

# The Bible Methodist



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—G. CLAIR SAMS



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The subtle sub theme of this issue highlights faith.

In a recent set of circumstances have caused a renewal of the challenge to trust. We can often talk and sing about faith and we should, but it becomes quite another matter when the circumstances of life confront the status quo and we actually have to trust the Lord for tomorrow. We can sing “Living by Faith” without much thought until the need for groceries is the primary concern. Hanging a little home decoration that quotes, “Through faith all things are possible” takes on significantly new meaning when trusting God to bring healing to a relationship is of deepest importance.

In this issue you will read articles that encourage trusting the Lord through the vicissitudes of ministry and following Him in spiritual battle. It is so important to trust the Lord. Circumstances will vary, there will be times of blessing and times of difficulty. It seems so easy to do the work of the Kingdom in the absence of opposition and disagreement, but ones greatest growth is usually in the more difficult situations. It is certainly through the battles that our faith is most clearly shown.

Linda Davidson challenges us to understand that in spiritual battle, our strength is found in the Lord. Darrell Stetler II challenges us to live and express faith so as to glorify Christ. Phillip DeLamarter calls us to stop by the alter because it is there, in the presence of the greatest sacrifice that God shows us His presence and grace.

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# INCREASE MY FAITH



**DARRELL STETLER II**

I walked out of the ICU, then out of the hospital. She couldn't die, surely. She was young. She had a husband and two kids. Some of her family was attending my church. "Please, Lord, show this Catholic family that you are a God that heals."

I think (possibly) that Jesus said, "Why don't you walk in and heal her." But I could be wrong. I was afraid. "What if I misunderstood? What if it's not God's will? What if I fail." I didn't. And she died. I've lost contact with her family. And I've always been a little haunted by that moment.

Did I miss it? I'm not sure. I don't have any good answers. Only one thing is certain: I didn't have the faith to see her healed.

So maybe you can understand my excitement when I read what the disciples asked Jesus in Luke 17:5, *The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!"*

OK, what are they asking him to do? What is it they want from him?

How to have more faith, right? Jesus, give me a step-by-step faith-increasing plan. Give me a formula, give me a faith workout! At least that's what it looks like they're asking to me.

And that seems like a great question, because I've asked the Lord many times, for more faith. Now, I know Romans 10:17, "faith comes by hearing the word of God" but Romans 10 is talking specifically about SAVING faith, the faith in Jesus as the Christ, that comes by preaching of the Gospel.

So, I am excited coming to this verse – I'm with the disciples! "Teach me, Jesus, teach me to have more faith." And, this is what Jesus says.

Luke 17:6 He replied, "If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it will obey you."

Now, wait. Is it just me, or did he just completely NOT ANSWER the question?

He didn't tell them how to have more faith, he just told them what would happen IF THEY DID HAVE it, what they could do IF THEY DID GET more faith. He didn't increase their faith, he just explained again how powerful it was.

Right?

Jesus had this way of sometimes dodging questions that is pleasantly disconcerting. But it made me wonder: Why did he not answer it? And honestly, I'm not sure of the answer to that.

But as I've thought over this, I want to suggest a possible solution:

Maybe faith is something *you either have or do not have*. It's not on a graduated system. You don't believe God 20% or 60% or 90%. Either you believe God, or you do not. I think what Jesus is teaching us here is this: Faith isn't something you get by degrees. ("I think I'm 60% of the way to faith for God to answer my prayer. If I do my faith workout today, tomorrow I will believe Him 70%.")

You might believe him for small things like finding your car keys, but maybe that just means that you don't believe Him for big things...?

So how do you know if you believe? How do you know if you've got faith for something?

Here's the best analogy I can think of: Skydiving.

If you decide to go skydiving, you will need faith in your parachute. What can you do to build your faith in your parachute?

You could take a class on parachutes. You could visit a parachute factory, and meet the people who make them. You could interview people who have skydived and lived through it. But you know in your heart that your stomach will probably still churn while you strap on your chute. You know thoughts will go through your mind... "what if this doesn't go right?"

So how do I know when I've got faith to skydive? I think its when I jump. **There comes a time where your feet have to leave the plane.** Until you have leaped and placed yourself in a position

that says "If this doesn't work, I'm toast..." you don't have faith.

Think about it.

Big faith means the possibility of big failure. You have to be willing to look entirely stupid if it doesn't work out. The guy who has faith in a chair, risks looking a little stupid if it breaks. The guy who tells the sun to stand still (in front of his army!), risks looking a lot stupid.

Big faith means the possibility of big failure.

➤ "Sun, stand still..." (Joshua 10:12)

➤ "Stand still and see the salvation of the Lord!" (Exodus 14)

➤ "This day the Lord will hand you over to me, and I'll cut off your head..." (1 Samuel 17)

➤ "In the name of Jesus Christ, rise up and walk." (Acts 3)

➤ "You will be blind for a season." (Acts 13:11)

➤ "Stand upright on your feet!" (Acts 14:9-10)

Imagine with me for a moment how awkward it would be if you said one of these and it didn't happen! So we don't. Because we don't have faith for it.

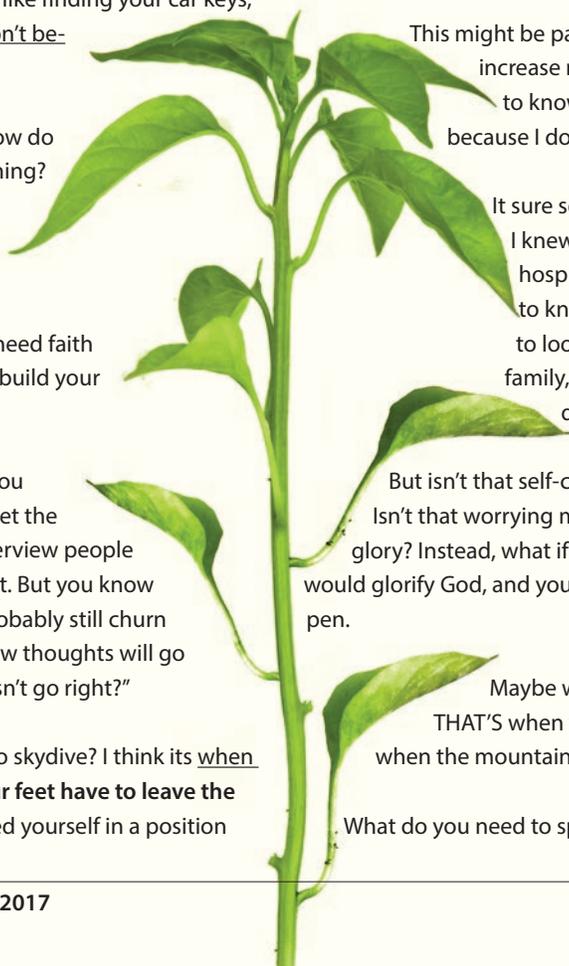
This might be part of the problem: I think "Lord, increase my faith" really means: "Lord, I want to know I've got faith before I say anything, because I don't want to look stupid."

It sure seems like it would have helped me if I knew I had faith before I walked into that hospital room. I think what I wanted was to know that there was no way I was going to look stupid. To not give false hope to a family, to not slink away like a guilty dog if it didn't happen.

But isn't that self-centered instead of Jesus-centered? Isn't that worrying more about my glory, than about God's glory? Instead, what if you felt convinced that something would glorify God, and you went and spoke that it would happen.

Maybe when you speak your faith... maybe THAT'S when you have faith, and maybe THAT'S when the mountain moves.

What do you need to speak in faith in your life... today? ■





REV. MICHAEL AVERY will be available for a variety of services to the church in July of 2017. He is available for revivals, conventions, Bible conferences, leadership training, strategic planning sessions, conflict resolution, ministerial and other special events. He especially enjoys what is called “Deeper Life Conferences” (teaching on personal holiness). He can be reached at [mavery@gbs.edu](mailto:mavery@gbs.edu) or 513-218-8502 or 3739 Moorhill Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45241.

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The Executive Committee of the Heartland Conference wishes to recommend REV. G. CLAIR SAMS to the field of evangelism. Rev. Sams has a wealth of ministry experience including: pastoring, missions, evangelism and leadership. His years of service to the Heartland Conference and the Bible Methodist Connection give him special insight and wisdom. He is an able preacher of the Word and is faithful to the message of holiness. He will be available for revivals, camps, conferences, and prayer conferences. We believe your church will benefit from his ministry. He may be contacted by phone at 513-267-6717 or email at [gcsams@biblemethodist.org](mailto:gcsams@biblemethodist.org).

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—G. CLAIR SAMS - HEARTLAND CONFERENCE PRESIDENT.



Bible Methodist Missions is happy to announce the appointment of a new missionary to the Philippines, MISS MARICKA HERRER.

Maricka is a native South African, a graduate of GBS, and a godly young lady with a servant’s heart. In just a few days she will also be graduating from the Masters program at GBS.

Maricka’s passion is to train leaders who train others (2 Timothy 2:2). We will be introducing Maricka more completely in the days to come. I know that she will greatly appreciate your prayers as she enters into this new spiritual adventure.

—TIM KEEP, BIBLE METHODIST MISSIONS DIRECTOR

# FAITHFUL in Battle



LINDA DAVIDSON



It was just a phone call, made to wish Happy Birthday and set a time to visit but it turned into a full spiritual battle that morning. Out of my innocent comment about a totally different subject the battle erupted all around me in full force. I was taken by surprise but not unprepared. I had tried to “live peaceably” and to evade this confrontation but the time of evasion and “living peacefully” was at an end. Fortunately, my Captain had prepared me for this battle. Many times we had talked about this particular issue and how I should respond when the battle came. I had always envisioned the battle scene as being face to face, probably on a Saturday afternoon, on the other person’s territory, with others looking on and taking in our every word and facial expression. I thought I would have the “advantage” of being able to walk away with my words ringing in their ears and everyone would realize that I was right.

Instead, my battle took place early in the morning, while I was still in my nightclothes, before I was totally awake, and over a phone line. The battle was really an ambush, my adversary luring me along the conversational path until suddenly he attacked. I didn’t see it coming, but as I sensed the subtle shift in the conversation and sensed possible danger lurking ahead, and suddenly the battle was upon me. Much to my surprise, however, the other

party didn’t want to engage in battle! His battle plan was to take aim, fire and be victorious. I was supposed to surrender and become his captive. The battle would be over and he would win. I had been prepared though. I was ready for the battle and did not cower in defeat. Instead, I responded and engaged him in battle.

My Captain and I both knew this battle was coming. However, I did not know when it would happen. Both my Captain and I had always known this would be a battle of words, and deep emotions. He had been faithful to equip me and train me. We had gone over and over the territory. This was not a voluntary mission; it had been appointed to me as a matter of duty. This battle would require wisdom of how much to say, how to say it and when to stop. My Captain and I had gone over and over the issue together many times and I knew there was no room for wavering. It was settled down in the bedrock of my soul. When the time came, I was not able to tuck my head, look to others for assistance, take cover or run. I had to stand and engage in the battle. My words had to be clear and concise, saying only what my commanding officer had drilled me to say and NOTHING ELSE. There wouldn’t be time to say much. My opponent is not known for staying around to engage in a battle. He is known for laying down his demands and there was no room for discussion.

I could not comply with his demands; hence the battle. I fought the battle without others present for encouragement or support. I did my best to deliver my message in a way that was strong but loving. I had only one message, and it was not one my opponent wanted to hear, and hear clearly I did my best to make my attitude respectful but refusing to yield. My Captain and I had gone over and over the issue involved until when the battle came, my response was automatic and without weakness. I found myself able to stand firm, I felt no sign of weakness, or cowering.

The battle raged and the training I had been given held me in the time of battle. There were no tears, or begging him to reconsider the ultimatum thrown at me. I was able to address the issue with logic with someone who did not want to be logical. I was able to stay focused in spite of attempts at guilt and manipulation to try to distract me. My battle was not in a comfortable living room with others watching but it was with someone who refused to listen, threatened to hang up, tried to change the subject, ignore rational thinking and refuse to acknowledge my concerns. My comments were scorned and attempts were made to manipulate me with guilt. My opponent was charged for battle with only one scenario in mind, my acquiescence and utter cooperation. The big weapons were brought out; the ones I had known in the past were lurking in the background but had never been used. Today they were not hinted at; they were unleashed and given full reign. Now things had changed and there was no hesitancy in pulling out the one weapon I had never thought would be used and brandishing it in my face. He waved it around, I refused to yield and he shot his final round. His aim was true and the bullet lodged deeply in my heart and soul. I staggered from the impact, but did not fall and I did not die. I made my final response. Just as suddenly as it started, the battle was over and he hung up on me. Battle over; or so I thought.

He would not yield and neither would I. I saw that there would be no “winner” today and I realized that the battle was not over but that my part in the fighting of the battle was definitely over. My opponent left the battlefield; he hung up on me. There was nothing more to say. I hung up the phone feeling shaken but yet relieved and content. I made my Captain aware of the battle that had just been fought and its results. Treatment was given for the emotional wound I had received along with calm assurance that I had done what was required and had acquitted myself well on the battlefield. It was time now to face my day. Now the battle was in the hands of My Captain. He will ultimately control the outcome of this matter.

Suddenly I was hit with a new wave of attack! Fellow soldiers came to see what the noise was all about. When told of the battle, they immediately voiced their disapproval of my handling of this battle. They thought I acted out of spite, out of “self righteous pride” and that actually what I had just done would only make things worse and now we would have to deal with the conse-

quences. I explained to them that I had thought on this particular issue very much, given it much prayer, carefully searched my heart and soul and could not find a way to give the individual the type of approval they wanted and could not do what was asked without violating my conscience. Nevertheless, their decision is firm. They will support me, but they do not agree with me. We will probably not talk of it again but they have made it clear; they feel I was wrong and botched the whole thing. I did my best to go through the day reminding myself of the words of our Captain and His assurance. Still my companion’s words rang in my ears and caused serious pain to my recently batter and bruised soul.

The time came to report in for the day. I came before the Captain again and gave an account of myself, I reminded Him of all I had encountered early that morning, the surprise of it, how I handled it, the weapons I had used, what was said and what I did not say. I told Him of the treatment I had received for my wound and then I informed the Captain of the disapproval and rebuke I had received from some comrades after the battle. He sorrowed with me, and then sent me on my way with the assurance of His approval, His presence, and the knowledge that even now He was engaged in this battle. My efforts were not in vain and were a very necessary part of the overall battle plan.

Before I was dismissed for the day, He instructed me on His new task for me. This battle is far from done. It is being fought on many fronts and in many ways. Today I had an important part to play but there is still much to be accomplished. Now I have a new role to play in this battle. It will be a solitary mission – that of prayer and faith. I must be faithful at my place of duty not only in prayer, but in the matter of faith that He is in control, that His plans will prevail. It will not be easy because I won’t be able to physically see the battle raging. I will only sense it at times. He stressed that this is the part of the battle where soldiers often fail, the matter of belief. Important battles are often lost because of this very point – the lack of faith in one who has been called upon to hold on in the place of prayer. Prayer is a vital part of His battle plan but it must be coupled with rock solid unwavering faith that will not falter in times of no news, bad news, or inaccurate reports from the battle front, etc. The final results of this battle may hinge on my faith or lack thereof, more than my serious concerted efforts at prayer. I must be faithful.

I am challenged now to redouble my efforts in the place of prayer over this issue and to continue to have faith. It has been easy in the past to grow weary and falter because I have prayed for so long and seen no results, or to become distracted by the affairs of day to day life. Other problems and needs tend to press in all around me until they loom so large that I can’t see the weightier matters that need my attention in prayer and faith. I must be faithful even when I can’t see what is happening in the battle! My Captain is in charge and He will let me know when the battle is over and my part is done. ■

# World Missions

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### GOSPEL LIGHT CHURCH DEDICATION

Kalongkong Gospel Light BMC was dedicated April 6, 2017. After only 21 working days. When God's people are united and have a mind to work great things can be accomplished. We give God the glory!



*Construction in progress*



*Prayer of dedication*



*Nestled in a beautiful valley*

### SECOND ANNUAL YOUTH CONGRESS IN MEXICO

A wonderful group of young people gathered for the second annual national youth congress in Mexico this April 12-16. We believe that this new youth ministry, along with the future institute, scheduled now to start classes this fall, will be used by God to cultivate a culture of spirituality among our Mexican young people. God used the Christ-centered worship, anointed teaching of God's word, team competition, fellowship and recreation to work in the hearts of our youth.

The growing youth ministry in Mexico is receiving excellent leadership from Rev. Eli Balderes (President), and Brennan Muir (Chaplain and Worship Coordinator). Leading up to the Youth Congress Brennan and Ivon spent 50 days visiting each local church, building relationships with young people and training youth music teams. What a wonderful and worthy investment.



## MY TRIP THROUGH MEXICO

To condense a fifteen-day trip in México into a paragraph or two is next to impossible. To highlight one day, one experience, one favorite memory...is pretty much impossible as well. However, it is easy to express immense gratitude to God for the many opportunities I had: circling in over the ocean on a gorgeous day during my arrival to Huatulco, Mexico, which emphasized the greatness of His handiwork, and then driving through the entire length of Mexico, experiencing the sights, sounds, tastes, temperatures and events that are all a part of our children's every-day life.

I was privileged to lend helping hands to Brennan and Ivon in San Gabriel as they continued ministry over the weekend as well as pack up for their return to the states for the summer. Visits to Ivon's family members, being in their homes, walking streets and shopping in the market at Oaxaca City with some of them is a precious memory. Riding many hours in the vehicle as the scenery changed dramatically every hour was incredible. I can only begin to share, for the experiences which filled each day and the thoughts that would accompany would fill chapters. I will share two praises from a number I cannot yet count: 1) Our Father was watching over us on the long, mountainous trip between San Gabriel and Oaxaca City. Brennan discovered his brakes were about gone shortly before the most treacherous roads of the trip. The steps of Divine intervention to resolve this problem and keep us safe was just amazing. But that's the way our God works! 2) The LORD I worship in the states is the same LORD present at the weekend youth convention in Cuchicuato. Young people from the south to the north in Mexico came together, and the presence of God has been among us as numerous national pastors, Brennan as assistant national youth pastor, and Bible Methodist missions director, Tim Keep, challenged the youth to victorious living through the power of the Holy Spirit. While language was a barrier between most of the group and me, the Spirit of God assured that I was among brothers and sisters. As I write, this trip is yet incomplete, but already I can't wait for my next visit!





## SALEM, OH



*Platters of Appreciation*

Our church wants to be a blessing to our community. Knowing that community workers, such as policemen are often under attack and criticized for doing their jobs, we decided to give them cookie platters. We included firemen also. A letter was given to them expressing our appreciation and assuring them of our prayers. A treat bag with a dog bone and biscuits was included for the K-9. The response with cookie donations was so great, we were able to include two additional township police departments.

## HEARTLAND RECEPTION AT SEA BREEZE CAMP



President and Mrs. Sams hosted the annual Heartland Reception during the Sea Breeze Camp at Hobe Sound, FL. Around forty people attended the reception and enjoyed refreshments and a great time of fellowship. President Sams gave the attendees an update on the conference including progress of the RV project at Beulah Grove.

## HEARTLAND YOUTH RALLY

A great crowd of young people and adults filled the Franklin Bible Methodist Church for the annual Heartland Youth Rally. Youth President Mike Mater led the service. The Grace Quartet from God's Bible School and College provided the special music. Rev. Rodney Loper, President-elect of GBSC challenged the young people from God's Word.

After the service, the attendees enjoyed pizza in the Family Ministries Building and a night of recreation. God certainly blessed the rally with His Presence. Thank God for a number of young people who responded to God's call at the altar of prayer.



*Playing wacky games*



*Congregation at the Youth Rally*



*Rev. Rodney giving the altar call as GBS trio sang*



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## MID-AMERICA HEART FOR THE SHEPHERD SEMINAR, PONCA CITY, OKLAHOMA



*David Taylor speaking in one of the sessions*

Rev. David Taylor was the special speaker for this year's seminar. He spoke on "Developing a Care ministry" and shared excellent material for pastors and wives. At least 8 different states were represented, There was great enthusiasm among the Mid-America people, The seminar activities start at 10:30 a.m. to mid-night.

## PELL CITY, AL HEART FOR THE SHEPHERD SEMINAR



*Dr. Gary Cockerill speaking in Pell City*

The seminar was held at "The Brook Coffee House." Lay Leaders and ministers enjoyed Dr. Gary Cockerill from Wesley Biblical Seminary and his teaching on the subject "Holiness from the Old Testament." The session went from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

## NORTH AL. NORTH GA AND TN HEART FOR THE SHEPHERD SEMINAR



*Randall Crofts singing during the seminar*

The seminar was hosted by Rev. James Bryant at Flat Rock, AL. Rev. and Mrs. John Parker were the special speakers. Attendance was excellent, everyone enjoyed the content of the seminar and a great time of food, fellowship and music followed the seminar.

## HEART FOR THE SHEPHERD SEMINAR, THOMASVILLE, NC



*Rev. Chris Cravens speaks to attendees*

Rev. Chris Cravens and Cathy Parker were the speakers for the well attended North Carolina Seminar. Faith Community Chapel provided a wonderful BarBQ supper for the pastors and wives. Thanks to Pastor Jonathan Heath, host pastor.



*New Converts at an appreciation supper for the Hedstroms at Servant's Heart Chapel in Clovis, New Mexico. L to R: Pastor Underwood, Tim, Robert, Andrew, Bro. Hedstrom, Cornelius and Matt.*



*Mid-America Planning session for future Regional Conference-Motel Conference room in Ponca City, Ok, Left to right-Rev. Ron McCormick, Dr. Steve Oliver, Rev. Erick Going, Rev. Todd Hurst, Rev. Darrell Lee Stetler, Rev. Shirel Rosengreen, Rev. Paul Hoerner, Zane Hurst.*

## REMODELING THE VERNON HOUSE



A very nice large conference room and Conference President's office will be built unto the Vernon home here on the AL Bible Methodist Camp grounds. Cement blocks for a retaining wall behind the project and new cabinets are being installed as well as new flooring and new sheetrock.. The new improvements will be enjoyed for many years to come. Special thanks to the pastors and lay leaders that are assisting Rev. John Parker with this project,



A special thanks to this group in Ponca City, OK for decorating for the Heart for the Shepherd Banquet and for Bro. McCormick for serving as host pastor. They do an excellent job!



Blake Jones  
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## EVART EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA

Over 200 attended the Easter Extravaganza held at the Evert Church. The youth sang songs with accompanying actions and the adults presented a skit of the Easter story with the main theme being, "I've seen Him and that changes everything." Var-

ious age groups then participated in designated areas for the egg hunt. The event has generated new interest in our Sunday evening Children's Church.

— *Pastor Brian Bailey*



## GREENVILLE CHURCH HOLDS A WINTER BAPTISM

It was my privilege to baptize two new converts in the family of God. Rick and Lori Greene started attending our church a little over a year ago. They were not married at the time but were interested in knowing about God. I began to meet with them to discuss the Bible study lessons that took place on Wednesday evenings and answer questions about the sermons they had heard on Sunday. At camp meeting last July, Rick and Lori went forward and received Christ as their personal Lord and Savior. A few months later they were married and now have been baptized. Praise be to God! I'm excited to see what God has in store for them.

—*Pastor Phil Mills.*



## DAWN VALLEY 'S NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

A new kid's Sunday School class was started at Dawn Valley Bible Methodist Church in February. The children just finished a "Lego: Building on Jesus" lesson series, where they learned the basics of following Jesus. We are excited about the children and their parents that have been coming. One three-year old child came to Sunday School one day and excitedly said: "God loves me." It makes it all worth it to see young children get a hold of who God is and what He can do in their hearts today.

— *Pastor Joe Krohn*



## NEW BUS AT IRONWOOD BIBLE METHODIST CHURCH (FRANKFORT, IN)

Ironwood Bible Methodist Church is rejoicing in God's guidance and help throughout the past year as we worked through the process of purchasing and painting a beautiful, sixty-six passenger church bus. This is a dream come true! Since putting the bus on the road in January, our Sunday School attendance has already increased and we are beginning to see new faces. In addition to using the bus as an outreach tool, the church has plans to utilize it for other events; for instance, the first Saturday of May, we will be

partnering with a couple of other local churches to take a trip to the Creation Museum. This will be the first time many in our congregation have been able to go and they are quite excited.

At this writing, the bus is sitting at a local sign shop, having the church name and Bible Methodist logo installed. We hope it will be a familiar and welcome sight in our community for years to come.

— *Pastor Jason Lindahl*





Join us at a Bible Methodist  
**Camp Meeting**  
 this summer!

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## ALABAMA FAMILY CAMP

July 4–9

Service Times: 10:30 AM, 7:00 PM

Walt Hedstrom retirement service:

Saturday July 8 at 7:00 PM

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Registrar: Randall Crofts 256 492 7362



**Michael Avery**  
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**John Ingram**  
 Evangelist

**Hobe Sound Bible  
 College VBS Team**  
 Children's Worker

**Joshua Cravens**  
 Youth Worker

## HEARTLAND CAMP AT BEULAH GROVE

June 20–25

Service Times:

10:00 AM, 2:00 PM, 7:00 PM

Annual Conference – June 19–20

Registrar: Wendi Stephani:

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**Allan Brown**  
 Evangelist



**Jonathan & Jalena Glick**  
 Song Evangelists



**Gene & Angie Davis**  
 Children's Workers



**Jonathan Slagenweit**  
 Youth Evangelist

## ROCK LAKE BIBLE METHODIST CAMP MEETING

July 14–23

Annual Conference - July 14, 1:00 PM

Conference Message -

July 14, 7:00 PM - Rev. Gene Davis

Missions Day - July 16

Family Day - July 22

Conference President Message -

July 23, 10 AM

Registrar: Chelle Durr: 616-785-9478



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