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The Nelson Baptist Newsletter

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Joy! An Irish Christmas - Concert with Keith and Kristyn Getty

Modern day hymn writers Keith and Kristyn Getty have partnered with 20schemes, a church planting organization that the Nelson Association is also partnered with, to have a Christmas benefit concert here in Louisville at Southeast Christian Church on December 13th at 7:30pm. This is proving to be a highly anticipated evening. With tickets selling for only \$20 per person it's no surprise that thousands of tickets have already been sold. Consider the possibility of your church attending this Christ-centered Christmas concert together on December 13. Not only would you be able to experience a fantastic concert you will be supporting a partner of the Nelson Association and supporting Church Planting in Scotland's poorest communities.

To purchase your tickets and to learn more about 20schemes you can visit 20schemes.com

ForeTalk Seminars

Discover 7 ways to start the important conversations regarding end-of-life planning * Identify financial strategies to create lifetime income for you and your heirs * Decide on the right attorney for your family * Create a well-written will to withstand possible challenges * Choose the right person as your executor, power of attorney for finances and health care * Plan a funeral or memorial service that tells your own story * Find funeral or memorial expense-saving ideas to save thousands of dollars for your family and loved ones * Understand what a Living Will, Hospice and Palliative Care may mean to you.

The Nelson Association will be welcoming Stan Craig and hosting his highly recommended ForeTalk Seminar in which he will discuss end of life issues. Two different opportunities to participate in the same seminar:

November 17 at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church

November 21 at Bardstown Baptist Church

9:30-11am with Lunch to follow

Register by calling the NBA Office: (502)348-0146

Our Vision

"Strengthening Churches,
Sharing Christ's Love"

KBC Annual Meeting

Nelson Association churches are lucky to have the KBC Annual Meeting in Elizabethtown this year. With the Annual Meeting in such close proximity we are hoping to see representatives from each church in attendance. The Annual Meeting is all day Tuesday, November 10. We would encourage you to also attend the Pastor's pre-conference on Monday, November 9. For schedule and location information visit the link below:

kybaptist.org/annualmeeting

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.

Upcoming Meetings

- **Executive Board Meeting:** November 5 at Bloomfield Baptist Church at 7pm. All are welcome.
- **Multiply 22:** November 16 at Parkway Baptist Church at 6pm. Please RSVP.
- **Admin Team Meeting:** December 10 at Bullitt Lick Baptist Church at 1:30pm

Room in the Inn (Bullitt County)

“Room in the Inn” is a ministry that provides safe, dry shelter to its “guests” (homeless/displaced individuals or families) every evening in local churches throughout the county with church family members preparing meals. The way it works: Guests are checked in and go through orientation and drug testing, their personal belongings are tagged and stored in a secure place, guests are taken to the host church for the night and served dinner by the host church, everyone sleeps. The next morning guests are served breakfast and picked up.

Many churches in our area are starting to become involved with this ministry, some include FBC Mt. Washington, Family Worship Center and Shepherdsville Church of the Nazarene. This is one of the only ministries available to homeless and needy families in Bullitt County and churches typically only host guests once per month. We would ask you and your church to consider getting involved.

For more information you can call the NBA Office at: (502)348-0146

Save The Date!

Registration is now open for Shepherding 2016 and spots at the ministry couples’ retreat fill up fast. The highly sought-after weekend conference is designed to provide a relaxed atmosphere where ministry couples can experience renewal, strengthen marital relationships and encounter God through worship. Speakers at January’s conference include Chuck Lawless, Eric Geiger, Kevin Smith, and Allen Bonnell. Shepherding 2016 will be held Jan. 28-30 at Griffin Gate Marriott Resort & Spa in Lexington. The cost is \$250 per couple and includes lodging, conference materials and all meals with the exception of Friday evening. More info available at: kybaptist.org/shepherding

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