

# MISSION MARION

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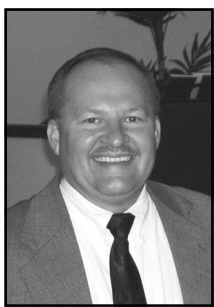
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## ***From The Missionary's Desk***

Psalm 92:1 says, It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto Thy name, O most High." We just celebrated Mother's Day, and Father's Day is just around the corner. As I write this, I am reflecting on how blessed I truly am to have had C.W. and Cat Box as my parents. When they read the words



"train up a child in the way he should go" they took that verse to heart. I am so blessed to say that I was raised in a godly home by godly parents. If you can say the same thing and your parents are still here with us, make sure you tell them this. As you all know, my Mom went on to be with the Lord in January. I would have loved to be able to say "Happy Mother's Day" and "I love you" to her on May 14, but I will have to wait until I see her again. All I'm saying is make sure you tell your parents as often as you can just how much you love them and how thankful to God you are for them and the godly home you were raised in. Some are not raised in godly homes. For you I say, "honor your Father and Mother so that your days will be long on the earth" and tell them you love them any way. Life on earth is too short to be harboring resentment; just forgive and love. Remember you have a Heavenly Father who loves you unconditionally and will be there for you no matter what comes your way.

A lot is happening in your Association during this time of year. Mission trip planning is in full swing. The next meeting is June 19th at 7:00 p.m. at the Association office. June 13th is Men's Prayer Night at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Hackleburg at 7:00 p.m. June 18th is Father's Day and June 29th there will be an Association Senior Adult Singing at Winfield First Baptist Church from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. I pray that you see and understand the importance of getting involved in your Association. Together we are so much stronger and can do so much more than when we try to stand alone.

Let me end by saying that even though this is a busy time of year, we should all give thanks and rejoice because we have the privilege to serve our Lord. Just remember that because of your witness someone, maybe just maybe, will come to know the Lord today! So always be thankful and always be ready to serve. Someone's eternity just might depend on it.

God Bless You Always,  
Bro. Keith  
Phil. 4:13

## MCBA

Senior Adult Singing  
Winfield First Baptist

June 29, 2017

10:00—11:30 a.m.

Worship Leader: Frank Jones

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## MCBA Youth Evangelism Conference

August 20, 2017  
Bevill Center, Hamilton

Pizza served at 5:30 p.m.  
Worship begins at 6:00 p.m.

Speaker: T. W. Norman

## MCBA Mission Trip

Son-Rise Baptist Retreat  
Sardis, Mississippi  
July 16 - 21

### Planning Meeting Dates:

Monday, June 19, 2017  
Monday, July 10, 2017

### Calendar of Events

#### JUNE

- 5 Executive Committee Meeting, Shiloh
- 13 Men's Prayer Night, Emmanuel
- 18 Father's Day
- 18 Baptist Men's Day
- 19 Mission Trip Planning Meeting
- 29 Association Senior Adult Singing, FBC Winfield

#### JULY

- 4 Independence Day (Office Closed)
- 10 Mission Trip Planning Meeting
- 11 Men's Prayer Night, Antioch
- 13 YEC Planning Meeting
- 16 - 21 MCBA Mission Trip

#### AUGUST

- 8 Men's Prayer Night, Gu-Win First
- 14 Executive Committee Meeting, MCBA
- 20 MCBA Youth Evangelism Conference, Bevill Center, Hamilton