



Mid-Maryland
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

News & Updates

MMBA CHURCHES ON MISSION TOGETHER REBUILDING HOMES IN BOONE, NORTH CAROLINA!

Skills Needed: Painting, Drywall, Plumbing, Electrical, HVAC, and Beyond

2026 Mission Trip
Opportunity
Sunday, April 12th thru
Friday, April 17th

MMBA Churches will
work in Conjunction
with NC Baptist
Hurricane Helene'
Disaster Relief

\$120 per person
Scholarships available!
If interested, contact
John Mackall, DOM
dom@midmarylandba.org



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Not Too Late to Sign Up Today!

MMBA is planning our second disaster relief trip to North Carolina to assist with ongoing hurricane recovery efforts. This is a short, affordable mission opportunity that makes a meaningful impact for the families we serve and for those who volunteer.

We will be traveling to Boone, NC, to help rebuild and restore homes damaged by Hurricane Helene. Please help us spread the word. Our goal is to send at least 10 volunteers, with room for more.

The trip is scheduled for **after Easter**, leaving **Sunday, April 12**, following church services, and returning **Friday, April 17**. The total cost is **only \$120, which pays for food and lodging**.

This is an excellent trip for retirees and anyone with construction skills; however, painters are needed too! Your time and skills will truly make a difference.

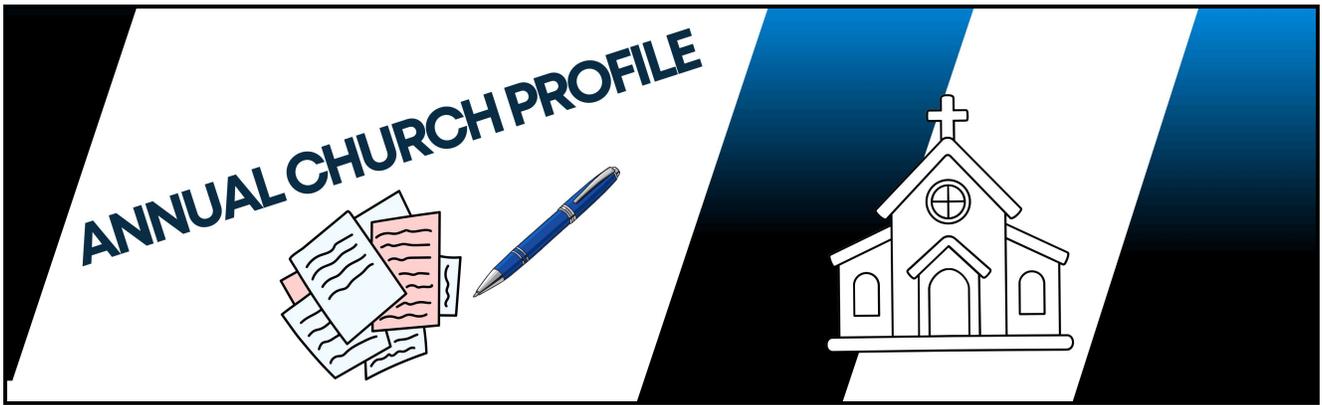
Please let us know [here](#) if interested. We would love to have you serve with us.



February's Discussion

1. Shepherding our church families through the national immigration issues.
 2. Impactful books, Bible studies, and reading plans from the past year.
- **Glenwood Pastors Group** – This group meets on the 2nd Wednesday, 1 p.m.
 - Burntwoods Church – 14135 Burntwoods Rd., Glenwood, MD
 - Group Leaders: John Mackall, Brian Corrick, TJ Johnson
 - Contact John Mackall at dom@midmarylandba.org
 - Next Roundtable is **February 11th, 1 p.m.**
 - **NES Pastors Group - Times Vary**
 - Group Leader: Woongki (James) Lee, petrolee9@gmail.com
 - Meeting details sent by Pastor Lee
 - **North Area Pastors Group** – Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month, 11:30 a.m.
 - Meets at Greenmount Station, 1631 N. Main St., Hampstead, MD
 - Group Leader: Andy Bell
 - Contact Andy Bell at aabell98@gmail.com
 - Next Roundtable is **February 17th, 11:30 a.m.**

These gatherings are a valuable opportunity for encouragement, fellowship, and conversation on relevant topics. We hope you'll join us.



Benefits of Completing the ACP

Every year in February, churches receive the steps to complete the Annual Church Profile (ACP). The ACP assists churches by documenting key moments in a church's history and provides a forecast for opportunities that may be on the horizon. The information obtained is a "snapshot" in time for churches and is a valuable record which pastors and leaders can use when looking at the health of the church congregation for future planning.

The unique ACP credentials have been sent to each church via email (or USPS mail). By logging on to the SBC workspace, churches have continuous access to their church history as it contains 10 years of real data captured for each church.

The ACP survey is due Feb 28, 2026. Email Demetra Bennett at BCMD, dbennett@bcmd.org, if you have questions.



February is often seen as the month of "love" with the Valentine's holiday. There are two great opportunities to strengthen marriages.

1. CrossLife Community Church is launching a 5-month marriage ministry beginning **February 15 at 4:00 p.m.** This ministry is open to couples from MMBA churches,

as well as MMBA church staff who are interested in developing a marriage ministry within their own congregations. Couples will meet once a month in person. In the weeks between meetings, participants will complete homework assignments designed to strengthen relationships, reinforce each lesson, and provide practical, real-life applications. More information and signups are found at [CrossLife Marriage Ministry](#).

2. National Marriage Week, February 7 - 14 - The Marriage and Relationship Education Center ([MREC](#)) has a great opportunity for churches to champion marriage and is asking churches and couples to join us in the Marriage Challenge.

During National Marriage Week, February 7-14, MREC is challenging churches to do one or all:

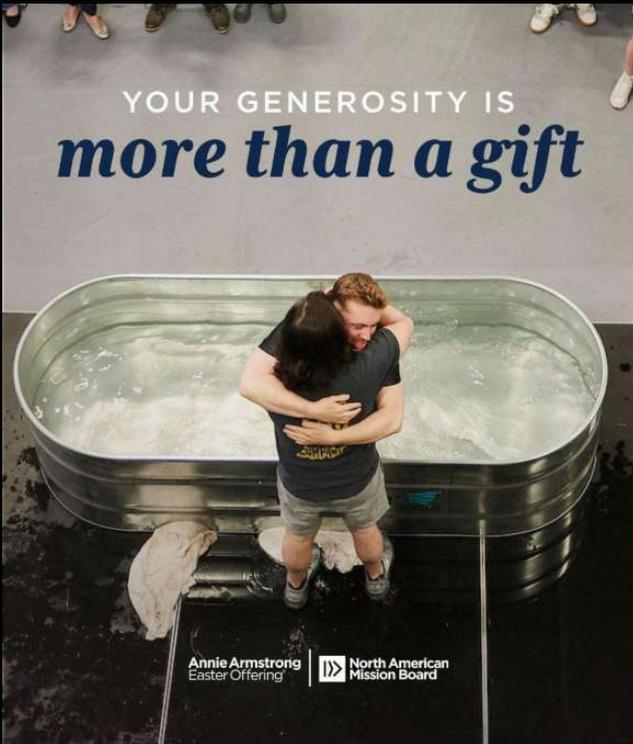
1. **Plan a Date Night**- We can help with our [Date Night Tool Kit](#).
2. **Promote Upcoming Livestreams**- Each day of National Marriage Week some of the biggest names in marriage are hosting a [livestream](#) - for FREE.
3. **Offer a [Couple Checkup](#)**: The checkup is through Prepare Enrich (for \$35) and is well worth it! MREC is offering one complimentary couple's coaching session with a trained MREC coach to go over growth areas.
4. **Offer a Blessing**- Pray over marriages at the worship service on Sunday, Feb. 7.

A banner for MMBA Database updates. On the left, the text reads "MMBA Database" in large blue font, followed by "Help us keep our database updated!" in smaller blue font. Below this is a horizontal line and the text "Email Michelle with your church updates!" and "adminasst@midmarylandba.org". On the right, there is an illustration of a laptop and several papers, with a blue and white geometric background.

We are still updating MMBA's database. Please provide changes to any of the items below or other key information you would like to provide to MMBA to Michelle Mackall at adminasst@midmarylandba.org.

- Staff changes or new key roles in the church.
- Email address or phone number changes for staff

- Home address changes for staff
- Website changes



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MMBA Resources for
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How Can MMBA Bless You!

Let us know how the resources below can help you.

- Mission Trip Scholarships
- Strengthening Churches Grants
- Block Party Trailer
- Defibrillators
- Website Resources
- Video Projection System
- Pulpit Supply
- Education Scholarships (for ministry training only)

See the details on the [website](#) or email MMBA at adminasst@midmarylandba.org for more information.



- **Mason Dixon Baptist Church**, New Freedom, PA, seeks a director of children and family ministry. The [Director of Children and Family Ministry](#) at Mason Dixon Baptist Church is to develop a spiritual foundation for the life of each child, birth through 5th grade, so that they will become aware of God's love and accept Jesus Christ as his/her personal Savior. The director will support the children's ministry leaders to encourage the child's spiritual growth and equip parents to develop a biblical worldview within their family. See more details [here](#).
- **Columbia Chinese Church** is seeking an youth English speaking pastor. Contact Pastor Lee, petrolee9@gmail.com, if interested.
- **Friendship Baptist** is seeking a youth pastor. Contact the church office for more details at frndship@wecare.org.
- **Westminster Baptist** is seeking an Associate Pastor for youth and young adults. Contact the office at info@discoverwbc.com for more information.

- **Elders Baptist**, Sykesville, seeks an administrative assistant to support the pastors in their responsibilities and coordinate and complete the daily operations of the church. Click [here](#) for details. For more information, email Heather Miller, heatho1176@gmail.com.
- **Tri-County Baptist Church** is looking for a part-time Director of Administration and Outreach. This is a contractual position. Please email Chet Phillips at pepawphillips@aol.com for a complete job description or to forward your resume and cover letter.
- **Taneytown Baptist** is looking for a mature, responsible believer with good leadership skills and a call to serve teenagers and their families to fill a part time youth leader position (approximately 15 hours per week). The role of the youth leader is to minister to the youth (grades 6 - 12) of our church and the local community. Interested applicants, please forward your resume to tbcyouthleadersearch@gmail.com.
- **First Baptist Church of Frederick**, Maryland is Seeking a Senior Pastor for a New Season of Ministry. Our congregational church is seeking a Christ-centered Ordained Senior Pastor to lead us into a renewed season of ministry. We are a congregational church with a faithful dedicated membership, defined by the Core Beliefs Covenant and the Baptist Faith and Message 1963. We are praying for a Pastor who can help us grow while honoring our heritage. For more details and how to apply, click [here](#).
- **Audio** - Do you find yourself needing guidance on church audio equipment, purchasing, and/or training? Kyle Mackall has a heart to help churches with reasonable costs and labor. He is the son of John Mackall, the Director of Missions. Please contact John at dom@midmarylandba.org if you would like Kyle's contact information.



You will not want to miss all BCMD has planned in 2026. MMBA always appreciates the cooperation between the State and Local Associations.

Be sure to check out their [website](#) and sign up for mailing lists.

February

- **19th** - Pastor Formation Retreat, South Shore - **Registration Open!**
- **21st** - George Liele Missionary Breakfast
- **28th** - BCMD VBS Training

March

- **6th - 7th** - Revive 2026, Davidsonville, MD - **Registration Open!**
- **13th -14th** - Revive 2026, Middletown, DE - **Registration Open!**
- **14th** - Interim Pastor Training

April

- **18th** - Refueled: Men's Conference - **Registration Open!**

June

- **20th** - Serve BCMD Day

July

- **17th** - MMBA Evangelism Encouragement with Mark Dooley, BCMD - **Sign Up!**
- **17th -19th** - Everyone Belongs Camp

August

- **13th -14th** - Church Leadership Conference

Pastors Wives Retreat is back for 2026. Mark your calendar for September 24-26.

In addition, BCMD hosts **VBS trainings, Evangelism Encouragement with Mark Dooley, and monthly Connect Lunches with Kris Buckman**. Be sure to see the wealth of resources offered by our State Convention. For more information and more events, see the [BCMD calendar](#).

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