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Despise not Small Beginnings

Many beautiful bouquets of Spring begin with tiny buds. Much like the various ministries we've been called to. Our divine assignments often seem insignificant when compared to others. But remember, we can only compare our life's work to God's Word. After all, obedience is better than sacrifice. So stay focused so you can stay faithful.

"Do not despise these small beginnings, for the Lord rejoices to see the work begin" (Zechariah 4:10, NLT) is a biblical reminder to value initial, humble steps and trust that God can grow them into great outcomes. It encourages persistence, faith, and patience in early stages, highlighting that God values the process, not just the final result.

Zechariah 4:10 (KJV) states, "For who hath despised the day of small things? for they shall rejoice, and shall see the plummet in the hand of Zerubbabel with those seven; they are the eyes of the Lord, which run to and fro through the whole earth." This verse encourages not disregarding modest, humble, or slow beginnings in life, work, or ministry, as God rejoices to see the work begin and ultimately brings it to completion.



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MINISTERS CONFERENCE

Please join us at 10:30 A.M. for our
PBA Ministers' Conferences

March 2– West End Baptist Church Petersburg

April 13– PBA Complex Petersburg

In Christ,
Mike Dickey

ENGRAVED BRICKS

The Camp Kehukee Prayer Garden is a place of peace and tranquility overlooking the beautiful lake.

Engraved bricks are available for purchase in loving memory or to commemorate a loved one. Call the PBA office to purchase your engraved brick today. 804-733-2010



CAMP KEHUKEE

Thank you for your support of Camp Kehukee with your reservations of the space, purchase of commemorative bricks, prayers and financial support. This beautiful, natural resource is made possible in part because of your generosity.

Thank you so very much!

Sincerely,

Bob Streetz Kehukee Coordinator

MISSIONS COUNCIL

Thank you everyone who contributed to the Missions Offering. Please pray for our outreach collaboration with Lebanon Baptist Association located in Southwestern, Virginia.

David Sizemore | Associational Mission Strategist's mantra is ***LBA Together Moving Forward in Pursuit of Fulfilling the Great Commission by Motivating One Another - Victorious breakthrough Praying - Stirring, Supporting and Strengthening - Ministries in the local body - Missions - Multiplying.***

Pray for the Council as we meet in March to review new opportunities for hands-on missions.

In Christ, **Tom Spizzirri**

April Revival

April 23-24, 2026 Sharon Baptist Church 6pm-7pm nightly Join us for the Word of God and Blue grass Gospel 4111 Darrvils Road Blackstone VA 23824 for more information contact Pastor Freddy Flowers 804-433-8333

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Send a smile and reminder that God is **STILL** good.



FROM THE DESK OF...

INTERIM DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

Cast your burden on the Lord, and He shall sustain thee

That verse should describe the Christian life and yet we continue to struggle with attempting to carry our burdens alone. There is a song titled, "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah" written by Mississippi John Hurt (1893-1966).



**Glory, glory, hallelujah! Since I laid my burdens down.
Glory, glory, hallelujah! Since I laid my burdens down.**

**I feel better, so much better, since I laid my burdens down.
I feel better, so much better, since I laid my burdens down.**

**Friends don't treat me like they used to, since I laid my burdens down.
Friends don't treat me like they used to, since I laid my burdens down.**

**I won't treat you like I used to, since I laid my burdens down.
I won't treat you like I used to, since I laid my burdens down.**

**I'm going home to be with Jesus, since I laid my burdens down.
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What is your burden? Have you given it over to God? We have a few hurdles before us in the Petersburg Baptist Association with our Camp Kehukee. We are addressing them with care. But I will remind you all the whatever burdens may lie before us; they are no match for the God who is with us.

Glory Hallelujah! Laying My Burdens Down,

Serving HIM by Serving You,
Pastor Fred

Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall sustain thee: he shall never suffer the righteous to be moved. Psalm 55:22



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**April 20 7p
Executive
Council Mtg**



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Camp Kehukee



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**Back Door Ministry
Donate Men's Jeans
Volunteer Time**

March—2026

Associational Calendar

Mar 1-8 **Week of Prayer** / Annie Armstrong North American Missions

Mar 2 Minister's Conference West End Baptist Church 10:30 AM

Mar 8 Daylight Savings Time Begins

Mar 11 Budget & Finance 10:00 AM

Mar 29 Palm Sunday

Apr 5 Resurrection Sunday

Apr 6 Easter Monday—**OFFICE CLOSED**

Apr 7 Kehukee Team Leader Meeting—PBA 11:45am

Apr 8 Budget & Finance Meeting—PBA 10:00am

Apr 9 Kehukee Council Meeting—PBA 6:30pm

Apr 13 Minister's Conference—PBA 10:30am

Apr 14 Mission's Council—PBA 2:00pm

Apr 20 **Executive Council Meeting**—**Second Baptist Church Petersburg** 7:00pm



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