

# Update

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## 159<sup>th</sup> SABA Annual Celebration

**Sunday,  
October 15, 2017**

Trinity Baptist Church  
319 E. Mulberry Ave.

### Schedule

4:30 pm  
Booths Open

5:30 pm  
Business Session

6:00 pm  
Annual Celebration  
& Rallies

**Theme:  
One Mission - Many Expressions**

Our 'One Mission' is found in Luke 24:45-48

*<sup>46</sup>“that the Christ would suffer and rise again from the dead the third day, and that repentance for forgiveness of sins would be proclaimed in His name to all the nations (people groups), beginning from Jerusalem.”*

‘Many Expressions’ “proclaiming the repentance for the forgiveness of sins in His name to all the nations” include different languages, cultures, worship and preaching styles, etc.

To celebrate our focus on ‘One Mission - Many Expressions’ we will be reading Luke 24:45-48 in over a dozen different languages that are used each Sunday in SABA churches.

### Youth Rally @ TriPoint Event Center

3233 N St Mary's St, San Antonio, TX 78212

Josh Humbert is from San Antonio, TX where he and his wife Jessica raise their three children. Josh serves as a Pastoral Assistant and Deacon at Thousand Oaks Bible Church and regularly travels to speak to various opportunities including youth, college, and church events. He writes at [joshhumbert.net](http://joshhumbert.net) and he co-hosts the Cross-Cutting Culture Podcast.

**Youth Rally Praise & Worship: Ryan Proudfoot**

### Preschool/Children: Moses in Egypt

Robert Potter, portrays Moses in his first 40 years while growing and maturing in the land of Egypt. Children will be immersed in the life, customs and times of the land of Egypt. Additionally, they will discover how God shaped the life and character of Moses, such an inspiring and transformative leader of the Hebrew people.

***YOUR PRESENCE IS IMPORTANT TO US!!!***

*We would like to thank Pastor Les Hollon and the Ministry Leadership at Trinity Baptist Church for their amazing partnership on this Annual Celebration!*

## Asociación Bautista Mexicana

Sunday, October 1, 2017

2:00 pm at

Iglesia Bautista El Buen Pastor  
2122 Colima

Sunday, November 5, 2017

Iglesia Bautista Sur Zarzamora

Sunday, December 3, 2017

Iglesia Bautista Ven A El

## HISPANIC PASTOR'S FELLOWSHIP AND CONFERENCE

8:30 am-11:00 am

Mondays in October at

Camino al Cielo  
111 Topeka Blvd

*Mondays in November at  
Los Angeles Heights, 1102 Pasedena*

## La Varonil de la Asociación Bautista Mexicana

sábado 14 de octubre

8:00 am

Iglesia Bautista Ven A El  
1323 San Casimiro

*sábado 11 de noviembre –  
El Buen Pastor*

*sábado 9 de diciembre –  
Iglesia Templo Bautista*

## Baptist Associations in Need of Help!

The last week of August brought about much devastation to the residents in coastal communities such as Rockport, Refugio, Woodsboro, Bayside and the city of Houston, TX. With historic wind speeds and rainfall totals, lives were changed in a matter of hours. Hurricane Harvey tore through communities leaving homes, church buildings and personal belongings destroyed. We know that with much prayer their spirits will be renewed, but we are also called to be the "hands and feet" of Christ. If you or your church can assist any of these Baptist Associations please contact them at the information provided, or **Darrell Horn**, Director, San Antonio Baptist Association.

### Opportunities to Help Associations in Need:

**Gulf Coast Baptist Association** - Director Donald Hintze writes, "We are in need of your help. We are requesting that you send teams to help us clean out flooded houses in the Gulf Coast Baptist Association in Brazoria County. We will provide you a place to stay, a kitchen for you to prepare your meals or we will prepare your meals if you desire. We will have showers and a washer and dryer to wash your clothes."

**Donald Hintze** - Director - 979.849.2478  
or 979.235.9341

Gulf Coast Baptist Association  
2700 East Highway 35  
Angleton, TX 77515

**Office:** 979.849.2477

### San Felipe Baptist Association

Director Sam Waltman - is located in Fort Bend County and surrounding areas (Sugar Land, Katy, Rosenberg, Missouri City, etc).

### Prayers

**Galveston Baptist Association** - Director Dale Hill - is asking for SABA churches to partner with their hardest hit churches for a 3 to 6 month period. Any SABA church interested in partnering with a GBA church to help them recover can contact Dale Hill.

**Dale Hill** - Director - 713.530.8877

Galveston Baptist Association  
1221 Cedar Drive  
La Marque, TX 77568

**Office:** 409.938.8942

**First Baptist Church of Rosenberg** - Pastor John Reid located in the flood area of Fort Bend County, is asking for specific help in three areas:

1. They need mud-out teams ASAP to clean flooded homes. FBC can host one-day teams as well as several-day teams. Team members could stay in church members homes, local hotel or could bring a travel trailer, etc. FBC will work to provide a place to stay.

2. They are receiving monetary donations to the church's Brother's Keeper fund to be used to assist families in need. They are also receiving gift cards to pass out. On-Line Giving

3. They have a big need for cleaning supplies. Churches can create a Cleaning Kit, which consists of the following items: a 5 gallon bucket with lid; 20 oz cotton wet mom; Push broom; a squeegee; a capped broom; a scrub brush; Cellulose sponge; Leather palm work gloves; Medical exam gloves; Respirator mask; 3 Heavy duty garbage bags; Pine-Sol cleaner; Clorox Bleach.

### Pastor John Reid

First Baptist Church  
1117 First Street,  
Rosenberg, TX 77471

**Office:** 281.232.6622

### Union Baptist Association

Director Tom Billings - has created a new page on their website ([www.ubahouston.org](http://www.ubahouston.org)) dedicated to recovery from Harvey.

### Donations of Supplies

**Colorado Baptist Association** - Director Barry Barnett is located in Wharton. One of the local pastors did not have flood insurance. The flood waters in his house were 25 inches deep. He and his wife are staying in their church gymnasium along with other families in the community. He received help to begin removing what was damaged. He does not have the funds to repair/replace what has been damaged. If you or your church is interested in assisting this pastor, either by monetary gifts or by doing the work, please call Darrell at the SABA office - 210.525.9954.

### Call for Aid

# 8th Annual SABA Hunger Walk

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH**

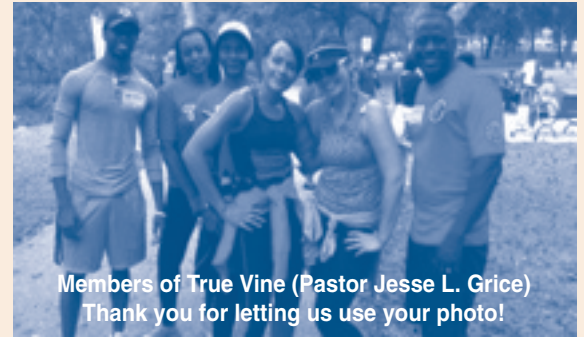
**9:00 AM- 12:00 NOON**

**AT COMANCHE PARK #2, 2600 RIGSBY AVE**

**COME AND WALK WITH US!**

**2017 GOAL:**

**60 CHURCHES HELPING TO RAISE \$60,000**



Members of True Vine (Pastor Jesse L. Grice)  
Thank you for letting us use your photo!

## SUPPORT A FOOD PANTRY

Thirty-five Baptist Churches operating a food pantry are in need of your help! The demand for food has dramatically increased, making it difficult for our churches to financially meet the needs of those in their community who are hungry. Many of our churches are located in areas with the greatest need for food, but their resources are small. This Hunger Walk is in response to those needs!

- 75% of the proceeds will go directly to our Baptist Food pantries.
- 25% will go to local food banks and community hunger ministries.

## SPONSOR A WALKER

With over 250 Baptist Churches who make up the San Antonio Baptist Assoc., the potential to make a difference in San Antonio is great! Help us by praying for those who are in need of food and by sponsoring a walker, who is giving time and energy to this important need!

Contact Steve Payne at 210.525.9954 or [stevep@sanantoniobaptist.org](mailto:stevep@sanantoniobaptist.org) for more details.

# OCT - NOV - DEC 2017

## Events

10/15 • San Antonio Baptist Assoc. Annual Celebration  
4:30 pm • Trinity Baptist Church

11/4 • San Antonio Hunger Walk • 9:00 am  
Comanche Park #2

11/5 • Daylight Savings Time Ends

11/6 • Women's Day of Prayer • 9:30 am • SABA

11/10-11/11 • R3 Summit • BUA

11/11-11/14 • Texas Baptist Annual Meeting  
Waco, TX

11/23-11/24 • Thanksgiving Holiday • SABA Closed

12/1-12/2 • Leaders Edge Conference • Madison Hills BC

12/22-1/1/18 • Christmas Holiday • SABA Closed

## Meetings

10/1 • Asociación Bautista Mexicana Meeting • 2:00 pm  
IB El Buen Pastor

10/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 • Ministry Training Center • 7:00 pm • SABA

10/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 • Hispanic Minister's Conference • 9:30 am  
Camino al Cielo

10/4 • First Wednesday Minister's Lunch • 11:30 am • SABA

10/5, 12, 19, 26 • Urban Missionaries Meeting • 10:00 am  
SABA

*Please see the website for November and December meeting dates*

\*SABA = San Antonio Baptist Association  
\*WMU=Woman's Missionary Union  
\*TBM = Texas Baptist Men  
\*BCFS=Baptist Child & Family Services  
\*BUA=Baptist University of Americas

\*CWJC=Christian Women's Job Corps  
\*MTC=Ministry Training Center  
\*TBA=To Be Announced  
\*IB=Iglesia Bautista  
\*BSM=Baptist Student Ministry

**San Antonio Baptist Association hours are**  
**Mon-Thurs – 8:30 am-4:30 pm, Fri – 9:00 am-2:00 pm.**  
**We are open during the lunch hour for your convenience.**

# URBAN MISSIONARY TRAINING CENTER

## “EVERY BELIEVER A TRAINED MISSIONARY”

### Anytime Anywhere Opportunities

SABA's Urban Missionary Training Center is offering a variety of flexible equipping opportunities this fall. Below are various opportunities to allow God to take you to the next level. We will come to your church or other location at any available opportunity, thus 'anytime anywhere.' If you are interested in one or more of these opportunities, please call the SABA office at 210.525.9954.

#### Dr. Darrell Horn

**The Power of Story** – will equip you to teach truth effectively so others can easily learn. This training is great for teachers and other communicators. When you want to influence others, there is no more powerful tool than story. People need story to organize their thoughts and make sense of the world around them. The cost of the class is \$50 per person, which covers all printed materials.

**Prayer Walking** – this one-day seminar at your church facility or other location will focus on the importance of walking through your community while praying for your neighbors. This is intercession on a new level. Consider hosting a prayer walking event at your church. No cost to attend.

**Corporate Prayer** – this one-day seminar at your church facility or other location will focus on praying corporately as a church body. This can be a powerful gathering as your church collectively focuses on impacting your community through a guided prayer experience. This is a prayer experience not a Bible study. No cost to attend.

#### Dr. Darrell Horn and Elizabeth Biedrzycki

**Worldview and Strategy Plan Development** - this course will teach you how to study the worldview of your target group with the intention of developing a multi-faceted strategy plan, which will include prayer, evangelism, discipleship, leader development and church planting. The training group will develop the strategy plan together, which can be used by your local church. Each participant will end the course with the understanding of how to develop a worldview study and an appropriate strategy plan. The cost is \$50 per person.

#### Dr. Roland Lopez

**4 x Four Evangelistic Training** – helps each Christian leader and lay person to identify those in their sphere of relationships who do not know Christ personally by encouraging them to pray and intercede on behalf of each person identified. Participants are asked to invest in a relationship with each person on our list while inviting each friend, relative, neighbor and associate to an event held at the church where they hear a Gospel presentation. Many churches have used this method very successfully. No cost to attend.

#### Albert Diaz

**Apologetics (basics)** – Apologetics is the study of how to give reasons for our Christian hope. 1 Peter 3:15 reminds us to always be ready to make a defense for the hope that lies within us. This course will seek to constitute a rational basis for believing in Christian theism, by answering the objections and critiques of other worldviews. The cost of the class is \$50 per person, which covers all printed materials.

#### Dr. Mark and Susan Pfeiffer

**Understanding Islam and Gospel Ministry to Muslims** – will explain the theology, worldview, and culture of Muslims by teaching you about its founding, history, development, the prophet Muhammad, the Qur'an, the Hadith, the Five Pillars of Islam, Islamic Theology, and other key topics. The training then turns to effective gospel ministry to Muslims. You will learn to share the Gospel with Muslims in theologically and culturally sensitive ways as well as addressing the most common objections Muslims have to the gospel. The training schedule is flexible to meet the needs of your church through trainings such as one session, one weekend, or several weeks. The cost will vary depending on the training desired.

#### Paul Gonzales, Ben Hanna, John Williams and Olber Roblero

**'No Place Left' Mobile Training Team** – we are 'mobile' and come to you; we are 'evangelistic' and equip your people to share their story and the story of Jesus, to make disciples, gather believers and to multiply leaders; we are biblical and reproducible – 2 Timothy 2:2; we are a team of seasoned evangelists, disciple-makers, church planters and missionaries committed to working together with your team to fulfill the Great Commission. Together we can advance the Kingdom in obedience until there is No Place Left! No cost to attend.

### FIRST WEDNESDAY MINISTER'S LUNCHEON

October 4, 2017

11:30 am to 1:00 pm

San Antonio Baptist Association  
5807 IH-10W

Speaker: Joseph (Jay) Burchfield, MA  
Executive Director - Life Skills for Living

November 1, 2017

Host: Children's Hunger Fund

### MINISTRY TRAINING CENTER MONDAYS 7-9 PM

Deacon Certificate Training Fall 2017

Oct. 16th - Nov. 13th Unit 4: Sharpening  
Deacon Unity Skills

Deacon training is free for churches  
who are members of SABA.

Requirements for completing  
the Deacon Certificate is attendance  
at 16 of the 20 class sessions.

To register go to:

<http://sanantoniobaptist.org/index.php/registration-forms>

### REVIVAL FOR SAN ANTONIO GRAN CAMPAÑA EVANGELISTICA PARA SAN ANTONIO

Revival is being supported by the following  
churches/ Dicha Campaña será apoyada por  
las sigientes Iglesias:

Alta Vista	El Calvario
El Jordan	Iglesia Bautista Somerset
Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana	El Buen Pastor

Date/La Fecha: October 5-8, 2017

Time/El Tiempo: 7:00 PM

Location/Lugar:  
Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana  
201 Meredith Dr.,  
San Antonio, TX 78228

Evangelist/ Evangelista será:  
Rolando Rodriguez, Dallas TX

### R3 SUMMIT 2017 RISK TAKERS

Baptist University of the Americas  
7838 Barlite Blvd , San Antonio, TX

November 10-11

Guest Speakers:  
Leighton Flowers, FBC Richardson  
Mike Satterfield, Fielder Road

Breakout Leaders: George Ramirez,  
Jaime Puente, and Joshua Del Risco

**AGAPE BC** is seeking a part-time Minister of Students. Send resumes to [nwhbc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nwhbc@sbcglobal.net).

**CASTLE HILLS** has hymnals to be donated. Approx. 350 copies of the 1984 The Hymnal, and 120 copies of the 1975 The Baptist Hymnal. Most are in good condition. Contact David George at [d.george@castlehills.church](mailto:d.george@castlehills.church) for more information.

**COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH** is seeking a lead guitar player. This is a paid position. Call 210-488-7295

**FBC CASTROVILLE** is seeking an energetic individual to serve full-time as Student Minister. Castroville is 15 minutes west of San Antonio and draws members from San Antonio and the towns around Castroville. Submit a resume and letter of interest to [ypt@fbccastroville.org](mailto:ypt@fbccastroville.org). For information, visit our website at [www.fbccastroville.com](http://www.fbccastroville.com).

**FBC CONVERSE** is looking for a part-time music director who would lead music on Sunday mornings. This is a paid position. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Steve Riley at 210.381.1874.

**FBC ELMENDORF** has pews for sale at \$50 each or offer for all. Sizes: 1 pew - 1 seater; 1 pew - 2 seater; 1 pew - 13.5 feet; 1 pew - 12 feet; and 15 pews - 11 feet. Wood with olive green seat cushion. Contact - Nancy Tomasini at 210.412.8856/[ntomasini@aol.com](mailto:ntomasini@aol.com).

**FBC HELOTES** is seeking a social media/administrative assistant. If interested please contact [www.fbchelotes.org](http://www.fbchelotes.org).

**FBC LA VERNIA** is seeking a college student who is interested in serving the Lord as Interim Youth Director. Send an introduction letter and resume to [info@FBCLV.com](mailto:info@FBCLV.com), attention Youth Committee.

**FBC UNIVERSAL CITY** has part-time nursery position available. Must be 18 years of age and available Sunday & Wednesday mornings & evenings. If interested, please apply online at [www.fbuc.org](http://www.fbuc.org) or at the church office 210.658.6394 to fill out an application.

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP** - A Baptist Community is seeking a Youth Minister. See job description and apply at [www.gracefellowshipabc.com](http://www.gracefellowshipabc.com).

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP** - A Baptist Community is seeking a Worship Leader for blended worship service. See job description and apply at [www.gracefellowshipabc.com](http://www.gracefellowshipabc.com).

**GRACE POINT CHURCH** - Daycare & Preschool Ministry. Part time and full time openings at both campuses to work with Preschoolers ages 2 years – 5 years. Medical Center campus - 9650 Huebner Rd SATX 78240/West campus-8531 Leslie Rd, SA, TX 78254. Contact Julie Tibbit at [julie.tibbit@gracepoint.org](mailto:julie.tibbit@gracepoint.org) or call 210.558.5941.

**IGLESIA BUENA VOLUNTAD** needs laptops, projector, screen and headphones for new communications ministry. Contact German J. Villalobos at 210.914.0935 or Pastor Moraga 505.610.1945.

**NORTHSIDE COMMUNITY CHURCH** is in need of a youth pastor. Those who are interested and have a call of GOD to youth ministry can call church office at 210-733-9125 for more information.

**PARKHILLS BC** seeking experienced church Financial Secretary, knowledge of ACS Financial software a plus, full-time position, M-Thurs, includes health insurance. Contact Caleb Lantz @ 210.494.5219.

**SAINT PHILLIP BAPTIST CHURCH** is in need of a Church van and KJV Study Bibles. Contact Rev. Garey Mullens @ 210. 779.8360

**THOUSAND OAKS BIBLE CHURCH** is seeking a college student who is interested in serving the Lord as a PT Youth Intern. Responsibilities include weekly Bible Study and coordinating youth activities. Contact George McGuire at 210.723.6500.

**UNIVERSITY PARK BC** would like to donate a Braille Bible. Call 210.433.3203.

**Woodland Baptist Church** would like to donate 55 sets of choral sheet music. Call 210.493.4501.

**THE U.S. ARMY CHAPLAIN CORPS** is seeking to fill a minimum of 13 Chaplain or Chaplain Candidate positions for the Texas Army National Guard. If interested please contact CH (CPT) Tom Withers, Chaplain Recruiter at 512.786.3879 or email [Thomas.j.withers2.mil@mail.mil](mailto:Thomas.j.withers2.mil@mail.mil)

## Money today is not like it was in Jesus' day!

It has been said that God spoke more about money than any other issue in the Bible. It has also been said that 15% of the Bible speaks about money.

Money today is not like it was in Jesus' day! But it is amazing how much money controls what we can and cannot do! Sure, we need money to spend, save, invest and give away. But money in the wrong place on our priority list can cause some real pain.

Money today is not like it was in Jesus' day, for He spent considerable time in discussion about it and reminded His followers to utilize it to bring about the glory of the Father wherever He and they went.

He sat one day in the Temple watching folks give their offerings and saw the wealthy give large sums, but the sum that received His attention was the widow's mite. A small copper coin, which did not make much noise when it landed in the treasury, a coin which did not make a difference in the bottom line of the temples finances, but an amount that was so closely attached to the heart of the giver, that it moved the heart of the Messiah. She gave all she had, not from her abundance, because she had none and her poverty did not keep her from giving. She gave all she had to give- **WOW!**

He had a conversation with a Rich Young Ruler, who wanted to know how to inherit eternal life. Jesus said, "Go and sell all that you have and follow me." The Rich Young ruler walked away from Jesus' because he had so much that he was not willing to give it up- **WOW!**

He noticed it was late and many were sitting before him. He asked the disciples to feed them and the response was, we don't have enough money (sound familiar). But there was a young boy in the crowd who was willing to give his lunch. How did so little feed so many?- **WOW!**

Money today is not like it was in Jesus' day. Really? Money today can be like Jesus's day. Money in the heart that is held tightly does little. But money placed into the hands of the Messiah through the heart of a Giver/Manager/Steward- **WOW!**

Money is an indicator of your personal stewardship maturity. Therefore, giving includes your Time, Talent, Treasure, Temple, Talk, Toys and Technology and they indicate who or what sits on the throne of our life. Money today is not like it was in Jesus' day- **WOW!**

***Maybe it should be!***

**Pat Hail, Jr.**

SABA Financial Coordinator

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## A WORD FROM

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Our new mission statement is "to connect, encourage and support churches for kingdom impact." Hurricane Harvey provides a great opportunity for us, as an Association of churches, to fulfill our mission statement by "connecting, encouraging and supporting churches" in other Associations. In an effort to do just that, we have already connected several SABA churches with damaged churches in other Associations. Such "connections" allow for "encouraging and supporting" to take place on a more personal level. We will continue to assist in making as many connections as possible. The recovery efforts continue. Let us know how we can connect your church to meet the needs that exist.

*Until He comes,*  
**Darrell**

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