

# North Canadian Baptist Association News & Information

## Pastor/Staff Fellowship

### July

- Jul 4 ..... No Meeting - Office Closed
- Jul 11 ..... Bob Fowler
- Jul 18 ..... Chad Balthrop  
Church Strengthening Initiative

### Pastor/Staff Breakfast

- Jul 25 ..... James Swain (OBHC)

### August

- Aug 1 .... Lester Vogler & Chris Lorenz  
Evangelism Explosion
- Aug 8 ..... At Okmulgee Baptist Village
- Aug 15 ..... Emmett McKenzie
- Aug 22 ..... Matthew Wood

### Pastor/Staff Breakfast

- Aug 29 ..... Joe Ligon - OK Baptists

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## NCBA Youth and Adults Minister in Tulsa

By Katie Holdaway

During the month of June, members from three NCBA churches spent a week in Tulsa at Church Inside Out at Red Fork hosting a backyard Bible Club. They helped feed community members, and cleaned



up storm debris as part of several mission projects provided by the association. Four adults supported nine youth in this Mobile Missions project. Students were taught that they are missionaries and were given the opportunity to publicly give their testimony, share the Gospel, and teach children from the Deerfield Springs Mobile Home community daily lessons.

The week began with a community block party to invite the kids to participate in Camp Inside Out. They also hosted a family night where families heard a Gospel presentation led by the youth and enjoyed the songs the kids had learned throughout the week. Three children gave their life to Jesus as a result of this spectacular week! Jered Jackson, Deerfield's onsite missionary, stated, "I'm extremely grateful for the team that served with us at Deerfield Springs! The team's faithfulness and urgency to share the



Gospel has greatly impacted the community! We have had several families who have reached out to us in regards to church and they plan to attend!"

In addition to leading Camp Inside Out, student missionaries helped feed 700+ meals to Red Fork community members who were without electricity due to the recent wind storm. Students not only served food but ministered to both the young and old who came seeking a hot meal, an ice cold drink, shower, and cool place to rest during days without electricity. Students also assisted elderly storm victims by cleaning up tree branches in their yards.

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Students learned the true meaning of being a missionary and that we all, no matter the age, must be willing to say "Here am I, Send me!" The theme for the week was Generation 6:8 based on Isaiah 6:8, "Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying: "Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."



The associational mission planning team is continually working to bring local, state, national, and international opportunities for missionaries from the churches in the association. NCBA members are helping Castle Baptist Church with their new church build and planning a trip to Colorado Springs on July 22nd through the 29th. Will you answer the call with "Here am I! Send me." Get plugged in and engaged with others from associational churches in furthering The Kingdom!

## MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

**JUL 10-15** **CASTLE BAPTIST CHURCH**

**INTERIOR CONSTRUCTION WORK  
ON NEW BUILDING**

**JUL 22-29** **COLORADO SPRINGS, CO**

**VBS & CONSTRUCTION**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION  
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**CALLED UP**  
ESSENTIALS THAT MAKE YOUTH MINISTRY WORK

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 20 - 3:00 PM**  
**FBC, OKEMAH**  
**DINNER IS INCLUDED**

**YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING FOR LAY LEADERS  
WHO HAVE A HEART & LEANING TO LEAD STUDENTS**

## DOM Deliberations

WE ARE SO BLESSED! How often we forget just how richly God has blessed us. We have freedoms that much of the rest of the world can only dream about. We have resources right now that are beyond what those living in other places will ever have in a lifetime. We have the ability to freely express what we stand for (or fall for). Indeed, we are blessed. Why then do we not make better use of those blessings?

Just this morning I was reminded by a Focus on The Family radio program that we are living in an age of discontent. Our culture is so tied to getting what we want...to get what we think that we need to be happy...that people will do whatever it takes to get it. Sadly, even if the goal is finally attained, we find ourselves not satisfied. Instead of being fulfilled we become disgruntled, unhappy, and often blame others or even God for our unhappiness and discontent. (See James 4:1-3)

Christian brothers and sisters, if the truth be told, we too are often guilty of seeking happiness rather

than allowing the Joy of the Lord to satisfy us. Our desire to be happy has in reality become a great hinderance to our living in the Joy that the Lord intends for us.

I am not saying that we shouldn't have goals and dreams and then work hard to achieve them. What I am saying is that we need to give our goals and dreams to God and let Him reshape them into what truly brings us Joy. (Nehemiah 8:10, John 15:10-11; and last but not least Joy is a fruit of the Spirit, evidence that Christ is living within you...Galatians 5:22-23). Being joyful when things are hard is not easy, but it comes from the overflow of the lives of those who are not just going through the motions but are truly in love with Jesus Christ. Our Joy does not depend on our circumstances but on our relationship with Christ. Don't be discontented but learn to live in the Joy of the Lord.

God Bless,  
Bill

# VBS Schedules

Clearview:	July 09-14
Natura:	July 09-14
Wilson:	July 09-14
Last Chance:	July 10-13
Okmulgee, Calvary:	July 10-14
Okmulgee, FBC:	July 10-14
Preston, FBC:	July 16-20
Twin Hills:	July 16-20
Nuyaka:	July 17-21
Schulter:	July 23-28
Skyview:	July 24-28

**NCBA**  
**Executive Board Meeting**  
**Aug 15 - 6:30 pm**  
**Association Office**

**Fellowship & Dinner**  
**Provided**

**Sunday School**  
**Teachers and Workers**  
**Celebration Dinner**

August 28, 6:30 pm  
Trinity, Morris

Sign up deadline: August 14

**Tuesday, September 5th**  
**11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

**OSUIT BCM**

**MOVE IN DAY**

**Come support our BCM's**  
**Student Outreach**

North Canadian Baptist Association

**MEN'S FISH FRY**  
**SEPTEMBER 11 - 6:30 PM**  
**FBC DEWAR**

Sign-up Deadline: Aug 24

Ryan Redwine    Frank McManus  
Speaker                      Music

Promotional resources for this  
and other Associational activities  
are available on the website at:

[northcanadianba.org/downloads](http://northcanadianba.org/downloads)



## Celebrations

### Birthday

7-07 Rachel Daniels  
7-17 Scott McCullah  
7-25 Lindsay Bunch  
8-08 Tommy Daniels  
8-31 Lisa Jones

### Wedding Anniversary

7-26 Scott & Kim McCullah  
7-30 Dale & Dana Huckabay  
7-31 Ryan & Christle Wells  
8-01 Scott & Linda Wolf  
8-08 Ethan & Fantazia Dover  
8-19 Terry & Vickie Pittman

### Church Anniversary

8-1-21 Pup Rogers

## Pray

**For our churches that are**  
**seeking pastors**

Dustin, First  
Hoffman, First  
Morris, Liberty  
Okmulgee, Second  
Schulter, Baptist

# Upcoming Events

## July

### **Pastor/Staff Fellowship**

Tuesdays - 10:30 am

### **Falls Creek Week - 5**

July 3 - 7

### **Independence Day**

July 4 - **Office Closed**

### **Mission Trip - Castle Baptist Church**

July 10 - 15

### **Falls Creek Week - 6**

July 10 - 14

### **Falls Creek Week - 7**

July 17 - 21

### **Mission Trip - Colorado Springs**

July 22 - 29

### **Falls Creek Week - 8**

July 24 - 28

### **Pastor/Staff Breakfast**

July 25 - 9:00 am

## August

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Tuesdays - 10:30 am

### **NCBA Executive Board Meeting**

Aug 15 - Association Office - 6:30 pm

### **Called Up Training**

Aug 20 - FBC, Okemah - 3:00 pm

### **Sunday School Teachers and Workers Celebration Dinner**

Aug 28 - Trinity Morris - 6:30 pm

### **Pastor/Staff Breakfast**

Aug 29 - 9:00 am

### **Ministry Wives Fellowship**

Thursday, Aug 31 - 6:30 pm - FBC Paden

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