



NORTH ROANOKE BAPTIST NEWS

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Churches

June 2008

- Antioch
- Arlington
- Avalon
- Battleboro
- Bear Swamp
- Benvenue
- Bethlehem
- Calvary – Roanoke Rapids
- *Calvary – Rocky Mount*
- Chockoyotte
- *Community Center*
- Corinth
- Darlington
- Dawson
- *Dortches*
- Ebenezer
- Edgemont
- Elm Grove
- Enfield
- Englewood
- Fishing Creek
- Gaston
- Gethsemane
- Good News
- Greenwood
- Halifax
- Hickory
- *Hobgood*
- Macedonia
- Maranatha
- Memorial
- Momeyer
- Mount Hermon
- Nashville
- NorthSide Community
- Oak Level
- Oak View
- Oakdale
- Park
- Parkwood
- Proctors Chapel
- Quankie
- Red Oak
- Roanoke
- Roanoke Rapids First
- *Rock Creek*
- Rocky Mount First
- *Rosemary*
- Salem
- Scotland Neck First
- *Sharpsburg*
- South Rosemary
- *Southside*
- Sunset Avenue
- Tillery
- Turkey Branch
- Union
- Weldon
- West Edgecombe
- West Mount
- *Whitakers*
- White Oak

More from...

Operation In-As-Much April 19, 2008



Antioch makes gift baskets for shut-ins from the church & the community



Food Round UP UPDATE
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**Over \$1270.00 in Gift Cards from Lowes/Food Lion/Wal-Mart**  
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Over \$1000 in checks payable to NC Baptist Children's Homes
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**The equivalent of over 250 cases of supplies**



First Baptist Scotland Neck builds a ramp & cleans up a yard for Operation In As Much! Thanks for your support!



Jeff Joyner of the BCH



## NRBA Sr. Adult Spring Fling



Acey C & The Invisibles



Sharpsburg - ICE event 4/19/08

[Intentional Community Evangelism]



## Upcoming Pastors Conference

June 2

Western Sizzlin' in Rocky Mount  
 11:00 AM

\* Churches without a pastor

North Roanoke Association churches will be going on over 25 volunteer mission trips this year. Destinations consist of states such as Kentucky, Mississippi, New York, and Ohio. Foreign countries include France, El Salvador, Mexico and Kenya. Projects will involve church construction, conducting VBS, prayer walking, medical missions, home repair, and street evangelism. Every project is an opportunity to share the good news of Christ.

I remember watching old “gangster” movies in which one of the characters would invariably hear of some criminal scheme that appeared to be profitable and say, “Let me in on it. I want a piece of the action!” This is a great opportunity for our association to have “a piece of the action” by investing in personal ministry involvement and promoting a positive missions environment. On May 15<sup>th</sup> the Association Executive Committee reinstated the Volunteer Missions Scholarship Program. Note the following benefits:

Personal Discipleship. Team members grow in their relationship with the Lord and in their compassion for a lost world as they exercise their spiritual gifts.

Ministry impact. As they share in the ministry of the gospel lives will be changed and believers they meet will be encouraged to faithfully serve the Lord.

Strengthen churches. Their heart for outreach and promotion of missions will lead their church to grow in commitment to ministry and bolster missions involvement for the future.

Strengthen the association. Our churches want to see the association involved in practical ministry that changes lives and advances the Kingdom of God. The association should be and wants to be “a pipeline – not a reservoir.” As churches see ministry funds flowing through the association, they will continue to increase support and funding for greater projects in the future.

The Missions Development Council has set a deadline of June 2 to receive applications. They would particularly like to receive applications for trips during June and July during this time. They will meet again early in August, to process applications for later in the summer and the fall. Applications are available on the “Mission Trips” page of our website or at the association office.

We currently have about \$3,000 that we have received as a percentage of the association churches contributions to the Baptist State Missions Offering. So we know that we can not give a large amount to each individual, but it is something that the association can do to be a part of this wonderful ministry. If your church can not go on a mission trip this year but would like to help others to go, this will be a great opportunity “to get in on it.” Your contributions will be added to these funds and dispersed quickly in support of volunteer missionaries

*John S. Hamm*

### ***Dortches Baptist Church Raises Funds for Kenyan Orphanage***

Thanks to extensive fundraising efforts by Dortches Baptist Church in Rocky Mount, NC, Cheryl’s Children’s Home (Nairobi, Kenya) was recently able to purchase their very own bus...the first transportation ever for the orphanage, which rescues children from the horrors of Kibera, Africa’s second-largest slum. Following a recent concert by his group, The Celtic Tenors, James Nelson was presented with proceeds totaling over \$5,000 by church members Robin Brown, Nan Brown, Dorothy Winfree, and Kim Rains. James also received a photo album detailing various fundraising activities and a scrapbook made by the children of Dortches Baptist Church to be presented to the orphans at Cheryl’s during James’s third humanitarian trip to Kenya. James and his fellow Kenya Build volunteers, most from his hometown of Sligo, Ireland, will be working to improve housing, educational, and healthcare facilities at Cheryl’s and nearby St. Paul’s Children’s Care Centre from June 22 through July 4, 2008. (Visit Cheryl’s on the web at [www.cherylshome.net](http://www.cherylshome.net).)



Those pictured from left to right...  
Donna Malone, Daryl Simpson, Nan Brown, Matthew Gilsenan, Robin Brown, James Nelson, Kim Rains, and Dorothy Winfree.

The presentation was made May 6, 2008

## News from our churches...

### Antioch

✦ REVIVAL June 1-2 (Sunday AM/PM & Monday PM) with Jack Causey as Guest Speaker.

✦ VBS JULY 13-17 (*Son Harvest*)

### Battleboro

✦ VBS JUNE 8-11 (*Jerusalem Marketplace*)

### Calvary-Roanoke Rapids

✦ VBS JUNE 22-27, 2008 (*Outrigger Island*)

### Edgemont

✦ VBS JUNE 8-12 6:30 - 8:30 NIGHTLY

### Enfield

✦ VBS JUNE 9-13 (*God's Big Backyard*)

### Englewood

✦ VBS - JUNE 22-27

### First Baptist - Roanoke Rapids

✦ VBS - JULY 27—AUGUST 1

### Halifax

✦ May 31-Rev. Scott Schrimpsheer begins his summer Intern duties

✦ VBS MISSION JULY 19& 20 Halifax Town Park,10-1130am

### Momeyer

✦ VBS JUNE 16-20

### Nashville

✦ VBS - JUNE 22-27

### Parkwood

✦ VBS JUNE 15-19

### Proctor's Chapel

✦ Summer Soccer Camp - June 9-13 from 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Cost \$40.00 / Grades K-8<sup>th</sup> - Call 446.3683 for more information.

✦ VBS JUNE 24-28

### Red Oak

✦ VBS - JUNE 9-13

### Rock Creek

✦ VBS - JUNE 8-12

### Salem

✦ June 1, 2008 Spaghetti supper from 5:00-7:30

'Eat In or Take Out' Call 443-2696 for more information & to reserve your tickets!

✦ VBS JUNE 9-15 "Outrigger Island" 6:45 - 8:30 NIGHTLY

### Sunset Avenue

✦ VBS JULY 20-24

### Turkey Branch

✦ VBS - JUNE 16 - 19TH [NIGHTLY 6:00 - 8:00PM]

### Union

✦ VBS - JUNE 22-26 6:30 - 8:30 NIGHTLY

### Weldon

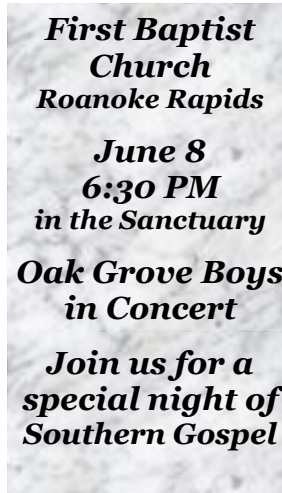
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### West Edgcombe

✦ Meshach's Carpenters - June 12-22

✦ VBS AUGUST 3-7, 2008

✦ July 14-19 Youth Mission Trip to Charleston, SC



# VBS

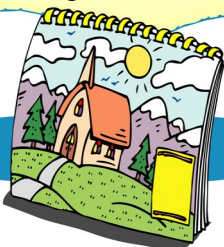
## Contributions from our Churches...

| <u>Name</u>               | <u>8 months</u>  |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| Antioch                   | 250.00           |
| Arlington                 | 1000.00          |
| Avalon                    | 500.00           |
| Battleboro                | 638.91           |
| Calvary RM                | 175.00           |
| Calvary RR                | 3325.00          |
| Community Center          | 1000.00          |
| Corinth                   | 250.00           |
| Darlington                | 603.06           |
| Dawson                    | 300.00           |
| Dortches                  | 2771.48          |
| Edgemont                  | 626.44           |
| Elm Grove                 | 1500.00          |
| Enfield                   | 1925.00          |
| Englewood                 | 1200.00          |
| Fishing Creek             | 250.00           |
| Gaston                    | 890.13           |
| Good News                 | 375.00           |
| Halifax                   | 1,125.00         |
| Hickory                   | 100.00           |
| Hobgood                   | 150.00           |
| Macedonia                 | 650.00           |
| Maranatha                 | 692.00           |
| Memorial                  | 1333.74          |
| Momeyer                   | 1333.31          |
| Mount Hermon              | 2000.00          |
| Nashville                 | 600.00           |
| Oakdale                   | 4164.25          |
| Oak Level                 | 267.36           |
| Oak View                  | 743.36           |
| Parkwood                  | 700.00           |
| Proctors Chapel           | 1411.47          |
| Quankie                   | 1751.73          |
| Red Oak                   | 4012.13          |
| Roanoke                   | 100.00           |
| RR First Baptist          | 947.48           |
| Rock Creek                | 100.00           |
| RM First Baptist          | 5300.00          |
| Rosemary                  | 3258.79          |
| Salem                     | 600.00           |
| Scotland Neck             | 1633.91          |
| Sharpsburg                | 9853.93          |
| Southside                 | 1364.56          |
| Sunset                    | 4157.79          |
| Turkey Branch             | 100.00           |
| Union                     | 2100.00          |
| Weldon                    | 450.00           |
| W Edgcombe                | 2866.65          |
| West Mount                | 853.08           |
| Whitakers                 | 100.00           |
| White Oak                 | 800.00           |
| <b>Total Church Gifts</b> | <b>73,205.56</b> |

Oct 07 - 5/23/08\* Bdgt. Rec'ts \$75,638.71\*

Oct 07 - 5/23/08\* Expenses \$66,608.57\*

## Extra Large YARDSALE!



**Dortches Baptist**  
**Saturday,**  
**June 21, 2008**  
**6:00 - 1:00**

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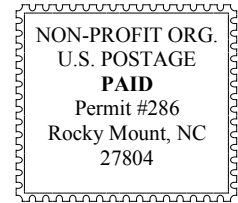
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**NOTE:** If you are moving or have an address change, please call the associational office. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Be sure to check out our website...  
[www.northroanokebaptistassociation.org](http://www.northroanokebaptistassociation.org)

## Calendar of Events ~ June

- 6/2 Pastor's Conference 11:00 AM
- 6/8-9 WMU National Convention (Indianapolis, IN)
- 6/8-11 SBC National Convention (Indianapolis, IN)
- 6/14 Flag Day
- 6/15 Father's Day

**CHECK INSIDE FOR VBS DATES  
BY CHURCH**

## Office Hours

Monday—Friday: 9:00am—5:00 pm

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### Want to Submit a News Item?

Must be submitted in writing by the 12th of the month.  
Send to NRBA, PO Box 7025, Rocky Mount, NC 27804  
e-mail: [office@northroanokebaptistassociation.org](mailto:office@northroanokebaptistassociation.org), fax: 443-1764.

### June

- 6/15 Rucker Burnette / Red Oak
- 6/18 Karl Pittard / Halifax

