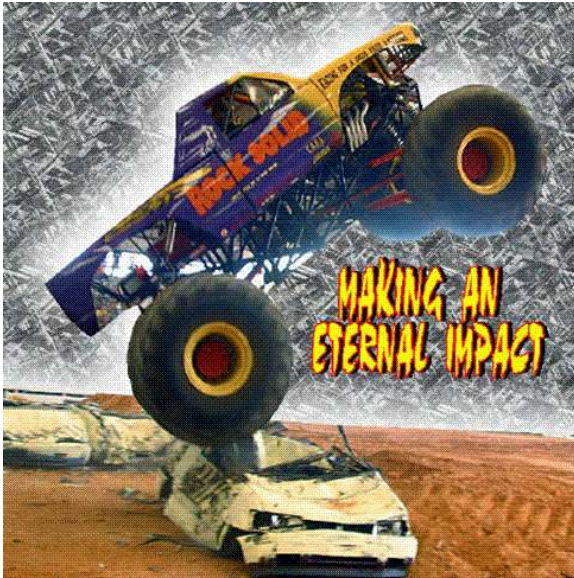




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August 2009

ST JOHNS RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
*Growing Churches, Changing Lives in
Flagler, Putnam, and St Johns Counties*



West Putnam Crusade

September 10-12 @ 7pm

Interlachen High School

Please pray for this event.

Pray for churches in West Putnam: Woodlawn, FBC Interlachen, Oak Ave, Dunham Woods, Francis, Providence, Paran, and Creek West.

Pray for the Extreme Make Over of the School and participate August 15 at 9am.

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**UNDESIGNATED GIFTS FROM OUR CHURCHES
FOR ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS**

DOM REPORT

New life brings all kinds of feelings and emotions to us. It is amazing at God's handy work as He creates life. To hold a newborn baby and see the great responsibility put on us to nurture and raise these children in a way pleasing to Him is awesome. God allowing us to work with His creation to make a beautiful world. So what happened to this world? Sin! We fell short of what God wanted. We train our children to grab all they can for themselves and that life is all about them. We forget all the words of Jesus who taught us to serve one another. Whether we are church members or pastors/staff we get off in this mode of selfish serving. God help us to break out of it and go do something for His glory and not our own.

This reflects in the way we give to the ministries of our churches and to mission support overall. We want to ask what is the minimum and the lost suffer. We need to reflect upon our lives and truly ask God to make us a people of God who enjoy serving, giving ourselves away, so that others might experience the greatest gift of life— eternal life.

My newest addition to our family is a sleepy little girl 7lbs10 oz named Juliette Orianna Stotler. Mom and baby are doing fine now. Thank you for praying for them. Continue to pray for them as they seek God's will for a place of service. If you know anyone in Texas, Arizona or California that are looking for a pastor or youth pastor or teaching pastor please let me know. They hope to move in the next 3 months to a place in the West.

Please be in prayer for the Crusade. Mention it each service and put it in your bulletins each Sunday. It will take place at Interlachen High School Football Stadium September 10-12 at 7pm each evening. Pray pray pray and then come support the effort by inviting a lost person. We will give away a 4 wheeler and the Monster Truck will be there on Friday night. Please pray some more.

October 22 is our Annual meeting and you will not want to miss it. Paul Chitwood, chairman of trustees of our own International Mission Board is speaking and Dean Haun a noted Bible Scholar from Tennessee will bring the preaching and teaching during the meeting. Please pray and get ready to come see what God is doing and wants to do in our Association.

<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Anastasia	4,014.01	21,862.73
Ancient City	750.00	4,500.00
Berean	132.56	596.52
Beulah	433.73	2,535.08
Bostwick	100.00	600.00
Bunnell First	375.00	1,088.00
Calvary	343.27	1,920.30
Circle J Cowboy	00.00	248.58
College Park	446.49	2,236.36
Community	515.12	3,396.95
Crescent Beach	1,250.00	8,688.07
Crescent City First	200.00	1,200.00
Dunham Woods	00.00	699.57
Dunns Creek	833.33	4,999.98
First Brazilian	00.00	00.00
Flagler Estates	109.49	716.73
Flagler West Comm.	47.55	239.88
Francis	00.00	2,618.38
Freedom	00.00	154.71
Grace Community	89.86	471.38
Gracepointe	271.00	1,772.18
Hastings First	209.43	1,754.38
Hillcrest	00.00	924.00
Interlachen First	952.54	5,440.16
McDowell	00.00	697.00
Midway	436.38	2,160.03
Moultrie	151.82	1,119.17
Mt. Olive	00.00	300.00
Mt. Tabor First	00.00	600.00
Oak Avenue	248.00	1,470.00
Palatka First	650.00	3,916.63
Palm Coast Community	50.00	300.00
Paran	00.00	368.00
Peniel	512.00	2,559.00
Petra	100.00	600.00
Pine Tree Road	00.00	70.43
Pomona Park First	343.24	2,336.20
Providence	454.21	2,484.14
River Road	00.00	553.37
San Mateo First	912.16	4,091.51
Satsuma	00.00	347.96
Saving Grace	00.00	300.00
Slavic Baptist	50.00	550.00
South Putnam	202.77	545.17
Southside	303.79	1,806.80
St. Johns Ave	162.86	909.80
St. Johns Baptist	212.16	1,074.17
St. Johns Missionary	00.00	00.00
Tabernacle	318.22	1,839.75
The Church at Vilano	58.81	305.39
Trinity	243.75	1,380.01
Turning Point at Calvary	509.05	3,613.98
Welaka First	00.00	710.00
Westside	00.00	410.00
Woodlawn	307.21	2,080.63

Victories In VBS



Two children asked to receive Christ at Mt. Olive in Hastings.



Francis Baptist had 89 total in attendance with lots of prospects.



The mates at Midway celebrated as two children asked Jesus into their hearts.

Anastasia Baptist Church in St. Augustine will be holding a Grief Conference on September 19th from 8:30am-3:30pm. The Cost is 15.00 per person. Registration begins in July. For more information call Anastasia at (904) 471-2166.



On the 4th of the July the St. Johns River Baptist Association had an Outreach Event in the Parking Lot of Ancient City in St. Augustine. There were hot dogs and water passed out to hot and hungry pedestrians on their way to the downtown events. Many people received New Testament Bibles. Four people received Christ that day! Thank you to all of you who participated.



Sensational Central Florida Mature Adult Celebration

October 12-13, 2009
First Baptist Church of Central Florida
Conference Cost: \$45.00 per person
Event Coordinator : Rev. Charles Nelson (407) 293- 4571
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