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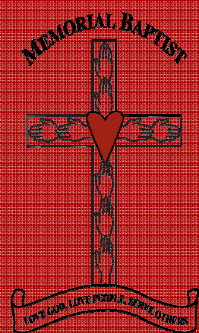
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The Heartbeat

Newsletter

Love God, Love People, Serve Others.



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5,097
North American Missionaries

SENDING HOPE

WEEK OF PRAYER IS MARCH 3-10

National Goal: \$70 million

Memorial's Goal: \$1,000

What is the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering?

The offering was started in 1895 by Woman's Missionary Union® (WMU) to benefit the work of the Home Mission Board (now [North American Mission Board](#)). In 1934, it was named in honor of Annie Armstrong, a bold missions advocate and WMU's first national executive leader. Today, more than \$1 billion has been donated by Southern Baptist churches and individuals.

Where Does Your Money Go?

Every gift to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering—100 percent—goes to train, resource and send more than 5,000 missionaries involved in church planting and compassion ministries across the United States, Canada and their territories. Our partnership with Southern Baptist Convention churches and individuals makes this work possible.

What is the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering?

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (AAEO) is the primary way we support mission efforts in North America. **One hundred percent** of gifts given to AAEO are used to support Southern Baptist missionaries serving across the United States and Canada.

A Heart for the Hurting.....

Have you ever wondered what set Jesus apart from all of the other Jews, Rabbis, Scribes, Pharisees and prophets? Yes, His approach to all of the Old Testament prophecies and teachings was revolutionary because He not only understood all of them; He came to fulfill them. And yes, His life in general was revolutionary because He came to show us the Father.

But the one thing that set Him apart to people more than anything else was that He hurt for people who were hurting. You can call it compassion. You can call it empathy. You can even call it sympathy. But He felt what people felt. He felt angry when they intentionally tried to trick Him with their questions and situational psychology. He felt unloved when they looked for opportunities to trap and betray Him. He felt untrusted when the Jewish leaders turned their backs on Him. And He felt ultimately alone and isolated when His Father forsook Him on the cross.

There was not one person who came to Jesus wearing their feelings on their sleeve that He didn't lovingly reach out to, feel what they felt, and offer hope and healing for their greatest wounds. When you consider how Jesus felt what people felt, it brings a completely fresh interpretation to the words of Hebrews 4:15-16 – *"For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need."*

And no wonder Jesus could speak with such compassion and clarity that the people who heard Him (and still hear Him today) could feel the freedom to come to Him – *'Come to Me, all who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light'* (Matthew 11:28-30 NIV).

Come to Jesus. He loves you, and He wants to give you hope and healing.

Pastor Mike



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FAMILY

NEW ARRIVAL

Wyatt Scott born February 1. He weighed 7 lbs., 5 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches. He is the grandson of Benny & Linda Young.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

To the family of Gladys Manning, MBC member, who passed away Friday, January 18.

MISSIONS

MBC SOUP KITCHEN DAY

ACCESS SOUP KITCHEN & MEN'S SHELTER

We serve lunch on the third Tuesday of the month at 12 NOON. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Kathey Parr at 502-545-0449 or kylerskathey@yahoo.com. Items needed are toilet paper, tea bags, kool-aid & paper towels.

Lunch is served by a great community of volunteers Monday-Friday from 11:30 A.M.—1 P.M., Saturday from 11:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M., Sunday 2-3 P.M.

HARLAN COUNTY MISSION TRIP & TENNIS SHOE COLLECTION

We are collecting shoes for Harlan County, boys/men's & girls/women's tennis shoes in all sizes, color and designs. These shoes will be handed out on our Mission Trip the week of July 14-19. If you would like to attend, talk to Ruth Wiley or Cara Meadows.

GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP

We are taking a mission trip to Guatemala June 22-29. If you would like to go or have any questions about the trip or would like to participate in one of the fundraisers to help someone going on the trip, please talk to Lee Meadows.

OTHER EVENTS THIS MONTH

GYF LUNCHEON

Tuesday, March 5

We are going to Mark's Feed Store in Louisville and will leave the church at 10:15 A.M. Come join in the fun!

GYF –Golden Years Fellowship

We are a group of 50+, who get together to fellowship and travel. A few of our activities this year are Our Best Restaurant, DaVinci's Pizza, and the Stephen Foster Restaurant. We will also have lunch and a tour at The Castle. Every other month, we meet in the Fellowship Hall for lunch, business meeting and fellowship.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Sunday, March 11

Please remember to spring forward one hour.

LADIES GAME NIGHT

Sunday, March 31

We will start after the worship service with a potluck lunch, so bring your favorite dish. Plan to stay and play scrabble, dominos, cornhole and other fun games.

AWANA

Wednesday nights at 6 P.M. This program is for kids from Kindergarten through 8th grade. Volunteers are always needed. Please contact Dianne Moore or Deb Colston.

BIBLE STUDY-GODS OF WAR

Wednesday nights at 6 P.M. in the Narthex.

POVERTY: UNDERSTANDING & ENGAGING CONFERENCE

March 14 at Walnut Baptist Church, Louisville, KY 10 A.M.—2:30 P.M. Cost is \$10 per person (includes lunch). Conferences training are "Ministering Through A Poverty Worldview" & "Transforming Benevolent Ministry."

For the Record

| | <i>Sunday Jan. 27</i> | <i>Sunday Feb. 3</i> | <i>Sunday Feb. 10</i> | <i>Sunday Feb. 17</i> | | <i>Totals</i> |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--|---------------|
| <i>Bible Study</i> | 85 | 84 | 77 | 81 | | |
| <i>Worship Service</i> | 92 | 94 | 104 | 115 | | |
| <i>Budget Offerings</i> | 6,109.00 | 4,470.00 | 1,981.00 | 7,428.00 | | 19,988.00 |
| <i>Lord OT Harvest</i> | 1,229.00 | 275.00 | 125.00 | 1,625.00 | | 3,254.00 |
| <i>Designated Gifts</i> | 276.00 | 101.45 | 1.00 | 3.45 | | 381.19 |
| <i>Total Gifts</i> | 7,614.00 | 4,846.45 | 2,107.00 | 9,056.45 | | 23,623.90 |

MEETINGS THIS MONTH

DEACON MTG.
Sunday, March 10
12:15 P.M.

BUSINESS MTG.
Wednesday,
March 13
at 6 P.M.

MARCH

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|----------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|--------|--|
| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 Bible Study, 9:30 A.M. Worship Service, 10:50 A.M. | 4 | 5 Becky Devore GYF Trip, 10:15 A.M. | 6 Bible Study, 10 A.M. Awana, Bible Study & Prayer Mtg., 6 P.M. Worship Prep, 7:30 P.M | 7 | 8 | 9 Ruth Day |
| Annie Armstrong North American Missions Week of Prayer 3-10 | | | | | | |
| 10 Sydney Bowen Daylight Savings Bible Study, 9:30 A.M. Worship Service, 10:50 A.M. Deacon Mtg, 12:15 P.M. | 11 Landyn Gaines | 12 | 13 Sadie Weaver Bible Study, 10 A.M. Awana, Business Mtg. & Prayer Mtg., 6 P.M. Worship Prep, 7:30 P.M | 14 Sonny Clark | 15 | 16 Ashley Gilbert |
| 17 Brenda Poe St Patrick's Day Bible Study, 9:30 A.M. Worship Service, 10:50 A.M. | 18 | 19 Pauline Clark Tyler Whitt Soup Kitchen Day, 12 noon | 20 Bible Study, 10 A.M. Awana, Bible Study & Prayer Mtg., 6 P.M. Worship Prep, 7:30 P.M | 21 Pam Hershey | 22 | 23 |
| 24 Lindsey Hammond Bible Study, 9:30 A.M. Worship Service, 10:50 A.M. | 25 Sadie Dungan | 26 Josh Bowen | 27 Adrienna Fraley Kela Simpson Bible Study, 10 A.M. Awana, Bible Study & Prayer Mtg., 6 P.M. Worship Prep, 7:30 P.M | 28 Angelia Nesselrode | 29 | 30 Ronnie Cohorn Janice Newton Garrett Wilhite Grayson Wilhite |
| 31 Bible Study, 9:30 A.M. Worship Service, 10:50 A.M. Ladies Potluck Lunch/Game Night, 12:30 P.M. | | | | | | |

Sunday Schedule

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| Children & Youth Bible Study | 9:30 - 10:40 A.M. |
| Adult Bible Study | 9:40 - 10:40 A.M. |
| Sunday Worship | 10:50 A.M. - 12 NOON |

Wednesday Schedule

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| Adult Bible Study | 10 A.M. |
| Adult Prayer & Bible Study | 6 - 7:30 P.M. |
| Awana (age 3 - 8 th) | 6 - 7:30 P.M. |
| Worship Preparation | 7:30 - 9 P.M. |

SUNDAY WORKERS

We would like to remind everyone that our contract with the cleaning people does not include the cleaning of the Bible Study classrooms or the kitchen/fellowship hall. Contact the church office if you would like to volunteer your time to help around the church. God has gifted each of us with abilities so we can make a contribution to His kingdom. Don't wait to be recruited, but look for opportunities to volunteer. If you would like to volunteer for one of the categories below, please contact the leader for that group.

| | March 3 | March 10 | March 17 | March 24 | March 31 |
|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| Ushers (Jim Franklin 352-1556) | Jim Franklin David Collins Nick Dungan David Starkey | Bill Wallace David Banks Graham Duvall Bill Evilsizor | Guy Gilbert Rick Nesselrode David White Benny Young | Bob Fentress Alan Beghtol Sonny Clark Steve Lanphierd | Jim Franklin David Collins Nick Dungan David Starkey |
| Noah's Ark - Crib-2 Yr. (Paula Collins 226-4450) | Guy & Elsie Gilbert | Trina Wallace | Paula Collins Kay Quire | Steve & Janet Lanphierd | Paula Collins Kay Quire |
| The Garden - 3-4 Yr. (Stephanie Starkey 352-7972) | Erin Wheeler | Lindsay James | Kathey Parr | Becky Devore | Stephanie Starkey |
| Narthex Workers (Donna Jones 695-4527) | David & Stephanie Starkey | Kathey Parr Sharon Parrent | Alan Beghtol Bill Evilsizor | Benny & Linda Young | Mark & Debbie Hatfield |
| Sunday Van Driver (Jim Franklin 229-6030) | Bill Wallace | Brian & Karen Tackett | Jim Franklin | David White | Brian & Karen Tackett |
| Lock-up | Ruth Wiley | Ruth Wiley | Ruth Wiley | Ruth Wiley | Ruth Wiley |
| Worship Prayer Ministry | Bob Fentress | Betty Mason | Graham Duvall | Bonnie Feeback | Bill Jones |
| Deacon Door Greeter (David Banks 695-9222) | <u>Narthex</u> Brian Tackett <u>Hallway</u> Ruth Wiley | <u>Narthex</u> Guy Gilbert <u>Hallway</u> John Reed | <u>Narthex</u> Linda Young <u>Hallway</u> Brian Tackett | <u>Narthex</u> Amaka Oleka <u>Hallway</u> Pam Hershey | <u>Narthex</u> Bill Wallace <u>Hallway</u> Denise Gibson |
| Prayer for Pastor | Brian Tackett | Brian Tackett | Amaka Oleka | Brian Tackett | Ruth Wiley |
| Wired Worship Dianna Moore (502-319-0059) | Janet Lanphierd | Linda Young | Dianna Moore | David White | Erin Wheeler |
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Future Events



**SENIOR LIVING CELEBRATIONS:
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 **TUESDAY, APRIL 9 • FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, MADISONVILLE**
THURSDAY, APRIL 11 • RED HOUSE BAPTIST CHURCH, RICHMOND 

Doors open at 8:30 A.M. Several workshops are available to attend. Cost is \$20 per person if paid by April 3 and is \$25 after the 3rd. You can register online at <http://kbc.staging.communityq.com/stories/senior-living-celebrations,2260?>