

May Events

- 1 - 3 Mark - Apple Conference, Denver
- 11 Mother's Day

June Events

Every Monday ----Label Water

- 10 - 11 SBC Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN
- 15 Father's Day
- 20 - 22 Breakaway Minister's Wives Retreat, Casper
- 23 - 26 GA Camp, Mt. Top Baptist Assembly

FRONTIER/ENERGY BASIN PRAYER REQUESTS

DOAM Mark Porter

Jail Ministry: Unity Missionary Baptist Church,
Ernest Fitzhugh, Pastor

BCM, LCCC, Cheyenne: Aaron Bell, Director

BCM, UW, Laramie: Rhett Ivey, Director

Pastorless Churches: Trinity, Laramie; (Robert Timmons, Transitional Pastor) Snowy Range, Laramie, (Eldon Jones, Interim Pastor) First Baptist Church, Hanna
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Texas/Frontier Association Partnership.

"God warms His Hands at man's heart when he prays."
John Masefield

A DOUBLE BLESSING?

It was called to my attention after the Semi-annual meeting that we are missing a blessing. The Association voted to suspend Agape's annual \$2000.00 payment to the Association for their building. This money is used for new work and if suspended would not be available to help new work ministries going on now.

It was suggested that Churches that are doing well financially, pick up this payment and thus help Agape be that much further ahead in their payments, and also have this money available to do new work ministry. If your Church would like to help, and be part of a double blessing, please consider giving a love offering designated for the payment for Agape. This money will be applied to go towards their payment of \$2000.00 and also go toward new mission work. Anything above this amount will be applied to the following year's payment.

Mark

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Energy Basin Baptist Association

**FRONTIER/ENERGY BASIN
BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS**

MAY 2008

Pray for New Works!

Hispanic in Wheatland
**Sponsored by Iglesia
Baptist Church,
Cheyenne**

Huntley, Near Torrington

*The Rock Trailer Court in
South Cheyenne*
**Sponsored by Sunnyside
Baptist Church, Chey-
enne**

Burns Mission
**Sponsored by Golden
Prairie Baptist Church**

**The Association assists
Churches in starting new
work**

DOAM'S DESK

Guy Landers brought a great message on Naaman the Leper, 2 Kings chapter 5, during the Associational semi-annual meeting. It made me think about how important it is to do the right thing no matter how insignificant it may seem. A little girl's witness, captured and forced to serve Naaman's wife, was willing to share her faith in God, and thus bring healing to Naaman.

I know that many people think that going off to a hostile country is somehow greater in God's eyes than going to a Wednesday night prayer meeting. I have to admit that I have great respect for those who do go into these hostile environments in order to share the Gospel, but I do not believe that what others do for God is less important. I have had a gun pulled on me while sharing my faith during an airport ministry. I was threatened to be killed unless I stopped witnessing to people for Christ by drug dealers. I have been in neighborhoods where it was unsafe to be because of gangs. To be honest with you, those times were easier for me to do than doing the ordinary little things that I know God wants me to do in my office, like writing a newsletter.

I want to encourage everyone to be faithful to do the little things because they matter to God. I know that business meetings are not exciting but some of the decisions made there impact God's Kingdom Work in more ways than we will ever know. Sending an encouraging card, going to a prayer meeting, working in a nursery, cleaning a kitchen, may not seem all that important but to God it can make a world of difference. Remember that giving a cup of water in Jesus name will not lose its reward. Let us not get caught up in having the same mindset as Naaman, thinking that in order for God to bless us we have to always be doing something great. Make sure you are faithful to do the little things as well. With Love, *Mark*

MISSION BANQUET

HAPPY JACK BAPTIST CHURCH



A large crowd begins to gather



Tim Richardson,
State Church Mission Strategist
speaks of his work



Marvin Owen,
State Church Health Strategist
speaks of his work, bringing the main message

The Church exists to train its members through the practice of the Presence of God to be servants of others, to the end that Christlikeness may become common property.
William Adams Brown

FBA SPRING SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH, LARAMIE



Robert Timmons,
Transitional Pastor,
Trinity Baptist
Church, Laramie



Belinda Power,
Janet Davis, &
Cindy Speiser,
Snowy Range
Baptist Church,
Laramie



Guy Landers,
Pastor, Happy Jack
Baptist Church,
Cheyenne



Baptists like to eat!



Ernest Hastey,
Moderator and Pas-
tor, Iglesia Baptist
Church, Cheyenne