

# From The Heart



Heartland  
Baptist  
Association

**MARCH 2018**

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*Featuring the Churches & Events of the Heartland Baptist Association*

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*Heartland Baptist Association's*  
**RE-VISIONING DIALOGUE CONTINUES**

**Sunday, March 11, 2018**

**Mission Center, Lawson**

**2:00 PM**

**Pastor & One Church Member**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION  
CONTACT THE MISSION CENTER**

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*Heartland Baptist Association's*  
**APRIL SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING**

*"In Times Like These..."*

**Sunday, April 8, 2018**

**2:30 PM**

**LOCATION: First Baptist Church of Orrick**

**Dr. Jerry Palmer, DOM Challenge**

**Dr. Ron Malott, Annual Sermon**

**Bro. Paul Wood, Alternate**

**Reports from the Teams and Committees**



## 2018 TENTATIVE CALENDAR

### March 2018

- 03/08 Pastor's Breakfast @ Catrick's. 8 AM.
- 03/10 Racer Day @ FBC Lathrop
- 03/11 Deacon Ordination FBC Plattsburg
- 03/22 HBA Jam. 6:30 PM. Bring your own instruments.
- 03/16-17 DR Training @ Osage Beach
- 03/20-21 DOM Conference @ Baptist Building
- 03/23-31 DOM/Min. Asst. Vacation

### April 2018

- 04/05 Grand Oaks Executive Board Meeting
- 04/08 Semi-Annual Meeting, FBC Orrick 2:30 PM
- 04/08-18 VBS Consignment Order #2 Due—HBA MC
- 04/10 HBA Work Day @ Mission Center.
- 04/15-18 Simultaneous Cluster Revivals
- 04/20-21 DR Training @ West Plains

### May/June 2018

- 05/03 Camp Life Registration Deadline
- 05/7-10 Camp Preparation Work Days
- 05/29-06/02 Camp Life-Grand Oaks
- 06/22-23 Intro to Camping-Grand Oaks
- 06/28 Kid's Camp Registration Deadline

### July 2018

- 07/09 Executive Board Meeting
- 07/27-30 Kid's Camp-Grand Oaks

### August/September 2018

- 08/11 State Fair Ministry 10 AM—2 PM
- 09/14-15 DR Training @ Green Valley, St. Joseph

### October 2018

- 10/20 Great Outdoorsman Day - Grand Oaks
- 10/12-13 DR Training Wildwood, Missouri
- 10/22-23 Missouri Baptist Convention Annual Mtg.



### March Birthdays

3/6	Robert Dean	Pastor	Alta Vista
3/7	Lynn Rogers	Pastor	Hickory Grove
3/8	Timothy Isaacson	Pastor's Son	Richmond
3/9	Bobby Dean	Pastor's Son	Alta Vista
3/12	Sally Wood	Pastor's Wife	Browning
3/12	Emerson Gudde	Staff's Son	Plattsburg
3/13	Jay Malott	Pastor's Son	Lathrop
3/13	Fred Sherman	Staff's Spouse	Lathrop
3/25	Caden Shonk	Staff's Son	Braymer
3/25	Jordan Kinnard	Staff's Son	Richmond
3/25	David Palmer	DOM's Son	Calvary



### March Anniversaries

### March Pastor's Anniversaries

3/2017 Ken Gazaway Pastor Cameron

## **SUMMER MISSIONARIES NEEDED!**

We need two college students who would be willing to serve as Summer Missionaries for the Heartland Baptist Association this summer. All of you who are interested please call Brother Jerry's cell (816-895-2979) in the next two weeks. Thanks.



For Disaster Relief Training info and registration go to [mobaptist.org/dr](http://mobaptist.org/dr).

## **HBA "JAM" SESSION**

**Every Fourth Thursday of the Month  
Next Jam is Thursday, March 22nd  
6:30 PM**

**At the  
Mission Center, Lawson, Missouri**

**Bring you instrument (Guitar, Harmonica,  
Flute, Voice, etc.) and some songs  
to sing and play!  
Bring some finger food to enjoy a  
fellowship afterwards.**



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# Speaking from the Heart

*Heartland Baptist Association*  
**"CHAIN BREAKER!"**

Our third meeting of the Re-Visioning Committee will be on Sunday afternoon, March 11, 2018 beginning at 2:00 PM. This meeting will again be at the Mission Center. We are asking each church to please send your pastor and one other church member to this meeting. The committee's hope is that the church member will be the same person throughout the whole process. I am sending the churches and sending out on email some notes from the last meeting. If you do not receive these notes early next week, please contact the Mission Center and we will forward them to you. This is a very important time in the life of our Association. Please help us by participating.

We tried to begin a new event in Heartland Baptist Association in February, but the weather did not cooperate. We have postponed the first "Jam" until March. For sometime, First Baptist Kingston has held a "Jam Session" on the third Thursday of every month. We are moving the "Jam Session" to the Mission Center, moving the date to the fourth Thursday of the month and inviting everyone who would like to come. Bring your instrument (voice, banjo, guitar, harmonica, flute, etc.) and join us at 6:30 PM on Thursday, March 22nd. Also, bring some finger foods for the fellowship afterward. Always remember that Linda and I are praying for each of your churches.

One of my goals when I first came to Heartland almost 23 years ago, was to limit how many meetings we sponsored. I am aware that everyone is busy these days. To that end, we are going to try holding our April Semi-Annual on Sunday afternoon. We are trying to be sensitive to the needs of our churches and particularly to our Bi-Vocational Pastors. We only meet four times a year as an Association: two Executive Board Meetings (January & July) and two Semi-Annual Meetings (April & September). In holding our meetings down to four times a year makes it very important for everyone to be involved. Please plan on attending our April Semi-Annual at First Baptist Church of Orrick on Sunday Afternoon, April 8th. That meeting begins at 2:30 PM. Then stay for a time of fellowship after. Remember, Linda and I are praying for you.

We love you all!

*Jerry and Linda*

## **GAME ON!**

### **VBS Consignment Store**

**The second order your Vacation Bible School Literature Through Heartland.**

**From April 8 thru 18, 2018**

**More Information Contact the Mission Center**

*Heartland Baptist Association's*

## **Pastors' Breakfast**

**Thursday, March 8, 2018**

**8:00 AM**

**Catrick's Café**

**410 N Pennsylvania Ave.  
Lawson, MO 64062**



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9 a.m.-12 p.m.  
12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

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*The Purpose Of The Churches That Form The Heartland Baptist Association  
Is To Support & Encourage One Another In Reaching And Growing People For Christ*



## ***RACER DAY IN HEARTLAND***

**March 10, 2018**

**First Baptist Church  
of Lathrop**

8:00 AM Breakfast  
9:00 AM Registration  
10:00 AM Racing Begins

## *Heartland Baptist Association's* **SIMULTANEOUS REVIVALS**

Our First Annual Simultaneous Revivals will be held on Sunday, April 15th through Wednesday, April 18, 2018. A letter from our Evangelism Team has gone out to all of our Churches listing the suggested clusters. If for some reason your Pastor has not received this letter, contact the Mission Center. Any questions or for more information call the Mission Center at 816-296-3021, email us at [info@heartlandba.org](mailto:info@heartlandba.org), or check us out on the web at [www.heartlandba.org](http://www.heartlandba.org).

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## ***MOTORCYCLE/AIRPLANE AND CAR SHOW***

**WHERE: Missouri City Baptist Church**  
**WHY: Fund Raiser For Missouri City  
School Playground Equipment**  
**WHEN: April 14th 3:00 PM until ?**

**More information, Call Pastor Henry  
Alexander 816-206-7721**