



The Beacon  
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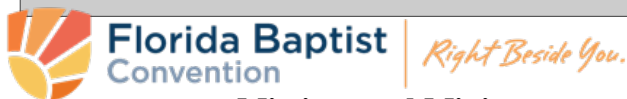
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**Scripture Memorization,**

*Proverbs 10:12*

“Hatred stirs up conflicts, but love covers all offenses.”

MISSIONARY MOMENTS



**Missions and Ministry**

We are right beside you to help you mobilize in missions and ministry. The Missions and Ministries Team is ready to help your church reach its community, reach across Florida and reach around the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ in word and deed. This team brings valuable resources and programs as you seek to make disciples of all nations. Just like the uniqueness of each of our communities, Missions and Ministries takes on many different shapes and sizes too. We are here and ready to journey right beside you to provide missions resources and ideas that fit your community.

**Church and Community Ministries** is right beside you, assisting pastors, churches and associations as they seek to touch their community by **meeting human needs that will ultimately lead to life transformation.** We are here to provide training of volunteers and the development of life-changing ministries. We want to help you reach lost people through community ministries, disaster relief and recovery, migrant ministries, blind ministries, refugee resettlement, literacy missions, chaplaincy ministries and the mobile dental unit.

**Touching lives! Instilling hope! Sharing Jesus!**

Mobile Dental, Chaplaincy, Community Outreach and Disaster Relief - **When disaster strikes**, Florida Baptists are ready to lend help and message of hope. With a hot meal, a tarped roof, a consoling hug and a word of faith, the Florida Baptists' Disaster Relief and Recovery is a ministry of urgency and availability. **More than 6,000 Florida Baptist volunteers have been trained and equipment has been readied to deploy.** At the time of the natural disaster, the team coordinates the deployment of volunteers and support equipment to assist hurting individuals and churches by providing emergency feeding, on-site clean-up and recovery services.

**May's Deacon of the Month**

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Bill & Nancy

**SUNDAY SERVICES**

**May 7, 2017**

8:00 am and 10:00 am

**Sermon:**

**To Those Who Want to be Under the Law**

***Galatians 4:21-31***

Adult Sunday School 9:00 am

Children's Sunday School 10:00 am

Nursery available for children 3 1/2 and under

**WEDNESDAY SERVICES**

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7 pm

**Your generous giving helps supports these ministries, selected by The Island Chapel Outreach Committee:**

Ministry	2016/17 Monthly Amount
<b>LOCAL</b>	
Suncoast Association	\$ 1,035
Manna on Wheels/Lighthouse Ministries	\$ 250
The Next STEPP Pregnancy Center	\$ 250
Florida Baptist Children's Home	\$ 250
D & D Missionary Homes	\$ 225
InterVarsity Christian Ministries	\$ 100
S.T.A.A.R. (Human Trafficking Rescue)	\$ 100
<b>NATIONAL</b>	
Military Ministry/Campus Crusade	\$ 225
Jesus Project Ministries	\$ 100
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary	\$ 1,000
<b>INTERNATIONAL</b>	
FL Baptist Convention Cooperative Program	\$ 2,368
North India Christian Ministries	\$ 125
Rafiki Foundation	\$ 125
New Hope Ministries (Haiti Orphanage)	\$ 100

## Schedule of Events

## Announcements

This Week		
May 7	Baptizing Coast-to-Coast Fort DeSoto Beach near the fort	noon
May 10	Wednesday Evening Prayer Service and Bible Study	7 pm
May 11	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
May 14	<b>Mother's Day</b>	
May 14	<b>Lord's Supper</b>	
Coming Soon...		
May 15	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast Skyway Diner 4000 34 <sup>th</sup> Street South	8 am
May 16	Men's Prayer Breakfast IHOP 4199 34 <sup>th</sup> Street South	8 am
May 17	Wednesday Evening Prayer Service and Bible Study	7 pm
May 18	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
May 24	Wednesday Evening Prayer Service and Bible Study	7 pm
May 25	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
May 29		
May 31	Wednesday Evening Prayer Service and Bible Study	7 pm
June 1	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
<b>June 5-9</b>	<b>Vacation Bible School</b> <i>Galactic Starveyors</i>	9 am - noon

# Prayer Breakfasts

## Ladies' Prayer Breakfasts

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month – 8:00 AM

Skyway Diner

4000 34<sup>th</sup> Street South, St. Petersburg, FL

## Men's Prayer Breakfasts

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month – 8:00 AM

International House of Pancakes

4199 34<sup>th</sup> St. South, St. Petersburg, FL

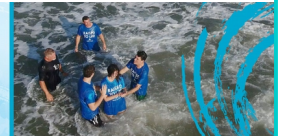
## Wednesday Prayer Service and BIBLE STUDY

Understanding the Old Testament

Studying Ezra

On May 7, the state's 663 miles of sandy beaches and 1,350 miles of coastline will come alive with the Gospel testimony, believers baptizing coast-to-coast for "Acts 2:41 Sunday."

Acts 2:41 Sunday  
Baptizing Coast-to-Coast



Join The Island Chapel on May 7<sup>th</sup> at Fort DeSoto Beach near the fort



Vacation  
Bible  
School

June 5<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>

9am - noon