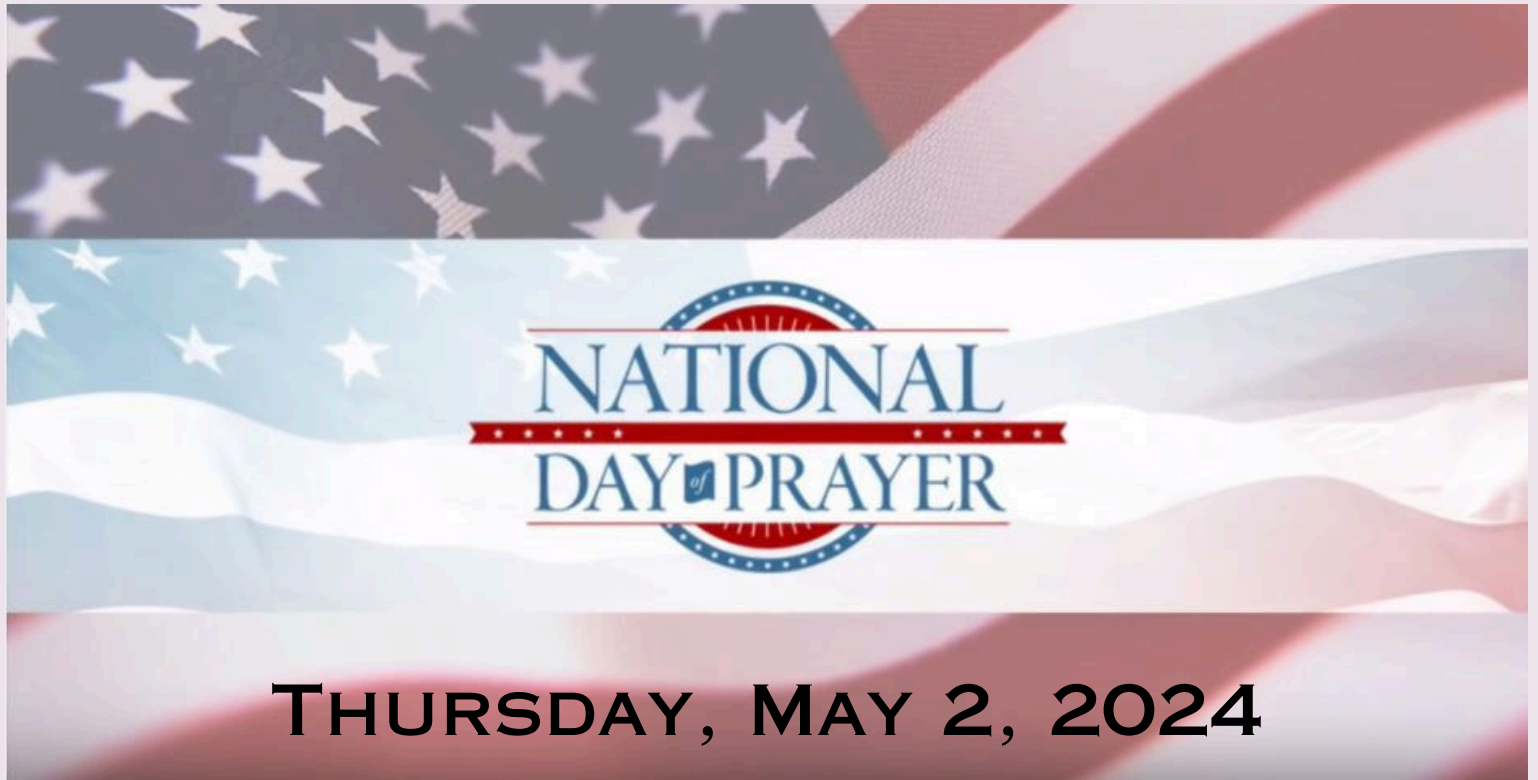


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# What's Happening

THE NEWSLETTER OF  
GOLDEN ISLES BAPTIST NETWORK

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Sunday, May 12, 2024

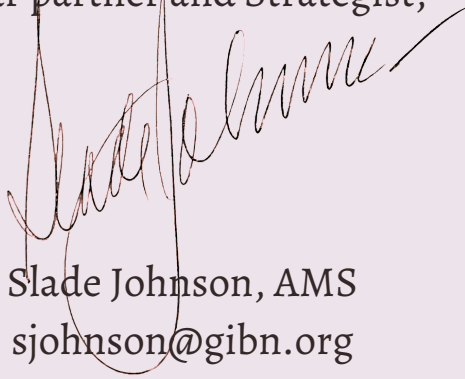
# Mission Matters

I regularly ask myself how serious I am about the power and usefulness of prayer. D.L. Moody once said, “Spread out your petition before God, and then say, ‘thy will not mine, be done.’ The sweetest lesson I have learned in God’s school is to let the Lord choose for me.”

Genuine and effective prayer also requires a conscious belief in and knowledge of the God revealed to us in scripture. In Hebrews 11:6 it says, “And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.”

It might seem obvious that someone who prays has a deep belief and faith in the existence of God. But often we pray as though we don’t believe He exists at all or at the very least, that He is distant and unconcerned. Moody’s sentiment indicates his clear belief in an immanent Father who cares for him and desires his best. Pray with conviction that God is there listening, that He is deeply concerned and that it is His loving desire to fulfill your every need and yearning. That is far closer to the picture of God revealed in scripture, His autobiography. The Father seeks a prayer army of true believers.

Your partner and Strategist,



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May

- 2 National Day of Prayer
- 12 Mother's Day
- 13 Stone Creek Golf Fellowship
- 18 Estate Sale - FBC Woodbine

Birthday

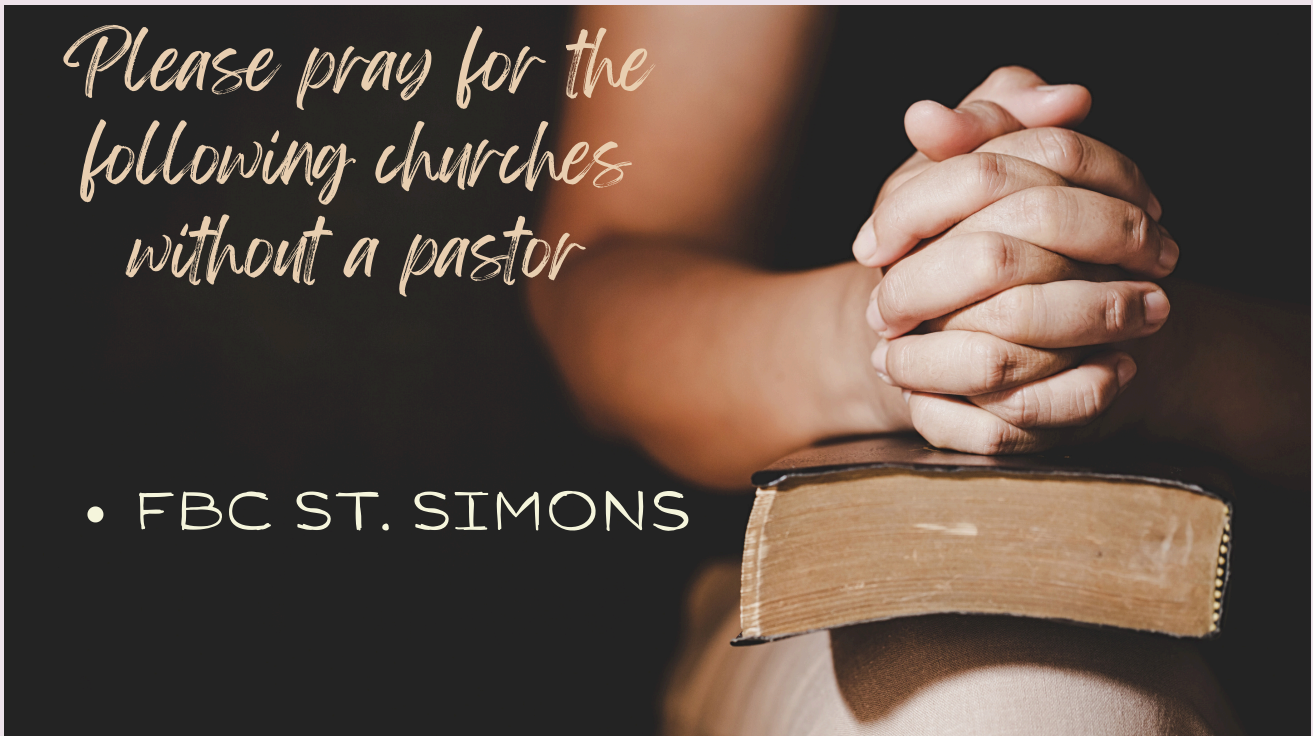
- 2 - BEN CAMPBELL
- 3 - WAYNE ROGERS
- 14 - CHRIS WINFORD
- 15 - TAMARA GIBSON

Anniversary

- 22 - CHRIS AND ANGELA WINFORD
- 26 - MIKE AND ANGIE LYNN
- 28 - KEN AND LISA CREEKMORE

Please pray for the  
following churches  
without a pastor

- FBC ST. SIMONS





A collage of vintage items including a lamp, camera, chair, typewriter, and mannequin, with a central text box.

# ESTATE SALE

**Saturday, May 18th  
8am-2pm**

**300 WEST 8TH STREET  
WOODBINE, GA 31569**

**Also selling BBQ lunches "to go" with pulled  
pork / smoked chicken and sides.**

***All proceeds go to First Baptist Church  
of Woodbine Building Fund.***





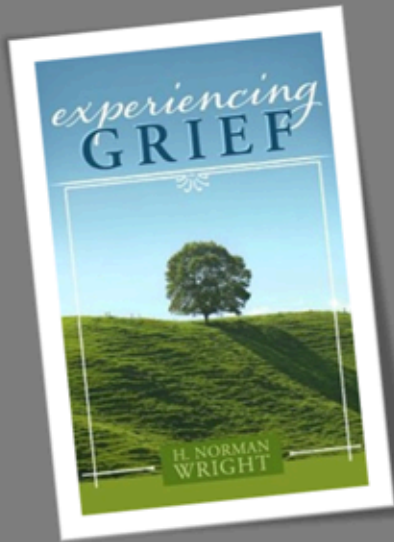
An article from one of our pastors was featured in the

## **Brunswick News**

Click the link below to  
see the article from **Pastor Gary Cumby**.

*click  
here!*

# JOIN MARSHES OF GLYNN BAPTIST!



## Grief Ministry Bible Study

Wednesdays  
11:00 AM

Join us if you're struggling with any kind of loss: death, relationships, job loss, loss related to health issues.

**NEW!**

## Veteran's Foxhole Healing Ministry/ Bible Study

**Tuesdays  
7:00 pm**

**All Veterans & First  
Responders are welcome**





# Church Strengthening *Roundtables*



Words like mission, values, strategy and vision are buzz words we often use in our ministry conversations. And while they are easily spoken, they are difficult to implement. Join us for an informative discussion and details on how you can join other ministry leaders in a church strengthening process.

In 90 minutes, we will share information that will show you how to prepare yourself and your congregation to make disciples, develop leaders and increase missional engagement.

<b>Monday, May 6</b>	<b>Blairsville &amp; Gainesville</b>
<b>Tuesday, May 7</b>	<b>Calhoun &amp; Ringgold</b>
<b>Monday, May 20</b>	<b>Estman &amp; Thomaston</b>
<b>Tuesday, May 21</b>	<b>Griffin &amp; LaGrange</b>
<b>Wednesday, May 22</b>	<b>Vidalia &amp; Sylvania</b>
<b>Thursday, May 23</b>	<b>Tifton &amp; Cordele</b>



# Golf Fellowship

for Georgia Baptist Pastors & Ministry Staff

Stone Creek Golf Club, Valdosta

Georgia  
Baptist

## STONE CREEK GOLF FELLOWSHIP

FOR GEORGIA BAPTIST  
MINISTRY STAFF AND  
SPOUSES

MONDAY, MAY 13, 2024

11:00 AM - 5:00 PM EDT

More  
info



# Living for Christ in the Public Square

2024 Public Affairs Training Events



## JUNE 3, 2024 • BRUNSWICK, GA

Calvary Baptist Church  
3105 Wildwood Drive  
Brunswick, GA 31525  
10 AM - 2:30 PM

[Learn More](#)

These training events are about educating pastors and church members on ethical issues in our culture and why it's important that a witness to the life changing power of the gospel be seen in our local, state, and national government.

You will learn why it's important and how ministry leaders and churches can be engaged in the policy making process and why local, state, and national leaders need your ministry and support.

**This training is for pastors, ministry leaders and students. The event and meals are FREE!**



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