

The Focus

“A network of churches cooperating to assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commission.”

We're Off to Chile—Again!

Last year seven people from two TVSBA Churches traveled to Vina del Mar, Chile to conduct an evangelism project with International Commission. Upon arrival they joined 31 other Americans and 43 South Americans to work in local churches throughout the region.

John and Juanita Montoya from Central Valley Meridian said, “It was the best trip we have ever been on.” By the end of the week the gospel was shared 2,625 times and 962 people committed their lives to Christ! That’s why we are planning to go back.

This time we’ll go to Antofagasta, a city situated on the coast some 700 miles north of Santiago. The estimated population is between 400,000 and 450,000 people.

Each day will involve in-home evangelism with people that local church members have prayed for during the months preceding the project. Most churches will then hold an evening service where church members have the opportunity to bring additional friends and family members.

The week ends with a rally for all the churches. It is often the highlight of the trip as we get to hear what happened throughout the region. It is the hope of the (Church Planting and Evangelism team (CPET) that you

and your church will join us for an incredible experience this coming November 13 through 23. For additional information contact Clint Henry (clint@centralvalleybaptist.com) or call the church office (208-888-4189). Cost of the trip includes air fare, lodging, meals, and transportation.

Central Valley Meridian plans to host an International Commission banquet later this year to introduce your church to this incredible ministry started by Southern Baptists over 50 years ago. *See more information on page 4.*

*Celebrate
Resurrection Sunday
April 20, 2025
at your local church.*



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REGISTRATIONS DUE

WOMEN’S RETREAT
Due March 16th—\$190

MEN’S CONFERENCE
Register with Crosspoint *a.s.a.p.*

MOMENTUM KIDS’ CAMP
\$30 deposit due May 11th
\$170 total cost.

MOMENTUM YOUTH CAMP
EARLY BIRD \$50 deposit due May 1st—
\$250 total cost OR
REGULAR \$50 deposit AFTER May 1st—
\$280 total cost.

“It was the best day of my life!” said one young participant



Walk Thru the Bible Returns!

Walking our association through the New Testament was the goal of this year's Walk Thru the Bible event on Saturday, February 1st.

With an event for the kids as well as the adults, everyone had a chance to better learn the gospel story.

This event had about 150 in attendance, and was sponsored by the Church Health Team of the association. When we work together as an association of churches we can do what no one church could do.

Let the Church Health team know if you have an idea for another association-wide event.



Every age gets involved!

1—During the kids' ntlIVE! event, the children are involved in a lot of hands-on time, really cementing the information given.

2—Terry Broberg, the WTB kids' instructor, involves the kids in his presentation as they act out various parts of the gospel story.

3—Teens and young adults volunteer to help everyone learn the hand motions.

4—At the end of the session, the kids join the adults to show off what they learned with Jerry Hull, the adult instructor, assisting.

Vacation Bible School Training

March 8

First Southern Baptist Mountain Home
1400 North 3rd E Street

8:30 AM - 12:30 PM



Join us! We'll provide sessions to promote Lifeway's Magnified! Vacation Bible School in your church and community. Workshops include Multi-Age Kids, Preschool, and Pre-Teen leadership, Music, Crafts, Missions, Decorations, and Administrative overview. PLUS, all five days of Bible content in this year's theme.

PSALM 34:3

MAGNIFIED!

DISCOVERING THE BIGNESS OF GOD
IN THE SMALLEST OF THINGS

<https://uisbc.org/vacation-bible-school/>

You are the salt of the earth. You are the light of the world.

SALT & LIGHT

MARCH 28 & 29 | 2025
\$160 BY MARCH 7TH

 Crosspoint Church of Caldwell
1006 W Linden
Caldwell, ID 83605

**REGISTER
NOW**



With
GUEST SPEAKER
AL TENNYSON

M E N ' S C O N F E R E N C E



THEY
celebrate
YOUR ABUNDANT
GOODNESS
AND
joyfully sing
OF YOUR
RIGHTEOUSNESS.

PSALM 145:7, NIV

Fifth Sunday Sing

**March 30th,
6 p.m.**

**New Covenant
Baptist Church**

624 Lake Lowell Ave., Nampa

If you have a special to play
or sing, bring it!

Fellowship to follow

JOIN THE CHILE MISSION TEAM NOW!

Pray and Go!

*to Antofagasta, Chile on the
Associational International Commission Project*

November 13-23, 2025

How will you be involved?

Are you praying about this opportunity to serve our Lord in Chile? Yes, YOU could go on a mission trip with other believers from our association and other associations. Contact Clint Henry for information on costs. Volunteer soon, as you'll need time to get your passport up to date. Lodging and meals will be included, as well as transportation to and from the airport. Training will be provided beforehand.

More information is available from Clint Henry at clint@centralvalleybaptist.com

ARE YOU PRAYING?

- 1—For God to prepare the hearts of our prospective mission team members..
- 2—For God to prepare Chilean hearts to be open to the gospel.
- 3—For your personal involvement, whether as a member of the mission team or as a financial contributor.
- 4—That the harvest will be plenteous.
- 5—For the Chilean Christians who will be assisting us. Local Chilean believers have already started praying for the missionaries who are coming to their community, so they are already praying for you. **CONTACT Clint Henry at clint@centralvalleybaptist.com for an information sheet.**

BE -PREPARED
-BOLD
-STRONG *...in love*

TVSBA Women's Retreat

April 11-13, 2025

\$170 by 2/16

\$190 by 3/16

1 Corinthians 16:13-14
"Be alert, stand firm in the
faith, be courageous, be strong,
Do everything in love."



Contact your church coordinator _____
or Michele Ring @ tvbsbaoffice.mring@gmail.com, or
208-442-4448 for more information



MOMENTUM KIDS CAMP

IDAHO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CAMP 2025



GOOD NEWS

23-27 JUNE 2025



Momentum Kids at Cathedral Pines

For kids who have finished grades 3-6

Register through your church

\$30 deposit due with registrations by MAY 11th

COST \$170

For questions contact

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MOMENTUM YOUTH CAMP

DATES

JULY 20-25, 2025

LOCATION

LIVING WATERS RANCH, CHALLIS, ID

COST

\$250

(EARLY BIRD BEFORE MAY 1ST)

\$280

(AFTER MAY 1ST)

THIS YEAR'S THEME



ISAIAH 41:10

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT YOUR YOUTH LEADER
OR
MICHELE RING AT
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TVSBA CHURCHES & MISSIONS GIVING ~ Through December 2024

The association extends its thanks to our TVSBA churches who have worked hard to stay faithful in giving.. Thank you!

TOTAL	CHURCH NAME
\$ 500.00	Agua Viva
\$ 1,600.00	Bend
\$ 600.00	Boise Korean
\$ 5,962.76	Calvary, Boise
\$ 2,166.90	Calvary Church, Nampa
	Calvary, Weiser
\$ 2,969.00	Central Valley, Cascade
\$ 12,000.00	Central Valley, Meridian
\$ 325.00	College Baptist, Meridian (Liberty Baptist)
\$ 1,039.00	Crosspoint, Caldwell
\$ 4,486.89	Emmanuel Baptist, MH
\$ 744.69	First Baptist, Fruitland
\$ 7,130.76	FSBC, Mountain Home
\$ 360.00	Idaho Vision Church
	Iglesia Bautista de la Gracia
	Iglesia Bautista de Peniel
\$ 300.00	Ig. Bautista Nueva Esperanza (CALD.)
\$ 420.00	Ig. Baut. Nueva Esperanza (ONTARIO)
\$ 777.17	Lizard Butte
\$ 5,452.65	New Covenant
\$ 175.00	New Life Baptist, Payette
\$ 1,250.00	Pierce Park
\$ 3,000.00	Restored Community
\$ 6,817.00	Riverside Church, Emmett
\$ 845.18	Silver Sage Baptist
\$ 3,243.25	Table Rock
\$ 976.23	University Baptist
\$ 63,141.48	YTD CHURCH GIVING
\$ 62,850.00	BUDGET PROJECTION
\$ 291.48	OVER (UNDER) Budget

NOTE: This chart reflects giving from the churches through December 2024, since the Jan-Feb Focus was distributed before the 2024 financial records were closed out.

The church giving for January of 2025 was \$6,915.48. (\$5,237.50 is required per month to meet budget) so January's giving was \$1,677.98 over budget. Details of church giving for Jan-March will be in the April-May edition of *The Focus*. Nyssa rent is \$100 per month, for a total of \$1,200 per year. The TVSBA 2025 Approved Budget is \$64,050, which includes rent received from the Nyssa property.

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2025 Calendar

January--March

February 1, 2025, Saturday-- Walk Thru the Bible (New Testament) Central Valley Baptist Church, Meridian. Register online. Arrive between 8:15 and 8:50 a.m. **Time: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

February 20, 2025, Thursday--A Special-Called Business Meeting and the Winter Executive Board Meeting at Calvary, Nampa. 417 Almond St. Registration 6:30 p.m.; Meeting 7 p.m.

March 8, 2025, Saturday—Vacation Bible School training at First Southern Baptist in Mountain Home. 1400 N. Third E. 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Contact Jason McNair for more information. jmcnair@uisbc.org

March 30, 2025--Fifth Sunday Sing at New Covenant, 624 Lake Lowell Ave., Nampa. 6 p.m.*

April--June

April 11-13, 2025—TVSBA Women's Retreat at Trinity Pines, Cascade.

June 23-27, 2025--Momentum Kids' Camp, Ketchum

June 29, 2025 –Fifth Sunday Sing at New Covenant, 624 Lake Lowell Ave., Nampa. 6 p.m.*

July--September

July 17, 2025, Thursday, Summer Executive Board Meeting— at Central Valley Baptist Church, 600 N. Ten Mile Rd., Meridian. Registration: 6:30 p.m.; Meeting 7 p.m.

July 20-25, 2025--Momentum Youth Camp, Challis.

August 31, 2025—Fifth Sunday Sing at New Covenant, 624 Lake Lowell Ave., Nampa. 6 p.m.*

October--December

October 4, 2025, Saturday, Annual Meeting at Boise Korean Baptist Church, 6531 W. Ustick Rd. Boise. Registration 8 a.m.; Meeting 8:30 a.m.

November 30, 2025—Fifth Sunday Sing at New Covenant, 624 Lake Lowell Ave., Nampa. 6 p.m.*

December 5, 2025--Pastors and Wives, Staff and Spouses' Christmas Dinner, Location TBD.

***NOTE: New Covenant has offered to host any Fifth Sunday Sings that are not claimed. Please volunteer to host those so we can share the blessing.**

RECURRING DATES

THIRD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH: A-Team Meetings, 9 a.m.
at Central Valley Baptist, Meridian (call to confirm if you want to attend)

Thank you to our hosts for 2025

Questions? Contact Michele Ring at 208-442-4448