Sunday School Leadership Training Saturday, March 16

9:00 a.m. - noon

Trinity Baptist Church 42062 Pumpkin Center Road, Hammond

Conferences:

Adult & Pastor/Staff/GO, Youth, and Children/Preschool

Register at office@northshorebaptists.net or 225.567.5086

Sponsored by the LBC Evangelism/ Church Growth Team

LABMA Conference

for Church Ministry Assistants
Appreciated & Encouraged!

Monday, April 1

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. First Baptist Church

16333 Highway 1085, Covington

Cost is \$25

includes snacks and lunch

Register at Jessica@LouisianaBaptists.org or 318.449.4226

Sponsored by the LBC Adult Ministry Team

Prayer Boot Camp with Claude King

a flexible prayer training experience to provide basic training in prayer and to introduce the weapons of our spiritual warfare.

Monday, April 8

9:30 a.m. - Noon

New Zion Baptist Church

17387 New Zion Church Road, Covington Register at Jessica@LouisianaBaptists.org

Sponsored by the LBC Adult Ministry Team



THE ANCHOR

"Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the LORD, because you know that your labor in the LORD is not in vain."

I Corinthians 15:58 (NIV)

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New AMS Joining Northshore Baptist Association Team

We welcome our new Association Mission Strategist to the Northshore. Don Pucik will begin with us the first of February.

I am excited to see how God will use Don. Please pray daily for him and get to know him. He is truly a man of God. Don was called unanimously by our Executive Committee. Pray as he and his wife Gail try to sell their house in Arkansas.

Welcome Don Pucik
in, enjoy our Fa

Don has a heart for God and a burden for the unsaved. I want to encourage you to have Don in your church so your people can get to know him.

> Clark Stewart Moderator, NSBA

Friends,

In high school I enjoyed running on the track team. As the official gave us directions at the starting line, I vividly recall the adrenaline flowing through my veins at the beginning of each race. He would slowly call out three phrases in an elongated, deliberate tone: "Ready... on your mark... set!" Then BOOM!

He would fire the starter pistol.

That's the way I feel as I prepare to join you in His Northshore harvest fields. I'm ready. I'm set. And I am rejoicing in this new assignment!

By the time you read this, I will still be getting settled in, but I'm already looking for opportunities to meet and

enjoy fellowship with each of you. I want to hear your heart and your stories of what our Father is doing in your life.

Want to visit sooner than later? Just email me at dpucik@northshorebaptists.net or call the NSBA office and let Kathy Cason know that you would like to arrange a meeting time.

In the meantime, please know I am already praying for you and the church you serve. I look forward to praying with you in person soon!

Yours in His Presence,



Don Pucik, Mission Strategist



Don Pucik

Northshore Church News

- •First (Covington) Adults 55+ Young at Heart Spring Celebration is planned for Tuesday, March 12, 9 a.m. to noon featuring the music, humor, and inspiration of Branson's own Doug Gabriel & Family. Cost is \$10 (payable at the door) and includes lunch. Deadline to register is 4 p.m. Wednesday, March 6. Register at www.fbccov.org/all-events/young-at-heart-march-12/ or call the church office at 985.892.2149. Please register by individual names unless you are registering and paying with one check for your group. Note: Seating is limited and the caterer must be paid for all who are registered by the deadline so please contact the church before the deadline if you must cancel. The deadline to register or cancel is Wednesday, March 6. Triumphant will be in concert at FBC Friday, February 22, at 7 p.m. Advance tickets are \$15 and are available at www.FbcCov.org/allevents/triumphant-quartet-in-concert/ or the bookstore at the church. Cost of tickets at the door are \$20. First Baptist will host the 2019 Freedom Tour, featuring author and speaker Jennie Allen and worship leader Christy Nockels. This ladies event will be held Friday, April 5, from 7-10 p.m. Tour information and a link to purchase tickets will be available at www.FbcCov.org beginning in February. Childcare will be offered by registration only. All ladies are invited to attend this powerful evening of teaching and worship For more information contact Julie Smith at juliesmith1020@hotmail.com. The church is located at 16333 Highway 1085, Covington. Waylon Bailey is pastor.
- •Trinity (Hammond) HIS KIDS Activity Time (a special needs ministry for ages 10-25) is planned for Saturday, February 9, and Saturday, March 9, from 10 a.m. to noon. A **Prayer Conference** with Dr. Cyril Antony as guest speaker will be Sunday, February 10. Session times are 9:30 a.m. (adult only), 10:45 a.m., 4:30 p.m., and 5:30 p.m. **Chronicle** will be in concert Sunday, February 24, at 5:30 p.m. Admission is free. A love offering will be taken. Sunday School Leadership Training will be held in conjunction with the Louisiana Baptist Convention and Northshore Baptist Association on Saturday, March 16, from 9 a.m. to noon. Avery Dixon is pastor.
- •Blood River (Albany) will have a youth fund raiser Saturday, February 16, at 6 p.m. Dinner and a Show. Childcare will be provided. Cost is \$20 per couple. A **Spring Revival** is planned for March 17-20 with evangelist Brandon Digilormo and worship band Broken

- First (Slidell) UR Loved Card Ministry meets the first Friday of every month at 9 a.m. The ladies enjoy making beautiful cards for nursing home residents, hospitals, prison ministry, and senior adults. Upcoming dates will be February 1 and March 1. Dr. Don Roy from the Northshore Biblical Training Center will lead a course in **Biblical Counseling** in February and March. The course will be taught over three weekends: February 1 and 2, February 22 and 23, and March 15 and 16. The cost is \$70 for the course and workbooks. Call Cindy Mullins at 985.643.3456 to register. An Adult Winter Bible Study begins February 4 and continue through February 7 at 10 a.m. each day. The pastors will lead through a study of the "Full Armor of God: Ephesians 6." Lunch will be served after the Bible study. The cost is \$2 per person. **Serve Slidell Day** will be Saturday, February 9 from 9 a.m. to noon where neighbors and community will be served through various projects. The annual Ladies Valentine Banquet will be Thursday, February 14, at noon. Ladies who are widowed or single over the age of 60 are invited. The event is sponsored by deacons and wives. Upward Basketball and Cheerleading will begin their season on February 23 and will continue through April 13. Practices begin the week of February 11. The Parade Outreach Event this year will be during the Selene Parade on Friday, March 1, beginning at 4 p.m. on the front lawn with food, cups, candy, and hot chocolate. The **Sonshine Club Meetings** for Senior Adults will be Friday, February 22, and Friday, March 29, at noon at the church. Pastor is Casey Stark
- •Jerusalem (Hammond) Monday night Young Adult Worship Service is growing. The coffee bar opens at 6 p.m. with the service beginning at 6:30. Child care is available. Children's Choir has begun on Sunday nights at 6:30 p.m. "A History of Worship in the Church" Bible study meets Sunday evenings at 6:30 p.m. A Craft and Car Show, is scheduled for Saturday, March 16. Vendor spots are open. For more information call the church office at 225.294.2001. Phil Weaver is pastor.

APRIL-MAYNEWSLETTER DEADLINE: March 15, 2019

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A REMINDER:

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Location: 16333 Highway 1085, Covington, LA 70433
 On the campus of FBC Covington, West Entrance

• Mailing Address: P.O. Box 7, Robert, LA 70455

Phone: 225.567.5086

• E-mail: Office@NorthshoreBaptists.net



Mark Your Calendar Northshore Baptist Association

FEBRUARY 2019

- 1-2 Disaster Relief Training @ First, Zachary www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-disaster-relief-training-baton-rouge/
- 1-2 Collegiate Evangelism Conference @ First, Lafayette www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-next-conference
- 4-6 Transitional Pastor Training @ Tall Timbers. www.louisianabaptists.org/event/transitional-pastor-training/
- 11-17 Focus on WMU
- 15-16 M-Now at Tall Timbers www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-mnow/
- 22-24 REAL Statewide Women's Event @ First, Pineville www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-real-statewide-womens-event/
- 25-26 Kid Min Retreat @ Tall Timbers www,louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-real-statewidewomens-event/
- 28 Replant Ready Baton Rouge @ Living Hope Church, Baton Rouge www.louisianabaptists.org/event/replantready-baton-rouge/

MARCH 2019

- 3-10 Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-week-of-prayer-for-north-american-missions-annie-armstrong-easter-offering
- 8-9 VBS Retreat @ Tall Timbers Conference Center www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-vbs-retreat/
- 10 Daylight Savings Time begins
- 14 The Forum (Youth) @ Louisiana College www,louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-forum/
- Sunday School Leadership Training @ Trinity, Hammond, 9 a.m. - noon (see page 1 for details)
- 20 Spring begins
- 22-23 Greenhouse Workshop @ Clara Springs Baptist Camp www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-greenhouseworkshop-clara-springs/
- 29-30 RA Congress @ Tall Timbers Conference Center www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-ra-congress/
- 30 M-JAM @ Connect Church, Algiers www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-m-jam-algiers

NSBA churches can once again place their VBS

orders through the Associational office and save on shipping and provide a 15% commission to the association to be used in ministry. An order form is available at www.northshorebaptists.net.

Download the form, complete your order, and e-mail it to office@northshorebaptists.net by Friday, March 1. If your church does not have internet capability you may request an order form be faxed or mailed to you. Your order will be delivered the week of April 1.

Granberry Counseling Center Has New Therapist in Covington Area

Granberry Counseling Centers are a counseling ministry of Louisiana Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministries. The mission of Granberry Counseling Centers is to provide affordable, professional, Christian counseling to individuals, couples, and families across Louisiana.

Lewis Eaton, a Licensed Professional Counselor and Marriage and Family Therapist with over 20 years of experience working with individuals, couples, and families who struggle with the results of trauma, depression, anxiety, and marital difficulties, has joined the staff of Granberry Counseling. He received his undergraduate degree in 1994 and his Master of Divinity degree in Psychology and Counseling in 1997 from the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. He completed the Harris Infant Mental Health Post Graduate Fellowship through Louisiana State University (2003) with a focus on Attachment Theory. Lew is a Louisiana Board Approved Supervisor of interns working on licensure as Professional Counselors and Marriage and Family Therapists. He is trained in Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR); and a certified Emotion Focused Therapist (EFT). Lew has been married to Anna for 24 years. She has homeschooled all three of their sons. Joshua is a computer software designer with GE, Caleb is a corporal in the Marines, and Micah is a junior in high school.

Lewis can be reached at 225.223.1497 and his office is located at First Baptist Church, 16333 Highway 1085, Covington.

WMU News

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 11-17: Focus on WMU - Let your church know what your WMU is doing within your own church.

Saturday, February 16: Children's Mission Day - Let's get our children involved in a mission project on this day. Lots of great ideas are out there for our children to get involved. So let your planning begin!

February 22-23: R.E.A.L. Statewide Women's Event, First Baptist Church, Pineville (Friday evening through Saturday afternoon): This could be a great women's retreat time for you ladies. Plan an overnight stay in Alexandria, travel together, and make this a great time of fellowship, sharing, and learning through the break-out conferences being offered. Then, there's also the great praise and worship times we spend together during this conference. Check the web at www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019-real-statewide-womens-event/

Camp Living Waters Events

Men's Retreat - February 22-23 Youth Retreat - March 3-4 Women's Retreat - March 29-30

Register at 985.345.1831

We want you to know, brothers, about the grace of God granted to the churches of Macedonia [NSBA]: During a severe testing by affliction, their abundance of joy and their deep poverty overflowed into the wealth of their generosity. — 2 Corinthians 8:1-2 HCSB

Northshore Baptist Association Church Contributions

The NSBA defines a member church as one which does the following (among other things): **Contributes financially to support the work of the Association.**

	Nov-Dec	YTD
Agua Viva	32.56	156.28
Albany First	1,134.52	6,090.61
Antioch	16.44	238.41
Bayou	150.00	650.00
Bedico	1,260.00	5,206.00
Bethlehem	1,290.00	9,381.00
Blood River	821.02	3,743.33
Bogue Falaya	833.37	5,000.00
Boots N Saddles	77.24	369.47
Calvary	685.55	3,539.55
Celebration (Cov/Mand		2,300.00
Celebration (Slidell)	300.00	2,300.00
Coburn	-0-	31.46
Collins Blvd.	-0-	600.00
Connect Church	-0-	102.76
Countryside	-0-	300.00
Covenant	20.00	180.00
Creekside	300.00	1,200.00
Cristo para Todos	177.00	777.00
Crossbrand	103.04	1,324.68
Crossgate	-0-	2,446.61
Crossroads	505.41	6,064.92
Ebenezer	329.76	2,737.23
Emmaus	-0-	300.00
Evans Creek	625.23	2,854.11
	4,575.00	27,704.17
	784.62	4,361.16
First, Folsom	214.29	1,345.62
First, Hammond	-0-	600.00
First, Independence		
First, Madisonville	-0- 924.55	1,958.95
First, Pearl River		6,196.04 8,400.00
First, Slidell	1,400.00 116.91	677.81
First, Springfield First, Tickfaw	463.72	2,607.50
French Corner	351.08	2,235.93
Grace	178.70	833.20
Grace Community	791.80	791.80
Grace Hispanic	33.35	287.55 13,545.31
	2,165.38	
Greater St. James	-0- 600.00	300.00
Hebron		3,600.00
Iglesia Buenas Nuevas	173.54	783.61
Iglesia Cristo Redentor		2,020.03
Immanuel	185.59	1,134.31
Jerusalem (Hammond)	873.97	6,376.42

Welcome				
Γhompson Road	589.16	3,101.24		
Γhe Field Church	300.00	3,000.00		
Γhe Bridge	412.50	1,975.00		
Γammany Hill	558.54	2,699.60		
Still Water	-0-	-0-		
Springville	131.90	1,015.38		

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	Nov-Dec	YTD
Killian First	-0-	1,350.23
Lee Hill	127.21	970.19
Lee Valley	-0-	-0-
Life	-0-	-0-
Lighthouse	393.00	1,812.93
Loranger	1,345.27	7,351.77
Louisiana	-0-	-0-
Manchac	-0-	-0-
Mandeville's First	-0-	16,185.20
Midway	-0-	-0-
Millville	-0-	814.82
Mt. Calvary	-0-	160.22
Natalbany	2,465.80	15,386.05
New Beginning	150.00	600.00
New Beulah	302.64	2,115.50
New Haven	-0-	-0-
New Hope, Independen	ce -0-	-0-
New Life Community	276.03	1,415.03
New Zion	1,022.42	11,338.18
Northshore	2,505.00	10,853.34
Northside	328.49	1,985.76
Old Zion Hill	1,460.86	4,383.85
Ponchatoula's First	2,992.60	19,914.42
Red Bluff	522.37	2,808.32
Redemption, Lacombe	200.00	1,200.00
Redemption Christian	-0-	-0-
Ridge Memorial	50.00	200.00
River Fellowship	276.94	2,065.92
Serenity	82.09	82.09
Springville	131.90	1,015.38
Still Water	-0-	-0-
Tammany Hill	558.54	2,699.60
The Bridge	412.50	1,975.00
The Field Church	300.00	3,000.00
Thompson Road	589.16	3,101.24

Pastors & Staff

Tim Moffett

Pastor

Woodland Park, Hammond

Thank You

Bro. Sammy Smith wants to say thank you to all pastors and others who prayed for him during his illness and hospital stay.

	Nov-Dec	YTD
Trinity	658.00	3,094.00
True Life	100.00	1,200.00
Victory	-0-	-0-
Wadesboro	-0-	225.00
Wardline	225.00	3,525.00
Westside	897.00	5,636.10
Woodhaven	127.00	556.00
Woodland	-0-	1,545.45
Woodland Park	3,760.76	14,964.42
*Grace Fellowship	773.35	3,149.46
*Eastside	-0-	170.84
TOTAL	45,977.81	292,504.14

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^{*}Applied for NSBA Membership



ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

FOR NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS

March 3-10, 2019

www.louisianabaptists.org/event/2019week-of-prayer- for-north-americanmissions-annie-armstrong-easter-



Timothy 2:1-4

is the prayer watchword for everything we do in the Northshore Baptist Association.