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Atheists are not as likely to 'do good,' according to survey

Lethbridge, Alberta (BP)—Is it necessary to believe in God in order to have solid personal values? A new survey seems to answer that question with a "yes."

The survey by a sociologist at the University of Lethbridge in Alberta, Canada, found that adults who profess a belief in God are significantly more likely than atheists to say that forgiveness, patience, generosity and a concern for others are "very important."

The survey by Reginald Bibby examined the beliefs of 1,600 Canadians, 82 percent who said they believed in "God or a higher power" and 18 percent who said they did not.

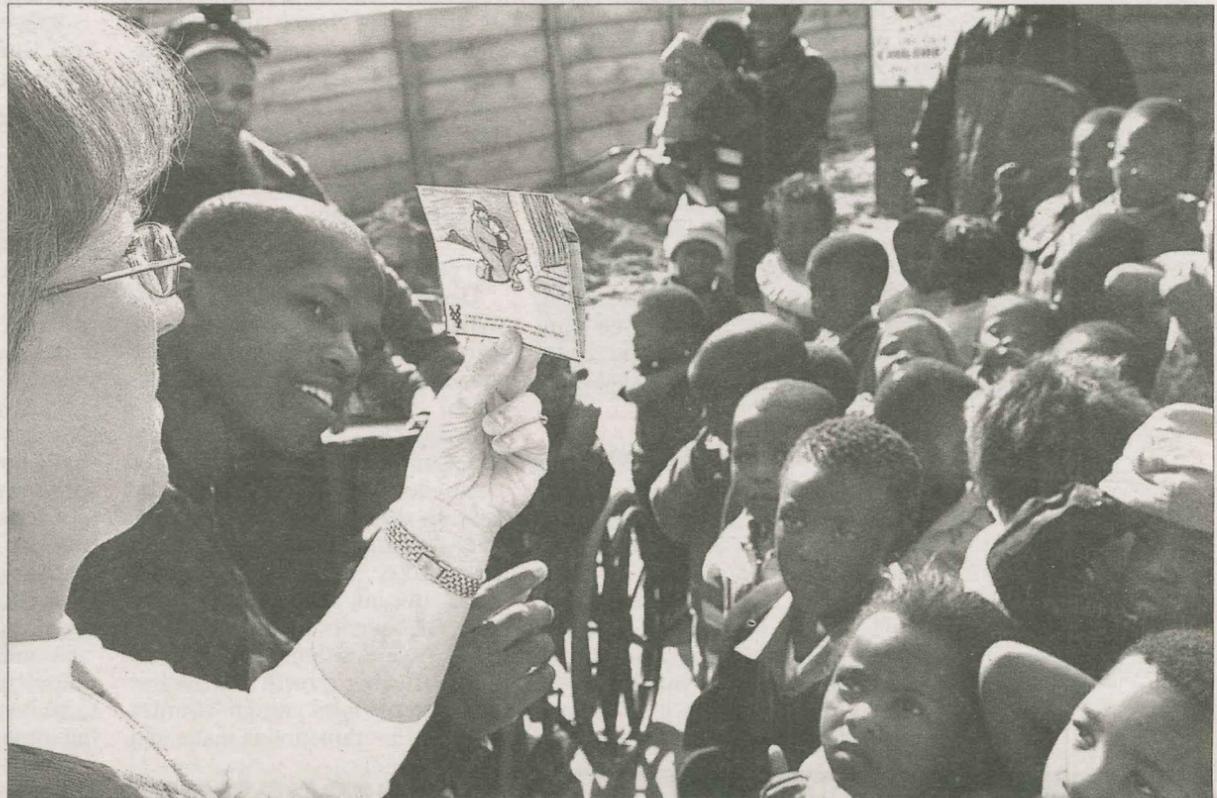
"To the extent that Canadians say good-bye to God, we may find that we pay a significant social price," Bibby said.

If the poll is correct, Canada has a higher percentage of atheists than the United States. A Gallup poll of American adults found that 6 percent consider themselves atheists. Also, most polls find that roughly nine in 10 Americans profess a belief in God, a higher percentage than in Canada.

The Ottawa Citizen took the poll results seriously, asserting in an editorial that "declining religious affiliation could be accompanied by a decline in civility."

"Bibby's research suggests that as religiosity declines, we start to travel blind—and society pays a price," the editorial stated. "Religious affiliation, apparently, has a civilizing function."

African AIDS crisis



Southern Baptist international missionary Amy Boone (left) shares a Bible story with the students at Nomaxabiso Daycare for disabled children. Lulama (center), a member of the local Baptist church in the Lower Crossroads township, helps translate the story into Xhosa. (BP photo by Kyle Kurlick)

Missionaries bring hope to S. Africans gripped by AIDS epidemic

By Heidi Steinrock
Baptist Press

Cape Town, South Africa (BP)—Excited chatter fills the one-room school as children, some of them infected with HIV, tug at Amy Boone's dress. She touches them, speaks to them in their language, laughs with them and occasionally gives them presents.

The Imizamo Yethu Preschool is nestled among the shacks in Cape Town's Vuk'uzenzele township—a name which literally means "Get up and do something for yourself." HIV

infects one in four of the 25 children there. Boone comes every week to teach, sing and pray with these children.

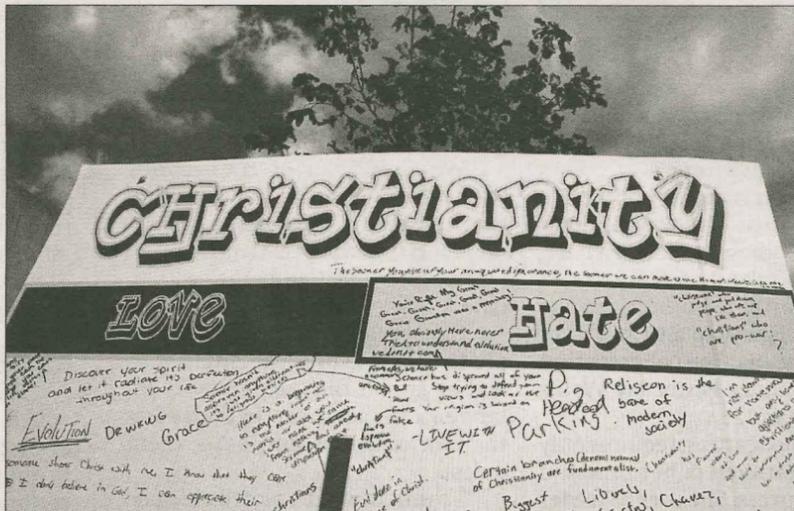
Boone calls her work a "backdoor" ministry: Teaching children in government-built townships allows her to share the gospel with adults, such as Nomakhaya Matshaya, the preschool's principal.

"If I said, 'I want to come and study the Bible with you,' she would say, 'No,'" the Southern Baptist missionary explained. "But she will translate for me when I teach the

children, and so she's learning all these stories about Jesus, and her faith has just grown so much. Working with kids is a backdoor way to reach the adults."

Nomaxabiso Daycare for disabled children provides another backdoor as Boone teaches songs and Bible lessons there. After time with the children, she leads a Bible study with caregivers. Despite strong backgrounds in ancestral worship, they listen to the stories. Two of the five caregivers and the school's principal. *See IMB missionary gives ... Page 8*

'Love/Hate' project triggers spiritual discussions on NKU campus



OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS The Baptist Campus Ministry at Northern Kentucky University recently used the unique Love/Hate project to open doors for sharing the gospel on campus. The BCM posted nine boards on campus for student dialogue, displaying the following topics: NKU, religion, dating, government, Christianity, family, church, friends and college. (Photo by Brian Combs)

By Garrett Wishall
Kentucky Baptist Convention

Highland Heights—The boards around Northern Kentucky University's center plaza could not be missed.

Nine in all, the white boards set on easels displayed different topics—ranging from dating to religion to government—with the words "love" and "hate" forming two columns. Dozens of comments from students covered each board.

Several days after the mysterious appearance of the boards, NKU students learned that the group behind the anonymous project was the Baptist Campus Ministry.

The boards had followed the display of 150 yard signs around campus the week before, featuring the words "Love/Hate" in large lettering and a blog website at the bottom. The blog allowed students to display

their thoughts and engage in dialogue on the various topics.

Brian Combs, campus minister for NKU's BCM, said the Love/Hate project was designed to begin conversations between Christians and non-Christians on campus. Non-Christian students at NKU generally hold an antagonistic attitude toward Christianity, he noted.

"Most folks have heard the gospel and their experience with Christians has not been good," Combs said. "Usually, when you start talking about Christianity, people just shut you down."

"People are very open to talking about spiritual things, and it is a very spiritual campus, but people will talk about it from the perspective of, 'I believe what I want to believe and you can believe what you want to believe, but don't push what *See Opportunity for ... Page 7*

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Two prominent Texas Baptist leaders resign

By Ken Camp
Texas Baptist Standard

Dallas (ABP)—Former Kentucky Baptist pastor Ron Gunter has resigned as chief operating officer for the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

His Oct. 18 announcement came two days after Carolyn Porterfield announced her resignation as executive director-treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Union of Texas. The resignations are unrelated but represent ongoing turmoil in BGCT leadership.

Gunter, a former international missionary, joined the BGCT Executive Board in 2002. He became chief operating officer in 2005 and will leave the post Nov. 30.

During his time in the role, Gunter implemented the Executive Board staff reorganization and created a service center, a research and development office and a congregational leadership section.

Reorganization sparks criticism

But the reorganization has drawn criticism, as did Gunter's role as part of the executive leadership team who recently eliminated 29 positions on the BGCT Executive Board staff.

The staff cuts came amid a proposed 2008 state convention budget that is more than \$470,000 below the current budget.

The staff cuts represent almost 10 percent of the BGCT's workforce. Of the 29 affected employees, 12 are program staff and 17 are in support and clerical roles.

Among staff members whose positions are being eliminated are Debra Hochgraber, women's ministry specialist; Mary Johnson, leadership project strategist in congregational leadership; Russell Maddox, associate director of church architecture; Glenn Majors, manager of Cooperative Program services; and Debbie Smith, music and worship special events coordinator.

"I deeply appreciate the work of these men and women," noted BGCT Executive Director Charles Wade, "and I'm praying God will raise up new places of service for them."

Despite the cutbacks, Wade said, "What we have achieved in these years (of Gunter's tenure) is really phenomenal, though it has been difficult."

In his Oct. 18 letter of resignation, Gunter alluded to the need for a new executive director to have the freedom to enlist his own associate. Wade has announced plans to retire Jan. 31, 2008.

"Significant, and at times difficult, adjustments have been made, which have positioned the convention for further growth and greater service to the local church," Gunter said. "As the transition is made to a

new executive director, he will now have the opportunity to select his associate and assemble the team that will best serve the convention under his leadership."

After Gunter leaves his position, BGCT directors will report directly to Wade. Dan McGee will become interim director of the congregational leadership section that Gunter had been serving as an interim director.

Before he went to the mission field, Gunter was pastor of churches in Kentucky, Tennessee and Texas.

Texas WMU director resigns

Porterfield, who joined the Texas WMU staff in 1992, became executive director in 2001. She said she is resigning because her "gifts are more in the area of leading and speaking and being with people," while the "executive director job requires a great deal of management skills."

"I have come to realize that the skill sets required for the position that I now hold do not match well with my gifts and abilities," she said in a letter to WMU directors. "It is time for me to step aside in order for the next leader to come who can most effectively lead this wonderful organization into her future."

A member of Lakeside Baptist Church in Dallas, she said she hopes to be involved in missions after taking some time off.

Congregations use podcasts as portable outreach tools

By Robert Marus
Associated Baptist Press

Montgomery, Ala. (ABP)—Little white headphones that have revolutionized the way Americans listen to music may also revolutionize the way they learn about God.

Hundreds of churches and Christian institutions are using podcasts or other easily downloadable audio and video files to spread the good news around the globe with the simple click of a mouse.

Podcasts began as brief audio programs submitted by artists to Apple's popular iTunes audio-file clearinghouse. People then downloaded them to their iPods, the portable digital-audio players that, in the past five years, have revolutionized the way many Americans listen to music.

Now the term refers to any audio or video program placed online and made available for customers to download to their computers and iPods for later listening.

"A lot of our members don't live in Alabama, so this is a way for them to get Jay's message everywhere. And you can take it with you," said Amanda Smith, communications director for First Baptist Church of Montgomery, Ala. The congregation began podcasting Pastor Jay Wolf's sermons in January.

She said podcasting requires only a minor investment of her time and church resources. She uses a "feeder program" to translate digital audio files of the sermons into the kind of computer code needed to distribute them on iTunes.

The iTunes site automatically downloads new sermons to each

subscriber's computer as soon as they become available. Subscribers then can transfer those files to their iPods.

"It's relatively easy to do, so ... it's cost-effective," Smith noted.

At First Baptist Church of Lubbock, Texas, the communications staff has provided varied content.

"Right now, we're just doing sermons," said Chris Crawford, the church's director of media. "But we've done short interviews; we've done videos (and) different promo stuff."

While the Lubbock and Montgomery churches have thousands of worshipers on an average Sunday, smaller congregations are also getting into podcasting—and not just simple sermon files.

At First Baptist Church of North Kansas City, Mo., music minister Kevin Gibson has taken the church's historic commitment to missions online.

"We have a lot of connections with missionaries in our congregation here, and it's a good way for our members to connect with missionaries in places like Cambodia or Thailand," Gibson said. He uses Skype—a free program that allows people to converse over the Internet as if they are on the telephone—to interview missionaries. He then edits the conversations and posts them online.

"I think it will be worth the payoff in the end, and particularly with the younger generation," he said. "They're used to multitasking—they're listening to a podcast, they're doing homework, they're eating all simultaneously."

Jerusalem church building damaged by arson attack

By Mark Kelly
Baptist Press

Jerusalem (BP)—Baptist House, home of Narkis Street Baptist Church in Jerusalem, was attacked by arsonists in the pre-dawn hours of Oct. 24, but quick action from neighbors limited the damage to furnishings and windows.

The arsonists broke into the building and set fires in three places, Joe Broom, business services manager of the Baptist Convention in Israel, told the Israel Broadcast Authority. The stone floor was charred but not damaged. Chairs were burned and the building suffered smoke and water damage. To fight the fire, firefighters had to break various windows in the building.

The church was burned to the ground in 1982 by anti-missionary Orthodox Jewish militants and more recently a bookstore in the building was fire-bombed.

Although the church building is near ultra-Orthodox areas, relationships with neighbors have been very good, Broom said. Jewish neighbors called the fire department and their quick response helped minimize damage to the structure. The rabbi of a neighboring Reform Judaism congregation offered the use of its synagogue for services, according to the Associated Press.

Weekend services were cancelled at the building, which is home to Baptists, Russian Christians, foreign workers, students, Sudanese refugees and Messianic Jews, Broom told Israel Today. The congregations hope to hold services next weekend, after the facility is cleaned and painted, Broom said.

Police have no suspects and the arson may have simply been the work of vandals, investigators said. It appeared trash had been brought in off the street, placed under chairs and set ablaze with an accelerant.

The Israeli office of the Anti-Defamation League, however, condemned the attack as an "apparent hate crime," the Jerusalem Post reported. "We urged authorities to do everything in their power to protect all religious sites and see that the perpetrators of the crime are brought to justice," the ADL said.

The attack should not be an occasion for anti-Semitism, noted Jim Sibley a former Southern Baptist representative to Israel.

"This was not an act for which either the state of Israel or the Jewish people are to be judged," said Sibley, now director of the Pasche Institute of Jewish Studies at Criswell College in Dallas. "This underscores the need for greater prayer for Christians who face opposition in the Middle East."

BAPTIST DIGEST

Former SBC leader Sam Pace dies at age 80. Sam Pace, a former chairman of the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee, died Oct. 23 in Paris, Texas. He was 80. Pace also was the 1980-81 president of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma and served from 1971-91 as director of missions for Comanche-Cotton Baptist Association based in Lawton, Okla. Pace was a member of the SBC Executive Committee from 1983-91 and was chairman from 1989-91. Morris Chapman, president of the SBC Executive Committee described Pace as "a man of courage, compassion and conviction." He is survived by his wife, Margaret; four adult children; 13 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Southwestern center to honor Richard Land. Officials at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary have announced plans to create a Richard Land Center for Cultural Engagement. Land, president of the Southern Baptist Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission since 1988, has represented Southern Baptist concerns in the media and on Capitol Hill for two decades. In 2005, he was recognized by Time magazine as one of "The 25 Most Influential Evangelicals in America." The center will conduct research in Christian morality and political action and study cultural and philosophical issues. Further details for the funding and construction of the center will be released at a later date, according to a seminary press release. Land, who hosts three nationally syndicated radio programs, recently was appointed to a fourth term on the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom and hosts three nationally syndicated radio programs. He is the author of "The Divided States of America? What Liberals and Conservatives Are Missing in the God-and-Country Shouting Match!"

Mark Brister to retire from OBU presidency. Mark Brister, president of Oklahoma Baptist University since 1998, has announced his retirement effective Nov. 10. Brister's nine-year tenure as OBU's 14th president is the third-longest in the university's 97-year history. "I'm enormously proud of the quality of education that OBU provides its students," Brister said. "While we will miss the energy and excitement of campus life, we are looking forward to new opportunities and challenges." Trustees elected John Parrish, OBU's executive vice president emeritus, as the university's interim president effective Nov. 11. Parrish retired in 2002 after more than 38 years at OBU.

BWA leader urges Kentucky Baptists to 'bless the world'

By Trennis Henderson
Editor

Campbellsville—Declaring that “the mission of God in this century of glorious mission opportunity needs as much unity as possible,” Baptist World Alliance President David Coffey called on fellow Baptists to set aside differences for the sake of the gospel.

Coffey, who was elected in 2005 to a five-year term as BWA president, made a series of stops in Kentucky last week as part of a U.S. visit.

Coffey retired last year after 15 years as general secretary of the Baptist Union of Great Britain. He spoke in chapel and at a luncheon Oct. 24 at Campbellsville University. A two-day visit to Georgetown College Oct. 25-26 included an address on “Lifting Our Voices for the Voiceless.” He also spoke Oct. 27 at a breakfast hosted by St. Matthews Baptist Church in Louisville.

“The Baptist World Alliance needs Kentucky Baptists and I dare to suggest to you that Kentucky Baptists need the Baptist World Alliance because we are family,” he told the Campbellsville luncheon crowd.

“Hope of reconciliation”

Speaking candidly about the Southern Baptist Convention’s withdrawal from the BWA in 2004, Coffey said, “I was very intimately involved in all the conversations that eventually led to the Southern Baptist Convention resigning from the Baptist World Alliance.

“The decision saddened me and I still have some very good friends

on the other side of the decision,” he added.

Citing the separation and eventual reconciliation between the Apostle Paul and John Mark in the New Testament, Coffey noted, “I think Christians must always hold in their hearts the hope of reconciliation.”

Insisting that “very, very little should divide Baptist Christians,” Coffey said, “I’m proud to be a conservative evangelical in the Baptist tradition.”

Alluding to SBC leaders’ charges of liberalism among some BWA member bodies, Coffey said, “Are there liberals in the BWA? When you have a family of 34 million baptized believers, ... inevitably you will have those who will cast themselves as liberals. The real question is: Is the Baptist World Alliance liberal? The answer to that is no.”

Warning that “an adherence to orthodoxy is no guarantee of spirituality,” Coffey affirmed fellow Baptist leaders who have “a passion for seeing the lost world come to know Jesus Christ, ... a passion for the Scriptures, a passion for spirituality.”

“Christians who have sound minds and warm hearts are those who bless the world,” he added.

Cautioning against the extremes of “cynical liberalism and sentimental evangelicalism,” Coffey declared, “I long for Baptists to learn the lessons of history, the good and the bad.”

Urging Baptists to practice “trifocal vision,” he said Baptists need to look back to learn the lessons of history, look around at the present to

see what God is doing and look to future ministry with anticipation.

Looking ahead, he emphasized the need for Christians to “be less concerned with what shape the church is and be more concerned about what kind of disciples Christ is calling us to be.”

During a chapel address earlier in the day, Coffey emphasized that “we find our calling as we follow Jesus Christ.”

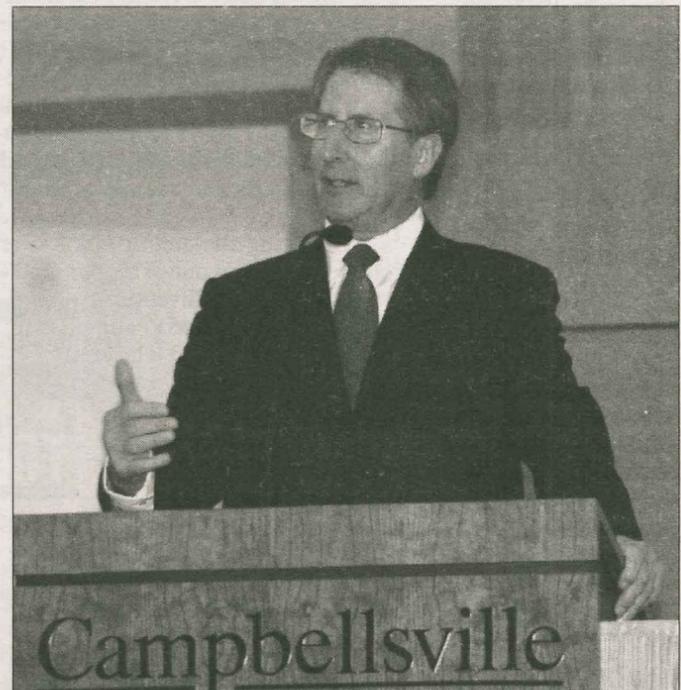
Noting that “the most important title that I will carry to my grave will be disciple of Jesus Christ,” he encouraged students to follow Christ’s example as they “face the world, know the Bible, demonstrate courage and be committed to transformation.”

Affirming Baptist distinctives

John Chowning, Campbellsville’s vice president for church and external relations, described Coffey as a leader with “a passion for reconciliation, a passion for religious liberty and a passion for the cause of Christ.”

Noting that Coffey’s address was part of Campbellsville’s Baptist Heritage Series, Chowning said the lecture series “was set up in part to focus attention on Baptist diversity and emphasize distinctives of the Baptist faith.”

Citing BWA’s role as “a worldwide organization of Baptists of great diversity,” he said Coffey’s visit provided students and faculty the opportunity “to know more about what it means to be a Baptist in the 21st century.”



“It’s an understanding ... that the Baptist family is a worldwide movement,” Chowning added. “We think as a university it’s important to celebrate that and have a better understanding of it.”

Dwight Moody, dean of the chapel at Georgetown, described BWA as “a vibrant and significant coalition of Baptist people all over the globe.”

Moody said among Georgetown’s goals in inviting Coffey to campus were “to enlarge the involvement that the college has in the BWA, and to introduce our students to him and the work he does.”

DISCIPLESHIP Speaking last week at a chapel service at Campbellsville University, Baptist World Alliance President David Coffey told students and faculty, “The most important title that I will carry to my grave will be disciple of Jesus Christ.”

SBC President Page to bring story of home church’s missions success to Ky.

By Ken Walker
Kentucky Baptist Convention

Taylors, S.C.—With so much media attention focused on Frank Page winning the Southern Baptist Convention presidency as an underdog, many Kentucky Baptists may not be aware that missions helped turn around his declining congregation.

When Page arrived at First Baptist Church of Taylors in 2001, attendance had sunk to 1,000 amid a steady, 10-year-long decline. Although some members participated in mission trips organized by other churches, the congregation had sponsored only one trip—way back in 1976.

Today more than 2,500 people attend the South Carolina church, part of a groundswell that has enhanced Sunday school attendance, giving and missions.

The church sponsored five mission trips in 2005 and that number more than doubled in each of the past two years. Approximately 500 members will go on mission trips in 2007, spanning the local area, state, nation and world.

Page will share about these successes when he addresses the Kentucky Baptist Convention annual meeting Nov. 13 at Severns Valley Baptist Church in Elizabethtown. The theme for this year’s meeting is “Kentucky Baptists Connect: Empowering Believers in Missions.”

“I will tell the story of how missions involvement, as well as prayer ministry involvement, has driven our attendance to two and a half times the size it was seven years ago,” said Page, whose church’s strong Cooperative Program support was a key factor in his 2006 election.

“God blesses churches on mission and if



ON MISSION SBC President Frank Page (left) distributes Bibles during one of his church’s mission trips to Brazil in 2004. Page will bring his message of missions to the Kentucky Baptist Convention annual meeting Nov. 13 in Elizabethtown. (BP photo)

they want their church to be blessed, then they need to be involved and increasing involvement in missions,” he emphasized.

The longtime pastor credits First Baptist’s growth to biblical teaching about why believers should be on mission and then providing opportunities to do so. That is something he says can be easily duplicated in Kentucky.

While pastors often are called the key to local church missions, one who is not convinced of its value can be the lock that prevents a church from stepping out, Page added.

“If pastors in Kentucky can catch a vision of what the local church can do, then

I believe Kentucky can see a dramatic upswing in missions involvement, giving and praying,” he said.

One key to increasing involvement at his church has been promoting missions through a variety of venues. First Baptist, Taylors, creates intentional awareness campaigns that include printed materials and testimonies from past mission trips, plus reports that are posted on its Web site.

Thanks to modern technology, members also phone in updates from the field, which can be reviewed and downloaded on the site.

After their trips, teams deliver a recap of their journey at a midweek service, an event that draws crowds “because people love to hear what God has done on particular trips.”

“If they hear about things, people are more apt to join in,” Page noted. “In our newsletter, we have changed that from a listing of things that are going to happen to include the stories of what has happened.”

Those include accounts of several couples who have returned from mission trips to other nations and immediately volunteered for long-term mission assignments.

Closer to home, there are success stories as well. First Baptist, Taylors, has planted one church per year for the past six years, including a Hispanic mission. It also has organized outreach projects such as a free medical clinic and free oil changes for single mothers’ vehicles.

Converts from those ministry projects were among 76 people baptized Sept. 30 at the church’s first outdoor baptism cer-

emony at a state park. The Sunday afternoon event included refreshments and other festivities, with numerous passers-by stopping to watch and hear Page’s gospel message.

“We had one of the greatest days in the history of our church,” he said, describing how the event created considerable excitement. “That has set our people on fire as far as local missions and evangelism work.”

Although he said he felt called to the pastorate as a boy, Page emphasized that God’s Word doesn’t make distinctions between those in the pulpit and Christians who work as carpenters, plumbers, clerks or maids.

Everyone needs to grasp that God calls each person to specific tasks and they can reach others with the gospel no matter what their career, he emphasized.

Besides lay members who fail to sense their call to missions, Page noted that other obstacles to getting involved in missions can include selfishness, fear of not having the right personality or talents, or financial reasons.

However, once believers recognize God’s power and have faith in Him, they become aware that all perceived obstacles fade away, he said.

That awareness is crucial to understanding the urgency of fulfilling the mandates of Matthew 28:19-20 and Acts 1:8, he added.

“It is time for Kentucky Baptists to step up to the plate and realize God’s commands have not been rendered null and void,” Page declared. “It’s time to do everything we can to join together to see God’s mission work accomplished.”

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Genuine trust in God

The "In God We Trust" on our currency would be meaningful if it were really true. As a nation, our trust is more in money and nuclear weapons than it is in God. It is so ironic the words are inscribed on money. They should, instead, be engraved on our hearts and actualized in our daily living.

Inventing the atomic bomb over 60 years ago was one of humankind's worst acts. That invention certainly displeased our Creator and showed a lack of trust in God. World War II was awful, but was it really necessary near the end of the war for our country to set the precedent for using nuclear weapons by dropping two atomic bombs on Japan?

The trillions of dollars spent on nuclear weapons over the last half of the 20th century until now is morally and spiritually outrageous. To spend so lavishly on weaponry while so many people all over the world go hungry goes against what God desires for all humankind of every nation. To turn our weapons into farming implements to feed a hungry world is what God requires of us.

America can show its trust in

God is genuine by leading a movement to abolish all nuclear weapons worldwide, including her own. That would take the phony glibness out of the "God Bless America" politicians like to utter at the end of a speech.

*Paul Whiteley Sr.
Louisville*

Caring for creation

How can former Vice President Al Gore, a Baptist, receive the internationally coveted Nobel Peace Prize for his work in caring for God's creation, and the news receives no notice in our Kentucky Baptist weekly paper?



In an interview with the Baptist Center for Ethics, Gore said, "How can you glorify God while heaping contempt and destruction on God's creation? The answer is that you cannot."

The sobering silence about Gore's award reveals a major divergence in understanding among Baptists about the role of Christians in today's world.

One view sees concern for the Earth as a second-tier issue. It encourages modest care for the planet out of respect for God, but dismisses sacrificial living to reverse global de-

struction based on the assumption that some day there will be a "new heaven and new earth." This view equates humans' charge to "have dominion over the earth" with permission to use it in any way that meets our needs.

A second view sees Earth as God's gift to humanity and its care as a first-tier issue. It connects care for the salvation of humans with care for their environment. Words like "stewards" and "dominion" refer to Christian responsibility in this point of view. It rejects Second Coming theology as an excuse for ignoring the effects of human abuses on the planet.

Fortunately, more evangelical Christians see the effects of acid rain, air and water pollution, volatile weather patterns, flooding and droughts on those they have been called to love. As biblical Christians they reject the dualistic idea that care for creation is a distraction from saving souls.

Would Kentucky Baptists, living in a state pocked with destroyed mountains, rivers and air, be interested in a substantive dialogue about what our faith says to these vital issues?

*Joe Phelps
Louisville*

Building bridges of cooperation

By Frank Page

Taylors, S.C. (BP)—As president of the Southern Baptist Convention, I regularly am given books to read.

While it will take many years for me to finish reading all the books I've been given, on occasion I find one that is in desperate need of being read by me as well as by others. One such book is "Building Bridges" by David Dockery of Union University and Timothy George of Beeson Divinity School. I commend this little book to you—it is filled with wonderful encouragement to us as Southern Baptists.

One of the things it points out is that our diversity is profound. We

have a bad tendency to label people in two or three groups. Dockery does a phenomenal job of accurately describing a large number of

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subgroups that are active in our convention. While you may or may not fit into one of these categories, it helps us to see that we are far more diverse than maybe we had thought.

The book points to the truth that our potential is awesome. I have stated around our convention that if we move in the common direction of supporting missions and evangelism as we should, God can do great things through us. Please give serious support to our missions offerings and most of all to the Coopera-

tive Program so that we can fund the work God has called us to.

One other thing that is evident in this little book is that our calling is clear. We stand together in a belief that God's Word is the authoritative source for direction in our lives. The Great Commandment and the Great Commission are abidingly clear in their commands. Let us love one another and let us take that love to the entire world.

It is time for Southern Baptists to build bridges, rather than tear them down. Let us start by reaching out within our convention, building a unity that is commanded by God, blessed by God and enabled by His precious Holy Spirit.

SBC President Frank Page is pastor of First Baptist Church of Taylors, S.C.

New discipleship research and workshops

The Kentucky Baptist Convention recently received the results of a discipleship research project conducted on our behalf by LifeWay Research. I believe the findings will surprise most Kentucky Baptists and lead to changes in the discipleship emphasis and plans in many churches.

The research deals with seven domains that focus on spiritual maturity. In addition, some research was done on doctrinal views.

Among many findings, the research reveals that our church members are not strong in evangelism because too many believe that people can go to heaven through means other than Jesus Christ. Some of these means include human efforts, baptism or other religions.

The data also show that weak discipleship is the result of weak convictions about the truth of God's Word. I believe that when pastors and church leaders review this research, the Holy Spirit will reveal an action plan to preach and teach the truth of God's Word with great con-

viction.

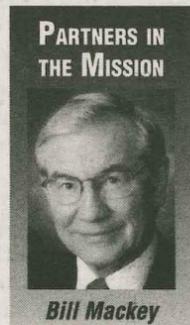
Scott McConnell, associate director for LifeWay Research, will present an overview of the research in the Wednesday morning, Nov. 14, session of our annual meeting at Severns Valley Baptist Church in Elizabethtown. I encourage every pastor to be present.

I also encourage pastors to bring other church staff members and laypeople. The research presentation

will be followed by two sessions of dynamic and practical workshops.

Workshops include:
■ "Why Your Fish Stinks," led by Matt Johnson, pastor of the Journey Church in Murray, a new church that has reached 250 in attendance in just two years. Johnson will share how impacting the culture requires engaging the culture with both the purpose and personality of Jesus.

■ "Creative Communication—How to Reach Those Far from God," led by Kevin Marsico, a church planter in Ijamsville, Md., who will share methods his church has used to



Bill Mackey

CHURCH

Simple steps can protect churches' tithes & offerings

By Doug Strader

I recently read an article in Church Executive magazine



about churches being victimized by unscrupulous money handlers to the tune of hundreds of thousands of dollars

given by people who thought they were giving their tithes and offerings to the Lord's work. In reality, some of their gifts were going into the checking accounts of unscrupulous people.

This particular article related to some very large churches, but smaller churches also can be victimized by such people. There are some simple steps that churches of all sizes can take to insure that it would be very difficult for this type of crime to take place.

Taking a church's money is a crime and many people have been incarcerated as a result of being convicted of this crime. What can churches do to help prevent these crimes?

■ Never allow just one person to be responsible for handling the church's money.

■ When the offerings are received during the worship service, make sure the money is in a safe place until it is counted and taken to the bank.

■ When a church's tithes and offerings are counted, there should be at least three people responsible for counting the money. The counters should rotate on a weekly or monthly basis. Two people from the same family should not count money the same week.

■ If the money is counted on site, a bank deposit slip should be filled out and taken along with the money to the bank's night deposit box. All checks should be stamped, "For deposit only."

■ If the money is to be counted at the bank the next day, at least two people should take the money to the bank's night deposit box immediately after the service.

■ Anyone who has check writing responsibilities should not be a part of the counting committee.

■ The church should require all individuals who handle the church's money to be bonded.

There may be additional guidelines your church should implement depending on your specific circumstances.

If your church follows such procedures, you will be less likely to have unscrupulous people taking the church's money.

Doug Strader, retired director of the Kentucky Baptist Convention's stewardship department, is pastor of Farmdale Baptist Church in Louisville

reach secular people.

■ "Creative Access Platforms for Community Missions," led by Richard Gaines, pastor of Consolidated Baptist Church in Lexington. He will share how a church can effectively reach its community for Christ.

■ "Leading Your Church Through Change," led by Severns Valley Baptist Church Pastor Billy Compton, who has led the oldest church in Kentucky through successful relocation.

■ "The Reality of Baptism," led by Steve Ayers, who baptized more than 500 people at Hillvue Heights Church in Bowling Green last year.

Other workshops include "Every Child Is a Winner," led by Shane McKenzie, director of training for Upward Unlimited; "Missional Church Meets the Bluegrass," led by Greg Faulls, pastor of Bellevue Baptist Church in Owensboro; "Membership Matters," led by Chuck Lawless from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary; and "On Mission, Online," led by Brenda Rick Smith, the KBC's electronic media specialist.

For more information, visit www.kybaptist.org/annualmeeting. *Bill Mackey is executive director of the Kentucky Baptist Convention*

Be careful to honor, protect marital commitment at work

Q: My wife gets upset when I occasionally go out to lunch with female co-workers. I have never been unfaithful to her and I keep telling her that she is being unreasonable. What do you think?

Your wife is not being unreasonable; to the contrary you are being naïve. Many, if not most, extramarital affairs begin innocently and progress to greater intimacy.

MARRIAGE

If conversations at work lead to finding opportunities for more one-on-one talking outside of work, a line has been breached. The actual infidelity often occurs before a physical line is crossed as the affair partner begins to make an emotional investment in another person that should be reserved for his or her spouse. This infidelity, or "breaking of the trust," may lead down a slippery slope of more and more with the other person and less and less with one's spouse.

Carefully agreed-upon boundaries in Christian marriage serve to protect both the partners as well as the integrity of the family. Examples of boundaries might include:

- Refusing to travel with a female colleague on a business trip.
- Keeping the door to your office open when meeting with females.
- Having a window in your office door.
- Being careful to avoid expressing physical affection to other women.

Not only will your wife appreciate your willingness to protect your marriage, you may unknowingly help other men through your example. By avoiding even the appearance of evil, your witness will be enhanced. As a leader, lover, protector and provider for your wife, you can rest in the words of Proverbs 10:9, "The man of integrity walks securely."—*Scott Wigginton*

Q: With all the controversy in some circles over the Harry Potter books, what is your view about how the series ended up?

Spoiler warning! After 10 years and seven books, the story of Harry Potter came to an end this summer. Author J.K. Rowling had warned that the books would become "darker" as the saga moved toward a conclusion. I did not particularly find that to be true. If anything, I thought the story became even more clearly a straightforward, though complex tale of good versus evil—full of the kinds of unexpected twists, turns and revelations that characterize good fiction.

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Some Christians expressed concern that Rowling was painting Potter as a messiah-type character. In the final book, Harry freely gives his life for the larger purpose of defeating evil, and then resurrects. While these events certainly bring to mind the life and work of Jesus, themes of sacrifice and immortality have been commonplace in fiction of all types throughout the history of literature. Most children know how to enjoy these kinds of stories as they gradually grow in their ability to distinguish between fantasy and reality.

I still hold that the main reason many Christians have had trouble with the Potter books has to do with the supernatural elements and magic that fills the books, and with the influence some believe such stories have—specifically that they promote occultism and Satan worship. Despite the fact that Newsweek calls the Christian parallels in the final book "glaring," Rowling, who rarely attends church, calls the accusation of Satanism "lunatic."

As stated here before, I do not believe Rowling has pushed any spiritual agenda with Harry Potter. She has simply created an imaginary world and a story line that children and adults alike have found fascinating, and will continue to do so for years.—*David Garrard*

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'07 KBC meeting: Why should you attend?

In just two weeks, Baptists from throughout the commonwealth will gather to focus on the theme, "Kentucky Baptists Connect: Empowering Believers in Missions," during the 2007 Kentucky Baptist Convention annual meeting.

The two-day gathering will be held Nov. 13-14 at Severns Valley Baptist Church in Elizabethtown. It will be preceded by the annual Cross Over Kentucky ministry blitz as well as the Kentucky Baptist Pastors' Conference Nov. 12 and other convention-related events.

At this point, there's no indication there will be major drama or tension during next month's gathering. While the KBC's annual business session always includes words of inspiration and challenge, it appears that most business items will be fairly simple and straightforward.

As an example, messengers will vote on a proposed Cooperative Program budget goal of \$24 million, which is the same amount as the current budget goal. While last year's CP receipts of more than \$23.5 million set a giving record, the total still fell slightly below the fiscal year's budget goal. Holding next year's goal to \$24 million hopefully will give congregations the opportunity to fully fund the budget and the widespread ministries and mission efforts it represents.

Additionally, for the first time in five years, there currently is only one publicly announced nominee for KBC president: Bill Henard, pastor of Porter Memorial Baptist Church in Lexington and assistant professor of evangelism and church growth at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville.

Henard, who in 2003 was the second announced nominee for KBC president, told the Western Recorder at the time, "I think it's healthy when there's an election where there are candidates to choose from." While there's always the option in KBC life that other nominees can be presented even during the annual meeting, it appears likely that Henard could be elected without opposition.

In the Western Recorder's annual presidential nominee Q&A which will be published next week, Henard acknowledges that his second nomination as state convention president "was not an easy decision at which to arrive." He adds, however, that he believes his recent

experience as chairman of the KBC Mission Board's administrative committee and chairman of LifeWay Christian Resources' trustee board have provided him "valuable leadership and information tools." Take time to read the full Q&A interview next week to gain additional insight about Henard's ministry goals and perspectives.

If the CP budget goal is unchanged and there's only one presidential candidate, why bother to attend the KBC annual meeting? I'm glad you asked.

In addition to traditional business items, the theme of "Empowering Believers in Missions" should serve as a powerful ministry challenge for Kentucky Baptists throughout the coming year. Southern Baptist Convention President Frank Page will deliver a keynote address during the Tuesday evening session, detailing how his congregation's involvement in missions and prayer ministry has strengthened the church's overall ministry efforts.

"God blesses churches on mission," Page emphasized, "and if they want their church to be blessed, then they need to be involved and increasing involvement in missions." (See related article on page 3.)

Another key emphasis will be a Kentucky discipleship research presentation on Wednesday morning by Scott McConnell of LifeWay Research.

According to Steve Rice, the KBC's director of discipleship and assimilation, the study "was intended to identify the spiritual formation of our churches."

"I strongly encourage all of our Kentucky Baptist pastors and leaders to hear the initial report of this study," Rice added. "I think they'll be helped, surprised and possibly alarmed."

And there you have it—or least part of it. A \$24 million Cooperative Program budget proposal, KBC officer elections, a two-day missions emphasis featuring a personal challenge from SBC President Frank Page and a discipleship research report aimed at helping strengthen Kentucky Baptist congregations.

All that and more will be part of Kentucky Baptists' 2007 annual meeting in Elizabethtown. If you want to be involved in planning and preparing for the KBC's ongoing ministry efforts, be there.

STRAIGHT FROM THE EDITOR



Trennis Henderson

Communicating your message through media

By Woody Murray

Nashville (BP)—After The Apostle Paul had his conversion experience, he spoke boldly at every opportunity. There may never have been a more powerful speaker for the Word. But God allowed him to be placed in prison. Paul probably struggled with why God wasn't permitting him to travel and tell others the good news.

He could reach hundreds, maybe thousands, of people through his traveling evangelism. So Paul wrote letters instead. God inspired those letters, and now those letters comprise much of the New Testament. They have changed millions of lives since Paul penned them. They will change the lives of many millions more in the future.

What does this have to do with your church's ministry today? Think about it: Is your church relying primarily on a Sunday message for evangelism, or are you taking advantage of other opportunities to reach even larger numbers of people than those who attend your services each Sunday? There are so many ways to share your ministries and reach beyond the walls of your church.

For example, could your pastor write a regular devotional for your local daily or weekly newspaper? How about a community magazine? Even the smallest local news-

paper or magazine has the potential to reach hundreds of people who otherwise may not ever know about your church. One short devotional

from your pastor might be just the message someone needs to read. It may touch a heart, and that person in turn may visit your church and have his or her life changed for Christ.

Can you offer your weekly worship services on a local Christian or secular radio station? Sometimes there are small local radio stations, both AM and FM, that may not have powerful signals, but still reach thousands of loyal listeners in your community. Occasionally, these stations are looking for programming on the weekends or at night. They may be willing to air your Sunday messages and expand your worship services beyond the people who visit your church each Sunday.

How about television? Is there a local affiliate station, even a local limited access television channel, in your area that might air your worship services at a reasonable cost? You might be surprised to find that your worship experience can be expanded beyond your greatest dreams—but not beyond God's plans.

There really is no limit to what God can do with your church's min-

istries. You just need to take a first step and see where He will lead you. You may find that God has already been at work opening doors for you.

Be willing to consider options that have never crossed your mind. Survey your church membership and find out if any of them might work for, or know someone who works for, one of the local media outlets. Also ask if there is a member of your church who owns farmland near a major highway or highly traveled road. Would that person allow you to erect a sign for your church giving directions and possibly allowing a very brief ministry message? This kind of sign can reach many people driving by each day and encourage them to attend your worship service.

Another alternative to sharing your worship services is to offer a question and answer column or program on Christianity or religious issues of interest to your community. Q&A formats are popular and can help you address specific spiritual needs in your local ministry field.

How many new ways can you reach out beyond the walls of your Sunday worship services to touch unchurched and unsaved people?

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven" (Matthew 5:16).

Woody Murray is a church communications specialist based in Nashville

S.C. megachurch pastor withdraws support of Romney

Spartanburg, S.C. (ABP)—Don Wilton, a prominent megachurch pastor in South Carolina, has withdrawn his endorsement of Mormon presidential candidate Mitt Romney.

Wilton, pastor of First Baptist Church of Spartanburg and former president of the South Carolina Baptist Convention, said Oct. 19 he endorsed Romney. The announcement received both local and national media coverage. Four days later, Wilton released a statement saying his endorsement, which he authorized the Romney campaign to announce, was a "personal error."

"While I did give my consent to the local campaign to use my affirmation of the governor's stance on family values in my capacity as an individual citizen," Wilton said, "I made the mistake of not realizing the extent to which it would be used on a national basis."

Romney previously gained an endorsement Oct. 16 from the chancellor of Bob Jones University, a fundamentalist Christian school in Greenville, S.C.

As Calif. wildfires subside, volunteers shift their efforts

San Diego (BP)—Calmer winds have allowed firefighters to make progress in battling the Southern California wildfires that have destroyed nearly 1,600 homes, and Southern Baptist disaster relief workers have begun to shift the focus of their efforts.

"Things are getting much better," said Don Hargis, disaster relief coordinator for the California Southern Baptist Convention. "The winds are down ... and we're getting back to only the prevailing westerly winds."

Hargis said Baptist volunteers expected to prepare 10,000 meals last Thursday at the feeding kitchens set up at PETCO Park, home of the San Diego Padres.

"We closed the fixed feeding unit at Newhall (in northern Los Angeles County) and are deploying a mobile field kitchen to the San Bernardino Fairgrounds, where there's a large evacuee population," he said. "Starting Friday, that unit will be ready to serve 8,000 to 10,000 meals per day."

Units on standby

Hargis also noted that two other feeding units are on standby status in northern California in case they are needed and shower units have been deactivated because most of the evacuation centers are schools and other buildings with available shower facilities. Only about 19,000 evacuees remained in shelters as of last week.

"Now what we need are clean-up teams," Hargis said. "We're not looking for chainsaw teams. Those are not needed in fire disasters. We need light equipment like Bobcats, backhoes and front-end skid-loaders to do things like take down chimneys."

Hargis recalled during Southern California's last bout with wildfires in 2003, California Southern Baptist disaster relief crews cleaned 600 homes, and he expects they will do about the same number this time.

"We just don't go in and pick

up the ashes," he pointed out. "It's much more complicated than that. We leave what the homeowner wants to be left, and that's usually just a concrete slab. We have to collect and cut up all the home's metal and put it in dumpsters. We have to double-bag hazardous materials like asbestos."

Extent of destruction

No Southern Baptist churches were reported damaged by the fires, though thousands of homes and other properties remained threatened. The death toll stood at eight as of late last week, and President Bush arrived for aerial and ground tours of the damage, which included more than 460,000 acres burned. He reiterated that the federal government is sending recovery resources.

"It's a sad situation out there in Southern California," Bush said. "I fully understand that the people have got a lot of anguish in their hearts. They just need to know a lot of folks care about them."

Martin Davis, a graphic designer in San Diego and member of the SBC Executive Committee, told Baptist Press he witnessed firsthand the kindness of homeowners toward the firefighters who saved their homes.

Davis, whose home and business survived the fires, said he was standing with some firefighters around 9 p.m. after they had been battling blazes since 5 that morning. A man who lived in a subdivision that was spared came down to ask if the men needed anything, Davis recalled, and one firefighter said they'd like to have some coffee.

"The man went to Starbucks and got all these firemen coffee. It was just amazing," Davis said. "The residents were expressing their heartfelt thanks because right across the street were houses that were burned. It really touched the firemen, and one of them said, 'This isn't a thankless job.'"



ON THE SCENE At the San Diego Padres' PETCO Park, a tractor-trailer rig of food and supplies shows that California Southern Baptists have begun their part of disaster relief efforts amid the state's wildfires. (BP photo by Martin Davis)

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Volunteer workers stabbed in kitchen of N. Carolina church

Rocky Mount, N.C. (ABP)—Two workers for Meals on Wheels were stabbed Oct. 18 at Lakeside Baptist Church in Rocky Mount, N.C. The workers, who were not members of the church, had been preparing meals in the church's kitchen.

Debbie Kornegay, 58, who directed the Rocky Mount Meals on Wheels program, died as result of her injuries. Eve Beasley, 60, an assistant director, was hospitalized in critical condition.

According to the Rocky Mount Telegram, a homeless man, 30-year-old Tommy Lee Holiday, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with first-degree murder, attempted murder and two counts of robbery. Authorities also told the paper that the two women were helping Holiday find a shelter when he attacked them.

"Certainly this has shocked our entire community," Pastor Jody Wright said. "Why the suspect chose this place or these ladies is unclear. What remains is that two wonderful individuals who spent their time making certain that people in our community received a hot meal each day were senselessly attacked."

Wright said the church provides space for the Meals on Wheels program, which delivers hot meals to the community's elderly and disabled.

"Our prayers are offered to the families ... and to our entire community," he added. "Rocky Mount is a close community. We stand by each other."

The church, which is affiliated with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, held a community-wide prayer service the day after the attack.

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SOUNDING BOARDS Students in the Baptist Campus Ministry at Northern Kentucky University wrote out responses to student comments posted on the Love/Hate project boards. The BCM students' responses were displayed on campus and the BCM hosted a luncheon/forum where any student could speak out about the project. (Photo by Brian Combs)

Opportunity for relationships drives 'Love/Hate' campaign

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you believe on me."

When Combs and his students heard about the Love/Hate project, they "thought it would be helpful for us and would enable us to engage people in conversation," he explained.

Conversation starters

First carried out in 2006 at Louisiana Tech University, the Love/Hate project is designed to open doors for sharing the gospel. Employing a blog and public "sounding" boards, the project seeks to allow students to converse about a variety of topics and lower their defenses against conversations about Christianity.

In April, Combs received approval from NKU administrators to carry out the project anonymously on the university campus. In early September, Combs and several students from the BCM group put out the yard signs announcing the blog.

The following week, the boards went up. They generated so many comments from students that Combs and the BCM students had to flip them over after just one day to provide more writing space.

"The biggest thing that stood out to us was the pain in people's lives and the need for us to reach out to them in love," Combs said. "It also stood out that people have a lot of things they want to share and they want to be heard."

Combs retrieved the boards and took them to a BCM retreat the following weekend. About 30 BCM students reviewed students' comments at the retreat and wrote out responses on similar boards.

Combs later revealed on the blog that the BCM was behind the Love/Hate project, and the next day he placed the boards with the BCM students' responses in the plaza.

Combs and the BCM students then hosted a Love/Hate luncheon and forum, where students could share their thoughts about the project.

"We had about 100 people attend the luncheon," Combs said. "One of the professors on campus brought her entire class out to the luncheon. The students seemed to really appreciate the chance to dialogue about these topics in a serious way."

According to Combs, the effort has been successful in its goal of creating opportunities for dialogue.

"I hear stories every day from my BCM students, and from other Christian students who are connecting with non-Christians and having the opportunity to go to lunch and talk to them more," Combs said. "The Love/Hate project has opened the door to conversation with non-Christian students."

Two specific groups that have warmed to conversation, he noted, are a homosexual group called Common Ground and the Environmentally Concerned Organization of Students on campus.

"The purpose of Common Ground, according to the group's purpose statement, is to give gays, lesbians and bisexuals identity as a group, to educate people about gay and lesbian issues and to provide social support," Combs explained. "They invited one of our BCM students to come to the group and dialogue, which is one way that we have been able to engage people who would not previously listen to us."

Unlikely partnership

The BCM is also partnering with ECOS on some environmental projects. However, while the environmental group's primary concern is loving the earth by caring for the earth, Combs said the BCM is centering its approach on "loving people by caring for the earth."

Combs said he hopes the projects with ECOS promote the further development of relationships with the students in the group. He also voiced his desire that these relationships, and any relationships that form from the Love/Hate project, would lead to students sharing the gospel with other students.

"With the Love/Hate project we are intentionally loving people and seeking to build relationships with non-believers and then allowing God to work through us," Combs said.

He also reminds students that it is not enough to just build relationships but, ultimately, the gospel must be shared.

"We are not at the liberty to just build relationships, because we are commanded in the Great Commission to share the gospel and make disciples," he noted. "But you also have the text in John 13 that says they will know that we are Christians by our love. We are seeking to fulfill both of these passages with the Love/Hate project."



The 2007 Kentucky Baptist Convention will be an excellent blend of worship, business, reporting, testimony and fellowship. The following are just a few of the highlights!

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Morning Session 8:20 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Afternoon Session 1:30 - 4:40 p.m.
Evening Session 6:30 - 8:50 p.m.
Special Feature: Empowering Believers in Missions 7:25 p.m.
Sermon by Dr. Frank Page 8:05 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Morning Session Opening 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.
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"Spiritual Maturity Among Southern Baptists in Kentucky"
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3. Creative Communication—How to Reach Those Far from God

Led by Kevin Marsico, Church Planter/Pastor, NorthStar Community Church, Jjamsville, Md. This session will be a help for church planters, pastors trying to lead their churches to make a comeback, church members looking for new and effective ways to communicate the Gospel, and anyone interested in being missional in their approach to reaching lost people.

4. Creative Access Platforms for Community Missions

Led by Richard Gaines, Pastor, Consolidated Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. Gain the attention of your community and the opportunity to share Christ through creative missions and ministries. Learn how a church can be effective in reaching its community for Christ.

5. Missional Church Meets the Bluegrass

Led by Greg Faulls, Pastor, Bellevue Baptist Church, Owensboro, Ky. Learn how to transform members into missionaries in a Kentucky context.

6. Leading Your Church through Change

Led by Billy Compton, Pastor, Severns Valley Baptist Church, Elizabethtown, Ky. Learn principles and hear about lessons learned that apply to any size church going through the change process.

7. The Reality of Baptism

Led by Steve Ayers, Lead Pastor, Hillvue Heights Church, Bowling Green, Ky. Baptism is important as confession of faith in the beginning of discipleship. This seminar stresses the importance of baptism, the witness of baptism, the confirmation of baptism, and the celebration of baptism.

8. Membership Matters

Led by Chuck Lawless, Dean, Billy Graham School of Missions, Evangelism and Church Growth at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. Gain insights from effective churches on new member classes along with ways to move attenders into membership and ministry.

9. Every Child is a Winner

Led by Shane McKenzie, Director of Training, Upward Unlimited. Learn how evangelistic sports ministry can help reach children and their families for Christ. The speaker is from Upward Unlimited, a national children's sports program designed to give children and their families a positive sports experience by partnering with local churches.



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Great wealth, extreme poverty identify & divide South Africa

Cape Town, South Africa (BP)—South Africa is the wealthiest country on the continent, but that wealth is disproportionately held at the top end of the financial spectrum. The richest 6 percent of South Africans earn 40 percent of all income received, while the poorest 40 percent earn a mere 4 percent.

Consider these facts about the disparity in South Africa:

- The average white household earns six times the income of the average black household.

- Unemployment is six times higher in black communities—more than 41 percent do not have jobs.

- Fifty-seven percent of South Africans live below the poverty lev-

el, earning approximately \$120 per month; more than half earn less than \$500 a year.

- HIV/AIDS infects more than 28 percent of the country's people; nine of 10 cases affect those living in townships around the cities.

These conditions spawn substance abuse, prostitution, sexual abuse and teenage pregnancies, all of which proliferate the HIV/AIDS pandemic.

Less than five minutes away, white families with significant incomes dominate the city's wealthy side. Only about 7 percent of the residents are unemployed and fewer than 10 percent are infected by HIV/AIDS.

IMB missionary gives hope to S. African children

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pal, Nontuthuzelo Nozulwane, no longer pray to ancestors. They now believe in Jesus.

Boone said God called her to missions as a second grader, but she could not have comprehended the AIDS/HIV pandemic awaiting her in South Africa. Four years after she and her husband, Mike, arrived in Cape Town, they also now understand the harsh effects of poverty.

The Boones have developed relationships with daycares like Imizamo Yethu and Nomaxabiso. They have trained and supported pastors

in the townships. And they go into communities that do not have a church of any kind.

"We just go door to door and try to start a Bible study in a house," Boone said. They then try to nurture it into a church. That's the way it happened in Matshaya's home—now a church meets there on Thursdays.

Still, Boone admitted that the job is daunting. "It's such a massive city—massive problems," she said. "You get discouraged, definitely." But, Boone added, she just reminds herself that she must help one person at a time.



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Oneida reaches the world every day

Teachers' call to African missions took an unusual route through Kentucky

By Jonathan and Michelle Barnes, OBI teachers

This is our story of Oneida and the world. In 2002 God called us to Africa. Little did we know that our path to Africa would begin in the mountains of southeastern Kentucky.

My first mission trip outside the U.S. was in 2003. We were members of a church with a very active missions program. I was part of a team that served in Mexico. At the time, Michelle was expecting our first child, so she stayed home. The next summer, however, we both went to Mexico.

The following year we served in Haiti; we were told that it was similar to Africa. These trips with our church were wonderful, but they were not Africa.

While in Haiti we received word that we had been offered jobs at two boarding schools. One was in Morocco; the

other in Kentucky. After much prayer, we decided to move to Kentucky. When we visited Oneida, we took notice of the racial and cultural diversity of the student body. We felt that being at OBI would prepare us for international missions.

We prayed that, by working with students who were from the continent and would be returning after graduation, God was moving us in His path toward Africa.

We met with our pastor for guidance. He directed us to the Southern Baptist International Mission Board Web site that connects volunteers with opportunities to serve throughout the world. We learned that volunteers were needed to teach English as a Second Language in Rwanda. We sent an inquiry to the volunteer coordinator and were approved for the trip.

On May 28, 2007, we left on our journey half way across the world. We arrived two days later in Kigali, Rwanda, then traveled by truck to Gisenyi to work with a missionary who was starting an ESL center in her home. We taught English to several groups of students, prayerwalked two areas of town—including the Muslim neighborhoods surrounding the local mosque—visited two orphanages, and gave away supplies such as soap to a forgotten people group.

Our trip was very rewarding on many levels, mainly knowing we were doing God's will. One of our most rewarding experiences was sharing with the Rwandans that students and co-workers at OBI supported our trip. Through their gifts, we purchased Bibles for the English Center and Bible storybooks for orphans. Through this support, Oneida was reaching the world for Christ.

Each day God brings the world to OBI. On average, 12 different countries are represented in our student body each year. Michelle and I still feel the African connection here in Oneida. Just like the spiritual hunger we found in Mexico, Haiti and Rwanda, we find that hunger in our students.

We feel especially blessed to have our call to missions answered in a unique place surrounded by mountains in southeastern Kentucky. Everywhere we travel, people are amazed to know that in our little place in the world we reach the globe—through our students.

Michelle and I have found that God answers prayers, but not always in the way we imagine. God brought Africa to us and us to Africa.

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Live. Learn. Believe.

Full circle

First-year student now studies at his birthplace

We are beginning to see many children of our alumni follow God's call to study here at our campus just as their parents did years ago.

It always is exciting for us to see these God-called servants respond to the call on their lives just as their dads and moms did. I believe this speaks volumes for Clear Creek—when alumni encourage their children to consider this special place when they are seeking to be equipped for God's call on their lives.

First-year student Nick McPherson is one student who literally has come full circle as he begins his time of study at Clear Creek. "I was born on this campus in 1985," he said. "My father (John) is an alumnus from here. He is a pastor in Rogersville, Tenn. My uncle (Randy) also graduated from here. He is a pastor in Richmond and is preparing for a move into full-time evangelism." Nick's brother, Ben, also is beginning his first year at Clear Creek.

At 7, Nick came to know Jesus Christ as his personal Savior. Nick's father led him to the Lord.

"God called me to the ministry in high school," he said. "I was hard headed though and I ran to the mil-

itary where God allowed me to fail. I ran to a secular college where God allowed me to fail again. Finally, God just flat out told me that I needed to go to Clear Creek.

"I have a definite calling to foreign mission," Nick said. "I know that God has called me to do church planting somewhere in the world. I don't have a specific area in mind but the lady I plan on taking with me, my future wife, feels a calling to Spanish ministry somewhere; but I am always open to what the Lord wants."

Nick has gained practical experience to prepare him for that calling. "A group from our church recently participated in a mission trip to Canada to help a ministry there prepare for conducting a vacation Bible school in a small community," he said.

"Clear Creek was overwhelming to me when I first got here," Nick said. "But I got over that feeling; I like it now. I'm really excited to be here." Now that he has come full circle.

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CLEAR CREEK CHRONICLE

Donnie Fox

You've already paid

Churches, members invited to receive valuable services

If you contribute to a church that contributes to the Kentucky Baptist Convention through the Cooperative Program or through the restricted Kentucky only option, you have already paid for some valuable services. Since you have prepaid for these services, it is reasonable to conclude you and your church would want to receive the benefits of those services.

First, you have prepaid for estate stewardship consultation services. Laurie Valentine, our trust counsel, is available for private consultation in the areas of estate, incapacity, long-term care and charitable gift planning services.

Second, you and your church have prepaid for stewardship education seminars on a variety of subjects. Laurie Valentine and I are available to conduct these seminars for your church and for specific groups within your church. The topics range from estate planning basics to wealth transfer planning.

Third, if your church is thinking about the future, and I trust it is, it has prepaid for our church planned giving consultation service. As the demographics of your

church change so will the giving trends. Let us introduce you to our new, simple, cost-effective, proven solution to cultivating Kingdom-minded stewards in your church.

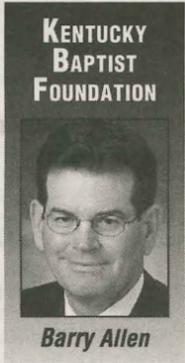
Fourth, if you are interested in simplifying and broadening the impact of your giving, or anonymous giving arrangements, we have the solutions.

Fifth, if you are interested in establishing a scholarship fund for the benefit of college students, or if your child or grandchild wants to apply for a need-based scholarship to attend a Baptist educational institution in Kentucky, we can assist.

Sixth, if your church has received a bequest or gift whereby only the income, not the principal, can be used, there is a standard of conduct prescribed by law for investing such funds. We can assist the church in the management of these funds at a below-market cost and with Christian-based ethical screening of every investment.

Don't wait! Take advantage of these prepaid services now! Call us toll-free.

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Barry Allen

The value of every kid's life

Foster parents offer children second chance to feel loved

Some parents give up when they find out their child has a chronic disease. But because God cares about all kids, Sunrise Children's Services doesn't give up on them. We find them a loving home.

Cory is an 11-year-old boy with Prader-Willi Syndrome, an uncommon genetic disorder that causes poor muscle tone, low levels of sex hormones and a constant feeling of hunger. Cory's brain isn't able to sense feelings of fullness after eating, so his diet and weight must be constantly monitored. Cory also faces mental challenges related to the disease.

Cory's parents couldn't handle it, and he could have died because of their neglect. But he didn't, largely in part to his older sister Rebecca. When she was 12, she realized she had to step in and fill her parents' role by watching over Cory and doing simple things like making sure he had something to wear to school every day.

Cory and Rebecca, now 15, were removed from their home due to their parents' neglect and were referred to Sunrise's foster care program. Although they couldn't be

placed in the same foster home, the distance between them isn't far so that they can easily visit each other.

As one might expect, the birth parents of these siblings had their parental rights terminated last year. So Rebecca's foster parents have expressed interest in adopting her. Cory's foster parents aren't feeling called to adopt yet, but they have assured him they will care for him as a family member as long as he needs them.

Please pray for the special children in Sunrise's care. Many of them, like Cory and Rebecca, lost their innocence and the freedom to be childlike because of neglect. But thanks to our foster parents, they're getting a second chance to experience what it's like to be cared for and loved. It may be hard work with a child who has Cory's challenges, but no life is less important in the eyes of our Heavenly Father. Can we see lives such as his from God's perspective?

For more information on foster parenting, visit our Web site at www.sunrise.org.

Bill Smithwick is president of Sunrise Children's Services. Contact Sunrise at (502) 538-1000 or www.sunrise.org



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Bible Crosswords

By Janet Kennedy

Across

- 1 "As the _____ for silver, and the furnace for gold" (Proverbs 27:21)
- 7 Proof of who you are, abbr.
- 9 Woman's name
- 10 "Open up and say _____"
- 12 Nickel, chem. symbol
- 13 With reference to, abbr.
- 14 "The pots also, and the shovels, and the _____" (2 Chronicles 4:16)
- 17 Consume
- 18 Mountain, abbr.
- 19 Way to cook meat
- 20 "A man that beareth false witness ... is a _____, and a sword" (Proverbs 25:18)
- 22 Task force, abbr.
- 23 "And pierce his ear with an _____" (Exodus 21:6 NIV)
- 25 "They sacrifice ... under oaks, and poplars and _____" (Hosea 4:13)
- 28 Compass point, abbr.
- 31 Father
- 32 "From _____ the face of the earth" (Genesis 7:4)
- 34 "She layeth her hands to the _____, and her hands hold the distaff" (Proverbs 31:19)
- 37 Tellurium, chem. symbol
- 39 "It were better for him that a _____ were hanged about his neck" (Luke 17:2)
- 41 A short time of sleep
- 42 Preposition
- 43 Californian city, abbr.
- 44 "For the _____ which is lent to the Lord" (1 Samuel 2:20)

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- 46 Building cooler, abbr.
- 48 "Hide them in the clay in the _____" (Jeremiah 43:9)
- 52 "Gideon threshed wheat by the _____" (Judges 6:11)
- 53 New, prefix

Down

- 1 "The basins, and the _____, and the bowls, and the caldrons" (Jeremiah 52:19)
- 2 A thought
- 3 Northern continent, abbr.
- 4 Nothing
- 5 "Shouldest bray a fool in a mortar among wheat with a _____" (Proverbs 27:22)
- 6 Asian goat
- 7 Draws with a black liquid
- 8 "Her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the _____" (Proverbs 31:19)
- 11 Makes an owl's cry
- 15 A large Australian bird resembling an ostrich
- 16 Simpleton
- 21 "Fear not, ... arise, go up to _____" (Joshua 8:1)
- 24 "Jesus _____" (John 11:35)
- 26 Long playing phonograph record, abbr.
- 27 "Yet they had a file for the _____, and for the coulters" (1 Samuel 13:21)
- 29 To remove men from a ship
- 30 Building wing
- 33 "Come near, ... that I may _____ thee, my son, whether thou be ... Esau" (Genesis 27:21)
- 35 "Let him _____ his foot in oil" (Deuteronomy 33:24)
- 36 "Samuel ... arose and went to _____, and said, Here am I!" (1 Samuel 3:8)
- 38 A very long period of time
- 40 "The sluggard will not _____ by reason of the cold" (Proverbs 20:4)
- 41 "He went into a city called _____" (Luke 7:11)
- 45 Make a mistake
- 46 American Cancer Society, abbr.
- 47 Noise
- 48 The temperature at which a liquid boils, abbr.
- 49 That is, Lat. abbr.
- 50 Article, Fr.
- 51 "_____ man can serve two masters" (Matthew 6:24)

Last week's solution

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Top 100 churches in total gifts to KBC

This report lists the top 100 congregations in total contributions to the Kentucky Baptist Convention for the fiscal year ended Aug. 31, 2007. The total dollar amount includes contributions channeled through the KBC to the Cooperative Program and restricted gifts to the KBC budget, as well as gifts to the Eliza Broadus Offering, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, Annie Armstrong Easter Offering, children's home offering, hospital offering, KBC schools, hunger relief and other designated causes. Each entry includes the rank, church name and city, pastor's name, total membership, total dollars given and per capita amount.

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| <p>1 Living Hope, Bowling Green, Jason Pettus, 2,475, \$477,158.09, \$192.79</p> <p>2 Immanuel, Lexington, Craig A. Loscalzo, 4,197, \$447,659.73, \$106.66</p> <p>3 Owensboro First, Paul Strahan, 2,977, \$398,170.75, \$133.75</p> <p>4 Porter Memorial, Lexington, William Henard, 5,158, \$358,902.23, \$69.58</p> <p>5 Lone Oak First, Paducah, Dan Summerlin, 2,804, \$323,519.42, \$115.38</p> <p>6 Severns Valley, Elizabethtown, George W. Compton Jr., 3,703, \$300,643.41, \$81.19</p> <p>7 Eastwood, Bowling Green, Thomas Raymond James, 1,407, \$278,618.98, \$198.02</p> <p>8 Henderson First, Todd A. Linn, 2,178, \$274,370.12, \$125.97</p> <p>9 Paducah First, Todd Brady, 3,673, \$237,878.53, \$64.76</p> <p>10 Campbellsville, Skip Alexander, 1,884, \$228,160.94, \$121.10</p> <p>11 Central, Corbin, Darren Gaddis, 2,205, \$219,452.95, \$99.53</p> <p>12 Central, Winchester, Art Beasley, 2,269, \$209,061.02, \$92.14</p> <p>13 Somerset First, 1,408, \$190,788.61, \$135.50</p> <p>14 Richmond First, Bill C. Fort, 2,403, \$187,088.28, \$77.86</p> <p>15 Lawrenceburg First, Robert Ehr, 1,330, \$171,307.69, \$128.80</p> <p>16 Rich Pond, Bowling Green, Steven R. Hussung, 1,204, \$171,168.72, \$142.17</p> <p>17 Southside, Princeton, Delton Beall, 1,203, \$164,844.62, \$137.03</p> <p>18 Westport Road, Louisville, Chip Lee Pendleton, 1,224, \$163,791.16, \$133.82</p> <p>19 Russell First, Kenneth Gowin, 1,051, \$158,867.53, \$151.16</p> <p>20 Bellevue, Owensboro, Gregory Fauls, 2,008, \$158,825.21, \$79.10</p> <p>21 Florence, Timothy I. Alexander, 2,505, \$150,978.23, \$60.27</p> <p>22 Shively, Louisville, Bruce E. Truman, 2,579, \$150,314.36, \$58.28</p> <p>23 Hillcrest, Hopkinsville, Gregory A. Giltner, 1,876, \$150,294.01, \$80.11</p> <p>24 Beacon Hill, Somerset, John Mark Toby, 1,215, \$143,750.52, \$118.31</p> <p>25 Hopkinsville Second, Larry Purcell, 1,386, \$138,345.27, \$99.82</p> | <p>26 Buck Run, Frankfort, Hershael W. York, 1,161, \$137,667.07, \$118.58</p> <p>27 Crestwood, 2,702, \$136,112.51, \$50.37</p> <p>28 Pikeville First, Paul R. Badgett, 1,732, \$135,150.32, \$78.03</p> <p>29 Mount Washington First, Paul Harrison Chitwood, 2,259, \$132,359.63, \$58.59</p> <p>30 Central City First, Robert K. Lowery, 1,347, \$131,496.39, \$97.62</p> <p>31 Hopkinsville First, Rodney Travis, 1,650, \$130,754.90, \$79.25</p> <p>32 Briensburg, Benton, C. Charles Brasher Jr., 643, \$127,532.89, \$198.34</p> <p>33 Greenville Second, H. Ray England, 1,217, \$125,854.43, \$103.41</p> <p>34 Sand Spring, Lawrenceburg, Michael R. Hamrick, 1,114, \$125,820.09, \$112.94</p> <p>35 Pleasant Hill, Somerset, Marty Shadoan, 602, \$120,516.94, \$200.19</p> <p>36 Calvary, Lexington, Robert Gayle Baker, 2,077, \$119,874.51, \$57.72</p> <p>37 LaGrange, Anthony Lee Rose, 1,659, \$113,601.91, \$68.48</p> <p>38 Ninth and O, Louisville, Bill Cook, 2,874, \$113,424.00, \$39.47</p> <p>39 Rose Hill, Ashland, Ronnie Mayes, 1,887, \$112,376.80, \$59.55</p> <p>40 Beaver Dam, 1,325, \$110,269.05, \$83.22</p> <p>41 Corinth, London, James L. Blaylock, 1,342, \$110,054.98, \$82.01</p> <p>42 Barbourville First, Shane Nickell, 1,017, \$108,508.89, \$106.70</p> <p>43 Unity, Ashland, Floyd A. Paris, 1,885, \$107,561.25, \$57.06</p> <p>44 Broadway, Lexington, Shannon Back, 840, \$106,966.82, \$127.34</p> <p>45 Hardin, Ricky Wayne Cunningham, 1,500, \$106,538.18, \$71.03</p> <p>46 Princeton First, Thomas Martin Hughes, 1,293, \$105,495.83, \$81.59</p> <p>47 Murray First, Wendell W. Ray, 1,692, \$99,171.62, \$58.61</p> <p>48 Mayfield First, Bob J. Swift, 1,535, \$98,511.56, \$64.18</p> <p>49 St Matthews, Louisville, D. Leslie Hollon, 3,038, \$97,656.24, \$32.14</p> <p>50 Yellow Creek, Owensboro, James William Wedding, 1,573, \$97,491.11, \$61.98</p> | <p>51 Mexico, Marion, Timothy A. Burdon, 380, \$96,576.41, \$254.15</p> <p>52 Hurstbourne, Louisville, Michael O'Neal, 1,071, \$95,547.18, \$89.21</p> <p>53 Bowling Green First, Mark Edward Hopper, 1,624, \$94,986.37, \$58.49</p> <p>54 Hillvue Heights, Bowling Green, Stephen Lee Ayers, 6,493, \$94,668.00, \$14.58</p> <p>55 Bruners Chapel, Harrodsburg, David Crowe, 611, \$92,940.19, \$152.11</p> <p>56 Madisonville First, Joe Leonard, 2,489, \$92,451.79, \$37.14</p> <p>57 Shelbyville First, Edward H. Erwin, 1,315, \$92,404.38, \$70.27</p> <p>58 Northside, Elizabethtown, 667, \$88,980.25, \$133.40</p> <p>59 Versailles, John F. Brandon, 1,373, \$88,446.55, \$64.42</p> <p>60 Cedar Creek, Louisville, 842, \$88,216.72, \$104.77</p> <p>61 Highview, Louisville, Kevin Ezell, 6,325, \$87,230.52, \$13.79</p> <p>62 Lancaster, Zach Terry, 1,229, \$83,872.87, \$68.24</p> <p>63 Walnut Street, Louisville, James Ellison Jr., 5,819, \$82,208.81, \$14.13</p> <p>64 Owenton First, Daven Keith Watkins, 802, \$80,374.42, \$100.22</p> <p>65 Edgewood, Hopkinsville, Nicholas W. Sandefur, 1,121, \$79,854.26, \$71.23</p> <p>66 Mount Vernon First, William Edward Nation, 1,025, \$79,781.04, \$77.84</p> <p>67 Calhoun, Richard Sams, 632, \$77,953.95, \$123.34</p> <p>68 Eddyville First, Timothy E. Perdue, 679, \$77,649.67, \$114.36</p> <p>69 Burlington, 1,277, \$76,900.82, \$60.22</p> <p>70 Valley Creek, Elizabethtown, James Scott Kerr, 1,277, \$76,247.65, \$59.71</p> <p>71 Christ, Cold Spring, Randy Coleman, 449, \$75,296.20, \$167.70</p> <p>72 Cadiz, Kevin Roberts, 943, \$74,409.36, \$78.91</p> <p>73 Reidland, Paducah, Lawrence T. Lewis, 890, \$73,836.95, \$82.96</p> <p>74 Kings, Mount Washington, Corey Abney, 992, \$72,566.28, \$73.15</p> <p>75 Parkland, Louisville, Thomas T. Curry, 2,010, \$72,388.58, \$36.01</p> | <p>76 Glasgow, Bill Whittaker, 1,978, \$71,855.53, \$36.33</p> <p>77 East Bernstadt First, David Hawkins, 650, \$71,643.24, \$110.22</p> <p>78 Russellville Second, Ronald G. Wells, 920, \$71,276.20, \$77.47</p> <p>79 Twelve Oaks, Paducah, Louis W. Brinker, 602, \$70,846.46, \$117.69</p> <p>80 Highland, Shelbyville, Gary L. Elcessor, 850, \$70,302.10, \$82.71</p> <p>81 Elkton, Jerry Lee Tracy, 839, \$69,743.66, \$83.13</p> <p>82 Hardinsburg, Doug Miller, 450, \$69,663.52, \$154.81</p> <p>83 High Street, Somerset, 855, \$69,503.90, \$81.29</p> <p>84 Graefenburg, Waddy, Sanford K. Hill, 664, \$69,223.61, \$104.25</p> <p>85 Fairview, Ashland, Michael D. Rice, 990, \$69,106.39, \$69.80</p> <p>86 Cynthiana, Wayne Spivey, 1,090, \$68,608.37, \$62.94</p> <p>87 Paintsville First, Donnie B. Patrick, 550, \$68,515.69, \$124.57</p> <p>88 Russellville First, George O. Crabtree Jr., 990, \$67,559.94, \$68.24</p> <p>89 Pleasant Hill, Campbellsville, James E. Jones, 570, \$66,180.72, \$116.11</p> <p>90 Lewisport, 1,031, \$65,827.94, \$63.85</p> <p>91 Westside, Murray, Glynn M. Orr, 979, \$65,707.29, \$67.12</p> <p>92 London First, Terry T. Lester, 1,686, \$65,612.65, \$38.92</p> <p>93 Calvary, Glasgow, Randy Shaw, 954, \$64,978.64, \$68.11</p> <p>94 New Harmony, Benton, Thomas N. Woodruff, 588, \$63,716.08, \$108.36</p> <p>95 Forks of Elkhorn, Midway, Todd K. Lester, 1,309, \$63,682.51, \$48.65</p> <p>96 Pleasant View, Waynesburg, Aaron Hogue, 1,248, \$62,774.88, \$50.30</p> <p>97 Crestwood, Frankfort, James Wallace Kent, 1,165, \$62,770.83, \$53.88</p> <p>98 Monticello First, David Coy Webb, 556, \$62,412.85, \$112.25</p> <p>99 Hickory Grove, Independence, Will Langford, 2,329, \$61,889.46, \$26.57</p> <p>100 Immanuel, Elizabethtown, Charles M. Darland III, 736, \$61,811.66, \$83.98</p> |
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Top 100 churches in Cooperative Program gifts

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| <p>1 Living Hope, Bowling Green, Jason Pettus, 2,475, \$417,356.09, \$168.63</p> <p>2 Immanuel, Lexington, Craig A. Loscalzo, 4,197, \$332,671.38, \$79.26</p> <p>3 Porter Memorial, Lexington, William Henard, 5,158, \$303,435.36, \$58.83</p> <p>4 Owensboro First, Paul Strahan, 2,977, \$291,435.29, \$97.90</p> <p>5 Lone Oak First, Paducah, Dan Summerlin, 2,804, \$256,188.41, \$91.37</p> <p>6 Henderson First, Todd A. Linn, 2,178, \$236,450.99, \$108.56</p> <p>7 Severns Valley, Elizabethtown, George W. Compton Jr., 3,703, \$230,922.26, \$62.36</p> <p>8 Eastwood, Bowling Green, Thomas Raymond James, 1,407, \$186,903.11, \$132.84</p> <p>9 Central, Corbin, Darren Gaddis, 2,205, \$182,389.36, \$82.72</p> <p>10 Campbellsville, Skip Alexander, 1,884, \$161,937.88, \$85.95</p> <p>11 Paducah First, Todd Brady, 3,673, \$159,498.55, \$43.42</p> <p>12 Richmond First, Bill C. Fort, 2,403, \$149,822.26, \$62.35</p> <p>13 Southside, Princeton, Delton Beall, 1,203, \$149,101.15, \$123.94</p> <p>14 Somerset First, 1,408, \$146,954.27, \$104.37</p> <p>15 Lawrenceburg First, Robert Ehr, 1,330, \$146,505.93, \$110.15</p> <p>16 Russell First, Kenneth Gowin, 1,051, \$137,587.44, \$130.91</p> <p>17 Bellevue, Owensboro, Gregory Fauls, 2,008, \$133,416.67, \$66.44</p> <p>18 Rich Pond, Bowling Green, Steven R. Hussung, 1,204, \$133,099.98, \$110.55</p> <p>19 Hillcrest, Hopkinsville, Gregory A. Giltner, 1,876, \$132,637.01, \$70.70</p> <p>20 Westport Road, Louisville, Chip Lee Pendleton, 1,224, \$132,360.91, \$108.14</p> <p>21 Central, Winchester, Art Beasley, 2,269, \$131,705.11, \$58.05</p> <p>22 Central City First, Robert K. Lowery, 1,347, \$116,494.68, \$86.48</p> <p>23 Hopkinsville Second, Larry Purcell, 1,386, \$114,080.71, \$82.31</p> <p>24 Shively, Louisville, Bruce E. Truman, 2,579, \$113,146.66, \$43.87</p> <p>25 Buck Run, Frankfort, Hershael W. York, 1,161, \$108,059.07, \$93.07</p> | <p>26 Briensburg, Benton, C. Charles Brasher Jr., 643, \$106,920.58, \$166.28</p> <p>27 Sand Spring, Lawrenceburg, Michael R. Hamrick, 1,114, \$106,867.11, \$95.93</p> <p>28 Pleasant Hill, Somerset, Marty Shadoan, 602, \$103,384.48, \$171.74</p> <p>29 Crestwood, 2,702, \$98,150.95, \$36.33</p> <p>30 Beaver Dam, 1,325, \$96,414.13, \$72.77</p> <p>31 Barbourville First, Shane Nickell, 1,017, \$95,147.32, \$93.56</p> <p>32 Hillvue Heights, Bowling Green, Stephen Lee Ayers, 6,493, \$94,668.00, \$14.58</p> <p>33 Murray First, Wendell W. Ray, 1,692, \$94,080.00, \$55.60</p> <p>34 Mount Washington First, Paul Harrison Chitwood, 2,259, \$93,606.68, \$41.44</p> <p>35 Hardin, Ricky Wayne Cunningham, 1,500, \$93,317.47, \$62.21</p> <p>36 Beacon Hill, Somerset, John Mark Toby, 1,215, \$89,924.92, \$74.01</p> <p>37 Pikeville First, Paul R. Badgett, 1,732, \$86,382.32, \$49.87</p> <p>38 Hopkinsville First, Rodney Travis, 1,650, \$86,071.18, \$52.16</p> <p>39 Yellow Creek, Owensboro, James William Wedding, 1,573, \$82,882.16, \$52.69</p> <p>40 Mexico, Marion, Timothy A. Burdon, 380, \$81,898.17, \$215.52</p> <p>41 LaGrange, Anthony Lee Rose, 1,659, \$80,298.04, \$48.40</p> <p>42 Princeton First, Thomas Martin Hughes, 1,293, \$80,208.26, \$62.03</p> <p>43 Rose Hill, Ashland, Ronnie Mayes, 1,887, \$79,874.96, \$42.33</p> <p>44 Broadway, Lexington, Shannon Back, 840, \$79,773.80, \$94.97</p> <p>45 Lancaster, Zach Terry, 1,229, \$75,948.30, \$61.80</p> <p>46 Bruners Chapel, Harrodsburg, David Crowe, 611, \$74,897.96, \$122.58</p> <p>47 Versailles, John F. Brandon, 1,373, \$72,718.16, \$52.96</p> <p>48 Ninth and O, Louisville, Bill Cook, 2,874, \$70,715.94, \$24.61</p> <p>49 Owenton First, Daven Keith Watkins, 802, \$70,216.22, \$87.55</p> <p>50 Greenville Second, H. Ray England, 1,217, \$69,488.52, \$57.10</p> <p>51 Hurstbourne, Louisville, Michael O'Neal, 1,071, \$69,296.36, \$64.70</p> | <p>52 Corinth, London, James L. Blaylock, 1,342, \$68,979.94, \$51.40</p> <p>53 Kings, Mount Washington, Corey Abney, 992, \$68,528.48, \$69.08</p> <p>54 Eddyville First, Timothy E. Perdue, 679, \$67,966.97, \$100.10</p> <p>55 Shelbyville First, Edward H. Erwin, 1,315, \$65,969.26, \$50.17</p> <p>56 Mount Vernon First, William Edward Nation, 1,025, \$65,483.84, \$63.89</p> <p>57 Valley Creek, Elizabethtown, James Scott Kerr, 1,277, \$64,444.20, \$50.47</p> <p>58 Burlington, 1,277, \$63,415.73, \$49.66</p> <p>59 Unity, Ashland, Floyd A. Paris, 1,885, \$61,913.66, \$32.85</p> <p>60 Cedar Creek, Louisville, 842, \$61,869.90, \$73.48</p> <p>61 Pleasant Hill, Campbellsville, James E. Jones, 570, \$59,072.47, \$103.64</p> <p>62 Edgewood, Hopkinsville, Nicholas W. Sandefur, 1,121, \$59,049.40, \$52.68</p> <p>63 Hardinsburg, Doug Miller, 450, \$58,362.04, \$129.69</p> <p>64 Reidland, Paducah, Lawrence T. Lewis, 890, \$57,523.00, \$64.63</p> <p>65 Cadiz, Kevin Roberts, 943, \$57,273.69, \$60.74</p> <p>66 Russellville Second, Ronald G. Wells, 920, \$56,976.39, \$61.93</p> <p>67 Hickory Grove, Independence, Will Langford, 2,329, \$56,801.46, \$24.39</p> <p>68 Christ, Cold Spring, Randy Coleman, 449, \$56,791.11, \$126.48</p> <p>69 High Street, Somerset, 855, \$56,643.06, \$66.25</p> <p>70 Glasgow, Bill Whittaker, 1,978, \$56,372.53, \$28.50</p> <p>71 Highland, Shelbyville, Gary L. Elcessor, 850, \$56,239.25, \$66.16</p> <p>72 Sharpe Missionary, Benton, Jeremy Short, 611, \$55,963.11, \$91.59</p> <p>73 Calhoun, Richard Sams, 632, \$55,382.29, \$87.63</p> <p>74 Northside, Elizabethtown, 667, \$54,577.85, \$81.83</p> <p>75 East Bernstadt First, David Hawkins, 650, \$54,000.54, \$83.08</p> <p>76 Crestwood, Frankfort, James Wallace Kent, 1,165, \$53,696.02, \$46.09</p> <p>77 Westside, Murray, Glynn M. Orr, 979, \$53,209.99, \$54.35</p> <p>78 Walnut Street, Louisville, James Ellison Jr., 5,819, \$52,851.34, \$9.08</p> | <p>79 Immanuel, Elizabethtown, Charles M. Darland III, 736, \$52,845.19, \$71.80</p> <p>80 Cynthiana, Wayne Spivey, 1,090, \$52,593.87, \$48.25</p> <p>81 New Harmony, Benton, Thomas N. Woodruff, 588, \$51,182.37, \$87.04</p> <p>82 Pleasant Grove, Owensboro, Kenneth A. Stone, 753, \$50,646.86, \$67.26</p> <p>83 Corinth, McQuady, Andrew Rupard, 450, \$50,497.00, \$112.22</p> <p>84 Russellville First, George O. Crabtree Jr., 990, \$50,188.21, \$50.70</p> <p>85 Hopewell, Corbin, Herschel S. Walker, 562, \$49,700.00, \$88.43</p> <p>86 Red House, Richmond, James Tanner, 1,434, \$47,911.76, \$33.41</p> <p>87 Franklin Crossroads, Cecilia, Ronald Robert Davis, 949, \$47,700.79, \$50.26</p> <p>88 Simpsonville, Stephen D. Boyd, 847, \$47,643.73, \$56.25</p> <p>89 Northside, Princeton, Jeffrey Lynn French, 1,151, \$47,623.16, \$41.38</p> <p>90 Elkton, Jerry Lee Tracy, 839, \$47,405.00, \$56.50</p> <p>91 Morganfield First, 828, \$47,293.06, \$57.12</p> <p>92 Mayfield First, Bob J. Swift, 1,535, \$46,666.64, \$30.40</p> <p>93 Oak Ridge, Covington, Randy H. Wallace, 766, \$46,414.42, \$60.59</p> <p>94 London First, Terry T. Lester, 1,686, \$46,182.03, \$27.39</p> <p>95 Cold Spring First, Ronny D. Raines, 1,420, \$46,117.28, \$32.48</p> <p>96 Lowell Avenue, Campbellsville, David Walters, 584, \$46,090.20, \$78.92</p> <p>97 Forks of Elkhorn, Midway, Todd K. Lester, 1,309, \$46,049.85, \$35.18</p> <p>98 Parkland, Louisville, Thomas T. Curry, 2,010, \$45,912.94, \$22.84</p> <p>99 Graefenburg, Waddy, Sanford K. Hill, 664, \$44,992.15, \$67.76</p> <p>100 Madisonville First, Joe Leonard, 2,489, \$44,392.00, \$17.84</p> |
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- 1 **Indian Creek**, Cynthiana, Tom Moore, 4, \$2,700.00, \$675.00
- 2 **Lighthouse Fellowship**, Louisville, Dallas Kratzer, 10, \$3,081.71, \$308.17
- 3 **Master's**, Lexington, Thomas Alexander Kinchen, 146, \$42,026.81, \$287.85
- 4 **Living Hope**, Louisville, Jack C. Naylor, 197, \$52,170.71, \$264.83
- 5 **Monticello**, Provo, Randall D. Burns, 195, \$49,733.15, \$255.04
- 6 **Mexico**, Marion, Timothy A. Burdon, 380, \$96,576.41, \$254.15
- 7 **Salem**, Campbellsville, Michael Edward Goodwin, 101, \$24,969.24, \$247.22
- 8 **Countryside**, Morganfield, Tom Shaver, 40, \$9,374.54, \$234.36
- 9 **North Livingston**, Hampton, 100, \$22,679.37, \$226.79
- 10 **Wallonia**, Cadiz, Bill Bursztyński, 161, \$36,343.15, \$225.73
- 11 **Moscow**, Bardwell, Joe B. Bagwell, 30, \$6,233.35, \$207.78
- 12 **Mount Gilead**, Allensville, Joshua Tharpe, 22, \$4,494.96, \$204.32
- 13 **Riverview**, Catlettsburg, Charles Shelby Bush, 10, \$2,011.87, \$201.19
- 14 **Pleasant Hill**, Somerset, Marty Shadoan, 602, \$120,516.94, \$200.19
- 15 **Briensburg**, Benton, C. Charles Brasher Jr., 643, \$127,532.89, \$198.34
- 16 **Eastwood**, Bowling Green, Thomas Raymond James, 1,407, \$278,618.98, \$198.02
- 17 **Heritage**, Winchester, Gerald Peeples, 86, \$16,972.22, \$197.35
- 18 **Mount Zion**, Kuttawa, Ted A. Yates, 102, \$20,091.06, \$196.97
- 19 **Living Hope**, Bowling Green, Jason Pettus, 2,475, \$477,158.09, \$192.79
- 20 **Blue River Island**, Battletown, Johannesburg Boulware, 51, \$9,697.28, \$190.14
- 21 **Woodland**, Greenville, Thomas R. Webb, 175, \$32,244.86, \$184.26
- 22 **Good Hope**, Campbellsville, J. Alvin Hardy, 222, \$39,452.34, \$177.71
- 23 **Salem**, Mark Combs, 357, \$61,660.89, \$172.72
- 24 **Gracey West Union**, Bradley Cornelius, 179, \$30,637.24, \$171.16
- 25 **Bethabara**, Philpot, Herschel D. Morgan, 218, \$37,127.04, \$170.31
- 26 **Parkland Hills**, Fisherville, John Sanders, 40, \$6,754.30, \$168.86
- 27 **Clay First**, Jeff S. McMains, 265, \$44,646.45, \$168.48
- 28 **Chestnut Grove**, Lewisport, Brad Asbury, 116, \$19,457.58, \$167.74
- 29 **Christ**, Cold Spring, Randy Coleman, 449, \$75,296.20, \$167.70
- 30 **Oak Forest**, Smiths Grove, Rick DeVoe, 80, \$13,386.29, \$167.33
- 31 **Westport**, DeWayne Sowell, 276, \$43,924.47, \$159.15
- 32 **Hardinsburg**, Doug Miller, 450, \$69,663.52, \$154.81
- 33 **Lakewood**, Louisville, Scott Christian Hughes, 276, \$42,535.94, \$154.12
- 34 **Beaver**, Georgetown, R. Dean Moore, 36, \$5,494.83, \$153.16
- 35 **Bruners Chapel**, Harrodsburg, David Crowe, 611, \$92,940.19, \$152.11
- 36 **Russell First**, Kenneth Gowin, 1,051, \$158,867.53, \$151.16
- 37 **Friendship**, Campbellsville, William S. Henderson, 172, \$25,231.40, \$146.69
- 38 **Rich Pond**, Bowling Green, Steven R. Hussung, 1,204, \$171,168.72, \$142.17
- 39 **Kuttawa First**, Carl B. Nelson, 412, \$58,436.58, \$141.84
- 40 **Mount Tabor**, Glasgow, Gene Gearlds, 52, \$7,316.50, \$140.70
- 41 **Trenton**, Dean Anderson, 360, \$50,449.47, \$140.14
- 42 **Mount Vernon**, Jamestown, Tom Nunley, 48, \$6,606.37, \$137.63
- 43 **Southside**, Princeton, Delton Beall, 1,203, \$164,844.62, \$137.03
- 44 **Somerset First**, 1,408, \$190,788.61, \$135.50
- 45 **Lakeside**, Nancy, David King, 42, \$5,665.26, \$134.89
- 46 **Westport Road**, Louisville, Chip Lee Pendleton, 1,224, \$163,791.16, \$133.82
- 47 **Owensboro First**, Paul Strahan, 2,977, \$398,170.75, \$133.75
- 48 **Northside**, Elizabethtown, 667, \$88,980.25, \$133.40
- 49 **Owens Chapel**, Benton, James William Stom, 86, \$11,210.00, \$130.35
- 50 **Lusbys Mill**, Owenton, Paul Briscoe, 81, \$10,527.38, \$129.97
- 51 **Lawrenceburg First**, Robert Ehr, 1,330, \$171,307.69, \$128.80
- 52 **Broadway**, Lexington, Shannon Back, 840, \$106,966.82, \$127.34
- 53 **Berean**, Elizabethtown, James Reed Webster, 110, \$13,884.25, \$126.22
- 54 **Henderson First**, Todd A. Linn, 2,178, \$274,370.12, \$125.97
- 55 **Meadow Hill**, Louisville, Ron Lasley, 104, \$12,990.10, \$124.90
- 56 **Paintsville First**, Donnie B. Patrick, 550, \$68,515.69, \$124.57
- 57 **Calhoun**, Richard Sams, 632, \$77,953.95, \$123.34
- 58 **Hurricane**, Cadiz, Michael Wade Wimberly, 254, \$31,306.63, \$123.25
- 59 **Elizabethtown**, Danny Haynes, 229, \$28,214.60, \$123.21
- 60 **Corinth**, McQuady, Andrew Rupard, 450, \$54,804.00, \$121.79
- 61 **Emmanuel**, Shelbyville, David Roach, 47, \$5,719.18, \$121.68
- 62 **Campbellsville**, Skip Alexander, 1,884, \$228,160.94, \$121.10
- 63 **Anchor**, Lexington, Paul B. Sisk, 390, \$47,226.95, \$121.09
- 64 **Main Street**, Alexandria, Robert Franklin, 448, \$53,473.96, \$119.36
- 65 **New Bethel**, Eddyville, John R. Baker, 76, \$9,039.18, \$118.94
- 66 **Wildwood**, Ashland, Jim Nichols, 429, \$51,023.46, \$118.94
- 67 **Fairview**, Russell Springs, Rick Mann, 264, \$31,356.42, \$118.77
- 68 **Cedar Bluff**, Princeton, Mark Faughn, 167, \$19,820.11, \$118.68
- 69 **West Providence**, Beaver Dam, Barry Black, 32, \$3,797.60, \$118.68
- 70 **Buck Run**, Frankfort, Hershael W. York, 1,161, \$137,667.07, \$118.58
- 71 **Beacon Hill**, Somerset, John Mark Toby, 1,215, \$143,750.52, \$118.31
- 72 **Emmanuel**, Jenkins, Tony Carson, 140, \$16,518.59, \$117.99
- 73 **Arlington First**, Nicholas Robertson, 286, \$33,682.21, \$117.77
- 74 **Twelve Oaks**, Paducah, Louis W. Brinker, 602, \$70,846.46, \$117.69
- 75 **Sugar Grove**, Utica, Allen L. Shouse, 246, \$28,618.79, \$116.34
- 76 **Pleasant Hill**, Campbellsville, James E. Jones, 570, \$66,180.72, \$116.11
- 77 **Clinton First**, 338, \$39,007.69, \$115.41
- 78 **Lone Oak First**, Paducah, Dan Summerlin, 2,804, \$323,519.42, \$115.38
- 79 **Woodland**, Louisville, 433, \$49,872.30, \$115.18
- 80 **Sharpsburg**, Roger Jasper, 5, \$575.00, \$115.00
- 81 **Seaton Park**, Louisville, Wayne T. Eads, 29, \$3,321.78, \$114.54
- 82 **Eddyville First**, Timothy E. Perdue, 679, \$77,649.67, \$114.36
- 83 **Third Avenue**, Louisville, 112, \$12,743.06, \$113.78
- 84 **Sand Spring**, Lawrenceburg, Michael R. Hamrick, 1,114, \$125,820.09, \$112.94
- 85 **Northside**, Almo, Brett A. Miles, 307, \$34,520.00, \$112.44
- 86 **Forest Grove**, Adairville, Mike Gluff, 91, \$10,218.92, \$112.30
- 87 **Monticello First**, David Coy Webb, 556, \$62,412.85, \$112.25
- 88 **Mission Vision**, Whitesville, Pete Taylor, 6, \$672.00, \$112.00
- 89 **Hanson First**, John Thomas Branson, 250, \$27,981.81, \$111.93
- 90 **Walnut Grove**, Fredonia, Jason Poe, 336, \$37,428.34, \$111.39
- 91 **Immanuel**, Glasgow, Anthony Cecil, 450, \$49,896.17, \$110.88
- 92 **East Bernstadt First**, David Hawkins, 650, \$71,643.24, \$110.22
- 93 **Pleasant Valley Community**, Owensboro, Jamus Edwards, 80, \$8,746.81, \$109.34
- 94 **Pleasant Green**, Cynthiana, Josh Hildebrand, 116, \$12,645.81, \$109.02
- 95 **Sinking Fork**, Hopkinsville, John Segree, 400, \$43,585.81, \$108.96
- 96 **Big Creek**, Hazard, Daryl W. Jessie, 121, \$13,122.48, \$108.45
- 97 **New Harmony**, Benton, Thomas N. Woodruff, 588, \$63,716.08, \$108.36
- 98 **Corn Creek**, Milton, Aaron O'Kelly, 70, \$7,532.01, \$107.60
- 99 **Mount Pisgah**, Bremen, Glenn D. Armstrong, 454, \$48,844.92, \$107.59
- 100 **Frenchburg**, Jeff Deel, 120, \$12,894.44, \$107.45

This report lists the top 100 congregations in per capita contributions to the Kentucky Baptist Convention for the fiscal year ended Aug. 31, 2007. The total dollar amount includes contributions channeled through the KBC to the Cooperative Program and restricted gifts to the KBC budget, as well as gifts to the Eliza Broadus Offering, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, Annie Armstrong Easter Offering, children's home offering, hospital offering, KBC schools, hunger relief and other designated causes. Each entry includes the per-capita rank, church name and city, pastor's name, total membership, total dollars given and per capita amount.

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- 1 **Mexico**, Marion, Timothy A. Burdon, 380, \$81,898.17, \$215.52
- 2 **Lighthouse Fellowship**, Louisville, Dallas Kratzer, 10, \$2,128.87, \$212.89
- 3 **Riverview**, Catlettsburg, Charles Shelby Bush, 10, \$2,011.87, \$201.19
- 4 **Countryside**, Morganfield, Tom Shaver, 40, \$7,798.82, \$194.97
- 5 **Blue River Island**, Battletown, Johannesburg Boulware, 51, \$9,697.28, \$190.14
- 6 **Salem**, Campbellsville, Michael Edward Goodwin, 101, \$18,583.28, \$183.99
- 7 **Pleasant Hill**, Somerset, Marty Shadoan, 602, \$103,384.48, \$171.74
- 8 **Living Hope**, Bowling Green, Jason Pettus, 2,475, \$417,356.09, \$168.63
- 9 **Briensburg**, Benton, C. Charles Brasher Jr., 643, \$106,920.58, \$166.28
- 10 **Master's**, Lexington, Thomas Alexander Kinchen, 146, \$24,054.81, \$164.76
- 11 **Living Hope**, Louisville, Jack C. Naylor, 197, \$31,151.17, \$158.13
- 12 **Bethabara**, Philpot, Herschel D. Morgan, 218, \$33,111.45, \$151.89
- 13 **Clay First**, Jeff S. McMains, 265, \$39,956.41, \$150.78
- 14 **Indian Creek**, Cynthiana, Tom Moore, 4, \$600.00, \$150.00
- 15 **North Livingston**, Hampton, 100, \$14,791.37, \$147.91
- 16 **Gracey West Union**, Bradley Cornelius, 179, \$24,637.24, \$137.64
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- 18 **Mount Zion**, Kuttawa, Ted A. Yates, 102, \$13,593.06, \$133.27
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- 26 **Bruners Chapel**, Harrodsburg, David Crowe, 611, \$74,897.96, \$122.58
- 27 **Meadow Hill**, Louisville, Ron Lasley, 104, \$12,451.39, \$119.72
- 28 **Owens Chapel**, Benton, James William Stom, 86, \$10,010.00, \$116.40
- 29 **Mount Gilead**, Allensville, Joshua Tharpe, 22, \$2,523.96, \$114.73
- 30 **Mount Vernon**, Jamestown, Tom Nunley, 48, \$5,461.17, \$113.77
- 31 **Heritage**, Winchester, Gerald Peeples, 86, \$9,729.64, \$113.14
- 32 **Corinth**, McQuady, Andrew Rupard, 450, \$50,497.00, \$112.22
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- 35 **Chestnut Grove**, Lewisport, Brad Asbury, 116, \$12,723.36, \$109.68
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- 37 **Henderson First**, Todd A. Linn, 2,178, \$236,450.99, \$108.56
- 38 **Moscow**, Bardwell, Joe B. Bagwell, 30, \$3,248.35, \$108.28
- 39 **Emmanuel**, Jenkins, Tony Carson, 140, \$15,153.59, \$108.24
- 40 **Westport Road**, Louisville, Chip Lee Pendleton, 1,224, \$132,360.91, \$108.14
- 41 **Kuttawa First**, Carl B. Nelson, 412, \$43,970.08, \$106.72
- 42 **Totz**, Homer Johnson, 55, \$5,809.66, \$105.63
- 43 **Oak Forest**, Smiths Grove, Rick DeVoe, 80, \$8,406.29, \$105.08
- 44 **Anchor**, Lexington, Paul B. Sisk, 390, \$40,730.12, \$104.44
- 45 **Lakeside**, Nancy, David King, 42, \$4,385.80, \$104.42
- 46 **Somerset First**, 1,408, \$146,954.27, \$104.37
- 47 **Forest Grove**, Browder, Billy W. Cundiff, 23, \$2,400.00, \$104.35
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- 49 **Northside**, Almo, Brett A. Miles, 307, \$31,674.00, \$103.17
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- 54 **Westport**, DeWayne Sowell, 276, \$27,567.74, \$99.88
- 55 **New Bethel**, Eddyville, John R. Baker, 76, \$7,574.18, \$99.66
- 56 **Lakewood**, Louisville, Scott Christian Hughes, 276, \$27,334.87, \$99.04
- 57 **Baxter Avenue**, Louisville, Ben Lairmore, 31, \$3,057.97, \$98.64
- 58 **Pleasant Home**, Glencoe, Shad Tibbs, 220, \$21,622.98, \$98.29
- 59 **Owensboro First**, Paul Strahan, 2,977, \$291,435.29, \$97.90
- 60 **Parkwood**, Louisville, Benny Joe Phelps, 155, \$14,899.15, \$96.12
- 61 **Sand Spring**, Lawrenceburg, Michael R. Hamrick, 1,114, \$106,867.11, \$95.93
- 62 **Broadway**, Lexington, Shannon Back, 840, \$79,773.80, \$94.97
- 63 **Wildwood**, Ashland, Jim Nichols, 429, \$40,720.80, \$94.92
- 64 **Parkland Hills**, Fisherville, John Sanders, 40, \$3,771.30, \$94.28
- 65 **Beaver**, Georgetown, R. Dean Moore, 36, \$3,370.33, \$93.62
- 66 **Barbourville First**, Shane Nickell, 1,017, \$95,147.32, \$93.56
- 67 **Seaton Park**, Louisville, Wayne T. Eads, 29, \$2,701.78, \$93.16
- 68 **Buck Run**, Frankfort, Hershael W. York, 1,161, \$108,059.07, \$93.07
- 69 **Mount Tabor**, Glasgow, Gene Gearlds, 52, \$4,820.82, \$92.71
- 70 **Cedar Bluff**, Princeton, Mark Faughn, 167, \$15,481.89, \$92.71
- 71 **Sharpe Missionary**, Benton, Jeremy Short, 611, \$55,963.11, \$91.59
- 72 **Lone Oak First**, Paducah, Dan Summerlin, 2,804, \$256,188.41, \$91.37
- 73 **Hunsinger Lane**, Louisville, Charles W. Davis, 338, \$30,530.33, \$90.33
- 74 **Emmanuel**, Shelbyville, David Roach, 47, \$4,224.29, \$89.88
- 75 **Potters House Worship Center**, Smithland, Fred P. Lowrance, 353, \$31,653.42, \$89.67
- 76 **Immanuel**, Madisonville, Eric McDunnell, 93, \$8,281.35, \$89.05
- 77 **Frenchburg**, Jeff Deel, 120, \$10,679.44, \$89.00
- 78 **Mount Pisgah**, Bremen, Glenn D. Armstrong, 454, \$40,191.23, \$88.53
- 79 **Berean**, Elizabethtown, James Reed Webster, 110, \$9,737.42, \$88.52
- 80 **Hopewell**, Corbin, Herschel S. Walker, 562, \$49,700.00, \$88.43
- 81 **Calhoun**, Richard Sams, 632, \$55,382.29, \$87.63
- 82 **Sinking Fork**, Hopkinsville, John Segree, 400, \$35,051.81, \$87.63
- 83 **New Horizon**, Glendale, Steven Hill, 151, \$13,226.72, \$87.59
- 84 **Owenton First**, Daven Keith Watkins, 802, \$70,216.22, \$87.55
- 85 **New Harmony**, Benton, Thomas N. Woodruff, 588, \$51,182.37, \$87.04
- 86 **Blackford**, Hawesville, Samuel Lynn Huff, 434, \$37,685.15, \$86.83
- 87 **Central City First**, Robert K. Lowery, 1,347, \$116,494.68, \$86.48
- 88 **Clinton First**, 338, \$29,066.69, \$86.00
- 89 **Campbellsville**, Skip Alexander, 1,884, \$161,937.88, \$85.95
- 90 **Elizabethtown**, Danny Haynes, 229, \$19,488.00, \$85.10
- 91 **Lebanon Missionary**, Princeton, James Peters, 53, \$4,495.56, \$84.82
- 92 **Forest Grove**, Adairville, Mike Gluff, 91, \$7,661.38, \$84.19
- 93 **Sand Run**, Hebron, 100, \$8,341.78, \$83.42
- 94 **East Bernstadt First**, David Hawkins, 650, \$54,000.54, \$83.08
- 95 **Trenton**, Dean Anderson, 360, \$29,822.47, \$82.84
- 96 **Old Salem**, Dennis Winn, 109, \$9,019.41, \$82.75
- 97 **Central**, Corbin, Darren Gaddis, 2,205, \$182,389.36, \$82.72
- 98 **Hopkinsville Second**, Larry Purcell, 1,386, \$114,080.71, \$82.31
- 99 **Northside**, Elizabethtown, 667, \$54,577.85, \$81.83
- 100 **Dallasburg**, Wheatley, Matt Dye, 324, \$26,144.94, \$80.69

This report lists the top 100 congregations in per capita contributions to the Kentucky Baptist Convention's Cooperative Program for the fiscal year ended Aug. 31, 2007. Each entry includes the per-capita rank, church name and city, pastor's name, total membership, total dollars given and per capita amount.

This report is for the period Sept. 1, 2006, through Aug. 31, 2007. The first column shows fiscal year 2006 Cooperative Program gifts, the second shows fiscal year 2007 Cooperative Program gifts. The third column (Other) shows total fiscal 2006 contributions other than Cooperative Program and includes all donations designated to one or more of the following areas: Baptist hospitals, child care, Christian education, Eliza Broadus offering, restricted KBC causes only (RKO), and SBC causes such as Annie Armstrong and Lottie Moon offerings, international and North American mission boards and other designations. All donations shown were given through the KBC accounting services department; the report was prepared by the KBC information services department. Refer questions to Angela Leshon, KBC accounting services department, (502) 489-3319.

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Allen Association			
Bays Fork.....	\$6,422.94	\$8,739.33	\$891.75
Dover.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$205.00
Holland.....	\$2,258.28	\$1,696.01	\$0.00
Liberty.....	\$5,320.98	\$4,939.90	\$997.00
Mount Gilead.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Hope.....	\$1,885.94	\$2,024.02	\$800.00
New Middle Fork.....	\$533.04	\$558.80	\$0.00
Rough Creek.....	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$700.00
Scottsville.....	\$25,964.93	\$2,816.10	\$4,103.10
Trammel Fork Missionary.....	\$600.00	\$900.00	\$1,581.72
White Plains.....	\$22,891.44	\$20,669.13	\$12,715.82
Subtotals.....	\$65,997.55	\$42,463.29	\$21,994.39

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Anderson Association			
Alton.....	\$5,000.00	\$13,000.00	\$5,340.25
Ballard.....	\$3,259.10	\$3,216.40	\$100.00
Fellowship.....	\$1,100.00	\$1,200.00	\$623.32
Freedom.....	\$2,036.00	\$2,123.00	\$0.00
Friendship.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Glensboro.....	\$4,729.00	\$4,735.00	\$1,055.00
Goshen.....	\$1,702.00	\$1,756.00	\$229.00
Hope Community.....	\$2,000.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
Lawrenceburg First.....	\$125,361.88	\$146,505.93	\$24,801.76
Mount Pleasant.....	\$2,077.00	\$1,200.00	\$100.00
Pleasant Grove.....	\$250.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Sand Spring.....	\$91,902.25	\$106,867.11	\$18,952.98
Tyrone.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Van Buren.....	\$1,830.10	\$1,884.81	\$627.00
Subtotals.....	\$241,247.33	\$282,988.25	\$51,829.31

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Bell Association			
Bell Co Forest Camp Mission.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bennetts Fork.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bethlehem.....	\$2,686.33	\$3,808.03	\$777.00
Binghamtown.....	\$7,000.08	\$7,000.08	\$0.00
Blackmont.....	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Callaway.....	\$908.87	\$712.38	\$951.00
Chenoa.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Chester Ave.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dean Memorial.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dunlap.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
East Cumberland Avenue.....	\$17,585.00	\$14,436.00	\$4,871.74
East Jellico.....	\$5,766.00	\$5,009.00	\$1,776.50
Fonde.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Gap Fellowship.....	\$833.50	\$314.00	\$0.00
Garmeada.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hosman.....	\$2,946.50	\$3,159.50	\$150.00
Insull.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Jenson.....	\$6,127.00	\$3,236.00	\$150.00
Mill Creek.....	\$550.00	\$600.00	\$400.00
Moss Chapel.....	\$540.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,500.00
Mount Hebron.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mount Mary.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Newtown.....	\$208.90	\$223.98	\$0.00
Northside.....	\$699.38	\$189.73	\$1,004.00
Old Straight Creek.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Old Yellow Creek.....	\$12,302.52	\$13,725.45	\$14,934.27
Outreach.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pathfork.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pine Grove.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pineville First.....	\$16,775.33	\$12,259.19	\$7,031.50
Red Oak.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Riverside.....	\$4,506.57	\$6,029.70	\$4,847.75
Riverview.....	\$789.65	\$904.36	\$1,424.22
Southside.....	\$7,851.03	\$7,653.23	\$6,031.53
Stoney Fork.....	\$325.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Tracy Branch.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Trinity.....	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$1,450.00
Tugglesville.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Victory Missionary.....	\$1,565.53	\$1,478.05	\$0.00
Wasoto.....	\$600.00	\$650.00	\$4,000.00
West Cumberland Ave.....	\$2,279.81	\$3,088.54	\$995.99
West Pineville.....	\$3,913.30	\$4,754.79	\$300.00
Subtotals.....	\$97,660.30	\$91,932.01	\$52,545.50

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Blackford Association			
Blackford.....	\$35,706.89	\$37,685.15	\$1,502.81
Central.....	\$9,050.97	\$10,157.16	\$1,540.52
Chestnut Grove.....	\$12,404.34	\$12,723.36	\$6,734.22
Dawson Memorial.....	\$5,139.00	\$5,779.00	\$894.80
Friendly Grove.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Havesville.....	\$38,082.46	\$40,729.57	\$14,164.81
Levisport.....	\$33,145.71	\$32,045.65	\$33,782.29
Levisport First.....	\$1,754.66	\$2,071.36	\$807.22
Mount Eden.....	\$11,665.28	\$12,059.00	\$1,183.00
New Life.....	\$392.59	\$300.00	\$1,689.24
Newton Springs.....	\$2,025.59	\$1,760.98	\$272.21
Old Panther Creek.....	\$3,070.00	\$2,650.00	\$1,559.70
Patesville.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pellville.....	\$23,147.30	\$19,088.42	\$13,590.46
Roseville.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Union.....	\$3,069.57	\$2,487.54	\$6,958.53
West Point.....	\$273.00	\$221.00	\$75.00
Subtotals.....	\$178,927.36	\$179,758.19	\$84,754.81

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Blood River Association			
Altona Missionary.....	\$29,120.66	\$29,692.06	\$9,803.67
Bethel.....	\$20,433.00	\$20,999.80	\$11,671.00
Bethlehem.....	\$5,872.07	\$5,691.07	\$528.00
Blood River.....	\$3,130.00	\$2,601.00	\$325.00
Briensburg.....	\$104,043.33	\$106,920.58	\$20,612.31
Cherry Corner.....	\$9,053.62	\$7,470.29	\$3,057.00
Coldwater.....	\$610.00	\$550.00	\$2,609.00
Dexter.....	\$450.00	\$250.00	\$69.13
East Marshall.....	\$1,180.00	\$1,100.00	\$905.00
Elva.....	\$3,033.90	\$2,927.00	\$322.00
Flint.....	\$14,577.20	\$13,565.63	\$4,009.92
Gilbertsville.....	\$3,966.89	\$3,785.92	\$0.00
Grace.....	\$13,261.41	\$15,540.70	\$3,472.00
Hamlet Missionary.....	\$5,589.00	\$7,327.50	\$440.35
Hazel.....	\$31,031.96	\$24,460.79	\$5,008.59
Hilltop.....	\$1,740.25	\$1,700.44	\$0.00
Kirksey.....	\$1,826.71	\$1,488.00	\$686.00
Lakeview.....	\$8,090.48	\$9,032.27	\$454.98
Ledbetter.....	\$974.10	\$1,569.10	\$889.93
Locust Grove.....	\$11,302.36	\$12,825.47	\$4,512.50
Memorial.....	\$28,532.02	\$30,813.12	\$5,415.00
New Bethel.....	\$3,230.00	\$0.00	\$27,291.00
New Harmony.....	\$38,721.06	\$51,182.37	\$12,533.71
New Mount Carmel.....	\$3,236.85	\$3,420.54	\$540.68
New Providence.....	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
New Zion.....	\$10,679.19	\$11,043.89	\$3,640.00
Northside.....	\$30,427.00	\$31,674.00	\$2,846.00
Oak Grove.....	\$8,413.87	\$7,595.69	\$575.00
Olive Missionary.....	\$19,063.02	\$21,498.44	\$686.30
Owens Chapel.....	\$9,393.00	\$10,010.00	\$1,200.00
Pleasant Hope.....	\$1,950.00	\$1,800.00	\$350.00
Pleasant Valley.....	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$1,185.25
Poplar Spring.....	\$6,283.07	\$7,144.86	\$3,120.00
Salem.....	\$0.00	\$14,679.33	\$537.00
Scotts Grove.....	\$4,316.91	\$4,393.98	\$1,180.36
Sharpe Missionary.....	\$45,337.57	\$55,963.11	\$2,288.25
Sinking Spring.....	\$1,650.00	\$2,350.00	\$1,921.45
Spring Creek.....	\$4,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$1,295.00
Sugar Creek.....	\$800.00	\$800.00	\$503.20
Symsonia.....	\$14,799.00	\$16,202.00	\$1,355.21
Union Ridge.....	\$5,464.68	\$6,492.83	\$1,887.00
Vanzora.....	\$10,287.08	\$8,913.00	\$2,259.90
Walnut Street.....	\$1,530.63	\$1,608.94	\$0.00
West Fork.....	\$8,890.73	\$8,451.46	\$3,350.80
Zions Cause.....	\$13,264.24	\$3,591.59	\$2,022.00
Subtotals.....	\$543,156.86	\$578,726.77	\$147,359.49

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Boones Creek Association			
Allansville.....	\$13,308.49	\$11,986.06	\$12,863.52
Beech Grove.....	\$1,001.84	\$1,005.50	\$100.00
Boone's Creek.....	\$31,741.81	\$28,851.17	\$10,948.15
Calvary.....	\$15,390.68	\$15,390.03	\$2,997.50
Central.....	\$148,984.12	\$131,705.11	\$77,355.91
Clay City.....	\$3,033.59	\$2,918.90	\$962.00
Corinth.....	\$5,316.99	\$5,399.17	\$4,263.50
Cow Creek.....	\$4,552.00	\$3,886.00	\$573.00
Creekside.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Emmanuel.....	\$2,426.47	\$2,458.84	\$200.00
Ephesus.....	\$10,150.00	\$5,934.00	\$1,078.00
Faith.....	\$360.00	\$360.00	\$205.00
Friendship.....	\$4,113.24	\$4,223.12	\$1,521.25
Greenbriar.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Heidelberg.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Heritage.....	\$8,448.96	\$9,729.64	\$7,242.58
Howards Mill.....	\$8,489.00	\$9,380.79	\$2,225.00
Irvine First.....	\$4,208.45	\$4,023.20	\$0.00
Ivory Hill.....	\$4,620.27	\$4,672.95	\$1,125.36
Jeffersonville.....	\$10,109.22	\$11,033.46	\$593.20
Kiddville.....	\$2,567.58	\$2,621.96	\$4,950.00
Macedonia.....	\$4,846.25	\$4,466.62	\$150.00
Means.....	\$2,515.00	\$2,448.00	\$0.00
Mount Olive.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Hope.....	\$1,168.48	\$1,158.12	\$775.00
Northside.....	\$12,789.42	\$15,057.80	\$5,020.42
Panola.....	\$2,358.75	\$2,078.80	\$228.00
Powells Valley.....	\$1,615.66	\$2,091.14	\$932.13
Providence.....	\$4,462.00	\$5,058.00	\$1,011.00
Providence.....	\$3,900.00	\$4,000.00	\$1,987.20
Reid Village.....	\$1,881.96	\$2,839.43	\$7,066.57
Salem.....	\$6,974.87	\$6,674.00	\$2,072.00
Spears Mill.....	\$9,750.00	\$4,500.00	\$0.00
Spring Street.....	\$3,984.00	\$3,777.00	\$2,225.00
Thomas.....	\$3,667.64	\$3,962.48	\$31.28
Valley View.....	\$137.79	\$252.70	\$0.00
Williams Memorial.....	\$3,909.01	\$4,046.65	\$740.35
Subtotals.....	\$342,783.54	\$317,990.64	\$151,442.92

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Booneville Association			
Big Creek.....	\$1,798.95	\$1,668.07	\$775.00
Booneville First.....	\$7,419.49	\$9,620.96	\$285.00
Calvary.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Garrard.....	\$1,114.00	\$836.00	\$0.00
Gray Fork.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Horse Creek.....	\$36,124.73	\$36,667.89	\$16,741.95
Island Creek.....	\$2,355.17	\$2,076.51	\$8,036.62
Lerose.....	\$551.82	\$550.00	\$0.00
Lilly Grove.....	\$155.91	\$0.00	\$0.00
Lyttleton.....	\$7,879.00	\$7,660.91	\$5,752.00
Macedonia.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Manchester.....	\$13,916.21	\$16,739.15	\$13,632.46
New Home.....	\$1,829.77	\$538.01	\$559.71
New Prospect.....	\$2,079.00	\$1,350.00	\$0.00
New Zion.....	\$220.00	\$240.00	\$0.00
Onida.....	\$2,748.89	\$3,322.15	\$4,943.25
Pleasant Point.....	\$733.29	\$725.46	\$425.00
Pleasant Run.....	\$2,508.00	\$2,986.00	\$1,566.00
Royal Oak.....	\$540.00	\$540.00	\$390.00
Southside.....	\$448.65	\$287.51	\$0.00
Turkey Missionary.....	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$300.00
Upper Buffalo.....	\$320.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Vincent.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
White Hall.....	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Zion.....	\$3,017.00	\$2,624.00	\$0.00
Subtotals.....	\$86,359.88	\$89,032.6	

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Friendship	\$5,381.50	\$5,454.97	\$2,743.00
Garden Green	\$780.00	\$665.00	\$0.00
Glenville	\$18,270.53	\$17,819.00	\$5,950.63
Green Brier	\$2,245.23	\$2,197.57	\$0.00
Hall Street	\$10,712.49	\$12,571.01	\$18,112.14
Hopewell	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Island	\$22,085.11	\$22,491.63	\$8,199.90
Karns Grove	\$10,286.29	\$5,041.46	\$1,393.00
Levis Lane	\$12,124.82	\$12,586.10	\$9,436.93
Livmore	\$27,615.19	\$19,639.48	\$2,546.84
Living Faith	\$10,099.57	\$10,947.36	\$2,653.00
Macedonia	\$12,991.41	\$14,842.85	\$9,202.01
Maceo	\$14,996.78	\$7,532.00	\$2,603.00
Masonville	\$3,689.00	\$4,029.64	\$6,352.07
Mount Vernon	\$650.00	\$450.00	\$150.00
New Life	\$456.52	\$720.40	\$0.00
Newman	\$1,746.07	\$1,264.72	\$430.00
Owensboro First	\$290,066.69	\$291,435.29	\$106,735.46
Owensboro Third	\$27,530.12	\$14,681.20	\$13,176.25
Pack	\$3,258.74	\$0.00	\$0.00
Panther Creek	\$9,803.00	\$9,213.00	\$2,045.55
Parrish Avenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Grove	\$58,281.00	\$50,646.86	\$6,642.82
Pleasant Memorial	\$6,567.60	\$3,516.47	\$905.00
Pleasant Ridge	\$18,028.13	\$8,992.64	\$3,249.04
Red Hill	\$300.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
Ridgewood	\$1,644.71	\$1,252.19	\$524.23
Riverside	\$4,984.24	\$4,773.97	\$1,424.40
Sacramento	\$9,610.59	\$10,343.01	\$1,361.50
Seven Hills	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$135.00
Sorgho	\$7,557.93	\$7,588.11	\$3,453.87
South Hampton	\$7,459.00	\$8,797.00	\$2,623.00
Stanley	\$245.13	\$0.00	\$0.00
Station	\$4,461.40	\$4,687.22	\$2,114.00
Sugar Grove	\$11,008.65	\$11,650.79	\$16,968.00
Utica	\$14,341.86	\$11,377.88	\$100.00
Walnut Memorial	\$26,822.66	\$32,886.46	\$208.78
Whitesville	\$881.36	\$800.00	\$395.10
Wing Avenue	\$1,540.73	\$1,448.96	\$870.00
Yellow Creek	\$80,519.20	\$82,882.16	\$14,608.95
Yelvington	\$4,999.58	\$4,472.94	\$85.00
Subtotals	\$1,022,327.51	\$1,010,206.58	\$334,157.28

East Lynn Association

Allendale	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bethel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Corinth Missionary	\$600.00	\$1,044.25	\$4,905.75
Holly Grove	\$5,205.49	\$4,721.39	\$0.00
Liberty	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mount Carmel	\$600.00	\$712.00	\$675.00
New Bethlehem	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rolling Fork	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00
South Summersville	\$4,412.28	\$4,270.68	\$216.43
Whickerville	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$11,217.77	\$11,148.32	\$5,797.18

East Union Association

Big Poplar Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Black Oak	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Emlyn	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Kemsee	\$1,166.01	\$1,119.29	\$0.00
Louden	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Buffalo	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Hope	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Old Poplar Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$1,166.01	\$1,119.29	\$0.00

Elkhorn Association

Anchor	\$27,889.68	\$40,730.12	\$6,496.83
Andover	\$5,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$2,985.00
Ashland Avenue	\$16,323.96	\$16,548.96	\$27,395.62
Beckerville	\$178.95	\$132.92	\$0.00
Bluegrass Deaf Mission	\$1,497.39	\$781.35	\$0.00
Broadway	\$47,671.77	\$79,773.80	\$27,193.02
Brookside	\$6,839.14	\$8,612.85	\$4,389.04
Cadentown	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$21,868.25	\$28,036.60	\$91,837.91
Cane Run	\$1,099.39	\$0.00	\$204.42
Central	\$36,895.84	\$39,126.74	\$15,484.79
Central	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Clear Creek	\$7,753.96	\$7,539.17	\$0.00
Clover Bottom	\$1,350.00	\$1,350.00	\$145.00
Consolidated	\$3,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Corbin First	\$6,050.00	\$998.54	\$3,965.45
Cornerstone	\$21,260.13	\$23,139.92	\$5,450.00
Crosswoods	\$13,822.48	\$14,744.63	\$237.50
Davids Fork	\$400.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
Dry Run	\$4,426.51	\$5,036.70	\$0.00
Durbin Memorial	\$11,594.04	\$13,903.73	\$8,423.36
East Hickman	\$12,199.61	\$10,454.67	\$1,631.00
Eastside	\$1,353.93	\$1,221.09	\$0.00
Edgewood	\$21,724.90	\$22,433.83	\$15,123.72
Faith	\$2,808.74	\$1,250.00	\$0.00
Faith Center	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Faith Covenant	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Gano	\$44,882.75	\$31,026.79	\$3,338.75
Gardenside	\$4,451.25	\$2,884.39	\$16,673.00
Georgetown	\$29,466.28	\$34,412.72	\$18,240.82
Glens Creek	\$370.00	\$5,327.00	\$0.00
Grace	\$1,900.00	\$6,601.87	\$5,857.10
Great Crossing	\$14,128.23	\$12,667.96	\$1,992.17
Highlands	\$24,063.90	\$25,393.50	\$4,250.00
Hillcrest	\$6,301.00	\$6,317.00	\$3,448.51
Hillsboro	\$1,858.17	\$0.00	\$0.00
Imani	\$1,000.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$335,742.27	\$332,671.38	\$114,988.35
Immanuel Japanese Mission	\$240.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Irishtown Mission	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Journey	\$3,304.17	\$4,011.71	\$2,131.53
Lawrenceburg Comm	\$2,828.12	\$2,864.27	\$1,487.48
Lexington First	\$1,067.76	\$1,067.76	\$0.00
Living Hope Fellowship	\$0.00	\$800.00	\$0.00
Long Lick	\$6,222.32	\$3,271.00	\$1,051.23

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Main Street	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mallard Point	\$4,643.00	\$4,028.99	\$1,560.32
Maranatha	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Master's	\$24,501.16	\$24,054.81	\$17,972.00
Midway	\$3,000.00	\$2,820.00	\$165.00
Millersburg	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Millville	\$10,105.44	\$11,500.00	\$1,763.01
Mount Freedom	\$9,606.45	\$7,830.08	\$5,104.64
Mount Pleasant	\$6,078.84	\$7,020.58	\$5,823.10
Mount Sterling First	\$18,750.00	\$22,999.95	\$15,915.84
Mount Vernon	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$694.59
Nada Baptist Mission	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Hope	\$15,021.96	\$16,776.34	\$5,352.66
Nicholasville	\$11,107.76	\$8,145.74	\$9,229.88
North View	\$24,146.76	\$23,633.01	\$3,637.83
Open Door Community	\$580.36	\$1,107.20	\$0.00
Palomar	\$16,748.13	\$13,490.17	\$8,150.98
Paris First	\$48,087.21	\$42,001.96	\$9,828.50
Parkway	\$17,898.88	\$17,015.37	\$7,610.75
Penn Avenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
Pinckard	\$27,049.96	\$27,049.46	\$4,605.08
Porter Memorial	\$365,078.18	\$303,435.36	\$55,466.87
Praise Tabernacle	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
River of Life	\$363.00	\$444.50	\$200.00
Riverview	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rosemont	\$28,967.38	\$30,390.64	\$11,927.00
Royal Springs Southern	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Russell Cave	\$2,621.83	\$3,836.76	\$171.10
Seventh Street	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Shawhan	\$1,166.00	\$1,215.00	\$1,300.00
Shiloh	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Silas	\$3,815.17	\$4,144.94	\$813.35
South Elkhorn	\$12,814.87	\$14,379.98	\$4,270.24
Southern Heights	\$33,911.70	\$32,025.84	\$3,804.10
Southside	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$700.00
Stamping Ground	\$5,701.20	\$6,199.24	\$5,226.62
Tatesbrook	\$6,167.33	\$6,471.67	\$0.00
Thoroughbred Community	\$800.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
Trinity	\$8,326.00	\$4,992.00	\$500.00
Versailles	\$67,896.50	\$72,718.16	\$15,728.39
Victory	\$33,831.31	\$30,797.73	\$17,659.38
White Sulphur	\$6,331.35	\$6,008.48	\$2,077.00
Winchester First	\$5,519.54	\$5,340.29	\$5,366.71
Subtotals	\$1,574,013.16	\$1,548,407.22	\$607,846.54

Enterprise Association

Allen	\$3,600.00	\$3,300.00	\$1,779.00
Benedict	\$812.00	\$862.00	\$0.00
Brushy Fork Missionary	\$1,200.00	\$1,100.00	\$709.51
Fitzpatrick First	\$9,829.55	\$14,092.00	\$650.00
Garrett First	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,075.00
Inez First	\$4,465.70	\$5,595.49	\$6,368.00
Ivyton	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Jacks Creek	\$765.85	\$588.61	\$0.00
Lancaster	\$1,432.39	\$1,205.53	\$0.00
Liberty	\$2,116.99	\$2,168.06	\$1,428.29
Licking River	\$2,400.00	\$3,600.00	\$76.62
Martin First	\$330.94	\$352.16	\$228.00
Maytown First	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
McDowell First	\$6,207.12	\$6,533.46	\$2,981.51
Mount Beulah	\$530.00	\$155.00	\$29.00
Paintsville First	\$43,021.85	\$41,833.69	\$26,682.00
Pine Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Home	\$1,198.00	\$5,287.00	\$0.00
Prestonsburg First	\$28,244.27	\$24,421.09	\$1,877.00
Salyersville First	\$4,144.56	\$8,462.79	\$2,551.76
Tomahawk Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Topmost	\$525.00	\$525.00	\$0.00
Warfield Missionary	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$765.00
West Van Lear	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$15.00
Wheelwright First	\$53.05	\$76.61	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$114,777.27	\$124,058.49	\$47,215.69

Franklin Association

Bellevue	\$7,157.48	\$6,230.51	\$5,740.00
Bethel	\$2,555.12	\$1,665.72	\$7,788.00
Buck Run	\$98,648.40	\$108,059.07	\$29,608.00
Calvary	\$4,889.65	\$3,440.75	\$420.00
Camp Pleasant	\$525.00	\$525.00	\$0.00
Cedar Grove	\$0.00	\$114.58	\$1,900.84
Crestwood	\$68,377.46	\$53,696.02	\$9,074.81
East Frankfort	\$15,847.34	\$13,512.66	\$4,664.72
Evergreen	\$6,666.70	\$6,666.66	\$8,585.76
Faith	\$9,264.88	\$9,005.00	\$7,209.49
Family	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Farmdale	\$8,075.00	\$8,758.00	\$1,775.00
First Corinthian	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Forks of Elkhorn	\$41,181.29	\$46,049.85	\$17,632.66
Frankfort First	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
Hillcrest	\$15,444.17	\$16,372.78	\$2,939.00
Immanuel	\$830.00	\$830.00	\$9,224.25
Lebanon	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Memorial	\$35,240.99	\$33,940.51	\$10,110.03
Mount Carmel	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$3,091.00
Mount Vernon	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
North Benson	\$10,532.78	\$12,530.94	\$4,743.58
North Fork	\$2,000.68	\$2,858.78	\$2,090.36
North Frankfort	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$380.00
Peaks Mill	\$400.00	\$1,100.00	\$125.00
Pleasant Ridge	\$1,034.19	\$966.61	\$1,519.00
Providence	\$15,631.43	\$16,686.21	\$1,462.20
St John	\$3,573.65	\$3,253.85	\$1,095.00
Swallowfield	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$1,813.70
Thornhill	\$17,400.76	\$18,752.67	\$2,295.12
Trinity	\$550.00	\$550.00	\$525.00
Truth	\$50.00	\$130.00	\$0.00
Westview	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$372,076.97	\$370,896.17	\$136,812.52

Freedom Association

Albany First	\$18,550.00	\$13,950.00	\$16,500.00
Branham Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$535.00
Burkesville	\$13,951.43	\$11,945.59	\$3,565.00
Cave Springs	\$9,830.00	\$12,950.00	\$2,250.00
Central Grove	\$4,530.37	\$5,334.12	\$1,605.35
Fairland	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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Grace Union	\$215.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
Green Grove Missionary	\$1,400.00	\$1,390.78	\$2,010.00
New Sulphur Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pikeview	\$2,414.00	\$1,700.00	\$200.00
Stony Point	\$14,083.55	\$13,755.22	\$3,775.00
Subtotals	\$64,974.35	\$61,525.71	\$30,440.35

Gasper River Association

Aberdeen	\$17,959.00	\$19,957.00	\$4,821.57
Barnetts Lick	\$1,550.18	\$2,136.00	\$0.00
Bethel	\$2,846.51	\$2,869.12	\$1,137.00
Big Muddy	\$3,299.78	\$3,000.00	\$2,975.00
Brooklyn	\$0.00	\$150.00	\$0.00
Carve Rock	\$3,400.94	\$2,79	

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Greasy Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Green Road	\$900.00	\$675.00	\$225.00
Highland Park	\$3,931.48	\$4,715.11	\$2,127.00
Indian Creek	\$701.00	\$1,043.00	\$0.00
Keck	\$4,240.55	\$5,339.26	\$3,178.13
Liberty Missionary	\$700.00	\$191.46	\$445.37
Locust Grove	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,799.00
Lynn Camp	\$7,039.95	\$6,844.83	\$1,248.00
Mount Olivet	\$977.75	\$1,170.47	\$1,054.37
New Bethel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
North Corbin Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Northside	\$3,050.78	\$2,061.84	\$573.00
Old Flat Lick	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Piney Grove	\$963.22	\$646.70	\$970.20
Pleasant Ridge	\$100.00	\$130.00	\$0.00
Poplar Grove	\$30,472.89	\$34,177.57	\$3,051.00
River	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$107.00
Roadside	\$1,570.34	\$1,640.01	\$300.00
Salem Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Salt Gum	\$956.54	\$1,870.22	\$1,586.08
Sinking Valley	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$247.00
Springfield	\$1,819.70	\$1,554.69	\$656.00
Swan Pond	\$1,354.22	\$1,536.24	\$1,900.00
Turkey Creek	\$4,163.16	\$4,299.05	\$0.00
Walker	\$360.00	\$540.00	\$0.00
Young Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$189,238.86	\$211,756.50	\$53,392.24

Laurel River Association

Arthur Ridge	\$331.87	\$261.12	\$200.00
Baldrock	\$1,493.50	\$1,546.52	\$486.57
Bond	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$5,100.00
Calvary	\$30,433.42	\$27,228.38	\$10,093.36
Corinth	\$18,069.44	\$68,979.94	\$41,075.04
East Bernstadt First	\$41,665.96	\$54,000.54	\$17,642.70
East Pittsburg	\$4,255.96	\$4,615.45	\$835.69
Emmanuel	\$168.60	\$1,133.92	\$300.00
Greenmount	\$2,472.30	\$2,297.20	\$557.00
Hart Missionary	\$5,011.27	\$5,038.01	\$4,797.00
Hawk Creek	\$4,346.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00
Hazel Patch	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Horse Creek Road	\$2,353.84	\$1,584.94	\$0.00
Jackson Memorial	\$158.88	\$228.83	\$412.43
Laurel Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Laurel River	\$7,279.20	\$7,576.29	\$7,586.00
Liberty	\$13,358.25	\$11,388.30	\$934.00
Lick Fork	\$4,624.00	\$3,964.00	\$4,661.00
Lily	\$1,100.00	\$1,200.00	\$3,636.00
London First	\$30,565.44	\$46,182.03	\$19,430.62
Long Branch	\$2,894.00	\$2,802.00	\$300.00
Mount Zion	\$841.58	\$879.74	\$452.55
New Salem	\$3,992.71	\$4,281.35	\$795.00
Old Salem	\$240.00	\$240.00	\$1,670.00
Pilgrims Rest	\$1,030.29	\$1,389.81	\$500.00
Pine Grove	\$4,260.00	\$3,795.00	\$751.00
Pleasant Grove	\$7,552.21	\$4,299.15	\$1,787.70
Providence	\$20,824.68	\$22,202.87	\$10,732.25
Robinson Creek	\$136.78	\$0.00	\$7,318.01
Sinking Creek	\$1,166.00	\$400.00	\$1,031.00
Slate Hill	\$5,584.94	\$4,631.38	\$1,845.00
Slate Lick	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
South Fariston	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Swiss Colony	\$26,928.89	\$36,360.44	\$6,706.00
Tidalwave	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Union	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Weaver	\$7,652.70	\$6,393.05	\$999.19
West London	\$4,050.00	\$1,851.00	\$162.57
White Oak	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$600.00
Subtotals	\$258,342.71	\$330,251.26	\$159,397.68

Liberty Association

Antioch	\$600.00	\$750.58	\$1,599.96
Browsers Chapel	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$51,283.09	\$42,577.14	\$22,401.50
Canter	\$628.12	\$1,509.30	\$800.00
Cave City	\$1,900.00	\$1,000.00	\$4,175.00
Cave Spring	\$802.22	\$701.16	\$864.00
Cedar Cliff	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cedar Grove	\$4,918.89	\$5,739.23	\$453.71
Coral Hill	\$29,141.99	\$23,144.74	\$2,463.52
Edmonton Worship Center	\$14,482.20	\$13,328.72	\$3,980.60
Glasgow	\$48,315.97	\$56,372.53	\$15,483.00
Grace Union Missionary	\$727.60	\$687.70	\$133.42
Hardyville	\$1,674.42	\$1,878.19	\$631.00
Horse Cave	\$28,371.25	\$28,165.63	\$3,882.00
Iglesia Emanuel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$30,214.67	\$30,474.17	\$19,422.00
Lifeway Community	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Little Bethel	\$0.00	\$150.00	\$0.00
Lonoke	\$1,274.29	\$1,362.79	\$0.00
Mount Tabor	\$2,183.23	\$4,820.82	\$2,495.68
New Liberty	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Park City	\$3,282.85	\$3,230.06	\$2,624.00
Pleasant Valley	\$12,163.14	\$11,859.49	\$3,198.25
Poplar Spring Missionary	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$2,547.00
Rowletts	\$3,653.97	\$3,445.52	\$7,402.54
Salem	\$4,299.95	\$4,257.52	\$2,722.65
Shady Grove Missionary	\$4,528.14	\$5,430.24	\$1,694.67
Siloam	\$2,200.00	\$2,400.00	\$8,505.18
South Fork	\$3,071.27	\$3,119.68	\$4,250.00
Southside	\$6,088.50	\$6,166.87	\$2,390.00
Three Springs	\$1,052.32	\$1,200.37	\$0.00
Walnut Hill	\$330.00	\$390.00	\$655.00
Zion	\$150.00	\$100.00	\$50.00
Subtotals	\$258,658.08	\$255,582.45	\$114,924.68

Lincoln County Association

Blue Lick	\$4,756.60	\$4,208.99	\$1,031.25
Calvary Hill	\$9,273.41	\$6,309.96	\$1,900.00
Crab Orchard	\$1,820.00	\$2,380.00	\$3,867.19
Double Springs	\$2,739.04	\$2,755.68	\$841.00
Drakes Creek	\$2,896.51	\$3,110.27	\$735.43
Fairview	\$30,647.64	\$30,034.41	\$4,933.46
Freedom	\$16,902.00	\$17,628.00	\$5,733.00
Friendship	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Geneva	\$886.00	\$957.00	\$459.00

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Harris Creek	\$864.94	\$604.12	\$572.46
Hustonsville	\$4,800.00	\$4,800.00	\$5,413.98
Iglesia Bautista	\$0.00	\$420.00	\$0.00
Locust Grove	\$600.00	\$660.00	\$420.00
McKinney	\$4,760.07	\$3,788.27	\$894.00
Mount Hebron	\$1,814.89	\$2,531.76	\$208.50
Mount Salem	\$7,583.80	\$6,277.78	\$936.50
New Hope	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,050.00
New Salem	\$11,455.87	\$9,393.99	\$820.14
Olive	\$1,284.09	\$1,354.72	\$300.00
Parlor Grove	\$3,605.23	\$3,765.03	\$921.76
Pilot	\$464.41	\$781.79	\$300.08
Pleasant Point	\$2,438.00	\$2,307.00	\$764.00
Pleasant View	\$44,726.00	\$40,064.49	\$22,710.39
Polly Ann	\$1,304.00	\$1,039.00	\$453.00
Pond	\$872.01	\$336.49	\$560.09
South Fork	\$865.32	\$1,237.19	\$400.00
Stanford	\$20,513.12	\$20,037.61	\$21,642.01
Watts Chapel	\$3,600.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,500.00
Subtotals	\$181,472.95	\$169,783.55	\$87,067.24

Little Bethel Association

Charleston First Missionary	\$7,363.14	\$6,175.00	\$3,501.65
Concord Missionary	\$10,999.41	\$11,883.30	\$2,605.96
Corinth	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dalton	\$2,289.72	\$2,408.56	\$4,000.00
Dawson Springs First	\$12,025.00	\$12,100.00	\$5,254.20
Diamond	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$668.00
Dixon First	\$13,240.00	\$6,333.00	\$1,225.00
Dunn Missionary	\$8,167.38	\$5,857.09	\$1,032.77
Earlington First	\$16,812.36	\$17,910.91	\$13,050.00
Grapevine	\$40,807.21	\$36,348.31	\$8,489.76
Green Grove Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hanson First	\$46,734.86	\$25,716.81	\$2,265.00
Harmony	\$938.20	\$1,151.00	\$1,338.95
Immanuel	\$3,210.60	\$8,281.35	\$495.12
Johnson Island	\$4,932.00	\$4,843.00	\$2,418.00
LaFayette	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Lakeview Missionary	\$1,200.00	\$1,320.97	\$2,285.00
Liberty	\$25,751.12	\$16,964.91	\$1,496.18
Madisonville First	\$44,698.00	\$44,392.00	\$48,059.79
Madisonville Second	\$31,524.02	\$24,837.43	\$7,514.05
Manitou	\$1,369.00	\$1,711.00	\$587.00
Mannington	\$400.00	\$520.00	\$0.00
Mortons Gap First	\$2,205.60	\$2,211.85	\$3,204.00
Mortons Gap Second	\$4,076.00	\$3,761.46	\$2,670.47
Nebo	\$6,739.46	\$7,940.50	\$884.50
New Hope	\$167.00	\$225.00	\$0.00
New Salem	\$19,475.02	\$18,543.39	\$1,712.94
Nortonville	\$17,791.57	\$22,709.95	\$8,347.85
Olive Branch	\$23,372.75	\$23,009.24	\$7,265.20
Park Avenue	\$16,144.43	\$13,019.52	\$3,993.84
Pleasant Grove	\$3,629.48	\$3,811.65	\$1,780.00
Pleasant Valley Missionary	\$8,853.42	\$8,559.79	\$3,500.00
Pleasant View	\$2,591.91	\$3,129.80	\$1,976.97
Pond River	\$900.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,434.00
Prospect Missionary	\$561.00	\$1,286.00	\$0.00
Providence First	\$7,587.98	\$6,990.24	\$1,366.00
Providence Second	\$5,739.00	\$5,490.00	\$2,000.00
Richland	\$3,228.00	\$2,239.00	\$880.00
Salem	\$9,748.88	\$9,558.09	\$5,497.68
Silent Run Missionary	\$5,266.81	\$4,383.35	\$10,623.15
Slaughters	\$15,505.00	\$16,520.00	\$5,745.00
Slover	\$1,997.75	\$1,754.52	\$3,080.00
Southards Missionary	\$4,419.00	\$4,215.00	\$1,204.00
Victory	\$700.00	\$2,278.00	\$900.00
White Plains Missionary	\$3,682.71	\$2,025.93	\$620.00
Zion Brick Missionary	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$105.00
Subtotals	\$439,144.79	\$393,916.92	\$175,077.03

Little River Association

Bethany	\$3,209.00	\$1,889.26	\$534.11
Buffalo Lick	\$8,766.69	\$7,377.92	\$704.00
Cadiz	\$70,100.11	\$57,273.69	\$17,135.67
Cadiz Second	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Caldwell Blue Spring	\$11,463.34	\$13,458.73	\$9,347.42
Canton	\$2,311.00	\$2,148.03	\$23,039.00
Ceruleum	\$16,843.00	\$15,954.11	\$3,406.07
Demont	\$4,113.04	\$4,248.55	\$664.87
Donaldson Creek	\$9,178.84	\$9,637.71	\$4,628.00
East Cadiz	\$19,260.43	\$20,345.39	\$6,413.95
Hurricane	\$10,841.46	\$12,683.24	\$18,233.39
Liberty Point	\$24,441.02	\$28,452.77	\$6,742.02
Locust Grove	\$9,033.78	\$10,072.20	\$6,459.07
Maple Grove	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
New Hope	\$10,607.88	\$8,755.60	\$3,307.50
New Jerusalem	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Light	\$600.00	\$550.00	\$330.00
Oak Grove	\$22,526.73	\$22,844.42	\$9,400.87
Ponderosa	\$9,489.43	\$10,292.71	\$3,606.12
Rock Front	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Rocky Ridge	\$1,304.66	\$1,583.74	\$0.00
Rocky Ridge Missionary	\$103.81	\$0.00	\$0.00
Solid Rock	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
South Union	\$3,346.73	\$3,453.30	\$922.50
Trigg County	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Wallonia	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$32,743.15
Subtotals	\$242,140.95	\$236,621.37	\$148,007.71

Logan Todd Association

Adairville	\$17,453.55	\$14,046.88	\$4,836.92
Antioch	\$6,942.64	\$9,475.80	\$2,248.99
Auburn	\$2,686.42	\$2,940.88	\$9,078.39
Beechland	\$2,371.15	\$2,195.19	\$435.00
Bellview	\$1,716.71	\$3,269.49	\$9,834.89
Britmart	\$3,900.90	\$4,890.28	\$2,036.00
Calvary	\$13,273.40	\$9,733.35	\$22,036.85
Cave Spring	\$6,634.95	\$5,280.32	\$0.00
Center	\$4,261.61	\$3,300.00	\$1,573.26
Concord	\$750.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Crossroads: Church at Logan	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dripping Spring	\$32,889.41	\$32,985.49	\$8,586.47
Eastside	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$334.80
Elk Lick	\$20,100.00	\$20,100.00	\$10,245.94
Elkton	\$38,586.42	\$47,405.00	\$22,338.66
Epley	\$952.05	\$0.00	\$0.00

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Forest Grove	\$6,728.99	\$7,661.38	\$2,557.54
Grace	\$4,565.00	\$0.00	\$206.00
Green Ridge	\$2,855.64	\$2,595.84	\$1,375.00
Guptons Grove	\$2,328.69	\$3,146.10	\$3,884.26
Guthrie	\$13,217.24	\$13,129.00	\$5,721.50
Keysburg	\$3,149.38	\$2,890.96	\$0.00
Liberty	\$12,091.00	\$13,725.00	\$5,369.81
Middleton	\$5,419.99	\$8,090.95	\$1,804.49
Mount Gilead	\$2,021.85	\$2,523.96	\$1,971.00
Mount Pleasant	\$27,513.67	\$30,231.82	\$6,298.69

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Fellowship	\$19,110.00	\$16,687.00	\$2,385.00
Harrodsburg	\$18,285.17	\$10,736.30	\$6,815.95
Hopewell	\$19,812.69	\$21,367.70	\$6,347.20
Kirkwood	\$6,914.63	\$4,293.74	\$2,676.00
Little Zion	\$300.00	\$400.00	\$130.51
Pioneer	\$6,458.00	\$5,752.50	\$4,487.00
Salvia	\$28,246.93	\$29,471.76	\$8,977.80
Shakertown	\$1,920.00	\$1,920.00	\$319.50
Shawnee Run	\$13,890.59	\$14,545.83	\$4,138.70
Subtotals	\$264,808.25	\$251,227.90	\$101,042.55

Monroe Association

Akersville	\$1,029.17	\$1,176.36	\$400.00
Fountain Run First	\$42,164.83	\$13,304.33	\$3,943.00
Gamaliel	\$8,396.12	\$6,228.17	\$2,507.27
Indian Creek	\$6,945.00	\$7,001.00	\$2,845.81
Mill Creek	\$3,540.00	\$3,600.00	\$1,347.65
Milltown Baptist Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Monroe	\$180.00	\$180.00	\$1,500.00
Oak Grove	\$1,299.00	\$1,417.00	\$1,250.00
Peters Creek	\$2,725.73	\$4,212.05	\$5,086.26
Rock Bridge	\$1,562.00	\$1,590.00	\$200.00
Temple Hill	\$8,023.00	\$4,795.00	\$4,350.00
Tompkinsville First	\$17,805.00	\$18,940.00	\$4,737.50
Subtotals	\$93,669.85	\$62,443.91	\$28,167.49

Muhlenberg County Association

Beech Creek	\$975.00	\$900.00	\$63.50
Beechmont	\$7,589.93	\$9,448.33	\$1,946.00
Bethlehem Ch of Bremen	\$16,231.00	\$15,666.00	\$3,875.66
Browder	\$777.57	\$419.06	\$1,257.16
Calvary	\$2,854.13	\$2,510.90	\$3,066.50
Carter Creek	\$9,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$29,272.62
Cave Springs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cedar Grove	\$2,200.00	\$2,600.00	\$3,556.36
Central City First	\$107,154.26	\$116,494.68	\$15,001.71
Cherry Hill	\$9,910.96	\$10,369.29	\$3,689.98
Dunmor	\$13,996.37	\$13,681.32	\$7,024.42
East Union	\$14,804.31	\$15,130.79	\$3,692.00
Ebenezer	\$7,472.00	\$10,603.00	\$1,221.00
Ebenezer	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Forest Grove	\$0.00	\$2,400.00	\$0.00
Forest Oak	\$4,126.67	\$2,935.18	\$900.00
Friendship	\$3,000.00	\$2,750.00	\$699.50
Graham	\$4,852.00	\$4,513.00	\$585.07
Hazel Creek	\$12,580.00	\$18,114.76	\$1,920.50
Macedonia	\$994.39	\$313.28	\$239.00
Martwick	\$500.00	\$4,910.00	\$400.00
Mercer	\$1,700.00	\$3,000.00	\$4,668.00
Mount Pisgah	\$12,634.59	\$40,191.23	\$8,653.69
Nelson Creek	\$6,634.30	\$5,524.05	\$1,000.00
New Cypress	\$1,100.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,910.00
New Harmony	\$19,888.00	\$21,298.00	\$5,149.00
New Hebron	\$75.00	\$300.00	\$0.00
New Hope	\$3,526.04	\$4,165.22	\$1,210.39
New Paradise	\$1,200.00	\$1,100.00	\$0.00
New Prospect	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$950.00
Oak Grove	\$4,676.34	\$6,808.60	\$131.00
Penrod	\$6,155.73	\$7,205.08	\$4,700.64
Pleasant Hill	\$0.00	\$578.14	\$0.00
Powderly	\$1,971.50	\$1,200.00	\$2,248.75
Riverside Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Roland Memorial	\$10,700.40	\$13,392.25	\$2,731.18
South Carrollton	\$8,599.95	\$9,367.65	\$0.00
Temple	\$12,208.59	\$16,005.00	\$3,456.00
Unity	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$602.25
Vernal Grove	\$6,361.94	\$7,182.89	\$491.00
Woodland	\$2,465.00	\$22,819.00	\$9,425.86
Woodson	\$8,466.47	\$7,000.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$349,482.44	\$413,196.70	\$125,738.74

Nelson Association

Bardstown	\$14,999.31	\$15,756.40	\$5,374.30
Bardstown Christian Fellowship	\$0.00	\$550.00	\$0.00
Bardstown Junction	\$11,353.00	\$22,048.00	\$4,907.91
Beech Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Belmont	\$277.36	\$1,360.00	\$870.00
Bethany	\$3,178.12	\$3,085.49	\$1,444.00
Bloomfield	\$41,864.27	\$36,934.88	\$13,832.72
Bullitt Lick	\$29,639.94	\$32,805.15	\$13,849.04
Cedar Grove	\$930.16	\$946.34	\$6,176.04
Chaplin	\$30,363.55	\$25,356.08	\$10,048.34
Clermont	\$2,096.00	\$2,174.00	\$25.00
Coxs Creek	\$6,091.64	\$4,520.23	\$1,609.00
Eagle Heights	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,160.43
Eastside	\$1,862.39	\$1,747.50	\$131.00
First Cedar Creek	\$7,836.86	\$7,046.06	\$3,430.93
Hobbs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Iglesia Bautista Gesteamani	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$1,613.00	\$2,009.00	\$2,033.70
Lebanon Junction First	\$13,837.14	\$12,720.41	\$18,023.05
Little Union	\$7,499.10	\$8,120.45	\$1,137.09
Mill Creek	\$7,703.00	\$6,684.02	\$2,248.93
Mount Carmel	\$6,316.37	\$5,949.67	\$962.00
Mount Eden	\$2,844.44	\$2,058.49	\$1,497.84
Mount Moriah	\$3,498.50	\$3,203.39	\$2,483.60
Mount Washington First	\$84,588.83	\$93,606.68	\$38,752.95
New Beginning	\$800.00	\$520.31	\$720.00
New Haven First	\$0.00	\$250.00	\$1,551.00
New Salem	\$20,869.88	\$18,822.36	\$5,796.52
Parkway	\$20,026.80	\$11,200.00	\$18,706.14
People's Ch of Central Ky	\$1,146.99	\$2,040.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Grove	\$2,385.54	\$6,534.82	\$15,304.71
River View	\$11,518.90	\$10,830.39	\$1,993.98
Rolling Fork	\$0.00	\$7,355.27	\$0.00
Shepherdsville First	\$3,354.07	\$2,128.28	\$2,385.00
Stites Station	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Trinity	\$163.00	\$150.00	\$0.00
Union Band	\$200.00	\$250.00	\$77.00
Victory	\$8,003.43	\$8,401.09	\$3,445.67
Vine Hill	\$15,717.00	\$15,267.00	\$3,539.00
Wakefield	\$442.31	\$495.84	\$0.00
Wickland	\$10,428.85	\$12,084.50	\$6,340.95
Subtotals	\$375,249.75	\$386,812.10	\$189,857.84

Northern KY Association

Anchor	\$3,963.25	\$3,775.87	\$0.00
Ashland Avenue	\$10,021.65	\$10,542.93	\$3,412.66
Beaver Lick	\$1,993.98	\$4,496.00	\$2,861.69
Beechgrove	\$4,648.00	\$4,075.00	\$144.54
Bellevue	\$25,451.00	\$23,791.00	\$3,641.00
Bellevue First	\$9,549.64	\$9,550.00	\$2,689.00
Bethesda	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$670.10
Big Bone	\$32,649.64	\$34,044.22	\$24,287.13
Brooksville	\$2,136.10	\$1,574.17	\$551.45
Bullittsburg	\$10,580.67	\$7,191.13	\$565.00
Burlington	\$77,918.40	\$63,415.73	\$13,485.00
Church at the Garden of Hope	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cold Spring First	\$14,208.41	\$46,117.28	\$6,758.62
Cornerstone	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Covington First	\$3,131.13	\$2,975.44	\$1,062.20
Covington First (Ninth Street)	\$528.00	\$528.00	\$0.00
Crescent Springs	\$7,243.55	\$7,576.00	\$1,724.00
Dayton First	\$1,334.52	\$2,915.00	\$1,860.10
Decoursey	\$8,043.97	\$3,308.00	\$2,269.75
East Dayton	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$815.50
Elsmere	\$8,775.78	\$5,945.11	\$2,375.16
Erlanger	\$40,237.60	\$29,748.49	\$31,271.77
Erlanger Bapt Deaf Mission	\$630.00	\$770.00	\$0.00
Fairlane	\$11,334.64	\$5,152.14	\$4,564.36
First Twelve Mile	\$12,187.47	\$13,126.02	\$1,612.37
Flagg Spring	\$525.00	\$523.10	\$0.00
Florence	\$13,546.00	\$14,069.53	\$136,908.70
Fort Mitchell	\$22,671.34	\$22,892.24	\$0.00
Fort Thomas First	\$1,251.43	\$5,000.00	\$9,307.74
Grace	\$10,014.20	\$7,911.61	\$5,115.79
Grace Dry Ridge	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Grants Lick	\$20,835.12	\$18,441.53	\$12,067.75
Greenview	\$18,451.59	\$17,317.32	\$3,986.00
Hebron	\$26,959.77	\$30,770.57	\$12,270.95
Hickory Grove	\$46,788.54	\$56,801.46	\$5,088.00
Highland Avenue	\$760.00	\$840.00	\$785.00
Highland Heights First	\$16,833.64	\$17,306.33	\$2,733.32
Highland Hills	\$14,083.19	\$5,183.38	\$1,050.00
Kento-Boo	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$0.00
Kenton	\$7,729.75	\$8,842.01	\$3,092.38
Latonia	\$7,124.48	\$9,805.19	\$5,414.54
Licking Valley	\$4,528.56	\$4,848.38	\$1,049.00
Ludlow First	\$1,150.00	\$9,156.10	\$2,797.00
Macedonia Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Madison Avenue	\$1,250.00	\$1,150.00	\$2,990.00
Main Street	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$53,473.96
Mentor	\$3,656.00	\$3,684.00	\$2,230.37
New Banklick	\$10,466.82	\$8,597.92	\$48.00
Newport First	\$5,397.00	\$3,499.84	\$1,703.50
Ninth Street	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Oak Island	\$1,568.15	\$1,543.25	\$1,056.00
Oak Ridge	\$40,533.87	\$46,414.42	\$5,311.21
Oakland Avenue	\$1,478.93	\$2,008.40	\$2,838.50
Persimmon Grove	\$1,000.00	\$1,340.00	\$928.15
Petersburg	\$1,837.03	\$2,231.51	\$0.00
Piner	\$3,996.00	\$5,332.00	\$1,110.00
Pleasant Ridge	\$12,611.78	\$11,959.25	\$4,604.45
Rosedale	\$2,835.01	\$2,884.00	\$647.00
Sand Run	\$10,127.62	\$8,341.78	\$1,222.27
Second Twelve Mile	\$8,036.64	\$8,862.85	\$1,618.50
Silver Grove First	\$1,114.79	\$1,429.15	\$344.00
South Side	\$2,469.37	\$2,600.00	\$1,503.75
Trinity	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Union	\$29,880.07	\$32,769.00	\$1,500.00
United in Christ	\$0.00	\$200.14	\$0.00
Visalia	\$732.00	\$601.00	\$180.00
Walton First	\$27,512.78	\$28,579.79	\$6,867.60
West Covington	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,838.50
Wilmington	\$8,329.39	\$7,190.55	\$1,837.75
Woodhaven	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,085.00
Subtotals	\$686,447.26	\$694,947.03	\$403,210.77

Ohio County Association

Adaburg	\$558.67	\$566.07	\$150.00
Barnett Creek	\$3,797.96	\$3,233.86	\$1,300.36
Beaver Dam	\$101,656.19	\$96,414.13	\$13,854.92
Bells Run	\$8,229.00	\$11,051.73	\$3,486.45
Centertown	\$4,704.37	\$6,708.00	\$2,791.72
Central Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Clear Run	\$2,803.86	\$0.00	\$0.00
Concord	\$10,012.84	\$4,722.11	\$75.00
Cool Springs	\$4,484.76	\$378.33	\$3,559.15
Deaneville	\$1,905.19	\$1,941.82	\$647.00
Dundee	\$540.00	\$540.00	\$90.00
East Fork	\$1,074.22	\$948.23	\$0.00
East Hartford	\$601.79	\$729.19	\$0.00
Fairview	\$2,534.50	\$2,879.00	\$25.00
Fordsville	\$11,541.10	\$11,617.95	\$4,405.00
Green River	\$6,577.80	\$5,749.14	\$1,663.55
Hartford	\$23,849.49	\$24,756.49	\$7,005.00
Hartford Second	\$3,317.33	\$3,466.85	\$328.00
Independence	\$2,704.55	\$2,007.88	\$1,388.96
McGrady Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
McHenry	\$17,662.00	\$17,929.00	\$1,055.70
Mount Carmel	\$20,221.82	\$20,456.15	\$13,183.14
Mount Zion	\$300.00	\$50.00	\$0.00
Narrows	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Panther Creek	\$1,284.72	\$1,315.92	\$622.00
New Zion	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$650.00
Olaton	\$931.90	\$663.50	\$349.00
Pleasant Grove	\$2,135.42	\$2,253.05	\$145.83
Pleasant Hill	\$2,484.80	\$2,113.00	\$151.00
Pond Run	\$3,208.50	\$4,358.90	\$841.00
Providence	\$4,948.06	\$5,627.97	\$1,539.73
Ridgecrest	\$5,139.44	\$5,520.13	\$1,921.58
Rockport	\$2,032.44	\$1,998.78	\$468.00
Slaty Creek	\$3,120.18	\$3,606.09	\$911.21
Smallhouse	\$1,102.65	\$1,164.57	\$200.00
Waltons Creek	\$1,554.06	\$1,595.51	\$451.00
West Point	\$84.89	\$77.96	\$4,015.25
West Providence	\$2,470.61	\$2,277.60	\$1,520.00
Woodwards Valley	\$7,975.00	\$12,084.50	\$500.00
Zion	\$4,175.82	\$4,142.98	\$1,159.25
Subtotals	\$260,545.93	\$253,930.89	\$70,449.45

Ohio River Association

Baker	\$813.00	\$434.00	\$0.00
Birdsville	\$1,571.87	\$1,440.00	\$181.00
Caldwell Springs	\$3,604.53	\$3,837.83	\$500.00
Calvary	\$2,971.69	\$0.00	\$0.00
Carrsville	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cave Springs	\$226.00	\$269.58	\$100.00
Central	\$207.67	\$214.96	\$0.00
Corinth	\$600.00	\$650.00	\$0.00
Crooked Creek	\$1,906.82	\$1,743.79	\$250.00
Deer Creek	\$9,659.94	\$8,106.77	\$1,640.45
Dunn Springs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dycusburg	\$5,578.52	\$6,105.92	\$433.13
Dyer Hill	\$4,096.77	\$6,404.09	\$715.00
Emmanuel	\$18,119.49	\$21,291.62	\$

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Russell County Association			
Clear Springs	\$660.00	\$660.00	\$1,200.08
Clearfork	\$1,950.00	\$1,800.00	\$0.00
Dunville First	\$0.00	\$686.63	\$0.00
Fairview	\$8,754.83	\$11,385.30	\$19,971.12
Friendship	\$5,339.03	\$5,664.94	\$3,469.59
Indian Hill	\$596.19	\$511.60	\$65.00
Jamestown First	\$15,180.96	\$16,100.77	\$2,987.00
Liberty	\$13,666.49	\$19,451.31	\$3,473.12
Mount Olive	\$572.90	\$0.00	\$4,583.22
Mount Vernon	\$4,982.39	\$5,461.17	\$1,145.20
New Victory	\$1,557.19	\$2,624.42	\$0.00
Poplar Grove	\$2,839.00	\$2,203.50	\$0.00
Providence	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Russell Springs First	\$51,511.88	\$27,978.00	\$10,839.05
Welfare	\$5,023.86	\$5,343.77	\$1,989.05
Windsor First	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotals	\$112,634.72	\$99,871.41	\$49,722.43

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Russell Creek Association			
Beech Grove	\$9,215.99	\$9,708.28	\$2,905.00
Bethany	\$1,296.78	\$1,263.02	\$0.00
Bethlehem	\$11,485.20	\$9,759.00	\$0.00
Brush Creek	\$200.00	\$250.00	\$0.00
Cane Valley	\$2,187.26	\$2,176.90	\$4,068.98
Charity	\$1,002.88	\$1,064.88	\$0.00
Columbia	\$38,262.51	\$36,999.02	\$10,376.82
Fry	\$540.00	\$540.00	\$0.00
Greasy Creek	\$10,806.18	\$8,348.36	\$4,873.60
Green Hill	\$1,828.95	\$1,977.98	\$712.00
Greensburg	\$31,240.90	\$18,159.07	\$8,408.00
Harrods Fork	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Macedonia	\$2,802.00	\$1,946.00	\$0.00
Mount Gilead	\$4,044.48	\$5,201.00	\$381.45
New Hope	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
New Salem	\$5,093.38	\$4,707.70	\$977.00
Pierces Chapel	\$255.00	\$321.00	\$850.00
Pink Ridge	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Ridge	\$608.41	\$749.40	\$0.00
Pleasant Valley	\$300.00	\$275.00	\$180.50
Plum Point	\$3,336.31	\$4,981.96	\$0.00
Russell Heights	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
South Greensburg	\$0.00	\$1,107.14	\$237.00
Sparksville	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Sulphur Springs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Summersville	\$10,526.04	\$10,632.42	\$6,018.48
Tammell Creek	\$10,857.11	\$11,816.78	\$4,578.27
Subtotals	\$146,489.38	\$132,084.91	\$44,667.10

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Salem Association			
Big Spring	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$64.00
Blue River Island	\$2,115.83	\$9,697.28	\$0.00
Brandenburg First	\$22,922.15	\$23,728.20	\$9,162.00
Buck Grove	\$26,437.00	\$27,535.83	\$6,955.03
Cold Spring	\$480.00	\$480.00	\$1,210.64
Ekron	\$12,101.80	\$16,959.52	\$6,345.00
Guston	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$118.83
Hill Grove	\$6,830.05	\$8,012.82	\$3,637.15
Irvington	\$1,100.00	\$3,500.00	\$2,829.75
Muldrough	\$18,776.14	\$16,000.00	\$4,415.25
New Brandenburg	\$1,020.00	\$1,020.00	\$1,936.00
New Highland	\$1,147.00	\$1,190.00	\$583.00
New Salem	\$7,154.16	\$7,711.41	\$2,168.31
Payneville	\$1,041.69	\$1,899.17	\$9,950.24
Raymond	\$7,997.06	\$7,799.47	\$842.51
Rock Haven	\$10,504.66	\$12,425.09	\$2,704.48
Salem	\$5,187.70	\$8,523.90	\$3,697.56
West Point	\$2,076.56	\$817.02	\$0.00
Wolf Creek	\$1,759.03	\$2,289.39	\$1,952.66
Subtotals	\$129,650.83	\$150,589.10	\$58,572.41

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Saverns Valley Association			
Agape Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Athertonville	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Barren Run	\$3,053.41	\$3,157.46	\$2,203.62
Berean	\$7,983.44	\$9,737.42	\$4,146.83
Blue Ball	\$2,333.32	\$2,750.00	\$1,374.83
Buffalo	\$16,436.00	\$17,526.42	\$6,742.00
Calvary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cecilia	\$30,765.52	\$28,780.56	\$9,621.77
Central Avenue	\$11,675.84	\$9,259.89	\$2,834.47
Colesburg	\$0.00	\$85.56	\$1,323.47
East View	\$333.04	\$377.38	\$659.78
Elizabethtown	\$19,104.00	\$19,488.00	\$8,726.60
First Korean	\$9,799.80	\$8,510.94	\$1,883.00
Franklin Crossroads	\$53,415.60	\$47,700.79	\$9,989.16
Gilead	\$30,419.85	\$34,423.60	\$4,838.00
Harvest	\$1,148.00	\$1,336.00	\$1,546.81
Heavenbound	\$960.98	\$764.18	\$781.00
Hodgenville First	\$23,272.32	\$23,039.51	\$14,909.88
Immanuel	\$49,977.93	\$52,845.19	\$8,966.47
Locust Grove	\$1,300.00	\$900.00	\$641.73
Magnolia	\$7,708.08	\$7,787.57	\$7,780.50
Middle Creek	\$2,852.12	\$3,444.52	\$1,014.00
Mill Creek	\$22,180.42	\$23,099.52	\$5,701.95
Mount Zion	\$18,101.68	\$22,513.59	\$11,007.05
New Fellowship	\$432.91	\$484.52	\$100.00
New Hope	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,200.00
New Hope Missionary	\$6,278.24	\$5,350.60	\$0.00
New Horizon	\$14,274.50	\$13,226.72	\$2,270.07
New Life	\$3,000.00	\$3,500.00	\$2,041.00
Nolynn	\$3,136.68	\$2,892.54	\$3,280.00
Northside	\$71,109.02	\$54,577.85	\$34,402.40
Ovesen Heights	\$6,938.06	\$6,101.95	\$1,478.00
Parkway	\$5,699.49	\$6,616.14	\$500.00
Pleasant Grove	\$3,386.13	\$2,648.03	\$1,371.40
Red Hill	\$5,697.15	\$7,201.70	\$815.00
Revelation Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rineyville	\$26,417.02	\$25,469.82	\$10,000.16
Round Top	\$4,948.14	\$4,653.75	\$1,720.00
Saverns Valley	\$252,333.46	\$230,922.26	\$69,721.15
Sonora First	\$13,205.84	\$13,086.57	\$26,343.97
Stithton	\$35,995.41	\$3,925.25	\$4,024.87
Tunnel Hill	\$12,516.35	\$11,330.27	\$3,228.88
Unity	\$2,094.28	\$2,345.59	\$709.00
Valley Creek	\$54,501.83	\$64,444.20	\$11,803.45

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Valley View	\$30,550.00	\$38,852.00	\$4,517.50
Vertrees	\$667.21	\$982.74	\$300.00
Vine Grove	\$675.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
White Mills	\$4,200.00	\$4,200.00	\$200.00
Youngers Creek	\$29,033.08	\$35,363.98	\$7,385.48
Subtotals	\$903,111.15	\$859,404.58	\$294,205.25

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Shelby Association			
Alpha Y Omega	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bagdad	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7,341.28
Beechridge	\$1,011.81	\$2,125.63	\$17,188.03
Bethlehem	\$1,856.87	\$3,346.02	\$0.00
Buffalo Lick	\$4,253.09	\$4,359.13	\$1,487.00
Burks Branch	\$23,900.45	\$18,560.28	\$9,887.96
Christiansburg	\$7,007.89	\$5,673.59	\$5,455.00
Clayville	\$5,622.72	\$7,341.20	\$4,826.27
Cropper	\$11,771.30	\$11,714.57	\$3,642.05
Dover	\$8,232.67	\$10,178.43	\$3,622.00
Elmberg	\$525.00	\$1,088.00	\$2,208.00
Ermanuel	\$3,848.03	\$4,224.29	\$1,494.89
Finchville	\$5,320.00	\$1,000.00	\$95.00
Graefenburg	\$45,513.82	\$44,992.15	\$24,231.46
Hempridge	\$3,819.79	\$3,647.86	\$2,753.84
Highland	\$46,440.32	\$56,239.25	\$14,062.85
Indian Fork	\$300.00	\$400.00	\$1,827.00
Little Mount	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,081.36
Mount Moriah	\$7,733.00	\$3,200.00	\$575.00
Mount Pleasant	\$4,012.95	\$4,000.25	\$210.00
Mount Vernon	\$2,790.38	\$2,680.19	\$1,176.00
New Life	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pigeon Fork	\$7,200.00	\$7,280.00	\$3,639.71
Salem	\$20,424.73	\$21,483.44	\$4,563.88
Shelbyville First	\$105,756.88	\$65,969.26	\$26,435.12
Simpsonville	\$54,045.02	\$47,643.73	\$6,354.86
Waddy	\$9,667.88	\$2,285.53	\$0.00
Waddy	\$8,031.94	\$8,830.14	\$5,724.50
Subtotals	\$389,086.54	\$338,262.94	\$152,883.06

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Simpson Association			
Blackjack	\$14,819.20	\$14,437.30	\$1,870.62
Calvary	\$7,166.62	\$12,803.30	\$5,165.10
Cedar Grove	\$2,252.00	\$3,668.00	\$544.00
Fairview	\$1,124.82	\$1,683.65	\$2,484.56
Franklin First	\$40,454.00	\$38,374.40	\$22,543.19
Lake Spring	\$11,126.49	\$11,499.29	\$4,072.00
New Hope	\$4,064.00	\$3,965.00	\$1,585.00
Providence	\$2,200.00	\$0.00	\$2,500.00
Shady Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
South Franklin	\$1,833.33	\$833.35	\$0.00
Sulphur Spring	\$13,750.00	\$17,020.00	\$9,334.96
Trinity	\$1,477.00	\$617.00	\$566.00
Subtotals	\$100,267.46	\$104,901.29	\$50,665.43

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
South District Association			
Beech Fork	\$2,712.16	\$2,244.72	\$441.00
Beech Grove	\$3,960.00	\$4,320.00	\$1,617.70
Calvary	\$32,491.59	\$38,373.40	\$9,354.23
Community	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Danville Deaf Bapt Mission	\$260.00	\$260.00	\$0.00
Danville First	\$12,895.67	\$13,027.47	\$7,705.00
Doctors Fork	\$8,918.48	\$8,563.12	\$2,389.00
Friendship	\$2,600.00	\$2,200.00	\$1,180.00
Gethsemane	\$36,276.16	\$35,531.65	\$6,195.32
Gravel Switch	\$13,605.45	\$2,763.30	\$590.52
Hedgeville	\$19,559.00	\$21,478.00	\$12,341.85
Hyattsville	\$27,420.67	\$25,610.45	\$2,831.64
Junction City First	\$21,103.00	\$24,247.18	\$4,471.42
Lancaster	\$64,251.08	\$75,948.30	\$7,924.57
Lancaster Hispanic Mission	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mitchellsburg	\$3,463.72	\$1,549.38	\$0.00
North Rolling Fork	\$1,410.32	\$955.90	\$2,095.00
Parkville	\$5,761.22	\$5,179.89	\$2,903.14
Perryville	\$28,716.65	\$25,097.23	\$7,159.00
Pleasant Hill	\$896.76	\$1,239.57	\$0.00
Pleasant Run	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Salt River	\$1,171.26	\$5,467.19	\$3,310.81
Southern Heights	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Southwestern Heights Hispanic Min.	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Willow Grove	\$20,934.59	\$24,992.22	\$18,824.10
Subtotals	\$296,062.78	\$317,068.97	\$91,334.30

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
South Union-Mount Zion Association			
Alsie	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Antioch	\$784.85	\$297.72	\$0.00
Bacon Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,351.00
Bethlehem	\$2,140.00	\$981.00	\$699.00
Big Cane Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Buffalo	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00
Calvary	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Cedar Gap	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Central	\$167,287.03	\$182,389.36	\$37,063.59
Chapel Grove	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$0.00
Clay Hill	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$250.00
Corinth	\$3,198.70	\$3,109.51	\$1,430.00
Corn Creek	\$833.53		

ASSOCIATION/ CHURCH	COP 2005-2006	COP 2006-2007	OTHER 2006-2007
Pansy Missionary	\$911.00	\$973.00	\$300.00
Pine Flat	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Putney	\$164.62	\$146.08	\$0.00
Red Bud	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
River Ridge	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Riverside	\$41.73	\$0.00	\$629.03
Sunshine	\$580.00	\$518.00	\$0.00
Teetersville	\$8,502.92	\$9,934.87	\$14,370.05
Totz	\$5,579.81	\$5,809.66	\$0.00
Turner Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Verda First	\$130.00	\$50.00	\$1,030.00
Wallins	\$1,247.60	\$1,138.50	\$725.00
West Cumberland	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Willow Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Yucum Creek	\$1,018.28	\$795.63	\$739.04
Subtotals	\$118,733.63	\$118,808.22	\$53,248.80

Warren Association

Andrew	\$650.00	\$450.00	\$418.00
Barren River	\$2,880.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,305.51
Bethany	\$9,214.75	\$10,862.37	\$3,322.42
Bowling Green First	\$34,000.00	\$31,575.00	\$63,411.37
Brownsville Missionary	\$9,686.00	\$3,600.00	\$21,815.00
Burton Memorial	\$7,058.34	\$6,575.86	\$2,478.84
Calvary	\$3,600.00	\$11,363.17	\$8,417.45
Cedar Bluff	\$190.24	\$201.75	\$0.00
Clear Fork	\$11,317.90	\$5,654.88	\$3,572.00
Covenant Ministries	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dedicated	\$462.00	\$546.00	\$590.00
Eastwood	\$166,126.03	\$186,903.11	\$91,715.87
Emmanuel Baptist Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Faith	\$893.17	\$1,095.05	\$150.00
Forest Park	\$17,467.49	\$18,649.04	\$5,898.65
Friendship	\$4,240.56	\$4,001.77	\$2,290.00
Glen Lily	\$1,018.81	\$1,047.27	\$2,668.13
Glendale	\$2,200.00	\$700.00	\$2,701.11
Greenwood	\$25,018.77	\$26,727.36	\$6,731.35
Halls Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Highland	\$1,486.51	\$1,006.30	\$1,664.55
Hillview	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hillvue Heights	\$80,004.00	\$94,668.00	\$0.00
Iva	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
Jackson Grove	\$90.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Lawrence Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Living Hope	\$407,938.76	\$417,356.09	\$59,802.00
Martinsville	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Meadow Land	\$6,047.26	\$12,504.42	\$1,793.00
New Gasper	\$675.00	\$600.00	\$1,015.17
Oak Forest	\$0.00	\$206.80	\$222.09
Oak Forest	\$8,877.59	\$8,406.29	\$4,980.00
Oakland	\$32,586.72	\$37,492.89	\$4,554.61
Plano	\$4,528.35	\$5,544.00	\$1,147.00
Pleasant Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Providence Knob	\$5,860.68	\$5,668.95	\$1,538.50
Rich Pond	\$116,409.23	\$133,099.98	\$38,068.74
Richardsville	\$2,489.34	\$3,061.41	\$2,191.00
Riverview Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rocky Springs	\$4,779.27	\$6,039.48	\$777.00
Scottsville Road	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Smiths Grove	\$11,499.86	\$11,499.96	\$2,330.00
Southside	\$5,449.23	\$4,888.01	\$1,114.22
State Street	\$350.00	\$725.00	\$0.00
White Stone Quarry	\$990.00	\$1,591.00	\$4,494.00
Woodburn	\$31,821.48	\$30,325.83	\$23,780.50
Subtotals	\$1,020,507.34	\$1,087,837.04	\$368,958.08

Wayne County Association

Big Sinking	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,462.96
Concord	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Cooper	\$1,619.97	\$1,384.16	\$438.66
Elk Spring Valley	\$3,050.55	\$3,597.89	\$2,773.17
Green Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Lower Turkey Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Meadow Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Missouri Hollow	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Monticello First	\$26,400.00	\$33,600.00	\$28,812.85
Mount Zion	\$4,030.00	\$4,080.00	\$3,462.00
New Charity	\$531.24	\$450.00	\$1,727.00
New Salem	\$2,132.00	\$2,245.00	\$2,720.00
Newtown	\$1,036.58	\$1,115.00	\$217.00
Oak Grove	\$2,802.12	\$2,988.04	\$5,497.04
Parmleys Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Primera Bautista Iglesia	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rectors Flat	\$2,418.00	\$2,140.00	\$350.81
Rogers Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Sandusky Chapel	\$1,680.00	\$1,440.00	\$0.00
South Main	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$300.00
Spann Hill	\$985.95	\$1,001.49	\$2,037.00
Staubenville	\$18,957.78	\$16,679.13	\$1,480.00
Subtotals	\$66,444.19	\$71,420.71	\$51,278.49

West Kentucky Association

Antioch	\$1,475.50	\$1,589.30	\$0.00
Arlington First	\$6,996.00	\$8,499.96	\$25,182.25
Bardwell	\$30,187.35	\$31,256.90	\$11,926.13
Bethlehem	\$13,400.00	\$12,600.00	\$1,621.00
Beulah	\$18,030.44	\$21,736.62	\$973.11
Burkley	\$600.00	\$650.00	\$330.00
Cayce	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00
Clinton First	\$30,000.00	\$29,066.69	\$9,941.00
Clinton Second	\$2,313.00	\$2,331.00	\$5,719.00
Columbus	\$6,601.04	\$6,312.58	\$756.68
Crutchfield	\$3,035.26	\$2,891.43	\$559.42
Davids Chapel	\$1,794.00	\$2,334.00	\$0.00
East Hickman	\$794.00	\$839.00	\$2,213.79
Fulton First	\$22,947.39	\$14,568.81	\$7,096.69
Green Valley Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hickman First	\$1,969.28	\$4,069.87	\$885.00
Hopewell	\$171.74	\$142.15	\$426.45
Kirbyton	\$2,489.15	\$3,306.10	\$4,122.60
Liberty	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,753.00
Milburn First	\$8,773.60	\$7,556.68	\$668.00
Mississippi	\$14,417.00	\$13,816.80	\$5,435.91
Moscow	\$5,072.58	\$3,248.35	\$2,985.00
Mount Carmel	\$3,600.00	\$4,000.00	\$6,692.31
Mount Moriah	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$2,571.60

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New Bethel	\$1,754.00	\$1,894.00	\$555.66
New Harmony	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,500.00
New Hope	\$3,164.29	\$0.00	\$0.00
Oak Grove	\$822.25	\$962.50	\$0.00
Oakton	\$550.00	\$550.00	\$1,350.00
Obion	\$660.00	\$660.00	\$100.00
Poplar Grove	\$100.00	\$1,025.00	\$555.00
Riceville	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$2,450.00
Sassafras Ridge	\$2,522.72	\$2,361.29	\$607.68
Shiloh	\$1,200.00	\$1,300.00	\$491.50
Springhills	\$3,070.85	\$2,836.70	\$2,100.00
West Hickman	\$9,999.96	\$9,999.96	\$6,400.00
Subtotals	\$205,111.40	\$200,105.69	\$109,968.78

West Union Association

Antioch	\$12,543.37	\$13,353.42	\$7,350.48
Bandana	\$1,100.00	\$2,500.00	\$5,888.00
Barlow First	\$36,091.39	\$38,820.97	\$5,353.85
Bellview	\$25,058.62	\$32,190.44	\$19,136.65
Bethel	\$368.78	\$231.10	\$223.59
Bethlehem	\$475.00	\$550.00	\$300.00
Blandville	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$759.47
Cane Creek	\$275.00	\$325.00	\$1,207.28
East	\$8,000.00	\$7,083.34	\$2,391.00
Faith	\$7,742.93	\$6,783.00	\$1,351.00
First Liberty	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$75.00
Freemont	\$870.34	\$964.00	\$150.00
Friendship	\$6,132.47	\$9,186.05	\$4,002.51
Grace	\$2,485.66	\$2,465.57	\$637.00
Harmony	\$8,290.57	\$9,932.90	\$3,578.30
Highview	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hill Crest	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Immanuel	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$24,511.75
Kevil	\$12,814.11	\$15,210.28	\$2,829.00
LaCenter First	\$29,864.00	\$31,053.00	\$3,395.00
Lone Oak First	\$200,109.44	\$256,188.41	\$67,331.01
Lovelandville	\$1,175.82	\$1,452.11	\$619.17
Mount Pleasant	\$3,917.00	\$3,486.00	\$1,500.00
Mount Zion	\$23,260.83	\$24,649.94	\$748.00
New Hope	\$220.00	\$240.00	\$373.00
New Life	\$456.92	\$643.87	\$0.00
Newton Creek	\$16,725.88	\$19,036.72	\$3,137.74
Oak Grove	\$465.42	\$139.21	\$0.00
Oaklawn	\$22,923.22	\$20,794.23	\$10,079.15
Ohio Valley	\$6,502.84	\$3,215.02	\$3,118.00
Olivet	\$44,496.33	\$38,382.70	\$8,565.50
Oscar	\$7,216.18	\$7,310.69	\$2,347.77
Paducah First	\$153,747.96	\$159,498.55	\$78,379.98
Park Avenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Providence	\$2,750.93	\$3,469.00	\$792.00
Reidland	\$74,304.81	\$57,523.00	\$16,313.95
Rosebower	\$54,294.11	\$38,726.82	\$5,404.50
Schneidman Road	\$225.00	\$350.00	\$100.00
Southside	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,870.35
Spring Bayou	\$13,200.00	\$13,200.00	\$2,399.50
Temple	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$91.00
Trinity	\$14,123.41	\$15,114.32	\$11,193.54
Twelve Oaks	\$26,644.47	\$43,770.46	\$27,076.00
Washington Street	\$1,650.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
West End	\$13,350.01	\$14,666.65	\$4,162.81
Wice	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
Wickliffe First	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$574.25
Subtotals	\$837,922.82	\$896,906.77	\$329,617.10

Whites Run Association

Bramlette	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Carrollton First	\$10,748.29	\$11,081.21	\$6,223.82
Cove Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,142.39
English	\$1,445.00	\$1,756.97	\$1,327.22
Ghent	\$594.56	\$622.22	\$7,130.78
Jordan	\$874.17	\$933.00	\$0.00
Mount Hermon	\$4,081.14	\$3,675.88	\$871.00
Sanders	\$3,250.00	\$2,750.00	\$480.00
Whites Run	\$2,692.00	\$2,712.76	\$945.00
Worthville	\$8,201.00	\$10,244.00	\$4,510.98
Subtotals	\$31,886.16	\$33,776.04	\$23,631.19

At-Large

Abundant Life	\$1,246.00	\$1,101.00	\$50.00
Allen Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Antioch	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Ashland First	\$8,445.40	\$9,838.50	\$5,628.00
Athens	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Aurora	\$4,870.59	\$5,245.73	\$3,115.43
Baptist Worship Center	\$0.00	\$1,458.18	\$150.00
Beaver Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Beech Spring	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Belmar	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Benton First	\$45,768.47	\$36,609.51	\$11,145.40
Benton First Missionary	\$18,886.79	\$12,696.94	\$6,902.58
Bethel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bethel Berry	\$0.00	\$550.00	\$0.00
Big Brush	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Big Laurel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Kentucky Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Black Water First	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Blue Lick	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bracktown First	\$950.00	\$1,350.00	\$0.00
Broadway	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$525.00
Calvary Missionary	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvary Road	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Calvert City First	\$0.00	\$1,456.71	\$29,501.81
Canaan Christian	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Carpenter	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cedar Creek	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$175.00
Cedar Cross	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cedar Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Center Point	\$3,755.91	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
Central	\$585.87	\$1,799.93	\$3,745.28
Charity	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
Christ	\$61,102.56	\$56,791.11	\$18,505.09
Christ Cathedral	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Christ City	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$0.00

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Christ is King	\$0.00	\$350.00	\$162.00
Church of Life	\$210.00	\$315.00	\$0.00
Clear Branch	\$18.73	\$40.58	\$0.00
Clear Creek Community	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Coalport	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Community	\$1,792.07	\$2,120.41	\$1,016.00
Community	\$459.00	\$350.00	\$0.00
Community Fellowship	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cooper Chapel Road	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Corinthian	\$1,200.00	\$500.00	\$0.00
Cornerstone	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$591.36
Cornerstone	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$0.00
Crossing	\$3,114.85	\$3,605.02	\$100.00
Crossland	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Crosspoint	\$0.00	\$2,750.72	\$0.00
Crossroads	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Crossroads Fellowship	\$1,919.74	\$249.99	\$605.00
Crossroads to the Nations	\$1,669.43	\$2,097.51	\$0.00
Cub Run	\$0.0		

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If you would like Kentucky Baptists to join in praying for a ministry of your church or association, please send the information to Eric Allen at Eric.Allen@kybaptist.org or call (866) 489-3530.

MOUNTAINS TO THE MISSISSIPPI

COMPILED BY STAFF

■ **BARDSTOWN**—Mark Stuart, pastor of Mill Creek Church, and Matt McBee, minister of music, recently resigned.

■ **Tobby Smith**, pastor of First Cedar Creek Church, was ordained to the gospel ministry Sept. 30.

■ **BEREA**—Bethel Church will hold revival services Nov. 18-21, 7 p.m., with Phil Glisson as evangelist. Kenny Davis is pastor.

■ **CERULEAN**—Cerulean Church will hold revival services Nov. 7-10 with Kent Workman as evangelist. For more information, call (270) 235-5847.

■ **GREENSBURG**—South Greensburg Church will host a Bible conference Nov. 16-18, 6 p.m. Guest speakers will include Skip Alexander, Jason Cate-neir, Shaun Caudill, Sam Feazel, Kyle Franklin and L.C. Gray. For more information, call (270) 932-7054.

■ **LEXINGTON**—Boone's Creek Church recently hosted homecoming services to celebrate its 222nd anniversary. Matthew Perry is pastor.

■ **LOUISVILLE**—Cloverleaf Church will host the Southern gospel quartet The Dixie Melody Boys Nov. 18, 7 p.m. For more information, call (502) 367-0218.

Susan Wilder recently resigned as weekday preschool director for

Spotlight on ...

Greensburg



Greensburg Church will hold a dedication service for its new building Nov. 11. Activities include a fellowship meal and former pastors speaking throughout the day. For more information, call (270) 932-4495.

St. Matthews Church to accept a teaching position with Christian Academy of Louisville. Les Hollon is pastor.

■ **OWENSBORO**—Bellevue Church will host a Harvest Festival Oct. 31, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

■ **RICHMOND**—Red House Church will host a two-day "Kingdom Growth" revival Nov. 10-11 with Bobby Eklund as evangelist. For more information, call (859) 623-8471.

■ **WILLIAMSBURG**—First Church ordained Virginia Arnett and Bill Conn as deacons Oct. 28.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

November

2-3 International Student Conference, Cave City Convention Center.

3 101 Workshop, Bellevue Baptist Church, Owensboro.

12 Kentucky Baptist Youth Ministers Association Fall Meeting, Northside Baptist Church, Elizabethtown.

12 Kentucky Baptist Pastors' Conference, Severns Valley Baptist Church, Elizabethtown.

12 KBC Mission Board, Severns Valley Baptist Church, Elizabethtown.

13-14 KBC Annual Meeting, Severns Valley Baptist Church, Elizabethtown.

16-18 All-State Junior High Choir, Campbellsville University.

For more information, call (800) 266-6477 or visit www.kybaptist.org

Cumberlands to present fall musical

Williamsburg—University of the Cumberlands' theatre arts department will present the musical "Quilters" Nov. 1-4 and 8-10.

Quilters will be performed in the school's Kohn Theatre Nov. 1-3 and 8-10 at 7:30 p.m., with a matinee performance Nov. 4 at 2 p.m.

The story of a pioneer woman and her family, Quilters presents a portrait of pioneer women through the quilts they created to protect, comfort and sustain their loved ones on the frontier.

"This production is unlike anything we have ever attempted at Cumberlands," noted Malissa Kano-White, director of theatre arts. "It has given me the opportunity to

work with 12 extraordinary women in creation of a theatrical quilt. It really is a living tapestry told in words, dance and song.

"What I hope each of us will all take away from this play is the knowledge that each of us has the choice of what to make of the life we are given," she added. "We can choose to simply cover ourselves as best we can or we can piece together comfort to enrich our lives with color, pattern and design."

In addition to Kano-White's role as director, David Etter is the musical director and Moe Conn is the production designer.

For ticket information, call (606) 539-4535.

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SEEKING: Full-time minister to youth and college students for Pleasant View Baptist Church, Waynesburg, Ky. Responsibilities include developing a comprehensive ministry of outreach and discipleship for middle school and high school students and ministry to the families of those students; providing spiritual growth opportunities for college-age young adults; assisting with pastoral care ministries. Ability to build and maintain effective working relationships with church members and staff is important. Having a heart for God and the truth of His Word is required. Send resumé to: Search Team, Pleasant View Baptist Church, 13571 Ky. Hwy. 1247, Waynesburg, KY 40489.

SEEKING: Part-time minister to students. Contact Maple Grove, 5911 East Manslick Road, Louisville, KY 40219; or e-mail mgbcc@insightbb.com.

SEEKING: Part-time secretary (20-25 hours per week), Palestine Baptist Church in Campbellsville, Ky. Call the church at (270) 789-0765 for a job description; or send resumé to: Secretary Search Committee, Palestine Baptist Church, 80 Church Lane, Campbellsville, KY 42718; or e-mail to thebbc@alltel.net.

SEEKING: Senior pastor for Southern Baptist church. Send resumé to: Pastor Search Committee, 808 Bourne Ave., Somerset, KY 42501.

SEEKING: Pastor for Baptist church in Kentucky's golden triangle (Carroll/Owen/Gallatin line). Salary, housing, benefits. Resumé: Doug Robinson, 1640 Southfork, Owenton, KY 40359; or sbc0907@hotmail.com. EEO.

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SEEKING: Minister to students for Crestwood Baptist Church. For more information, visit www.crestwoodbaptist.org. E-mail resumé to Bill Ellis at bill@crestwoodbaptist.org.

SEEKING: Part-time youth minister to work primarily with 6th-12th grade students. If interested, mail resumé to: Symsonia Baptist Church, PO Box 343, Symsonia, KY 42082.

SEEKING: Bivocational pastor for small church in Cannonsburg area. If interested, send resumé to: Liberty Missionary Baptist Church, 12835 Copley Road, Ashland, KY 41102. Telephone: (606) 928-6611.

SEEKING: Part-time minister of music (12-20 hours a week) for Cecilia Baptist Church. Experienced individual with knowledge of music, directing congregation and choir. Send resumé to Cecilia Baptist Church, 416 East Main St., Cecilia, KY 42724, Attn: Personnel Committee; or e-mail resumé to church@cecilia-baptist.com.

SEEKING: Minister of administration for Crestwood Baptist Church. For more information, visit www.crestwoodbaptist.org. E-mail resumé to Bill Ellis at bill@crestwoodbaptist.org.

SEEKING: Full-time minister of education and administration for Campbellsville Baptist Church. Experience and seminary degree required. Send resumé to: Search Committee, Campbellsville Baptist Church, PO Box 530, Campbellsville, KY 42719.

SEEKING: Full-time director of missions for Blackford and Breckinridge Baptist associations. Resumé may be submitted to the associational office at 404 Elm St., Cloverport, KY 40111; or to thebaptistassoc@bell-south.net. Resumé will be accepted until Nov. 20, 2007.

SEEKING: Full-time senior pastor for Siloam Baptist Church, Glasgow, Ky. Parsonage furnished. Please send resumé with cover letter to: Siloam Baptist Church, 517 Siloam Road, Glasgow, KY 42141. For more information, call (270) 646-0079 or 646-8128.

SEEKING: Full-time pastor who loves the Lord and has a passion for His work and a devotion to missions/outreach. Whitley City First Baptist Church is a small but growing church in rural south-central Kentucky. If God so leads, please send resumé to: Pastor Search Committee, WCFBC, PO Box 670, Whitley City, KY 42653; e-mail to fbwc@highland.net; or call Amy at (606) 376-2418.

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The Halloween debate

Some Christians are torn about what to do with Halloween—ignore or evangelize?

By Heather Donckels
Religion News Service

Thornton, Colo. (RNS)—Cindy Cathcart was angry with God and on the brink of divorce and suicide on Oct. 30, 1998, when her nephew dragged her to "Hell House."

Though raised Lutheran, she had repeatedly refused her sister's invitations to come to church and had no desire for a relationship with God. All of that changed as she walked through Hell House.

Hell Houses are intended to scare people into repentance. Participants walk through several scenes depicting the consequences of things such as abortion, homosexuality and drunkenness.

"As I went from scene to scene ... (God) just started working on my heart and showing me that it's not Him that caused this," Cathcart said. "It was the lack of having God in my life."

By the time she reached the heaven scene, Cathcart was on her knees, begging God for forgiveness and asking Jesus for salvation.

While some Christians aren't certain what to make of Halloween—unsure whether to embrace or ignore all the goblins and ghoulishness—some evangelical churches use Oct. 31 as a day to evangelize.

"Hell House is not a celebration of Halloween," said Pastor Keenan Roberts of New Destiny Christian Center in Thornton, Colo., which created Hell House as an outreach tool in 1995. "It's not even a Halloween event. It is the church taking advantage of America's cultural influence of the haunted house."

"Turn on the light"

Like Roberts, Terry Long, pastor of Calvary Chapel in Salt Lake City, believes the church can turn Halloween into something good. "Instead of cursing the darkness," he said, "just turn on the light."

Each year, Long's church hosts a Halloween-alternative "Hallelujah Party." Kim Giebler, who coordinates the event, cited Romans 12:21 as their theme: "Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good."

The annual Hallelujah Party allows about 1,000 kids to experience the usual Halloween costumes and candy, but also includes an invitation for them to ask Jesus to be their Savior.

Though many people at Calvary Chapel participate in the party, some stay home. Long has no condemnation for people who opt out of the Halloween alternative; rather, he encourages them to pray for the event's success.

Mike Gilbert-Smith, assistant pastor at Capitol Hill Baptist Church in Washington, D.C., said that although his church does not sponsor a Halloween alternative, church members have found their own ways of dealing with the holiday.

Some use trick-or-treating as an evangelistic opportunity, giving out Bible tracts with candy. Others celebrate Reformation Day, recognizing Oct. 31 as the day Martin Luther nailed the 95 Theses to the church door and sparked the Protestant Reformation.

Challenging decision

A father of three, Gilbert-Smith said he and his family do not celebrate Halloween. He doesn't see a point in doing so, and would have to have some positive reasons before getting involved.

Still, Gilbert-Smith knows the decision of whether or not to celebrate—or even recognize—Halloween can be a challenge for some Christians. He suggested people ask themselves one question: "What would your involvement or non-involvement be telling people about your stance toward evil?"

On the night of Oct. 31, Doug Phillips will spend the evening like he would on any other night: with "family devotions." Phillips, president of Vision Forum, a Texas-based organization dedicated to restoring biblical family values, may tell his eight children stories about Martin Luther and other reformers, but other than that, life will run as normal.

Phillips enjoyed Halloween celebrations as a child, but when he became a Christian, he decided they



SCARED SINLESS A scene from "Hell House" at the New Destiny Christian Center in Thornton, Colo. "Hell House" is used as an evangelism tool by some churches during Halloween to show people the consequences of sin. (RNS photo courtesy of New Destiny Christian Center)

were "unwise and inconsistent with biblical Christianity."

"It's about what saith the Scripture," he said. "Go to the Bible and ask yourself the question: If all I had was the Bible to lead me to a wise conclusion, where would I end up?"

While Phillips commended sharing Bible tracts with neighbors on Halloween, he doesn't think Christians should take on "the exteriors of ... the occult" to reach non-Christians. "When it comes to evangelism, it isn't anything goes," he said.

Perhaps, noted Steve Russo, author of "Halloween: What's a Christian to Do?", but on one of the darkest nights of the year, "why not talk about the light of the world, Jesus?" he asked.

Russo said he doesn't think Christians need to completely abandon traditional Halloween activities. Rather, he thinks they can find a

"balanced, reasonable approach to Halloween" without celebrating its darker aspects.

Russo's 11-year-old daughter plans to go trick-or-treating this year, an activity Russo pointed out can be safe and fun with parental monitoring.

Almost a decade after her conversion, Cathcart is still married and now serves as a Bible study coordinator at Roberts' church. Rather than trick-or-treating, she opts for helping with Hell House on Halloween.

"Sometimes we have to use extreme measures to save people," Cathcart said. "After all, if someone were in a burning house, would you quietly say, 'Come out, you will die'? No. You would run in there with your arms waving and screaming to the top of your lungs, grabbing them if need be, to save them from an untimely death."

Consider these Halloween alternatives

By Carolyn Ross Tomlin
Courtesy of LifeWay.com

From church events to neighborhood functions, here are several fun Halloween alternatives for your entire family:

Plan a family celebration. Invite grandparents and other relatives for a fun evening at home. If your child is 2 or younger, a family celebration might keep your child from getting overwhelmed by strangers or tired at a larger function or from walking.

Go to a church event. Many churches have harvest festivals or events publicized as Halloween alternatives. If your church does not have an event, other churches nearby may be open to guests.

Plan a progressive Halloween party. Organize a progressive event in the safety of some of your friends' homes. Arrange for children to eat a meal at the first home, play games at the next and eat dessert at the last stop. Everyone joins in the work and expense.

Schedule a neighborhood party. This event could be close to home but for the community at large to enjoy a few games and treats.

Themes and costumes

Design a "Noah's Ark Party." Every creature in the animal kingdom is available as a potential costume. You can purchase inexpensive fleece material in the color of the animal for the costume. Use fabric paint to add details. Instead of a mask, use face paint to draw a mouth, eyebrows and other animal features.

Plan a "Heroes of the Bible Party." Children can choose a biblical person and most costumes can be made by draping material to make a robe. Use a belt or rope to tie the costume around the waist.

Suggest a "Cartoon Friends Party." Children can dress up as their favorite cartoon characters. Provide material and fabric paint and use your imagination to make a costume.

Games

■ Young children will enjoy a candy treasure hunt where candy is hidden in plain sight.

■ Older children will enjoy the opportunity to role-play as the animal, Bible person or cartoon character as they are dressed.

■ Play a variety of games that are common to festivals such as cake walk, ring toss and apple bobbing. Provide candy prizes for each of the events.

Food

Involve children in making food for the event. Check for food allergies before serving any food to children. Younger children should not be given treats that are choking hazards.

Take-home bags

Involve children in creating take-home bags. Give small paper bags, markers, chenille stems, cotton balls and construction paper. Guide children to create bags that match their costumes. You may include a Bible verse or an invitation to your church in each bag.

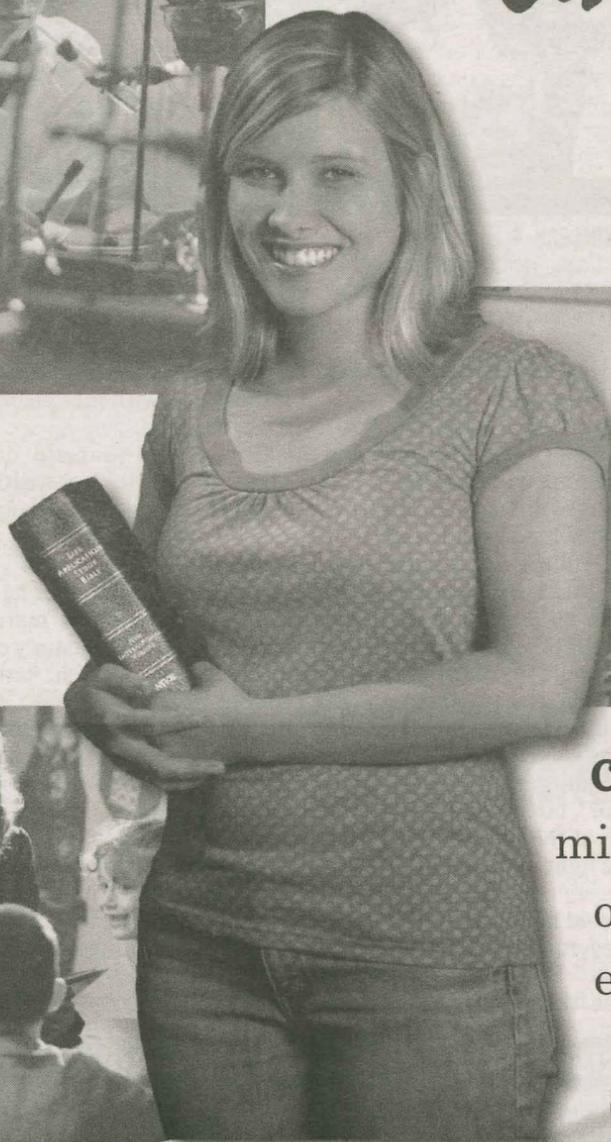
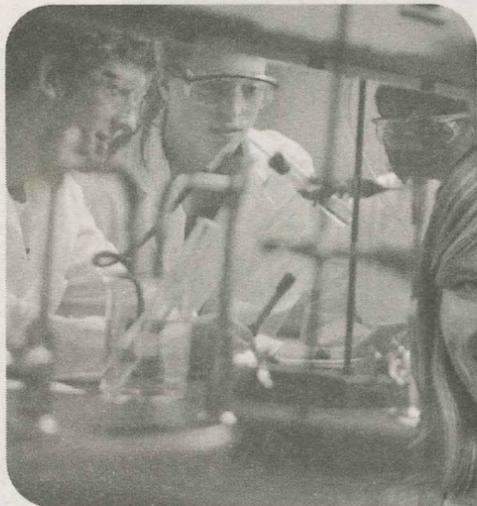


CELEBRATING THE LIGHT Children attend the Halloween-alternative "Hallelujah Party" at Calvary Chapel in Salt Lake City. Organizers of the event cited Romans 12:21 as their theme: "Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good." (RNS photo courtesy of Calvary Chapel)

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