
Disaster Relief Coordination	Rev. Woody Moore
VA Baptist Historical Society Rep.	Mr. Terry Towler

Parliamentarian (Appointed by Moderator) . . . . . Mr. Gwynn Tyler  
WMU Director (Elected by JRBA WMU) . . . . . Mrs. Betty Toney

Continuing on the BGAV Mission Council: Rev. Perry Clore & Rev. Hency Enochs (through 2022) and Mrs. Marilyn Snoddy (Through 2023)  
Austin Williams is our Contact Person for Longwood/Hampden-Sydney Baptist Collegiate Ministries.

## FINANCIAL PAGE

### REGULAR BUDGET RECEIPTS

#### 2020-2021 End-of-Year Update

Church	Year End
Antioch (SV)	\$ 1,000.00
Antioch Union	\$ 500.00
Arvon	\$ 1,000.00
Buckingham	\$1,125.00
Cedar	\$ 2,500.00
Chestnut Grove	\$ 500.00
Enon	\$ 400.00
FBC Dillwyn	\$ 3,000.00
Fitzgerald	\$ 200.00*
Fork of Willis	\$ 396.00
Gladstone	\$ 662.50
Goshen	\$ 1,079.00
Jones Chapel	\$1,858.00
Mt. Tabor	\$ 354.37
Mt. Zion	\$ 1,800.00
Mulberry Grove	\$ 3,360.00
Sharon	\$ 1,165.00
Tar Wallet	\$ 500.00
Individuals	\$ 500.00
Amazon Smile	\$ 38.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$21,937.92</b>

\*Of the \$200 from Fitzgerald Memorial, \$100 was for 2019-2020, and the \$100 received in September, 2021, is for 2020-2021.

Approved Budget for 2020-2021: \$33,233.00

(Total includes \$7,082.00 carryover funds.)

#### 2021 – 2022

### REGULAR BUDGET RECEIPTS

Church	October	Year-to-Date
Antioch (SV)		
Antioch Union		
Arvon		
Buckingham		
Cedar		
Chestnut Grove		
Enon		
FBC Dillwyn		
Fitzgerald		
Fork of Willis	\$ 369.00	\$ 369.00
Gladstone		
Goshen		
Jones Chapel	\$ 169.00	\$ 169.00
Mt. Tabor		
Mt. Zion		
Mulberry Grove		
Sharon	\$ 290.75	\$ 290.75
Tar Wallet		
Individuals		
Amazon Smile		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 828.75</b>	<b>\$ 828.75</b>

Approved Budget for 2021 – 2022: \$27,691.39

Actual Budget (\$27,051 + Carryover Missions Blitz and Rise Against Hunger (\$640.39)

Increase to Budget \$900 (Baccalaureate and Utilities)

**TREASURERS:** Please note that unless a specific ministry or project is designated on the memo line of the check or in an accompanying note, the contribution will appear in the regular budget receipts.

**ALSO NOTE:** Funds received are reflective of the Associational Year (Oct. 1, 2021 – Sept. 30, 2022), NOT the calendar year.

## OTHER BUDGETED LINE ITEMS:

### MISSIONS BLITZ

Contributor	October	Year-to-Date
Carryover from 2020-2021		\$ 345.39
JRBA Budget 2021 – 2022		\$ 250.00
Individuals		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 595.39</b>

No expenditures in October.



### RAH – New Donations starting 04/01/21

Church	October	To Date
JRBA Budget 2021-2022	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
Enon	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00
Gladstone Memorial		\$ 205.00*
Sharon		\$ 80.00*
Tar Wallet		\$ 10.00*
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 900.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,195.00</b>

\*Carryover total \$295.00

### ADDITIONAL MISSIONS:

ALL monies expended for Additional Missions are listed each month.

#### Budgeted

\$1,600.00

#### Expenditures for October

Pregnancy Support Center (Farmville), Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Graceland, Gideons International, Longwood/Hampden Sydney BCM, BGAV Disaster Response, and Piedmont Habitat for Humanity - \$100.00 Each = \$700.00 (Budgeted)

**BALANCE IN ADDITIONAL MISSIONS: \$ 900.00**

### BLAND MINISTRY CENTER

Budgeted: \$500.00

No Expenditures in October; Balance \$500.00

### MISSION TRIPS

Donor	October	Year-to-Date
JRBA Budget	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Personal Contribution (HOPE)	\$ 53.00	\$ 53.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,553.00</b>	<b>\$2,553.00</b>

#### Expenditures

Hope for Appalachia **Fall 2021** Team – Rev. Woody Moore, Rev. Roger Woody and Wayne Gough (\$50 each) = \$150.00

Hope for Appalachia (designated gift) - \$53.00

Malcolm Warfield (SEEDS – Uganda) = \$100.00

**BALANCE = \$2,250.00**

## NON-BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

(ALL monies by donation.)

### JOHN E. MANN, SR. BENEVOLENCE FUND

DONATIONS	October	Year-to-Date
Carryover from 2020 – 2021		\$ 7,697.28
<b>NEW CONTRIBUTIONS 2021 - 2022</b>		
Enon	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Sharon	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
<b>TOTAL NEW DONATIONS</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>

No Expenditures in October

**AVAILABLE DESIGNATED FUNDS: \$8,097.28 to carry over.**

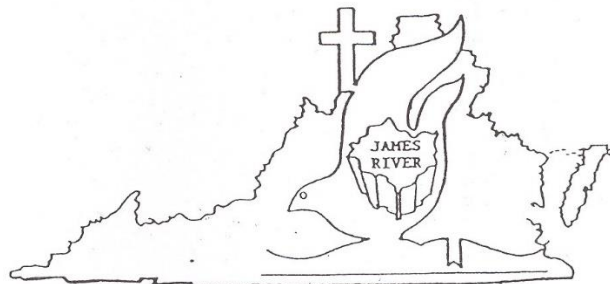


**JAMES RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
**2021-2022 OPERATIONAL BUDGET**  
(Adopted by the Executive Board)

	20/21 Budget	Expenditures	21/22 Budget	Notes
<b>MISSIONS</b>				
Christian Education, Training/Evangelism	\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00	
Baccalaureate	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 600.00	Buckingham, Cumberland, Fluvanna
Mission Trips (Individuals & Groups)	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,780.00	\$ 2,500.00	
Additional Missions	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,600.00	
Missions Blitz	\$ 1,225.00	\$ 1,579.61	\$ 595.39	250 budgeted + 345.39 carryover
VA Baptist Historical Society	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	
Bland Ministries	\$ 500.00	\$ 3,387.10	\$ 500.00	
Rise Against Hunger	\$ 6,607.00	\$ 12,686.65	\$ 795.00	500 budgeted + 295.00 carryover
<b>Subtotal – Missions</b>	<b>\$13,382.00</b>	<b>\$21,083.36</b>	<b>\$ 7,140.39</b>	
<b>OFFICE EXPENSES</b>				
Bond Insurance	\$ 485.00	\$ 484.78	\$ 485.00	
Building Insurance	\$ 435.00	\$ 435.00	\$ 435.00	
Copier Maintenance	\$ 750.00	\$ 597.77	\$ 750.00	
Postage (Includes P. O. Box rental)	\$ 800.00	\$ 643.17	\$ 800.00	
Rent	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,400.00	
Office (Includes Web hosting)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 703.73	\$ 1,000.00	
Utilities (Water, Century Link, Gas)	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,988.72	\$ 3,700.00	Increase due to additional expenses
Miscellaneous (+ Speaker Stipends)	\$ 400.00		\$ 400.00	
<b>Subtotal – Office expenses</b>	<b>\$ 9,270.00</b>	<b>\$9,257.17</b>	<b>\$ 9,970.00</b>	
<b>PAYROLL EXPENSES</b>				
Compensation – Secretary	\$ 8,900.00	\$ 6,409.33	\$ 8,900.00	*(Phyllis pays \$50/month to retirement, ½ to Social Security & Medicare, 100% of Federal Tax)
Contribution to Retirement	\$ 720.00	\$ 1,180.00*	\$ 720.00	
FICA Contribution	\$ 536.00	\$ 941.16*	\$ 536.00	
Medicare Contribution	\$ 125.00	\$ 220.11	\$ 125.00	
Federal Tax Withholding		\$ 600.00*		
Custodial	\$ 300.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 300.00	
<b>Subtotal Payroll Expenses</b>	<b>\$10,581.00</b>	<b>\$ 9,475.60</b>	<b>\$10,581.00</b>	No change in payroll
General Fund Transfers & Payroll rounding		(\$ 25.15)		
<b>TOTAL BUDGET</b>	<b>\$ 33,233.00</b>	<b>\$ 39,790.98</b>	<b>\$27,691.39</b>	<b>Note: \$27,691.39 (Total Budget) = \$26,051.00 (Actual Budget) plus \$900 (Increase Utilities &amp; Baccalaureate) plus \$640.39 (Carryover Missions Blitz &amp; Rise Against Hunger)</b>

**YEAR END TOTALS (Includes all Designated Gifts and Special Offerings)**

Beginning Balance (October 1, 2020)	\$ 37,183.99
Contributions (10/1/20 – 9/30/21)	\$ 33,197.97
Expenditures (10/1/20 – 9/30/21)	\$ 39,790.98
Transfer, adjustment for payroll rounding	(\$ 25.14)
Ending Balance (9/30/21)	\$ 30,565.84



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