NORTH FLORIDA BAPTIST NETWORK E-LINK

MAY 2023

PASTORS MAY BIRTHDAYS

6th: Rev. A. J. Stevens, Next Generation Pastor, The Orchard Community Church 28th: Rev. Louis Joseph, Pastor, 1st Haitian American Baptist Church 29th: Rev. Bo Bush, Pastor, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church 29th: Dr. Billy Young, Pastor, Hopeful Baptist Church

NFBN SPRING NIGHT WORSHIP 2023 MEMORIES

A great night of worship in song, testimonies, message and fellowship. Thank you Pastor Mark Spradley and Athens Baptist Church Family for hosting this event. Also, a BIG thanks to our young helpers... London, Isaac, Liam, Asher, Aaron and Alex.



Pastor

Mark Spradley

Athens Baptist

Church Choir



Music Minister Ken Sivik



Meet & Greet

Kristie Croft



Helpers





Soloist Jane Pitchford

Pianist **Dana Phillips**

PARKVIEW FITNESS

nday | Wednesday | Friday 7:00AM - 11:00AM TUESDAY | THURSDAY 4:00PM - 6:00PM

Steve Thompson, Moderator Email; rvpastorsteve@gmail.com Randy Cox, Treasurer



Parkview Fitness is open to everyone, including anyone in our community, and we encourage you to invite others!

Helpers

More information at pbclc.com/parkviewfitness Address:

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FLORIDA BAPTIST CONVENTION DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING

MAY 20, 2023 @ HOPEFUL BAPTIST CHURCH 289 SE Hopeful Drive, Lake City, Florida 32025

Registration Starts: 8:30 AM | Training: 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM | No Pre-Registration Required First Time & Returning Volunteers Registration Fee: \$10.00 per person

•First Time Volunteers will participate in the New Volunteer Class that is designed to prepare volunteers to be able to respond effectively with our ministry. Information will be shared to help answer the questions that all new volunteers typically have. •First Time Volunteers will be able to choose Ministry Area Classes to obtain specialized training in the area they most likely want to work. •You may cross train in other Ministry Areas by attending another regional training event. •Price includes training materials and lunch. Note: To receive ID badge at the training, you must complete a Background Check two weeks prior to date of your preferred training. To complete, visit https://flbaptistdisaster.org. Cost for background checks is additional.

•Returning Volunteers have several options:

1. During the morning, you may choose to acquire additional training in your primary ministry area. 2. After lunch, you may choose to attend another ministry area class to receive training in another specialty, thus expanding your ability to minister. Price includes lunch and training materials.

If your badge has expired, you will need to attend the New Volunteer Class to receive a new badge. Badges expire every 3 years. Background checks will be required when badges are renewed. Cost for background checks is additional, which you must do on-line. If you choose to renew on-line, you will need to register, also. Check out the website at flbaptistdisaster.org



You have the option of on-line training. The website gives all the information. flbaptistdisaster.org

FIRST TIME VOLUNTEERS

RETURNING VOLUNTEERS

Training Provided in the Following Ministry Areas:

Mass Feeding | Clean-Up & Recovery | Administration

On Site Management | Logistics | Chaplaincy | Communications Temporary Child Care

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OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX ORDERS

ORDER DEADLINE: JUNE 1, 2023

Cost: \$33.00 for Case of 50 Shoeboxes \$23.00 for Case of 12 Plastic Shoeboxes



Make Checks Payable to: North Florida Baptist Network (MEMO: OCC Shoeboxes)

Mailing Address: 189 NW Cali Drive, Lake City, FL 32055



ARK ENCOUNER & CREATION MUSEUM TRIP UPDATE

June 12-16, 2023

Lulu Baptist Church has <u>4</u> seats available on the charter bus for this trip. Cost: \$600.00 per person Includes: Transportation 4 Nights at Hyatt Place (with breakfast) 3 Day Tickets to both attractions If you are interested in going on this trip, please contact Pastor Rick Wake as soon as possible at 904-703-9567.

WELCOME TO NFBN



Rev. Brian & Celia Kline. Elim Baptist Church has called Rev. Brian as their Ministerial Assistant. He started in March 2023.



Thursday | May 4th

VBS 2023



HOPEFUL BAPTIST CHURCH 289 SE Hopeful Drive, Lake City June 4-8 | 6-8:30pm | Pre-K3-5th Grade

NFBN HOLY WEEK SERVICES 2023

This has become an event that many look forward to each year.

We had the opportunity to come together as one church, to celebrate our God.

We averaged 65 in attendance through out the week.

Pastor Mike and Parkview Baptist Church family always do a wonderful job hosting this

event. Thank you Pastor Mike, Parkview Baptist Church, Pastor Dax Summerhill for

organizing the speakers, all the Pastors that brought the messages, Skylar for leading us

in worship and the hard working kitchen crew for the fabulous breakfast we

enjoyed each day. Again...THANK YOU ALL!



PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH 268 NW Lake Jeffery Road, Lake City June 26-30 | 9am-Noon | K-5th Grade



PINE GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH 1989 N US Highway 441, Lake City July 23-28 | 5:30-8:30pm | Age 4-14

FLATTLANDERS IN CONCERT AT CHURCH ON THE WAY

Saturday-May 20, 2023

Doors Open at 6:00 PM | Service Begins @ 6:30 PM

Come out for an evening of toe-tapping tunes with



The Flattlanders. They will be performing a mix of their favorite bluegrass and gospel songs. Stay after the service for a Meet & Greet.

Address: 196 SE James Avenue Lake City



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MOVIE NIGHT LULU

FAMILY

BAPTIST CHURCH

May 27, 2023 | 7:00 PM

Popcorn & Drinks Provided **Feature Presentation:**



160 SE Gillen Ave. Lulu

NFBN ELT ADMIN MEETING

Tuesday-May 16th | Noon **NFBN Office**

NFBN OFFICE CLOSED

Monday May 29th





FIRST PLACE FOR HEALTH

NEW SESSION BEGINS

May 12, 2023 | Fridays @ 2:00 PM LOCATION **Parkview Baptist Church** Youth Café 268 NW Lake Jeffery Rd., Lake City

This is not just another weight loss program. It's a nine week **Bible Study and total wellness** in four core areas of your life... emotional, spiritual, mental, and physical. The Bible Study is: Be Free Cost: \$22.49 The First Place for Health kit is a one time cost of \$69.99. Total \$92.48 Please contact Mary White at 352-246-2023 or by email: armetme@gmail.com or visit: pbclc.com/health for more information.

MINISTER OF MUSIC BI-VOCATIONAL POSITION

One of our Network churches is seeking a Minister of Music. They utilize a blended style worship, with a praise team, praise band, and would love to see the choir get going again weekly.

If you or someone you know feels led to serve as a Minister of Music please email Pastor Drue at: pastordrue@gbclc.org