



# WASHINGTON OSAGE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## Mission Opportunities:

Your association is committed to advancing the Gospel. When evaluating our budget, the Leadership Team and Executive Board is careful to make sure the funds contributed are focused on that commitment. Beyond caring for our buildings and property, the leadership of the association constantly evaluates each mission opportunity on its ability to further the Kingdom. Let me share some of the opportunities the association is currently a part of.

## Local Mission Partners:

**Pawhuska Ministerial Alliance** assists people in Osage county with food and necessities.

**The Cottage** is a local ministry that assists women with crisis pregnancy providing group housing where they become involved in-home living skills and Bible studies.

**Hope Clinic** started by WOBA several years ago, offers free health care and prescriptions to those in need. Each patient is personally spoken to concerning their relationship with Christ during their appointment.

**Disaster Relief** ministers locally and nationally every time there is a natural disaster or a need. We have one of the best equipped teams in the state. Our Disaster Relief building is located near First Baptist Church, Bartlesville. It houses the equipment that is used to help those in need. Each time the team goes out the Gospel is shared with the person or persons in need.

## National Partner:

We recently assisted a **new church plant in Windsor, Colorado**. This partnership will hopefully develop this coming year. More news to come!

## International Partner:

This year we celebrate the 25th year of partnership with the **Baptists of Malawi**. Over 100 churches have been planted by the teams that have ministered in this very poor country. Thousands have been saved and continue to grow in Christ. We have established feeding centers with farms to grow the food needed to feed widows and orphans. So much has been done, it's hard to list them all.

I went on one of the first mission trips to Malawi back in 1998. When we arrived, it was evident that the pastors were waiting for us to show up so that we could establish the churches in the area. In the last few years, that has changed. The pastors that the association has assisted all these years are now out doing what we have trained them to do. The feeding centers are no longer in need of our funds, and the churches have taken leadership in advancing the Gospel. Because of this, we have established a **Pastoral Leadership Fund** to help the pastors in their efforts. **Instead of bringing them fish, we have taught them to fish.** Now we can come alongside them as they advance the Gospel.

You get to be a part of all this as your church generously contributes to Washington/Osage Baptist Association. Many more things are ahead as the Lord leads us.

Keep Lookin' UP! Monty



### February

7—Forge, 10:30 and Leadership Team  
8—Rose Day  
14—Valentine's Day  
20—Presidents Day  
24-26—MVP Retreat  
27—Priority of Preaching, Henderson Hills, Edmond

### March

5-12—Annie Armstrong Missions Offering Week of Prayer  
7—Forge, 10:30 @ WOBA and Leadership Team  
12—Daylight Savings Time Begins  
13-17—Spring Break

### April

4—Executive Board, 11:30 @ WOBA  
7—Good Friday  
9—Easter Sunday  
14-16—Spring Retreat at Falls Creek  
17—Tax Day  
21-22—Women's Retreat at Falls Creek  
23—WOBA VBS Training, 6:00 at FBC, Skiatook  
26—Administrative Professionals Day  
28-29—Men's Rewired at Falls Creek

### May

9—Forge, 10:30 @ WOBA, Leadership Team  
14—Mother's Day  
28- 6/31—Week 1 & 2, Children's Camp at Falls Creek, Madill  
29—WOBA Closed, Memorial Day  
31-June 3—Week #2, Children's Camp at Falls Creek

### June

5-9—Falls Creek Week #1, Highland Park Baptist Church  
6—Forge, 10:30 @ WOBA, Leadership Team  
12-16—Falls Creek Week #2, FBC Hominy  
18—Father's Day  
19-23—Falls Creek Week #3, FBC Woodward  
26-30—Falls Creek Week #4, FBC Dewey

### July

3-7—Falls Creek Week #5, FB Pawhuska  
4—WOBA Closed, Independence Day  
10-14—Falls Creek Week #6, FB Fitzhugh  
17-21—Falls Creek Week #7, Cross Trails Cowboy Church  
24-28—Falls Creek Week #8, Pottsville  
30—Aug 3—Indian Falls Creek

### August

6-10—Collegiate Week  
8—Forge, 10:30 @ WOBA, Leadership Team  
26—The Call Conference

### September

3-10—Edna McMillan State Missions Offering Week f Prayer  
4—WOBA Closed, Labor Day  
12—Forge, 10:30 @ WOBA, Leadership Team  
27—See You At The Pole

### October

10—Executive Board, 11:30 @ WOBA  
22—Washington/Osage Baptist Association Annual Meeting,  
6:30 @ Highland Park Baptist Church





# DIVORCE

## SOMEONE YOU KNOW IS HURTING

You want to help, but it's hard to know what to do for a friend or a family member going through divorce.

Make sure he or she knows about DivorceCare. It's our special weekly seminar and support group that features biblical principles for healing from a marriage breakup.

**Mondays, January 9 - April 3rd**  
**6:30 to 8:30 pm ONLINE via ZOOM**  
**Bartlesville Southern Baptist Church**  
Register for this Seminar/Support Group at [www.divorcecare.org](http://www.divorcecare.org) Use 74006 to 'Find a Group'  
For More Information Contact  
Francie @ 918-914-3494 or BSBC @ 918-333-8335  
13 weeks Join at any time

# DIVORCECare

FIND HELP  
DISCOVER HOPE  
EXPERIENCE HEALING

### Falls Creek Cabin Update

Goal: \$250,000  
Given to Date: \$109,703.55  
Please pray about your sacrificial gift which will be used to advance the gospel.

OKLAHOMA BAPTISTS

# PREACHING?

FEB 27, 2023  
HENDERSON HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

PRIORITY OF PREACHING CONFERENCE  
FEATURING:  
DWAYNE MILIONI & JIM SHADDIX

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See how you can be part of the efforts to protect unborn children from abortion and to advance a culture of life!

## Sanctity Of Human Life Sunday

January 22, 2023

# Rose Day

Pro-Life Rally

Save the Date:  
February 8, 2023

With the recent advances we have witnessed in Oklahoma toward protecting unborn lives from abortion, we have much to thank the Lord for and to celebrate.

At the time, we recognize more work is still ahead of us. We ask you to set aside Sanctity of Human Life Sunday, January 22, 2023, as a time to lead your church in standing for life by becoming informed, participating in opportunities to share our life-affirming views with others and in joining the work of Oklahoma Baptists as we engage in front line pregnancy resource ministry, foster care and more. Sanctity of Human Life Sunday Church Resources, include sample sermon outlines, a video, prayer points and more are now available at [oklahomabaptists.org/life](http://oklahomabaptists.org/life).

Serving Jesus with you,

Dr. Todd Fisher  
Executive Director-Treasurer  
Oklahoma Baptists

Michael Williams  
Interim President  
Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children

Find resources at [oklahomabaptists.org/life](http://oklahomabaptists.org/life)

### SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY RESOURCES

It's hard to believe 2022 has come to an end. It has been an amazing year at Hope Clinic! God continues to open doors for our ministry to share God's love. In 2022 we saw more new patients, scheduled more appointments and filled more prescriptions than previous years. None of this could be possible without the sacrificial gifts from churches and individuals like you. We look forward to 2023 and the opportunities we have to share God's love with those who come through our doors.

Thank you for your support and prayers.

Serving Him,  
Robert and Susan Wadsworth.

Contribution Report	Dec 22	Jan - Dec 22
Avant Baptist Church	505.82	5,925.93
Bartlesville Southern Baptist Church	3,687.50	25,687.50
Bluestem Baptist Church	398.20	5,473.04
Calvary Baptist Church	624.47	8,805.81
Eastern Heights Baptist Church	493.57	7,628.01
FBC, Barnsdall	469.51	6,415.59
FBC, Bartlesville	0.00	18,562.50
FBC, Copan	0.00	1,500.00
FBC, Dewey	696.28	8,089.62
FBC, Hominy	193.31	2,951.17
FBC, Nowata	1,165.50	12,409.68
FBC, Ochelata	773.64	7,780.86
FBC, Pawhuska	588.62	9,158.98
FBC, Prue	597.45	6,899.15
FBC, Ramona	667.11	10,532.08
FBC, Skiatook	1,767.58	22,854.38
FBC, Wynona	0.00	1,263.03
First Southern Baptist, Vera	0.00	5,474.00
Greater First Baptist Bartlesville	0.00	400.00
Highland Park	1,011.51	9,544.54
Iglesia Bautista	0.00	0.00
Labadie Heights Baptist Church	0.00	3,002.00
Lenapah Baptist Church	440.00	4,918.00
Lynn Baptist Church	26.80	407.90
Matoaka Baptist Church	0.00	5,102.83
Nelagoney Baptist Church	166.00	1,421.67
New Harmony Baptist Church	562.00	6,461.00
New Life Baptist Church	37.44	601.37
Osage Indian Baptist Church	0.00	0.00
Rose Hill Community Baptist	184.00	2,355.00
Silver Lake Baptist Church	0.00	55.00
Tri-County Baptist Church	209.00	2,558.00
Trinity Baptist Church	78.65	1,410.07
Victory Baptist Church	448.47	1,803.52
Virginia Avenue Baptist Church	220.48	1,325.93
Wann Baptist Church	131.17	2,009.40
Westside Baptist Church	0.00	500.14
Whippoorwill Baptist Church	66.22	706.08
BGCO	208.33	2,499.97
TOTAL	16,418.63	214,493.75