

APRIL 2015

APRIL EVENTS

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OPEN DOORS - Serving Persecuted Christians

Thursday, April 16 from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm
@ Idlewild Baptist Church, Student Hall 1
Senior pastors, student pastors, missions pastors
- FREE Lunch included RSVP to Jan @ jjones@tbba.org

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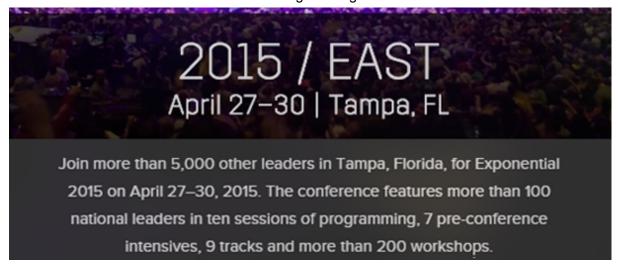


TAMPA BAY BAPTIST FOUNDATION GOLF CLASSIC Monday, April 20 @ Temple Terrace Country Club

10:30-11:30 am Registration | 12 noon Shotgun Start

EXPONENTIAL CHURCH PLANTING CONFERENCE

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FUTURE EVENTS



PLANNING FOR RETIREMENT SEMINAR Hosted by: GuideStone Church Retirement Plan Thursday, MAY 7, 2015 (9am - 12pm) @ TBBA Offices

This meeting is for GuideStone Church Retirement Plan participants age 50 and older to learn what options they have to receive their retirement fund distributions and when. People can make a reservation for the seminar by calling Gail Revels, at 1-800-226-8584, x. 3022 or by emailing her at grevels@flbaptist.org. Spouses are also welcome to attend the seminar.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PREACHING

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RALPH DOUGLAS WEST • DEAN INSERRA
MICHAEL DUDUIT • EUNG YUL RYOO
AND MANY MORE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING Monday, May 18 (10:30am) @ TBBA Offices

RESOURCES

Banner Printer

Do you have an event or a sermon series that you want to promote to your community?

Try an outdoor banner.

As low as:

\$34.00 for 3' x 3'

\$42.00 for 3' x 4'

\$50.00 for 3' x 5'



(click here to download list)

with ready print artwork

Hanging grommets included *10 day turnaround needed.

DVD Library

Do you have a small group in need of new training material?

Rent a DVD Discipleship series at no cost to TBBA churches. (click here for details)

Download and print a full inventory of available DVD sets.



RECENT HIGHLIGHTS

Lunch & Learn - Dr. Stephen Rummage

About 40 pastors were greatly encouraged by Pastor Stephen of Bell Shoals Baptist Church as he taught on *Planning Your Preaching*. His book by that title was provided free of charge to all of those who picked one up. Stephen encouraged pastors to be expository preachers who annually get away with the Lord for an intensive time of prayer, listening to God, and for planning out six months to a year of Bible book sermons. He offered to send the PowerPoint notes of his talk to those who requested it from his ministry assistant, Barbie Frost. If you would like a copy of these notes you can email her at bfrost@bellshoals.com





Church Planter Network

Those on the front lines of pushing back darkness need the encouragement of other like-minded leaders. On March 12 about 15 church planters met for lunch, to deepen friendships, and to pray for each other so that they can continue to plant churches out of the overflow of abiding in Christ. The luncheon was the first of many that will take place on the second Thursday of each month.



Navigator Church Ministry Training March 27

8 pastors and leaders from TBBA churches attended the training event in Summerfield, FL. They learned how to start and maintain a discipleship movement within their church. It ...

- starts with pastors & leaders catching the vision for and modeling personal discipleship
- includes defining what a disciple is so that every church member can understand it
- develops clear pathways for discipleship of all members (new believers, students, etc.)
- equips potential disciple makers
- trains disciples to share the gospel as they go into the world

Ladies Workshop

40 women gathered for the Tampa Bay Women's Ministry Forum on Saturday, March 28

at the Tampa Bay Baptist Conference Center. The featured speaker was Anna Guy, President of Florida Women's Missions and Ministries, who spoke about Evangelism Approaches. Carol Clark, Tampa Bay Baptist Women's Missions & Ministries Leader spoke about Small Group options. The following churches from Tampa were represented: Bell Shoals, Belmont, Christ Fellowship, Idlewild, Journey, Lake Carroll, Lutz First, Myrtle Lake, Seminole Heights, Tampa First, and Temple Crest. If your church would like information about starting a women's ministry or fresh ideas, please contact Carol Clark at cclark@tbba.org or 813-935-3839.

CHURCH & MINISTRY NEWS

Pastor George Sadler

Pastor George (Fortieth Street BC) suddenly passed away on Friday, March 27. Please pray for his surviving brother, his other relatives, and his church family during this time of loss and grief.



Journey Church

The Journey Church in Brandon will be hosting the Priscilla Shirer Simulcast on Saturday, April 25th at 1310 John Moore Road, Brandon 33511. Doors open at 9:00am and event time is 10:00am 5:30pm. Cost of ticket is \$15 and lunch is optional for an additional \$5. Registration is required www.journey7.com

Idlewild Baptist Church

Autism and Your Church - Saturday, April 25 (9pm-1pm) @ Idlewild 18333 Idlewild Blvd. 33548 - click here for details

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