



# "Send Me!"

Missions Conference 2009  
March 4-8

**Join us March 4-8 to hear and meet missionaries from around the world!**

**Here's a list of our special guests:**

- Jeff Ginn - SBCV Executive Director, Former Missionary to Colombia
- George Siler - IMB, International World Changers
- Brad - Journeyman, South Asia
- Chris Carr - IMB, Ufa, Russia
- John Mark and Amanda - South East Asia
- David - South East Asia
- Jeff Ammons - CCFC, Rome, Italy
- Bob Hitching - Roma Bible Union, Southern Europe
- Larry Jaffrey - Light to Israel
- Jonathan Hulcher - Journeyman, Colombia
- Dale and Celia South - SBCV/CBC, Washington, DC

**And here is our schedule:**

**March 4, Wednesday**

- 5:45-6:30 pm - Dinner with a "Missions Flavor"  
\*Only \$2.00 per person. Reservations Required
- 6:45-8:00 pm - Missions Worship Service  
Children's Service with "Jesse the Juggler"  
Student's Service

**March 5, Thursday**

- 12:00 pm - Staff lunch with missionaries  
Missionaries in Home Fellowship Groups

**March 6, Friday**

- 7:00-8:30 pm - Missions Dessert for Women (Rm. 141)

**March 7, Saturday**

- 7:30-9:00 am - Missions Breakfast for Men (Fellowship Hall)  
Missionaries in Home Fellowship Groups

**March 8, Sunday**

- 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am - Morning Worship Services  
9:30, 11:00 am - Adult Bible Studies and Xtreme Life

Reserve these dates on your calendar and be prepared to be informed, inspired, and involved in missions!

# Discovering CBC

Thinking about membership at CBC? Do you have questions about what we believe? Join us either Saturday, March 14 at 9:00 am, or Thursday, March 19 at 6:00 pm to find out about CBC's mission, structure, strategy, and so much more. We'll provide a light meal in a relaxed atmosphere. Need childcare? Not a problem, just pre-register and we'll take care of it. We look forward to having you. For more information, contact Dianne Wilson at 703-830-3333 x129.

## Outreach Ministry

### Becoming a Contagious Christian

Becoming a Contagious Christian is an evangelism training experience that will equip you to share your faith in a personal and natural style. In November 2008, Mark Mittleberg joined us and led a Sunday afternoon session of BaCC. Beginning March 15, we will provide the entire course on Sunday mornings at 11:00 am. The class will run through April 5. To register, contact Bill Hatcher at [bill.hatcher@cbcva.org](mailto:bill.hatcher@cbcva.org) or 703-830-3333 x111.

## Financial Classes

In case you missed the February Crown Financial Ministries series, stay tuned for the next time it will be offered. The topics covered include: What is God's Definition of Wealth, The Perils of Money, Making Financial Decision's God's Way, and How to Establish and Maintain a Budget that puts God First. If you have any questions on these topics or if you are experiencing difficulties in understanding God's will in your personal finances, feel free to contact Jamie D'Alessandro at [jamie\\_dalessandro@yahoo.com](mailto:jamie_dalessandro@yahoo.com) or 703-585-4415.

## New Paypal Account

CBC has recently established a PayPal account to efficiently process various transactions (e.g. event registration fees, etc). While PayPal is a great tool for certain purposes, it is not the intent of the church to extend the use of PayPal as a mechanism for on-line giving. This is primarily due to the nearly 3% fee that CBC has to pay for each transaction. If you desire to take advantage of on-line or automated giving, please consider contacting the church office and your financial institution to set up a monthly automated draft from your bank directly to CBC.

## A Letter from Pastor Darren

Recently in the Student ministry, some changes have been made to provide separate Sunday morning Bible study time for the middle schoolers and high schoolers. Due to these changes, I have come to see the need for a specific area of ministry to be strengthened within our larger student ministry. I believe that the females in our student ministry need a person who can minister to them and be a role model. Since it is often difficult for Lane and me to deal with many of the issues that our girls struggle with, I feel that having a female on staff to meet this need is important. Upon the elders' approval, I have begun a search for the right candidate, and I hope to be able to meet this need soon. Please be in prayer as we search for this person.

Along with needing a staff member for our girls, the senior leadership of the student ministry has been in transition since I moved to the Education Pastor position a number of months ago. The elders, Pastor Billy, key student ministry adult leaders, and I have discussed different options for filling the Student Pastor position. We all feel strongly that the student ministry is headed in the right direction and another transition in staff would set it back.

After much prayer and elder approval, we have decided to make Lane Sebring the Student Ministry Director. I will still be the pastor with oversight of the student ministry, but Lane will carry out the day to day operations of the ministry. He has been basically doing this for the past several months and has done an outstanding job. I will continue to be involved in the ministry at varying degrees and will be a resource and a guide for Lane. Since his position is a director position and not a pastor position, the church bylaws do not require a vote. As Lane progresses in ministry and his seminary studies, we would anticipate him wanting to pursue ordination at some point. If Lane did become ordained, a church vote could take place if we as a body desired to make him the student pastor.

As I have prayed and thought through this, I feel very good about the possibilities for our students with Lane and the female staff member that we are seeking. I believe that this combination under my oversight will be able to bear much fruit in our student ministry. If you have any questions at all or would like more information on anything I have shared, please do not hesitate to contact me. I am excited about what God is doing in our church!

In Him,  
Darren Mooney, CBC Education Pastor

# Kids Crossing

## Volunteer appreciation

A Mystery Theatre is planned for our annual **Kids Crossing** Volunteer Appreciation on Sat. March 14. Volunteers, please RSVP to Dianna McGaughey at 703-830-333 x122. You won't want to miss this special fun-filled evening.

## Well Done!!

Congratulations to CBC's Awana Club T&T Bible Quizzing Teams. They competed against other Awana groups in February and did an OUTSTANDING job! The children from CBC who won special awards include: Mary Horton, Allison Pewitt, Georgia Cerisano, John Kailey, Carmen Nathaniel, Blake Pagon. Everyone did a great job of honoring God with their commitment to learning and then demonstrating good sportsmanship during the competition.

## Great Job Kids JAM (Jesus and Me)

Kids JAM, the Sunday morning 11:00 am Children's program for children in the 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grades, recently celebrated a great accomplishment. After several years of having minimal participation from the students on completing their take home assignments (MAPS), the leaders implemented an incentive program. Goals were set and exceeded, with 70% participation across the board. We were encouraged to see children who had never done a take-home paper come in with their MAPS completed. On review week at the end of the unit, we witnessed that the extra reinforcement on each lesson resulted in increased retention of the unit content among all of the classes. We hope to see this trend continue as the students reinforce at home the lessons that they learn in class on Sunday. Special thanks to the parents for encouraging and supporting their kids.

## New Prayer Room for Kids Crossing

Prayer is a key area of focus in **Kids Crossing** this year. Our approach is two-fold: 1) to guide and encourage children in their spiritual growth through relationships; 2) to do this in partnership with the child's primary spiritual teacher – the parent. Kids Crossing recently opened a Prayer Room (in room 116) for teachers to use with their students during any children's ministry program. Its purpose provides an area to help children solely focus on prayer – showing them how to listen, learn from, and communicate with their Holy Father. Continue this effort at home! Pick up a copy of **Praying Parents, Praying Kids** on the Information Board in the Children's Ministry area.

# Single Vision

Let March winds blow you into the Single/Single Again class that meets every Sunday at 11:00 am in Rooms 146-148. You will find good food, fellowship, fun, and the study of God's Word. We invite you to join us in these activities:

- March 7 Hole in the Wall dining at Panera in Clifton.
- March 12 Home Fellowship Potluck at Ed & Betty's at 7:00 pm
- March 21 Movie Night: At CBC in Zone 7 at 6:30 pm. Bring snacks.
- March 26 Home Fellowship Potluck at Ed & Betty's at 7:00 pm

Questions or comments?

Call Betty at 703-209-7390 or Lois at 703-635-4253

# Women's Ministry

## Be Still and Know... One Day Event for Women A time to Rest, Refresh and Rejuvenate!

- March 28, 2009 at CBC
- 9:00 am – 2:45 pm, doors open at 8:15 am for continental breakfast
- Cost: \$20 and includes a continental breakfast and lunch from Corner Bakery
- Featuring speaker Barb Marsh, and Worship led by Darren and Stacy Mooney

You can register online, by visiting the table in the foyer on Sundays, or by mailing a completed registration form to the church - attention Women's Ministry. Please include a check for \$20 made out to CBC. Deadline for registration is March 15. Late registrations will be accepted if space allows, but will not include lunch.

## Women's Ministry Outreach Opportunities

Friday evening, March 6 during the Mission Conference you will have the opportunity to attend a Mission Dessert for women from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm in room 141. We have some exciting trips and projects to share with you that will be available to women in the months ahead!

## Spring Community Clothing GiveAway

It's that time again! As you clean out your closets to get ready for spring remember to set aside your donations for the Spring Community Clothing GiveAway. The event will be April 25 and donations of clothing may be placed in the storage unit in the rear parking lot beginning March 22. More details and information on how you can participate in this service project will be in the April newsletter.

# XLM Student Ministry

March 21 Join us as we serve at various local missions and have a fun time doing it! Sign up with a Blue & White registration envelope located at the Information Desk. Adult chaperones are needed.

March 29 Large Group Sunday at 9:30 am XLM Sunday Morning! Students bring your lost friends for a large group rally, upbeat worship, and the gospel message.

Every Wednesday, for all 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. Join us for VERTICAL POINT from 6:45-8:15 pm upstairs. It's a fun way to get to know other middle school students and get connected with a small group!

Every Sunday Evening our high school small groups are missing you! Locate your small group by contacting the XLM office at 703-830-3333 x140 or by email to [nicole.martinez@cbcva.org](mailto:nicole.martinez@cbcva.org).

Parents please be in prayer for these events.

# GOGO's - God's Own Golden Oldies

## Service

*By Love serve one another. Gal. 5:13*

*Give and it will be given to you. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you. Luke 6:38*

*Choose you this day whom ye will serve. Joshua 14:15*

The service which we give to God and others whose lives we touch will be returned to us. This is the rule of God's Kingdom.

## March Events:

Mar 9 Meeting at 10:30 am in Zone 7

Mar 21 "Cotton Patch Gospel" at Wayside Theatre, \$40.75 per person includes lunch at Wayside Inn. Bus departs CBC at 11:00 am. Contact Howard Morton at 703-830-1393 for all the details.

Mar 23 Meeting at 7:30 pm in Zone 7

Our ministry is open to individuals age 50+. Make plans to attend the meetings and activities with our group. Also, enjoy the Christian fellowship which we share and the opportunity to touch other lives with whom we come in contact.

Come Join Us!



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