



# Pulaski - Bleckley Baptist Association

*"Together Seeing God Changing Lives"*

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**"Under the authority of Christ, the purpose of the Pulaski-Bleckley Baptist Association is to equip and assist its churches in fulfilling the Great Commission."**

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*"God only wants for us what we would want for ourselves  
if we were smart enough to want it."*  
Adrian Rogers

As we move forward to the Fall season of year I would like to share some upcoming events for each of you to add to your calendars. There will be many opportunities for us to take advantage of as we prepare ourselves for continued service to our Lord. Below is a list of the events that I know are planned for our Association:

- August 9 - Discipleship Training with Alan Folsom during the Executive Committee meeting; 7PM at Limestone Baptist Church.
- August 23rd - Operation Balm hospital chaplaincy training for anyone interested in participating; 9 - 4 at First Baptist, Cochran.
- Sept 10th - Sunday School Training for all Sunday School leaders. Steve Parr will be the facilitator; 8:30– Noon, Antioch Baptist Church.
- Sept 20th - On Mission Celebration Introduction meeting for all pastors and church OMC teams; 7:00PM, Broad Street Baptist Church.
- Oct 13th - Annual Meeting for all Messengers and Guests; Ruth Baptist Church. Registration opens at 4:30 with first session beginning at 5:00PM. Doctrinal message by Rev. Ken Rodgers (Southside) and CP message by Galen Jones (GBC).
- Oct 14,15 - Marriage Festival for all couples of our Association. \$30 fee for each couple. First Baptist Church, Cochran.
- December 3rd - Acts 1:8 Mission Rally; 8:30 - Noon, First Baptist, Cochran.

There are also a few events already in the works for 2012:

- Feb 18 - 22 On Mission Celebration. Celebration occurring in all of our churches.
- Mar 3 - 5 Answers In Genesis Conference; event details are not complete at this time.
- Mar 14 - 17, Health Fair; Broad St Baptist Church. Details and timeline will be disclosed in a few months.

Please be in prayer for each of these events, the people involved in the planning, and the people that will be participating in them. It is our hope and expectation that we will be better prepared to faithfully present the gospel, so that

As we exalt and glorify the name of Jesus —

we continue "Seeing God Changing Lives, Together."

Dennis

**Back to School Bash for Middle Georgia College students**

**August 15, 6-8PM**

**If your church would like to participate, contact Ginger Butts 934-0607**

**Executive Committee Meeting**

**August 9, 2011  
7:00 PM**

**Limestone Baptist Church**

All Messengers are encouraged to attend the business and training sessions. The training session will focus on discipleship.

**Pulaski-Bleckley Marriage Festival**

**Facilitated by  
Stained Glass Ministries**

**October 14-15, 2011**

**More information forthcoming.  
HOLD THE DATE!!**

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“but you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.”

Acts 1:8 NASB

Remember items for the Spotlight need to be submitted by the 15th of the month.

**Pulaski-Bleckley Annual Meeting**

**Oct 13th Ruth Baptist Church  
Registration opens at 4:30  
First session begins at 5:00PM**

ACP's will be distributed at the Executive Committee meeting on August 9th

**Christian Social Ministries**

**Willing Hands Center - Cochran (478) 934-1044**  
Hours of Business: Monday 3p.m.—6p.m.  
Wednesday 9a.m.—1p.m.

**Christian H.O.P.E. Center - Hawkinsville (478) 783-4673**  
Hours of Business: Tuesday 3p.m.—6p.m.  
Wednesday 9a.m.—1p.m.

**August Pastor's Meeting**

Westview Baptist Church

10:00AM Prayer Time and a fellowship meal will follow after the meeting.



*Jesus is our way to God  
and God's way to us.*

**Bleckley County School Prayer Walk**

**Aug 7, 6:30PM**

Meeting begins at the Bleckley Co High School gym with a brief worship service before prayer walking the schools.

**Church Historians/Interested Parties**

**Basics of DSLR Photography  
Nov 1 @ 7PM  
Westview Baptist Church**

This course is designed to offer the basics of DSLR photography. Advanced courses (photo editing and photographic composition) will be offered at a later time.

**Sunday School That Really Responds:  
Addressing Your Greatest SS Challenges**

**Antioch 10, 2011  
Antioch Baptist Church  
9:00 - 12:30**

**This is an associational training event!**