



**Little River**  
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
Serving The Church. Serving The Kingdom.

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***January 2021 Edition***

## **Turning the World upside down for Jesus**

(Acts 17:6b) “... These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also;

I came across this verse in a study of the book of Acts some years back. Two questions came to my mind... “Is my life impacting the world at all? Am I influencing others for the cause of Jesus Christ?” Do you ever wonder if your life has had much impact on our world? Do you even care?

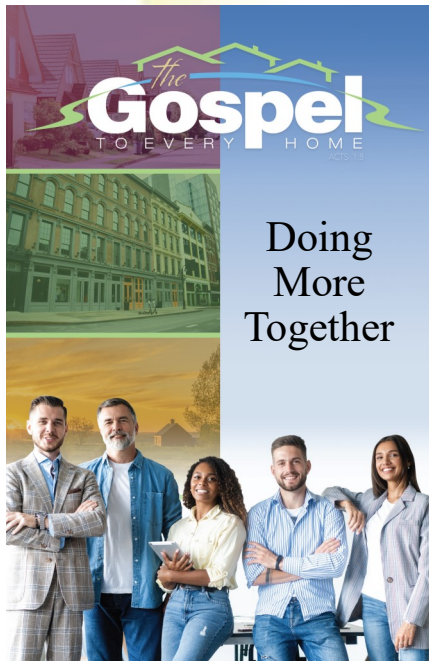
Allow me to share a personal story: I attended a funeral some years back. The gentleman worked for a communication company and the church I pastored at the time was seeking to install a new phone system. He was a very likable guy, funny, loved to tell jokes but mostly loved the Lord Jesus. He shared his testimony almost before he told me about the phones. We hit it off quickly and became quick friends. He was a member of another church at the time but enjoyed spending time with us. A few years later, I learned he and his wife had moved their membership and joined the church. I had since left that church, but I would often return for funerals and homecomings, always seeing him there. Just a couple of years ago, I learned he had passed away from cancer. Julie and I attended the funeral being held at the church. When we pulled in, we saw the line to enter the church started at the parking lot. There must have been 300+ people there waiting, not counting those who had already passed thru. As we were waiting like others, some started sharing stories of meeting and knowing our friend. Story after story was simply a testimony of a life lived for Christ. Yes, the jokes, the laughs and the friendliness, but mostly about his Christian influence on them.

I share that story because the Apostle Paul and the disciples had such influence on the people of Thessalonica that even the enemies of the cross witnessed the impact they had on their world. How we choose to live our life is reflected on others around us as to what is REALLY important to us. We can make claims we care about the lost and the well-being of our community, but what we do we spend most of our time, talents and treasures doing?

I’m encouraging and challenging the pastors and church members of Little River Baptist Association... let’s “Take the Gospel to Every Home” in Trigg County in 2021. I believe we can make a difference in the lives of our community by “Doing Better Together” to share the Gospel. Please join with our leadership team in Praying, Planning and Performing this Goal for 2021. May some see us in the days to come and say, “These that have turned the world upside down are come hither.”

*In Christ Service,  
Bro. Bobby*





## Train the Trainer 2021 Simulcast

How Your Church Can Take  
the Gospel to Every Home

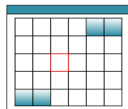
Where

**First Baptist  
Lone Oak**  
3601 Lone Oak Rd.,  
Paducah, KY

January 26, 2021  
9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Register @

<https://kbc.regfox.com/train-the-trainer-gospel-to-every-home>



## Calendar Of Events



### New Years Day

1/1/21

**Office Closed**

### Office reopens

1/4/21

### Mission Board Meeting

1/4/21, 7:00 p.m.

### Martin Luther King Jr., Day Observed

1/18/21

**Office Closed**

### YES! Evangelism Summit

January 29-30

**Bardstown**



## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR DECEMBER

	Regular	Special
Church		
Bethany	183.00	
Blue Spring	1,225.07	
Buffalo	0	
Cadiz	900.69	
Canton	734.90	250.00
Cerulean	432.00	
Delmont	280.62	
Donaldson Creek	647.64	
East Cadiz	755.94	
Hurricane	400.00	
Liberty Point	786.66	
Locust Grove	1,446.00	
Maple Grove	400.00	
New Hope	247.08	
New Jerusalem	0	
New Light	0	
Oak Grove	232.64	
Ponderosa	632.84	
Rock Front	200.00	
Rocky Ridge	431.00	
South Union	195.60	
Wallonia	0	
Misc. Income	800.00	
Total	10,931.68	250.00
		11,181.68
Interest NOW Acc.	5.79	
Deaf Ministry		250.00

Subtotals 10,937.47 250.00

Total income **\$11,187.47**

**Monthly expense \$12,633.35**

### Regular Fund

Beginning Balance	35,905.61
Interest Received	5.79
Gifts	10,966.04
Trans- Contingency Fund	(100.00)
Trans- OMC	
Trans- Building Maintenance Fund	(100.00)
Trans- Mev Fredenburg Fund	
Expense Checks Written	(12,473.19)
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$34,473.25</b>

**Treasurer: Louise Fuller 12/25/20**



**Pam Mitchell- 1/3**

**Linda Cannon- 1/14**

**Daniel Colley- 1/19**