

FEATHER RIVER BAPTIST A MISSION NETWORK

Newsletter

Winter 2020

FRBA Churches on International Missions

Loyalton Community Church

Bill & Sue Loveridge (Elder at Loyalton Community Church) spent 2 months in the Philippines teaching students, preaching, visiting pastors & attending Anniversary Celebrations for 4 churches. They were able to spend time with their "Philippino" family & attend a wedding. The Loveridges have been investing in the Kingdom in the Philippines for many years.



FAITH Ministry in So. Asia



Pastor Jim, Nicky & Maddie were blessed to serve our missionaries overseas by bringing supplies and providing VBS for their children while they attended conferences. Pastor Jim also taught devotions to encourage our brothers & sisters on the frontline. We also got to see student ministry & discipling process. It was very encouraging to see what God is doing in hard places!

Missionary News

This past year, our association of churches have partnered together to do VBS's, help Magalia Pines with disaster relief, provide E.B.I. classes, help license men to the Gospel ministry, develop student missionaries, & go on mission overseas...truly a mighty association!

The 2nd week of January, I met with DOM's from Northern CA then traveled with members of the FRBA Admin Team to Quincy & Susanville to meet with our pastors in the southern part of our association. We looked over the Annual Report, set some priorities for the next few years, enjoyed fellowship among pastors, and stopped & prayed for our churches along the way.

In February, I will be preaching in Eagle Lake where Pastor Peter Celum (longtime SBC Minister)

is leading the church. On the 16th, I will be preaching at Greenville. Also pray for our pastorless churches.

The network of churches provides encouragement & support to pastors, leadership training opportunities, & strengthens churches in their God-given vision.

The Inland Empire Baptist Association has been a great support & encouragement to our Association & to me personally. Thank you, Deryl Lackey, for your friendship & heart for the rural north DOM's.

In 2020, I would ask you to join me in prayer & support for every church in the Feather River Mission Network to have baptisms this year, be a partner to a church plant or revitalizing church, and at some level finically give to FRBA Missions Network.

In HIS grip,

J. Ballard

2019 Missions Giving: Oct. - Dec.

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Churches	Dec.	Year to Date
Ascent Christian	-	20
Alturas Baptist	632	1,923
Chester Baptist	-	120
Com. Ch. Loyalton	165	495
Deerfield	-	480
Evergreen Baptist	186.05	659.65
FAITH Ministry	310.59	1,066.18
Greenville SBC	-	-
Janesville SBC	2,097.53	2,097.53
Portola Station	-	-
Primera Iglesia	-	100
Quincy FBC	-	-
Sierra Christian Ch.	-	285
Susanville FSBC	-	-
(Chuukese Church)	-	-
(Palauan Baptist)	-	-
Tulelake FBC	-	676.85
Westwood FBC	-	682.15
Totals	\$3,391.17	\$8,605.36

Among the Churches:

Ascent Christian in Quincy, CA

Pastor Dan Hanna has completed the North American Mission Board's process to receive a small funding assistance for their new church plant. Loyalton Community Church, FRBA & FAITH Ministry will also assist with funding.

First Baptist Church in Tulelake, CA

Pastor Don McCloud was in a serious auto accident before Christmas. Since his surgery, he is now in a rehab facility in Red Bluff, CA. Please pray for his recovery, his wife, Joy's strength & provision, and for the church.

FAITH Ministry in Reno, NV

Pastor Roberto Gomes is in Brazil awaiting his visa paperwork to return to Reno as a pastor. Please keep him & this process in your prayers.

Community Church of Loyalton, CA

Prayer Night for Government Leaders: Sunday, February 16th

Church Strengthening

FRBA has rebuilt an Event trailer for your outreach event!

Reserve now for the spring Evangelism season.



Bible Study Workers' Training

Saturday, January 25th 9am-Noon
At FAITH Ministry, 2301 Kings Row
Reno, NV 775-747-3073

Upcoming Events:

Bible Study Workers' Training

Saturday, January 25th, 9am-Noon

TobyMac Concert in Reno

Sunday, February 16th

Daylight Saving Time Begins

Sunday, March 8th

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 12th

Church Sending

Lifeway Christian Resources has made available 15% discount on VBS materials to an association of churches who come together for a VBS Training Event. If your church would like to host this training, please contact me to partner for VBS.



Vacation Bible School Clinic
Sierra Baptist Association
Friday, April 3rd 6pm
So. Reno Baptist Church



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Baptist Association

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