



FEBRUARY 2018

A Prayer Movement



Churches are busy places that offer all sorts of good activities for their members to participate in. But sometimes the good can distract from the best. Certainly biblically based, Spirit empowered prayer is one of the best things we can habitually practice. I like the quote from Mother Teresa, "God shapes the world by prayer. The more praying there is in the world the better the world will be, the mightier the forces against evil." Our TBBA staff will continue to prioritize the sort of praying in our churches that asks the Lord to prepare hearts to personally respond to the gospel in order that many will come to be gloriously saved in our county and beyond. Prayer is the key to effective evangelism and we desire to see every home in our region prayed for by name by a Southern Baptist believer. I believe that a mighty prayer movement in our churches can lead to a powerful spiritual awakening in our communities.

FEATURED





Pastors' Prayer Summit
Hosted by First Baptist Temple Terrace
10002 N 56th St, Temple Terrace, FL 33617 [[map](#)]

All pastors are invited to be spiritually renewed through this prayer summit experience. Join over 100 pastors from across the country as they seek the Lord through worship, prayer, repentance, stillness, listening, and more. Learn how to then go back to your church and more effectively lead it to be a "house of prayer for the nations".

For information contact FBCTT (813) 988-1138

[To register click here](#)

OTHER FEBRUARY EVENTS



Executive Committee Meeting
Bless Every Home Prayer Ministry
February 12, 2018

Please join us as we discuss some important business and see a presentation about the incredible *Bless Every Home* neighborhood prayer ministry. We desire to have every home in our region prayed for by name by a Southern Baptist believer.

- Date: Monday, February 12, 2018
- Time: 10:30 a.m. to noon
- Followed by a free lunch from noon to 1:00 p.m.
- TBBA Office | 1060 W Busch Blvd, Tampa FL 33612

RSVP to Jan at jjones@tbba.org or call 813-935-3839

FUTURE EVENTS



Florida Baptist Convention - Sharper Conference Preaching Conference & Breakout Sessions

March 1, 2018 - 8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.
Bell Shoals

For info on all the breakouts and speakers:

[Click Here for the Sharper / Bell Shoals Site](#)



Engaging Generations through Generosity Workshop

Engaging Generations through Generosity is a workshop built for church leaders where they can learn about different understandings and practices of giving across all generations of their church. Using Barna research insights, you can uncover what Christians really think and feel about generosity...and why it matters to you.

- **Monday, March 5, 2018**
- At the TBBA Office
- 10 a.m.-to-2 p.m. (lunch included)
- 6:00 p.m.-to- 9:30 p.m. (dinner included)
- \$50 for one or two people from the same church

Are you...

- Looking for ways to create a culture of generosity that is attractive for all generations? (including Millennials!)
- Interested in understanding what the people of your church really think about generosity?
- Ready to create a culture of generosity beyond just money?

At the workshop you will...

- Explore the culture of generosity at your church. Where are you now and where would you like to go?
- Explore fresh perspectives on generosity and why it matters.
- Collaborate with other church leaders in your community.

RSVP by mailing \$50 check made to TBBA, 1060 W. Busch Blvd Ste. 101, Tampa, FL 33612



Lunch and Learn with Mark Culligan of New Hearts Outreach

March 19, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. at Tampa Bay Baptist Conference Center
15601 Lake Magdalene Blvd, Tampa, FL 33613 [[map](#)]

How do I minister to people with same sex attraction?
How do I lead my church to minister to gay friends, colleagues and acquaintances?

Join us for lunch on March 19, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. and get some answers from Mark, who has been leading New Hearts since 1996.

As always, come prepared for the best \$5.00 steak you have ever had!

RSVP with Jan (813) 935-3839 or by email jjones@tbba.org



Johnny Hunt Men's Steak Dinner First Baptist Temple Terrace March 23, 2018

Mark your calendars to attend The Men's Steak Night with Johnny Hunt at First Baptist Church of Temple Terrace. This year's theme is "Battle Ready." Johnny Hunt will teach two keynote sessions which will focus on the reasons why men struggle with life dominating sin patterns and steps for breaking the patterns of sin.

Date: March 23, 2018

Location: 10002 North 56th Street, Temple Terrace, FL 33617

Registration Price: \$25

Reserve your spot now by emailing brianna@fbctt.org.

We hope that you will join us, and that you will invite other men to get BATTLE READY!





Heart2Heart: Sharing God's Love With Others

The Tampa Bay Baptist Association invites Adults and Boys and Girls (K-5th grade) to join us in evangelism & disciple making.....

Saturday, March 24, 2017 from 9:00 am-12:30 pm

First Baptist Church Tampa, 302 W. Kennedy Blvd., Tampa, 33606

Adults: \$5.00 - Children: Free

Lunch and snacks included (notify if food allergies)

- The adults will learn how to enhance the children's ministry by involving children into your church's missions and ministries.
- The children will have fun activities as well as a hands-on experience of assembling blessing bags and learning how to share God's love with the homeless and needy in a simulated immersion experience.

We request that each adult and child bring items for homeless blessing bags: white socks, deodorant, disposable razors, bar soap, granola bars or cheese crackers, hand wipes, wash cloths, toothpaste, toothbrushes and dental floss.

Please RSVP and send your registration monies to Carol Clark, cclark@tbba.org, 813-928-2761 (cell) no later than Monday, March 19.





Ladies Night Out An Evening of Food, Fun & Faith

March 22, 2018

LOCATION: Bell Shoals Baptist Church

EXPO AND HORS D'OEUVRES: 5:00pm- 6:45 pm

COMEDY: 7:00 PM

COST: \$10

[Click here to GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY](#)

Last year's Ladies Night Out was a wild success, so back by popular demand is LADIES NIGHT OUT 2018! FaithTalk 570, 910 & 102.1 wants to give you a night out with FOOD, FUN and FAITH.

We have invited Leslie Norris Townsend - the Christian comedian who was chosen to do comedy - to take all of life's challenges and make them an adventure for us.

BEFORE THE MAIN EVENT, we want to pamper you a bit with an amazing EXPO, featuring shopping, giveaways, desserts and light hors d'oeuvres. We will also have food trucks available for your dining pleasure.

APRIL EVENTS



Pastors' Lunch and Learn
with Jeff Klein - Q Place

April 9, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. at TBBC
15601 Lake Magdalene Blvd, Tampa, FL 33613 [[map](#)]

How can our churches return to a Biblical model of relational evangelism?
What role can Q Place play in equipping us to reach the lost?

Come and find out with Jeff Klein, as he explains how Q Place works and how it can help your church members intentionally build relationships with people and invite them to home gatherings where discussions about Jesus and spiritual things take place.

As always, come ready for the best \$5.00 steak you have ever had!

To RSVP call Jan (813) 935-3839 or email jjones@tbba.org



TBBA Church Safety Conference

Saturday, April 21, 2018

9:00am - 1:00pm

West Broad Street Baptist Church
3809 W. Broad St., Tampa FL 33614
Free Lunch Provided

Several ways to assist churches in beginning, developing, or improving in these areas of growing concern.

- Speakers Pastor Ken Smith, Minister of Administration, Idlewild Baptist Church
- Darren Rose, Deputy, Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office

The speakers will review a broad area of risk management:

- Focus on medical emergencies, criminal acts, and violence.
- How to Prevent / Prepare, Respond, and Recover
- Discuss available resources from HCSO, TPD, Medical professionals, Fire Rescue/EMT responders, and online

- Discuss P&C Insurance companies risk management materials and staff.

The conference is free but you need to RSVP to Jan at jjones@tbba.org.



Secret Church '18 - Simulcast "Cults and Counterfeit Gospels"

Friday, April 20, 2018

7:00pm - 1:00am EDT / 6:00pm - 12:00am CDT

Taught by David Platt

Registration information will be available in the March eNews.



Priscilla Shirer You Lead, One-Day Training

Friday, April 27, 2018
Idlewild Baptist Church
18333 Exciting Idlewild Blvd | Lutz, FL 33548

Come the day before Priscilla Shirer's exciting "Live" event, and be a part of a separate training called "Laying the foundation for a future of leadership."

Purchase the "You Lead One Day" if your desire is to:

- Learn the basics of leadership, discipleship, and ministry
- Network with experts in various fields as well as women in the beginning stages of leadership development training

Save up to \$30 when you register for Priscilla Shirer Live and You Lead together! Register early to get the best price.

[Click here for more information](#)



Priscilla Shirer Live Event

Saturday, April 28, 2018
Idlewild Baptist Church
18333 Exciting Idlewild Blvd | Lutz, FL 33548

Priscilla's desire is to see women come to a full understanding of who they are in Christ by hearing the uncompromising truth of Scripture. With passionate Bible teaching from Priscilla and worship by Anthony Evans, you don't want to miss this intimate and inspiring event for women of every age, culture, and background.

[Click here for more information](#)

CHURCH & MINISTRY NEWS



TBBA Ministry Projects

January and February

Help Support a local Pregnancy Care Center

North Tampa: Oasis Pregnancy Care Center, 3632 Land O Lakes Blvd., Suite 108, Land O Lakes 34639. Contact person: Pete (813)406-4965, or peter@oasispregnancycenter.org

Central Tampa: Assure Women's Center, 14620 N. Nebraska Ave. , Bldg C, 33613 (Contact Person: Melissa, 813-316-3760, or melissa@14-6.com)

Brandon: Choices Women's Center-LifeCare Network, 122 N. Moon Ave., Brandon 33510. Contact person: Jessica, 813-654-0491 x1005 or jessica@lifecarenetwork.net

South Tampa: A Woman's Place, 3308 W. Kennedy Blvd., suite B, 33609, Contact Person: Yvonne, 813-932-4404, or www.AWomansPlaceClinic.com

Donated Items Needed: Baby bottles, baby shampoo, baby wash, baby lotion, bibs, crib sheets, diapers (newborn), wipes, onesies sleepers, pacifiers

Belmont Baptist

- Belmont is seeking a pianist. This is a paid position and requires a practice weekly as well as playing for their Sunday am and Sunday pm services along with one Saturday night monthly service. For more information, please contact Jason Fowler, Worship Director, at (813) 760-9379.

Church at Odessa

- The Church at Odessa has some church banners that they would like to give away. Please

contact Melissa Kirkpatrick at (813) 792-5400 for more information.

Manhattan Baptist Church

- Manhattan Baptist Church is looking for a part time worship leader; 10 to 15 hours per week. This is a paid position. If interested, please send resume to john@manhattanbaptist.org.

Seafarers Center - Tampa Port Ministries

- Volunteers needed - They are essential to their mission. Consider being part of a great outreach to people from all over the world. Ministry needs: Van Driver: 6pm. to 9pm. any evening Monday - Friday and/or 9am to 3pm Saturdays. Provide transportation for crew members from the ship to the Seafarers Center or to local shopping venues. Requirements: Drivers license with clean DMV record, Port pass and TWIC card (provided by Ministry) Contact Steve Finnesy at stevefinnesy@gmail.com for more information.

Sheldon Road Baptist Church

- Sheldon Road Baptist Church is taking applications for a church secretary. Must be detail oriented with at least a moderate proficiency in Excel spreadsheets, Microsoft Word and internet. Must be dependable, have the ability to work alone and handle multitasking. Will work under the direction of the Pastor and interact with Accounting Assistant and Treasurer. 20-25 hours a week. For more information, please call (813) 885-1313 or email revmnunes@yahoo.com

Tampa Shores Baptist Church

- Tampa Shores is seeking to fill three different part-time positions: a bi-vocational student Pastor; middle school leader; and children's Pastor. Each position pays \$100.00 per week. For more information or to apply, please contact Pastor Vergil Morgan at vmorgan@tampashores.org or (813) 855-6161

West Broad Street Baptist Church

- West Broad Street is looking to fill three different part-time positions: Worship Music/Choir P/T Leader (needed for Sunday am & pm services, Wednesday evenings and choir practice. Youth Leader Director (P/T pay and hours can be discussed) Custodial & Lawn Care (P/T flexible hours - pay negotiable) Email resumes to rbunner2@gmail.com



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