

PBA GLEAM NEWSLETTER

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Associational Churches
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Camp Kehukee
Missionaries
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The United States celebrates its 250th anniversary (Semiquincentennial) of independence on **July 4, 2026**. The nationwide celebrations span multiple organizations and focus on volunteer service, museum exhibits, and large-scale public events.

**Thank
YOU
for helping
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MOVE**

*Many Hands make
Light Work—*

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Pastor Jim Rogers and wife Rebecca are still growing and going strong. Their mission is to leave a little love behind wherever they go in the form of an exquisite handcrafted heirloom wooden cross. Such a legacy of love of the Petersburg Baptist Association and the community at large. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another. John 13:35

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

The fish are STILL biting.
The grounds are open for
exploration, meditation,
inspiration and just plain fun!

**Remember to call the
PBA office to book
your reservation today**

Now's the time to make new memories.
*When God is for us, who could be against
us.*

Bob Streetz |
Camp Kehukee Coordinator

MISSIONS COUNCIL

Thank you for your prayers and
contributions to the Associational
Missions. We will meet in the Camp
Kehukee basement for the church's
collecting of school supplies for West
Virginia on Thursday August 10 from
8AM until we finish. Please continue
praying for our partnership Missions
efforts with the Lebanon Baptist
Association Rebuild Damascus project!!!
Thanks again!!! GOD BLESS us all in our
continuing missions efforts!!!

In CHRIST.

Thank you all!

Tom Spizzirri

SAVE THE DATE

July 20th

Executive Council Meeting
Newville Baptist Church, Waverly

*It is much more than an obligation but an honor to serve the Lord
in any capacity but serving on the Petersburg Baptist Association
Executive Council informs, engages and inspires us to grow
together as a corporate body... the Body of Christ.*

Thank you for taking Service seriously!
See you at the Executive Council Meeting

Give the Gift of The Glean
Share with a Friend
Use as a tract to invite friends
&

family to church and
upcoming events
Get Calendar Updates
Send a smile and reminder
that God
is **STILL** good.

FROM THE DESK OF...
INTERIM DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

“Making a Difference”

Have you stopped to think about how your life may influence others?
Or how someone else’s life influenced yours?

We may never know the full impact of our relationships, but we should try to make a difference in our lives.

To make a difference in someone's life, we don’t have to be wealthy, beautiful, or even perfect. To make a difference we need to show the love of Jesus to everyone we meet 24/7.

I recently officiated a funeral for someone who I met while serving as the Minister of Music & Youth. I met her in 1979, when she was just 12 years old. She had stayed in touch with my wife and I all these years and I considered her a friend. Two years ago, while officiating her mother’s funeral, she reminded me of a letter I wrote as a “letter of reference” for a job she was seeking. I wrote two letters. One I sent the organization she was applying to and the second letter was a crazy, off the wall kind of joke. She had kept that letter and showed it to me 40 years later.

Beautiful things happen when Jesus is in our heart. The more we show our love and goodwill, then more is received. Now listen carefully. That’s not the reason we should do those things, but it happens because that is Who our God is.

Luke 10:37 reminds us, **“Then said Jesus unto him, Go, and do likewise.”** Let’s love like Jesus did. Let’s care like Jesus did. Regardless of circumstances or how we may feel, that is what we are called to do as disciples of Christ.

We are all familiar with the phrase:

“People do not care how much you know until they know how much you care.”

This July as we celebrate our Independence, our 250th anniversary as a nation, let us also celebrate our freedom through Christ. Our freedom came at a great cost...let’s not squander the gift.

**Serving HIM by Serving You,
Pastor Fred**



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**July 20 7p
Executive
Council Mtg**



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Camp Kehukee



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**Back Door Ministry
Donate Men’s Jeans
Volunteer Time
804-733-7484**

July —2026

Associational Calendar

Jul 4 Fourth of July – **Celebrate God and Country**
Jul 7 11:45 AM Kehukee Team Leaders Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 8 10:00 AM Budget & Finance Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 8 1:30 PM Nominating Committee—PBA Office
Jul 9 6:30 PM Kehukee Council Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 14 2:00 PM Missions Council Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 17 7:00 PM Kehukee Council Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 15 6:30 PM Missions Council Meeting – PBA Office
Jul 20 All Budget Request Forms Due for 2027 Budget
Jul 20 PBA – All Reservations for Camp Kehukee - 2027
Jul 20 7:00 PM **Executive Council Meeting** – Newville Baptist Church, Waverly

Aug 12 10:00 AM Budget & Finance Meeting – PBA Office

Sept 5 8:00 AM-4:00 PM Special Olympics Outing – Camp Kehukee
Sept 6-13 Week of Prayer /Alma Hunt Offering for Virginia Missions
Sept 7 Labor Day – **OFFICE CLOSED**
Sept 9 10:00 AM Budget & Finance Meeting – PBA Office
Sept 14 10:30 AM Minister's Conference – PBA Office



NEW PBA COMPLEX

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