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OCTOBER IS STATE OFFERING MONTH

Once again it is time for state offering month. Our state association has designated October as state offering month. All our churches are encouraged and asked to take a special offering for co-op. Last year we received over twenty thousand dollars in October for Co-op. Both churches and individuals gave. Let's do it again!

There are several aspects of our state work that need financial support. Expenses for our state work are considerable. It takes all of us working together to accomplish our goals.

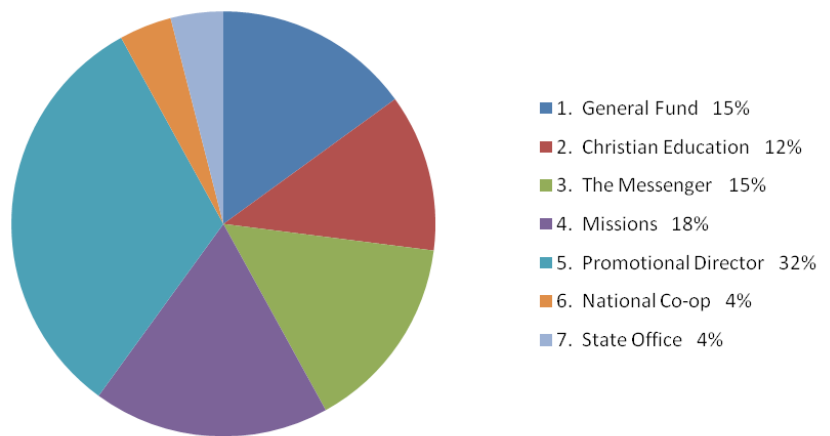
The Messenger alone costs about ten thousand for the year. It cost about \$2500.00 each time we send out an issue of the Messenger (printing, postage, etc.) However, West Virginians in-state and out-of-state enjoy getting this paper. More and more people are requesting to be on the mailing list. The paper goes to West Virginians living in Florida, New York, Ohio, Kentucky, Georgia, and several other states. Your support is needed to keep this encouraging work going. By taking this special offering we hope to be able to continue what we have been doing and more for our churches.

The offering will be put into co-op and will be divided among our various accounts on the percentage basis set at the state association (co-op). Some of the co-op offering goes to missions, some to the Promotional Director's account, some to the general fund, some to Christian Education and about 4% goes to the National Co-op fund.

It will help greatly if most of our churches participate. We strongly encourage all our churches to support by either taking a special offering or having a penny march each Sunday during the month for the state offering. We are God's children working together for the glory of God. Please ask your church to be a part of the October Offering Month. We will list the giving churches in our next issue.

Thank you for your prayers and gifts. God bless.

Percentages



Dear Family and Friends,

Well, the rainy month of July has come and gone and, hopefully, we'll have some sunshine this month. Due to my sister's having surgery and needing time to recover, I was needed at home to take care of my mother and was unable to make any church visits in July. But, as circumstances permit, I'm on the road again, trying to complete my list entitled "Churches that must be visited before my return to the field." No departure date has been set, but I'm sure that it won't be long until I'll be heading back to Africa. When I have my airline tickets, I'll be sure to inform you. I would appreciate your prayers as I've much to do before leaving. As you can imagine, I'm very excited about going back to my second "home".



My co-workers, Verlin and Debbie Anderson, are back in Bondoukou. They, too, are counting the days until my arrival. Pray for Debbie as she unpacks and turns her house back into a home, then begins homeschooling for son, Corbin. Verlin also needs prayer as he will be participating in several meetings of the Ivorian church: Pastors' Retreat at Téhini August 13-17; General Assembly and Convention of the National Association at Bouna August 18-22; Youth Camp at Agnibilékrou beginning on the 23rd. Please pray for God's blessings upon His people as they meet for worship and business.

Lately, a certain song has often been in my heart and on my lips . . . "It is truly wonderful what the Lord has done, it is truly wonderful, it is truly wonderful. It is truly wonderful what the Lord has done, Glory to His name". I'm singing because the Lord has done another wonderful thing for my Mom. Though dependent on it for 7+ months, she is now catheter-free. Once again, medical personnel are shocked and even unbelievers are acknowledging God's power and intervention. He is indeed worthy of all praise. Perhaps you'd like to sing along with me.

God bless you and thank you. I know that many of you have prayed for my Mom, and the Lord has wonderfully answered. Thank you for all that you do to make it possible for the Good News to be proclaimed in distant lands.

Alice F. Smith

Psalms 23: The Lord is my Shepherd I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still water. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.. Yea, though I walk through the vally of the shadow of death I will fear no evil: for thou art with me.

After spending a few weeks of vacation time in the States, we were glad to arrive at home. Visiting with the families of our three girls, my sister, Jim's mother and many other family members, was a real treat. We were concerned about the church, but with Rafael, the seminary student who works with us, we expected things to go smoothly.

There were some small problems, but God blessed and they were quickly resolved. A new family attended the church just before we left and are still coming faithfully. They have brought some friends to visit as did many of our regular people. Jessica, Adalberto, and Juliano all took care of their ministries well in our absence. In September Adalberto will be the regular Adult Sunday School teacher. We were back only six days and packed up again. This time we went to youth camp for a week. Four young people from our church went and really enjoyed themselves. During the Sunday night service, they gave very vibrant testimonies of transformed lives. Jim taught a Bible study one day and I worked every day with the Junior age children. Rafael was here Sunday and preached a wonderful sermon. Many went to the altar for prayer. The attendance was about 32 which is very good considering we are in the winter vacation month. Jim taught the adult Sunday School class. We can sense revival in the church.



Pray that it will continue. Pray as vacation ends the 3rd of August. The women are taking a bigger role in their monthly Bible studies and the Seminary classes will start once more. Pray for our health and wisdom in leading the church to be self-supporting. We really praise the Lord for our wonderful brothers in Christ in West Virginia. We appreciate their prayer support and financial support as well. They have been so faithful for many years through the March for Missions program, monthly support and offerings as well. It was certainly a privilege to be present for the WV State Meeting again this year. The fellowship with our brethren at the State meeting and our visits in various churches in West Virginia and in two other states was an encouragement to continue our ministry in Belo Horizonte.

Jim and Vicki Strugill

ATTENTION

Please note that this is YOUR magazine. We would like to have your conference reports and church news in the next issue of THE MESSENGER. We would especially like to recognize ministers and deacons who have been recently ordained. We also like to announce revivals and homecomings. Send information by e-mail to jimdianac4@suddenlink.net. We look forward to hearing from you. Next deadline is December 1, 2009 and every three months after. So please encourage your church clerks or even appoint some one in the congregation to send your news articles and pictures.

WYOMING CONFERENCE MEETS

The Wyoming County Conference of Free Will Baptist held the 264th session on July 31st and August 1st at the Basin Free Will Baptist Church in Herndon, WV. The opening message was preached by Brother Jackie Grimmett, "Desperate Times calls for Desperate Measures" a good message enjoyed by all. Brother Glen Belcher brought the morning message "Steps to Heaven, then "Remember Your Vows", another good message. The Executive Board examined Brother Glen Belcher to be reinstated as a minister in the Wyoming County Conference.

The Executive Board recommended Brother Belcher be reinstated, that met with a motion and a second, so carried. The church welcomed the new brother minister. Fifteen men and thirteen women stayed and took the sacrament and footwashing.

The next session of the Wyoming Conference will be held at the Kopperston FWB church at Kopperston, WV on October 30 and 31, 2009. The opening message will be brought by Brother Chris Vint. Moderator for the next session will be Brother Jackie Grimmett.

Teddy Riffe, Clerk

REPORT FROM KANAWHA CONFERENCE

The Kanawha conference met May 15, 2009 at the Winifrede FWB at Winifred, WV where Rev. Timothy Cooper is the pastor. Rev. Greg Stover moderated the Friday Ministerial Meeting on Friday evening. Rev. Lee Turley moderated the Saturday session. Deacon William Buckland led the Friday night devotional and Rev. Claude Holley, Jr. led devotional on Saturday. Rev. Larry Young preached the Friday night message and Rev. Dan Kelly and Rev. Rickie Holstein preached the two Saturday messages.

The conference elected it's board and committees for the coming year. Rev. Robert McCallister was elected as Executive Board member to the State Association. Obituary report is as follows: 1. Betty Harris, Southridge Church, 2. Violet Lorraine (Shorty) Hunter, 3. Hewitt Keeney and Hershel (Pooch) Drennen, Carbon church. Rickie Holstein gave a report of the State Mission Board. Rev. Claude Holley, Jr. will be our moderator for the August 14 and 15 meeting which will convene at the Emmons FWB Church. Rev. Robert McCallister will be his assistant. Rev. Daniel Kelly was elected as parliamentarian for the Kanawha Conference.

Rev. Norwood Webb, Clerk

BOARD OF RETIREMENT LAUNCHES NEW SITE



New website allows users to check account balances online!

Free Will Baptist Board of Retirement recently launched a new website. You can now check your account balances and view current account activity. Information will be updated nightly. You can download forms and read the latest retirement news, all in one place.

All ministers, missionaries and missionary wives, as well as other employees who receive compensation from local churches, Free Will Baptist state and national offices, Publishing House, colleges, Christian day schools and daycare centers are eligible to participate in the Board of Retirement Pension Plan. All participants must be U.S. citizens.

TUG RIVER CONFERENCE REPORT

The Tug River Conference met in session August 7 and 8, 2009 at the Marrowbone FWB church. Rev. Herman Stacy is the Pastor there.

Rev. Daniel Scott moderated the meeting Friday Night with the Rev. Larry Goble, Pastor of the Freedom FWB Church, bringing the message. Rev. Mike Smith moderated the Saturday session with Dr. James Cox bringing the message. Several reports were given including Dr. Cox talking about the Bible Institute and giving a short synopsis of things occurring at the State and National Association meetings.

Rev. Freddy Coleman was elected as the moderator of the conference for the upcoming year and the Ordaining Council recommended Bro. Jerry Ward II of the Big Elk FWB Church be ordained as a Minister. The ordination will be held at the church at a later date. Next conference will be at the Rawl FWB Church, where Rev. Daniel Scott pastored, on November 13 and 14, 2009. The Phelps Church FWB will have the devotional.

The True Manna

A precious food is this indeed----
It never fails us in our need----
A heavenly manna for our soul.
Until we safely reach our goal.
----Haquin Spegel, 1686

ON THE ROAD WITH THE PROMOTIONAL DIRECTOR



What a busy time we have had this past few weeks. I preached at the Springdale Free Will Baptist Church on the 5th of July. Then I went up to Ohio because my brother Ed was having a pretty serious surgery on Friday. After his surgery I hurried back for the Brotherhood Conference on Saturday. I am on the Executive Board and we had things to do. Rev. Andrew Parsons, a dear old friend, showed up and preached one of the best sermons I had heard in a long time. He is eighty-eight years old and still preaches like a young man. As a matter-of-fact there are not many young men who can preach like Brother Andrew. It was a thrill to hear him. The conference voted to sponsor one of the Homiletics seminars. It will be on September 12 at the Good Shepherd Church where Rev. Jason Black pastors. I want to thank the church for hosting the Seminar because I know they are having Homecoming the next day on September 13. The ladies already have a lot of work to do but they were so gracious to consent to prepare lunch for the ministers on Saturday. The conference also voted to have a Bible Institute this fall. It will begin on September 15th at the Central FWB Church.

I spoke to Calvin Ray Evans about preaching at the next Brotherhood Conference. He was disappointed that he could not because of his schedule. He is in a camp meeting that weekend. Rev. Tom Malone, past President of Free Will Baptist Bible College, will preach the Brotherhood Conference on October 9 and 10. Tom is a great preacher and I certainly look forward to visiting with him and his wife Verna while they are here. He was my boss for seven years and we enjoyed traveling together to places like the Bahamas, South Korea, California, and New Orleans. We have stories we could share!

After spending Saturday at the Brotherhood Conference, I preached at the Good Shepherd Church on Sunday morning. Rev. Jason Black is doing a fine job at that church. It is good to see the church gaining in attendance. Brother Jason has a radio broadcast every Sunday evening on Huntington radio station WEMM.. Tune him in if you would like to hear some good old-fashioned preaching from a fine young man. The next Sunday we had Mike Cousineau staying at my son's home on Saturday night. Jay was out of town so Diana and I played host to Mike and two young men from Tajikistan. The next day I accompanied them to the McCorkle Church where Russel Wright pastors. Mike spoke about the Hanna Project and then had both the boys give their testimonies. They certainly touch your heart telling about their lives and their conversions. Everyone was greatly moved in the service. By the way, the Hanna Project is doing great by making inroads into countries where we have not formerly been able to have a presence.

After the service we headed out for Cincinnati to attend our National Association. It was a really great meeting. I enjoyed all the preaching, especially my friend Dr. Paul Harrison on Monday night. I also thoroughly enjoyed Dr. Picirilli's presentation at the Theological Forum. He spoke on tongues and really was very informative.

On July 26 I preached at the Valley View Church. Brother Ray Sovine is the pastor and a wonderful man. He is really faithful and the church has seen several saved in the past few months. Rev. Carl Cooper and his wife were present for the service. I love Brother Carl and am always glad to see him and his lovely wife.

Since August came in on Sunday, several conferences met on Friday and Saturday before the first Sunday. I went to the Beckley Conference on Friday night. It was well attended and I was able to give my report. I enjoyed seeing friends that I only get to see at conference time. On Saturday I attended the Logan Conference at Harts. Again, it was well attended and they asked me to preach. Evangelist Rev. Wayne Runyan was there and joined the Logan Conference. Brother Joe Kennedy moderated and did a fine job. The Logan Conference decided to sponsor a Homiletics Seminar. It will be at the Victory FWB Church at Peck's Mill where my friend, Rev. Roscoe Chafin pastors. It will be on Saturday, November 7 at 10:00 am. All area preachers are invited. My weekend was not over. Diana and I headed out on Sunday morning to Nolan FWB Church where Rev. Ray Taylor has been pastoring forever it seems. We love Brother Ray and Brother Earl White. Earl led the morning service and Rev. John Taylor preached a fine message. Brother Earl read 240 names of those on their memorial list. It was special.

I heard my pastor, Rev. Larry Cooper, preach on Sunday night. I had to fill up my gas tank three times between Friday and Monday. The next Saturday I preached at the Tug River Conference at Marrowbone and had a great time. Then on Sunday morning I was privileged to preach for my friend, John Hudson at the Slaughter's Creek Church. They have a wonderful church and I enjoyed being with them. I've had a great time in the Lord. I wish all of our people could travel and visit other Free Will Baptist Churches like I am privileged to do. We have so many wonderful, loving people in our state.

AUGUST MEETING FOR LOGAN CONFERENCE

The Logan Conference met August 1st at Chapman Memorial FWB Church located at Harts Creek. We had a wonderful time in the Lord, Bro. Eric Rakes preached the first sermon and Bro. Jim Cox, the state Promotional Director, preached the second message, "They Went and Told Jesus". We ordained two deacons. The next meeting will be held October 31 due to Sunday rules, we meet the first Saturday before the first Sunday in February, May, August, and November.

Your Brother in Christ,
Jeff Cook, Clerk
Logan Conference

Valley View FWB Church Loss Was Surely Heaven's Gain

After many years of being a member of and Deacon for Valley View FWB Church, located on Virginia Ave. in Hurricane, WV, Brother Homer H. Qualls went to be with the Lord on April 23rd, 2009 in Regency Place, Scott Depot, after a long illness. He was a retired school bus driver in Putnam County, giving 28 years service. He was instrumental in founding the Church with Rev. N.C. Cremeans in March of 1952. Brother Homer was ordained in January 1955 at the Thomas Memorial FWB in Guyandotte. He had faithfully served Valley View FWB Church as an ordained Deacon and, in his latter years, Senior Deacon for 54 years.

CHURCH NEWS

We want to praise the Lord for three more souls being saved; Rod & Dorothy Sowards and Elaine Berry. Bless the Lord, God is still in the saving business. We look forward to winning more souls for the up building of God's Kingdom. Pray for our little Church at Valley View as it continues to grow.

Pastor Ray Sovine

Radio Programs

Pastor Jason Black

Sunday 3:00 WEMM 107.9 Huntington

Evangelist Rev. Luther Dingess

Sunday 10:00 am WEGH Fort Gay

Sunday 2:00 pm WEMM 107.9 Huntington

Sunday 6:00 pm WQAZ 92.3 Louisa



WHITE ASSUMES FWBIM AMBASSADOR ROLE

Free Will Baptist International Mission's Director of Development Barry Simpson recently announced the addition of Earl White of West Virginia to IM's 2010 Ambassador team. The Mission's Ambassador program began in 2007. Ambassadors represent the Mission in local churches and district association meetings, promoting the World Missions Offering (WMO) and encouraging the use of coin banks. "I believe Earl will be an outstanding addition to our Ambassador team," stated Barry. Currently serving as assistant pastor of Nolan FWB Church, White has a long history of service to the denomination in the state of West Virginia. He spent 11 years on the West Virginia Missions Board, as well as serving two years as assistant moderator and one year as moderator of the state association. White, as a 19-year-old, professed Christ as Savior on June 30, 1974. He was ordained as a deacon three years later and received his ordination to preach in 1986.

Earl is married to Debbie and the couple has two children: Adam and Ashley.

MISSIONS GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 16th Annual Missions Golf Tournament will be held at The Brier Patch Golf Links on Saturday September 26, 2009. There have been other changes this year. The location is different, the start time is 9:00 am and the entry fee is \$50.00. The address is 1 Brier Patch Drive, Beckley WV 25801. Registrations forms are available from Rickie Holstein. His phone number is 304-595-4246. The Mission Board is asking anyone interested in going to pre-register so they will have a number to give to the golf course personnel for food preparation.

This is a four man scramble, playing best ball. Please contact Rickie Holstein or any Mission Board member for more information.



Studio GO! Game Show rolled into Kilsyth Free Will Baptist Church in June. This year's Vacation Bible School was designed to be interactive and family-friendly. The game show-like program featured contestants from the "studio" audience where kids learned about various people in the Bible whom God told to GO. Kids also discovered how God can help them in their everyday lives.

Everyone who attended had a great time experiencing real teamwork, real service and real fun. Each daily session began at the Studio GO! Game Show, where all ages participate in Nickelodeon-style games. Then each age-appropriate group went to their class where they learned and discussed Bible lessons, participated in service projects, made arts & crafts, played games and enjoyed delicious treats.

Kilsyth Church averaged 100 in attendance each night. VBS Director, Maranda Williams, stated, "This has, by far, been the best Bible School Kilsyth Church has had in many years."

Kilsyth Free Will Baptist is located in Mt. Hope (Fayette County) with Pastor Doug Burdette. To learn more about the church, please visit www.kilsythchurch.org.

GO10 WALK FOR THE WORLD

A new Free Will Baptist initiative to encourage young people to get involved with missions is called the GO10 WALK. To learn more, you may visit the GO10 website - <http://www.go10walk.com> - to sign up for more information as it becomes available. The GO10 walk will take place in 2010 and will retrace the steps of Laura Belle Barnard, a famous Free Will Baptist Missionary. The walk will be traveling across the South and the East Coast as well.

The closest the walk will come to West Virginia is near Pulaski, VA (south on I-77). More info will be posted as more information is obtained.

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WOMEN'S RETREAT SCHEDULED

West Virginia Women Active for Christ's annual retreat is scheduled for September 11 & 12, 2009 at the Sophia Free Will Baptist Church.

The church will provide lunch, but you need to make your own hotel reservations. For more information please call Jody Sullivan at 304-523-4417 or Bobby Bowen at 304-697-9732.

THREE HOMILETICS SEMINARS (Preparation and Delivery of Sermon)

Where: Good Shepherd FWB Church – Huntington (Jason Black, Pastor)
When: Saturday September 12, 2009 10:00am---2:00 pm

Where: Kilsyth FWB Church – Mt. Hope (-Rev. Doug Burdette and Rev. Wayne Peters, Sponsors)
When: Saturday September 19, 2009 10:00am---2:00 pm

Where: Victory FWB Church Pecks Mill (Rev. Roscoe Chafin-Pastor)
When: Saturday November 7, 2009 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Who: All Free Will Baptist pastors and preachers (others are welcome).

Cost: Free to all participants. Lunch provided by the host church.

Each seminar will consist of three one-hour sessions with lunch between the second and third sessions. Each session will focus on one aspect of preparing or preaching sermons. The third session will concentrate on the various resources available for developing and studying for sermons and sermon illustrations. Participants will explore with the presenter the various types of sermons, i.e., textual, topical, and expository.

A *free Zondervan's Pastor's Annual* valued at twenty dollars will be given to the first twenty pastors or preachers who sign in and stay for the third session. Other handouts will be given to each participant.

Presenter: Dr. James H. Cox, Jr.---West Virginia Promotional Director

Dr. James Cox has been preaching for over 50 years and has taught homiletics at California Christian College where he was Academic Dean. He has four college degrees including a Ph. D. from The Ohio State University. He attended the Brethren Seminary in Ashland, Ohio. Born in Logan County, Dr. Cox has pastored churches in West Virginia, Ohio, California and Tennessee. He has taught for West Virginia University, Marshall University, Free Will Baptist Bible College, Bluefield State College, Southern West Virginia Community College, and California Christian College. However, his great love is preaching.

The Scriptures commands us to study to show ourselves approved unto God a workman that needth not ot be ashamed. II Timothy 2:15

WEST VIRGINIA STATE ASSOCIATION

A huge thank you goes to the Greenbranch FWB Church at Man, WV for hosting the 64th Annual Session of the West Virginia FWB State Association on June 12 and 13. It was a marvelous meeting with great fellowship and worship. The church ladies served some wonderful meals. We had good preaching, including Rev. David Crowe who came from Nashville, Tennessee. All of our state departments reported, as did several representatives from our national offices. Representatives from some of our children's homes reported also. We had harmony throughout the meeting. One of the highlights was the Pastor's Appreciation breakfast where all those who attended enjoyed a wonderful meal and received some great gifts. We trust God for many more such meetings until Jesus comes. May our people always be in one mind and one accord.

OUR STATE MEETING NEXT YEAR WILL BE HELD AT THE HERITAGE FWB CHURCH ON
JUNE 11 AND 12, 2010 THE THEME WILL BE
"SHARING GOD'S LOVE AND MIGHT WITH OUR FRIENDS."



WEST VIRGINIA FWB BIBLE INSTITUTE

The West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist in their annual meeting in June, 2009 discussed having a Bible Institute with branches in different areas of the state. Meetings have been scheduled to establish these regional branches. The Brotherhood Conference decided to have a branch in Huntington. Another meeting is to be held soon in the Mingo/Logan area. The Promotional Director is available to meet with representatives from any area or conference around the state to discuss having Bible Institute branches in their area. Following is the schedule for the Brotherhood Bible Institute.

FALL 2009----CENTRAL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH -(BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 15,2009)

Tuesday

7:00-7:50	You and Your Bible	Irvin Scarberry
7:00-7:50	Sunday School Growth	TBA
8:10-9:00	Spiritual Maturity	Dr. Carl Lilly
8:10-9:00	Truth About Worldviews	Rev. Steve Williams

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Tuesday

7:00-7:50	Teaching Techniques	TBA
7:00-7:50	New Testament Survey	TBA
8:10-9:00	Music and Worship	Rev. Ivan Asbury
8:10-9:00	Biblical Leadership	TBA

Anyone and everyone is welcome to register for one or two of these classes, regardless of where their membership is. Register at the first meeting. Books will be provided.

PLEASE NOTE

It is difficult to reach everyone and every area of our state simultaneously. Setting up Homiletic Seminars and Bible Institutes is a big job, however, it is our desire for none to feel left out. If there has not been any plans for these and other efforts in your part of the state, please do not be offended. It is not the intention to ignore nor neglect any of our people. The Promotional Director usually works with key people who show an interest in certain projects. If you would like a Bible Institute in your area, please have someone contact us and we will set a meeting to discuss the feasibility of developing a Bible Institute in your church or conference. As far as the Homiletics Seminar, a simply request to the Promotional Director will get the ball rolling. The Promotional Director would love to come to your area with a seminar. God bless and pray for us as we travel and serve. Dr. and Mrs Cox will be in South America on a missions trip to Guyana from August 21 to September 5, along with Jim and Linda Hutchison.

Paul's Desire for the Philippian Church - A Semron Outline You Can Preach. The Philippian Church was a very important church located on the Egnation Way, gateway from Asia to southern Europe. Paul loved this church where he won converts nine years earlier. But some women were having disagreements endangering the unity and testimony of the church.(4:2). Paul's remedy was for them to:

- A. Let love Abound in the Church v. 9
 - B. Approve Things that are Excellent v. 10a
 - C. Be Sincere and Without Offence v. 10b
 - D. Be Filled With the Fruits of Righteousness v. 11 We must be productive for Christ!
- Dr. James Cox

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You are now able to view the state minutes online. To view them, go to: www.wvfwb.org and click on the "LOGIN" link in the upper-left corner of the website. The username is wvfwb and the password is freewill. Once you log in, you will remain logged in until you clear your internet's history. So, don't be alarmed if it doesn't ask for the username & password when you log in again. After logging into the secure area, you may click on the "Minutes" link to display our minute books. I've left room in this secure area to allow for future information that we may want to post for members only (budget info, etc.). At any rate, let me know what you think. If you have suggestions or ideas, I would love to hear them!

Jeff Bennett

Prayer:

"Call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee". Psalms : 50:15

Just keep on praying
'til light breaks through
The Lord will answer,
He'll answer you.
God keeps his promise,
His word is true.
Just keep on praying
'Til light breaks through.

THANK YOU FOR GIVING IN JULY, 2009

TO THE WEST VIRGINIA CO-OP PLAN

Victory FWB Church	\$46.95
Brotherhood Ministers and Deacons	\$43.60
Parsley Bottom FWB Church	\$300.00
Kopperston FWB Church	\$121.83
Nolan FWB Church	\$521.00
Virginia Odell FWB Church	\$514.50
Pierpoint FWB Church	\$100.00
Brotherhood Conference	\$75.00
Ward Road FWB Church	\$94.68
Springdale FWB Church	\$75.00
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