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The Nelson Baptist Newsletter

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Shepherdsfest !

Shepherdsfest is a family-friendly festival held at the Bullitt Co. Fairgrounds on September 13th from 10am - 4pm. This event is sponsored by many of our NBA churches. There will be games, inflatables, music, custom car show, farmers market, and much more. You can set up a booth for your organization FREE but you must pre-register by visiting myshepherdsfest.com or contacting Sherry Hurt at 502-541-9561.

Stepping into Freedom

A faith-based 12-step program offered as a ministry of Mercy Hill Baptist Church in partnership with the Bullitt Co. Court System. Designed to help anyone with any life controlling issue (drugs, alcohol, pornography, etc.)

Time & Location: Classes begin September 4 and will meet every week at 6:30pm at Rivers Edge (416 S Buckman St. Shepherdsville)

RSVP: For more information contact Brian Manns (502)345-7255.

Our Mission

The Nelson Baptist Association of Southern Baptist Churches exists to strengthen local churches so that they glorify Jesus Christ and demonstrate His love by fulfilling the Great Commission.

Annual Meeting Recap

Thank You! To all who helped make our 2014 annual meeting a great success this year. We would be interested in hearing your thoughts on the meeting, and if you didn't attend, why you chose not to.



Help us make it even better next year by completing the evaluation Online using the QR Code or visiting

surveymonkey.com/s/5K2F7YK

2014 EQUIP Tour

Parkway Baptist Church in Bardstown will be a host location for the 2014 KBC EQUIP tour on September 29. The focus of the evening will be on Church Revitalization with two sessions: *Ten Characteristics of an Effective Revitalization Pastor* and *Revitalization Strategy for the Small Church*.

Find more info and register online at www.kybaptist.org/equip

Upcoming Meetings

- **WMU season of prayer for state missions & Eliza Broadus Offering**, September 7-14
- **WMU Kickoff for New Year**, September 15, 6:30pm, Vine Hill Baptist Church
- **NBA Administrative Team Meeting**, September 22, 9:30am, FBC Mt. Washington.
- **WMU Executive Board Meeting**, October 23-26
- **NBA Executive Board Meeting**, October 27, TBA

The Expositors Summit

Southern Seminary is hosting the Expositors Summit, a three-day conference designed to strengthen and instruct preachers and students for the glorious task of expository ministry. Speakers such as John MacArthur and Al Mohler will be present as well as many other Southern Seminary faculty.

Dates: October 28-30

Prices: Regular - \$219.00

Student/Alumni - \$119.00

Registration & Info:

events.sbts.edu/

Our Vision

"Strengthening Churches,
Sharing Christ's Love"

Executive Assistant

The NBA Office welcomes Scott Slater as the new Executive Assistant. He will be available at the office Tues. - Thurs. from 1-4pm. You can reach him at 502.415.2186.

IF:Equip Women's Night of Prayer

Parkway Baptist Church is hosting IF:Equip's Women's Night of Prayer on September 23 from 6-8pm. Women's ministry leaders are highly encouraged to attend and bring others along

IF:Equip is an online based weekly bible study ministry led by women, for women.

More information about IF:Equip as well as how to register for the Women's Night of Prayer is available at ifgathering.com/2014/08/ifpray-vision-video/ or you can contact Elaine Easterling: lainebrain77@aol.com

Annual Church Profile

The ACP collects statistical and church leadership information and will be used to create a NBA Directory that will be made available to Churches in 2015. This is a reminder for you to complete your ACP packet and turn into the NBA

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Stay connected with the Nelson Baptist Association on the internet through:

Our Webpage: nelsonbaptistassociation.com

Find information on our events, resources, Ministry Teams, and more

Social Media:

- [facebook.com/nelsonbaptistassociation](https://www.facebook.com/nelsonbaptistassociation)
- twitter.com/NelsonBaptist

The 2013-2014 Association Directory is now available. Please stop by the Association office to pick up a copy or contact us to have one mailed to you.