

# Feather River Baptist Association Newsletter

April 2012

***"He isn't  
here! He is  
risen from  
the dead!"***

Luke 24:6

**Rejoice on  
Resurrection  
Day!**



#### Vacation Bible School & Camp Dates:

June 9-15 CEF Camp & Missionary Trng.

June 18-21 FBC Burney VBS

June 25-29 FSBC Susanville VBS

July 29-Aug 2 FRBA Missions Camp

August 6-10 FBC Westwood VBS

There are open dates in July for using  
Summer Missionaries. Also, the Party  
Trailer is now available. Email to reserve.

## ***FRBA Semi-Annual Celebration & VBS Clinic***



**Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup>**

10am VBS Clinic or

Church Leadership Session

11:45am Main Session

12:30pm Lunch

at First Southern Baptist Church  
in Susanville.

## Area Missionary News

### J. & Nicky News

\* It's spring already! We're getting ready for an eventful summer with VBS's, Summer Missionaries, outreach events & camps.

\*The Party Trailer is now available for evangelism events & includes a bounce house, popcorn & snow cone machines.

\*Our Association's Equip Biblical Institute completed 2 courses this semester with a dozen going through the Bible Overview in Portola on Tuesday nights. A big "Thanks" to Pastor Dennis Black for team teaching this course & Portola Station's hospitality!

\*Nicky & I are still parked in Reno keeping an eye on my Mom & encouraging a church in the North Valleys. As NAMB changes this next year, it is imperative that our churches partner together more than ever to further the Kingdom in northern California & around the world. Communicating and sharing resources will help us go farther in church sending, strengthening and leadership development.

In HIS grip,

J. Ballard

## Church Strengthening

**MEN IN ACTION 2012** Saturday,

May 19th from 8:30am to 3pm.

*Speaker: Ral Klundby, Pastor Emeritus of Portola Station Church. Cost: \$20 advance registration includes breakfast*

*& tri-tip lunch. \$25 at the door.*

*Registration: church 832-4334,*

*[www.portolastation.com](http://www.portolastation.com), or Brian*

*Attama at 971-235-4075.*



## Daisy Murdock Missionary News from Pacific Island Univ.

Two weeks ago we had our annual PIU days where the entire school is divided into three teams that complete in various athletic and other fun competitions. Each team hosts a worship service on one evening of PIU Days. We had a blast and the students and staff all did an amazing job composing songs and skits as well as in the events. I missed the last night of PIU Days because I along with our Librarian headed off to Palau to follow up on some potential students for next Fall. To summarize things: \*13 new students coming to PIU \*Dove three of the most famous dive spots in the world!! (With SHARKS!!!) \*God has provided all of my needs - for both semesters, three trips to Palau, round trip ticket home for summer!!!

Thank you to all who have prayed for me and supported financially this semester!!! I could write 1,000 pages to tell you all that God has done and it still would not be enough!!! I look forward to sharing with you all this summer!!!

For His Name Sake, Daisy E. Murdock

## Among Our Churches

**Merrill Baptist** - Old Time Revival with Pastor & Evangelist Jim Pender (Noxapater, MS), April 22nd - 27th. Sunday 6:00 p.m. & Monday - Friday at 7:00 p.m. with special music at every service.

**The Log Cabin Church** in Janesville has called Interim Ron Starnes as Pastor.

**First Bapt. Westwood** had an egg hunt & Easter story with 24 kids 7 adults and has avg. 20-25 on Sundays - Praise God!

## FRBA 2nd Women's Retreat

Friday & Saturday, June 1st – 2nd, 2012

"God's Recipe for Our Lives" 1 Thes. 5:12-23 at Mountain Meadow Ranch outside of Susanville. Cost is \$30



There will be worship services, workshops, raffles, food & fun! Friday: 4pm Check-In, 6:30 Dinner, Worship, Sundaes & Movie. Saturday: 7:30am Breakfast, Workshops, Arts & Crafts, 11am Brunch & Worship.

Info & Registration: Debbie Baehler 310-0290 or Patsy Murdock 257-8314. Sponsored by FSBC Susanville & Feather River Assn.

Church Sending / Evangelism

### FRBA MISSION CAMP "Here I Am. Send Me!"



Isaiah 6:8  
July 29<sup>th</sup> -  
Aug. 2nd

Children 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades & Youth  
7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades.

Contact Nicky Ballard at  
775-224-3151 or email FRBA at

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Registration packets will be mailed  
to churches soon!



Alturas Baptist Church will  
host a Gospel Booth at the  
Modoc County Children's Fair  
- May 19<sup>th</sup>.

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### Needs/Haves

- Palauan Church is in need of a keyboard for worship.
- Computers (working or not) to refurbish to use in churches and ministries.
- Available - 1 desktop dell computer and printer
- Party Trailer tables, chairs, Bibles, & amplifier.

### In Our Association

**April 8** Easter Services

**April 28** FRBA Semi-Annual  
Celebration & VBS Clinic

**May 4-5** Multiplier Training  
Fresno, CA

**May 19** Alturas Children's Fair

**May 19** Men's Retreat

**June 1-2** FRBA Women's  
Retreat - Mt. Meadow Ranch

**Greenville SBC**  
**Tulelake FBC**  
**Loyalton Community**

**Searching**  
for a **New**  
**Pastor**



### Church Staff Development

Next EBI Class begins in  
the fall. Strategic  
Evangelism or  
Experiencing God.

