



Little River
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Better Together

“Two are better than one; because they have a good reward for their labour.” (Ecc. 4:9)

Working together has been the theme of many Baptist Associations, as well as the Kentucky Baptist Convention. In fact, going all the way back to the institution of marriage and today’s practice of collective bargaining, generations of people have tested the truth of the words of Solomon in Ecclesiastes. One of God’s great gifts in helping us deal with problems of oppression, poverty, loneliness, and injustice is we are much stronger and better together.

Over the past few months, churches, and individuals across our country, have joined hearts, hands and hard-earned money to help people they didn’t know, in places they have never been, to rebuild, to be reassured and be restored as best they can thru the tornado of December 2021. I have witnessed and heard testimonies from folks who have lost family and friends and how they were encouraged thru the thoughts, prayers, and financial help around the country. Truly, many have come to understand the principle that is found in the Bible, whether they realized it or not: *“Two are better than one.”* (Ecc. 4:9)

A few years ago, I met a pastor from Cebu, Philippines named Bro. Orlando Lastimosa. Bro. Orlando is the lead pastor at “The Point Church” in Cebu. In December of 2021, right after the tornado that did so much damage in west KY, “Super Typhoon Rai”, or locally called “Odette” made landfall in the Philippines with 168 MPH winds, leaving 375 people dead. Among the destruction left behind was my pastor friend Bro Orlando’s church building. A few days later when some communication lines had been repaired, Bro. Orlando reached out to me to let me know he and family were ok, but their church building was destroyed. At that time, I was thankful to hear he and his family were safe, but mostly focused on the death and destruction we were facing in my hometown. As many of you know, and were a part of... our churches and community came together to help the folks effected by the tornado in West KY.

I would “prayerfully” like to ask the churches of Little River Baptist Association to come together to help “The Point Church” and my friend Bro. Orlando Lastimosa to rebuild. They have acquired some property and are looking to rebuild a new house of worship on the new property. They are meeting outside now on that property under a Mango tree to have worship services when weather permits. I have been asked to be a part of the groundbreaking service, (by zoom) at 9AM Monday, May 30th (which is Sunday, 29th, 8PM local time here). They estimate the rebuilding will cost \$12,000.00 US Dollars, and they have raised around \$2000.00.

On Monday, June 6th at our LRBA Board meeting, I will give a report and show a short video and pictures of “The Point Church” before and after the storm. If your church, or as individuals would like to help build this church in Cebu Philippines, please share this need and donate to LRBA and mark your donation “Rebuild the Point Church” and as Solomon says... “Two, (or more) are better than One...”

We are continually... “Better Together!”

In Christ Service,
Bro. Bobby



Camp Cadiz 2022



June 26-30

Students & Leaders needed!

Click on the link below to register & GET INVOLVED

Cost to attend: \$15.00

<https://sites.google.com/trigg.kyschools.us/campcadiz/get-involved>

Hello
JUNE

June Calendar of Events

- May 29-June 2- Hurricane VBS, 6:00-8:30 p.m.
- 1- Oak Grove VBS begins, 6:30 each Wed. in June
- 5- Homecoming, East Cadiz, 10:00 a.m.
- 5-8- Wallonia VBS, 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- 6- Mission Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- 6-10- Cadiz VBS, Trigg Co. School Football Practice Field, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon
- 12-16, Blue Spring VBS, 5:30-8:00 p.m.
- 12-15- Delmont VBS
- 13-17- Crossroads Fellowship VBS, 5:00-8:00 p.m.
- 17-18- Ponderosa VBS, 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 Noon
- 18- Maple Grove VBS, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon
- 19- Fathers Day
- 26-30- CAMP CADIZ

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MAY

Church	Regular	Special
Bethany	508.32	
Blue Spring	1,482.96	
Buffalo	0	
Cadiz	957.10	1,273.82
Canton	755.12	450.00
Cerulean	413.00	
Crossroads	400.00	
Delmont	221.21	
Donaldson Creek	783.82	
East Cadiz	896.58	
Hurricane	400.00	
Liberty Point	918.34	
Locust Grove	755.00	
Maple Grove	350.00	
New Hope	254.85	
New Jerusalem	75.00	
New Light	50.00	
Oak Grove	220.82	
Ponderosa	551.46	
Rock Front	200.00	
Rocky Ridge	306.00	
South Union	212.75	
Wallonia	0	
Misc. Income	1,100.00	500.00
Total	11,812.33	2,223.82
		14,036.15
Interest NOW Acc.	3.70	
Deaf Ministry		250.00
Mev Fredenburg Assoc. Missions Fund		1,973.82
Subtotals	11,816.03	2,223.82
Total income		\$14,039.85
Monthly expense		\$11,103.11
Regular Fund		
Beginning Balance		43,059.11
Interest Received		3.70
Gifts		12,119.33
Trans- Contingency Fund		(100.00)
Trans- OMC		
Trans- Building Maintenance Fund		(100.00)
Trans- Mev Fredenburg Fund		
Expense Checks Written		(10,625.13)
Ending Balance		\$44,357.01
Treasurer: Louise Fuller 5/25/22		

Happy Birthday

Julie Colley- 6/3
Steve Hardy- 6/12
Annette Bryant- 6/25