



FEBRUARY 2019

## A YEAR OF HIS BOUNTY



A friend of mine texted me Psalm 65:11 in late December and wished me a Happy New Year based on the verse.

Psalm 65:11 "You have crowned *the year* with Your bounty, and Your paths drip with fatness."

Life and ministry can be difficult at times and we constantly need to experience the grace and goodness of the Lord in our lives. I encourage you to memorize Psalm 65:11 and regularly pray it for yourself and others throughout 2019 so that we might love the Lord and others more deeply and obey Him out of the overflow of His bounty.

- Mike

## FEBRUARY EVENTS



### Executive Committee Meeting

Monday, February 11 at 10:30am - 1:00pm (Free Lunch)

Join us for our Executive Committee meeting at the TBBA office [ [1060 W Busch Blvd](#) ].

- In addition to our typical Executive Committee Meeting agenda, we will discuss SBC President, J.D. Greear's and NAMB's evangelism strategy called "Who's Your One?". You don't want to miss this meeting.



**REGISTER NOW**

Click above to RSVP or contact [jjones@tbba.org](mailto:jjones@tbba.org)



## NAMB Pastors Luncheon

**Wednesday, February 13, 2019**

**Idlewild Baptist Church**

**12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

Your efforts in leading your church to make a kingdom impact requires a lot more than many church members may realize. In appreciation of those efforts, the North American Mission Board (NAMB) invites you and other ministers in your church to a free luncheon where we can honor you and assist you in sharing the hope of the gospel in your community and beyond.

You will enjoy a sweet time of fellowship and good food and hear from a panel of pastors addressing current ministry issues concerning evangelism, discipleship, missions and how NAMB can assist you in your local ministry and beyond.

Panel Guests:

**Ken Whitten**

Senior Pastor, Idlewild Baptist Church

**Sam Rainer**

Lead Pastor, West Bradenton Baptist Church

**Cliff Lea**

Senior Pastor, First Baptist Church of Leesburg

**Danny de Armas**

Senior Associate Pastor, First Baptist Church of Orlando



**February 13, 2019**  
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM  
Eastern Time

**Register Now**

**Idlewild Baptist Church**  
18333 Exciting Idlewild Blvd  
Lutz, Florida 33548

**National Day of Renewal**  
Temple Terrace | February 20, 2019

### National Day of Renewal, Pastors Summit

Don't miss this one-day conference with Daniel Henderson and Pastor Paul Purvis in Temple Terrace.

- Wednesday, February 20, 2019
- Mission Hill Church, 10002 N 56th St, Temple Terrace, 33617
- all day event

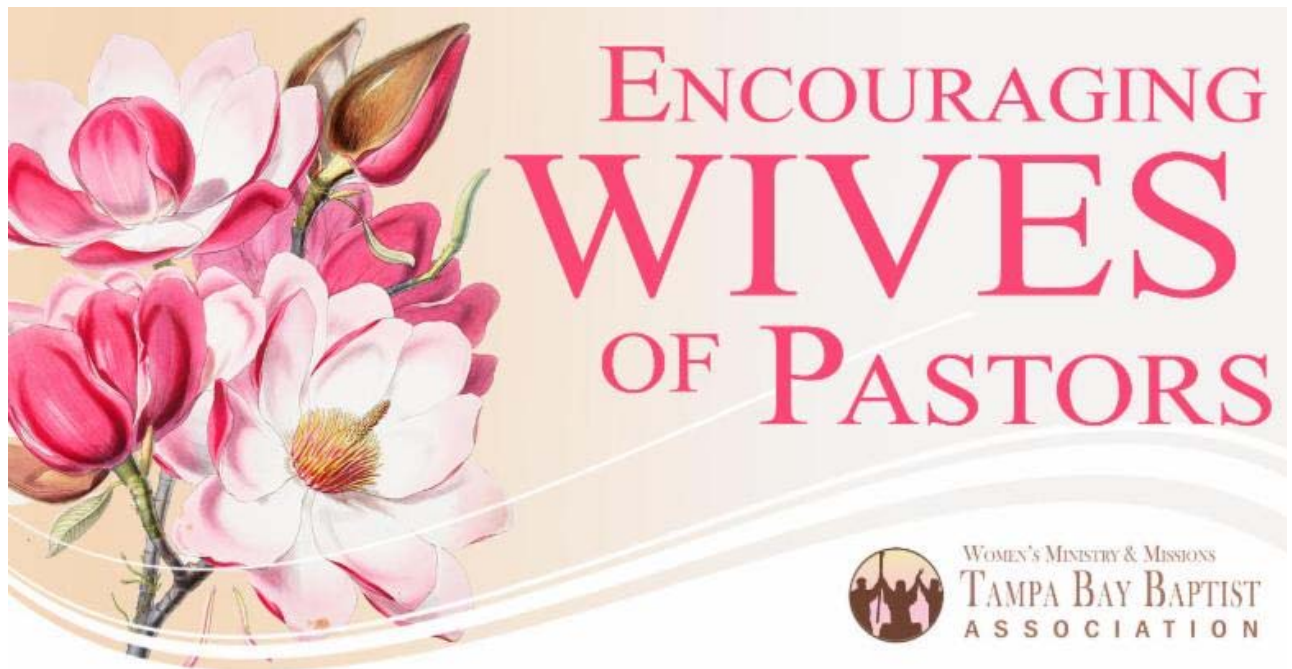
Every genuine minister wants to be more equipped in the work of ministry. However, we can far too easily turn to methods that directly undermine the nature of this spiritual work. After following Jesus and observing his life, the disciples understood the real source of His ministry. This is why their only request in ministry equipping was simply, "Lord, teach us to pray" (Luke 11:1).

The Day of Renewal Regional Events are designed to inspire and equip you in building a supernaturally empowered ministry. This is a great opportunity for your entire leadership team to find practical tools and a fresh vision for a ministry powered by prayer.

Most importantly, you will get to see these principles in action. All our Day of Renewal events feature local churches and pastors that have seen exceptional growth and impact in the area of prayer. Contrary to some conferences, you will hear from local church pastors who are modeling what they are teaching, and will give you practical insight to help you succeed in your ministry context.

We are excited to partner with Pastor Paul Purvis and Mission Hill Church for this one day gathering. This experience will conclude with Mission Hill's weekly church-wide prayer meeting, providing you with first hand experience of what a vibrant culture of prayer could look like in your setting.

Register by clicking on [www.strategicrenewal.com](http://www.strategicrenewal.com)  
Then click on "Register"



## Connecting with Pastors Wives

**Our Women's Ministry and Missions office wants to provide opportunities that will encourage the WIFE of pastors in the TBBA, but we may not know how to get in touch with HER in order to extend an invitation. Encourage her to share her contact information with us by emailing [twebb@tbba.org](mailto:twebb@tbba.org). We have fun opportunities coming up in the near future!**

## MARCH EVENTS







**Sharper!**  
Ministry Conference

*Right Beside You.*

**PLEASE NOTE: LOCATION & DATE CHANGE**

**Sharper One-Day Conference at FishHawk Fellowship  
March 7, 2019**

*This event was originally scheduled for February 28, 2019 at Bell Shoals. It has been moved to FishHawk Fellowship on March 7, 2019.*

*We hope you and your staff will plan on attending. Schedules and details to follow.*

**Be renewed, be equipped, be challenged to remain Sharper!**

Staying honed and always ready to be used by God can be difficult as the challenges of the day pull you in multiple directions. The dullness takes its toll - forcing us to work harder to maintain the same level of effectiveness as we minister to our congregation and our staff.

Together we can pull back the curtain and gain insight and fresh perspectives from each other. And be encouraged to keep getting better at evangelism, discipleship, prayer, preaching, teaching, leadership...church multiplication, small groups and other critical issues.

**Be renewed, be equipped, be challenged to remain Sharper!**

We are blessed to have the Florida Baptist Convention and FishHawk Fellowship church bringing another super day of encouragement for our churches.

Learn more here: [flbaptist.org/sharper/](http://flbaptist.org/sharper/)

*A Night with*  
**TONY EVANS**  
Senior Pastor - Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship - Dallas, TX  
**BECOMING A KINGDOM MAN**  
Friday • March 8, 2019 • 6:45PM  
*With Special Guest*  
**JONATHAN EVANS**  
Author - Speaker



## A Night with Tony Evans

Friday, March 8, 2019



18333 Exciting Idlewild Blvd | Lutz, FL 33548

6:45 p.m. | \$20.00

There will be a free pre-meeting with Tony Evans at 5pm in Student Hall 2. It is for all pastors and leaders who have registered to attend the 6:45pm Conference.

Purchase tickets online at [www.idlewild.org/a-night-with-tony-evans/](http://www.idlewild.org/a-night-with-tony-evans/)



## Ministères Haïtiens Central Region Sunday School & Leadership Conference

March 9, 2019 | \$15.00

**Theme:** Aiming For Excellence | Visez L'Excellence - Col. 3:23

**Location:** Eglise Baptiste Bethel de Brandon, 602 S Lenna Ave., Seffner, FL 33584

**Register here:** [fbaptist.org/haitian-ministries/](http://fbaptist.org/haitian-ministries/)

**SAVE THE DATE**





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## RECENT HIGHLIGHTS



### Lifeway Pastors and Wives Date Night

Special thanks to LifeWay, the Suncoast Baptist Association, and the Florida Baptist Convention for partnering with the TBBA to put on an incredible pastors and wives date night at the Holiday Inn in Clearwater on Thursday, January 31, 2019.

On top of a great meal and special gifts from LifeWay, the evening was highlighted by a panel discussion including our own Pastor Dan Reid and his wife Angie of Journey Church in Brandon. The conversation was very transparent and very helpful for the pastors and the wives in attendance.







## Every Home for Christ Evangelism Training

We were blessed on January 14, 2019 to have Jerry Comellas from Every Home for Christ teach us during breakfast at the Journey Church in Brandon and during lunch at the TBBA office about their Encounter Life strategy ([www.encounterlife.com](http://www.encounterlife.com)). Jerry talked about developing a servant evangelism model to reach out door to door in any neighborhood, especially those near our churches. They provide free

*Tools* - "Engagers" or Tracts to use to interact with lost people

*Training* - at your church for four hours on a weekend or over an entire week

*Tracking* through their easy to use Encounter Outreach app

Contact Mike at (813) 629-2222 if you desire to know more.

## COMMUNITY & MINISTRY

### University Village

- The University Village retirement facility [ [12401 N 22nd St, Tampa, FL 33612](#) ] needs a speaker every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. for its afternoon service.
- They also need someone to lead a Bible study every Tuesday evening for a month.
- Contact Joan Rhoads at (813) 975-5557 for more information.

### Carrollwood Baptist Church

- Carrollwood Baptist Church is seeking an interim Worship Pastor. On most Sundays, CBC utilizes a full choir and an orchestra section. The position would be part time but would require a commitment to Wednesday evenings (rehearsals) and Sunday mornings. Compensation will be determined by the Personnel Committee. For more information or if you are interested, please send a brief note and resume to [jalain@carrollwoodbaptist.org](mailto:jalain@carrollwoodbaptist.org)

### Exciting Central Tampa Baptist Church

- Exciting Central Tampa is seeking a full time Pastor/Minister of Worship. Ministry qualifications and responsibilities can be obtained on their website : <http://site.centralempa.org/career-search>  
CONTACT or send resume to:



Minister Zeb McKinon  
central@centraltampa.org  
(813) 226-2923

#### FishHawk Fellowship Church

- FishHawk has several baptismal robes that they would like to donate to a church that could use them. They have some kids sizes along with adult sizes. If interested, please contact the church office at (813) 655-7431 or email [receptionist@fishhawkfc.org](mailto:receptionist@fishhawkfc.org).

#### Idlewild Espanol

- Idlewild Espanol is in need of a part-time Worship leader. Contact Pastor Eloy Rodriquez for more information at [erodriquez@idlewild.org](mailto:erodriquez@idlewild.org).

#### Manhattan Baptist

- 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 [pastorjohn@manhattanbaptist.org](mailto:pastorjohn@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](mailto:stevefinnesy@gmail.com) for more information.

#### Sheldon Road Baptist Church

- Sheldon Road Baptist Church is seeking a part time Worship leader. This is an immediate need and the following are the qualifications for this position.
  - Doesn't have to be a member of Sheldon Road
  - Would be leading congregational music and leading the choir.
  - Choir meets each Sunday after the service for practice.
  - Would like to have someone lead in music on Sunday evenings, but this is negotiable.

If interested, please contact Pastor Nunez at [revmnunes@yahoo.com](mailto:revmnunes@yahoo.com).

#### Tampa Bay Baptist Conference Center

- TBCC is seeking part-time food service coordinator - Hours would be 9am-2pm Monday-Friday. Duties are preparing staff lunch; maintaining the cleanliness of the kitchen, dining hall, and dining hall restrooms; inventory control of walk-in cooler, freezer, and pantry; cleaning motel rooms and other meeting spaces as needed. Contact Eric or Sandra at (813) 961-1059 for either one of these positions.



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