

GBC REPORT



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"AND THE THINGS THAT THOU HAST HEARD OF ME AMONG MANY WITNESSES, THE SAME COMMIT THOU TO FAITHFUL MEN, WHO SHALL BE ABLE TO TEACH OTHERS ALSO."— 2 Timothy 2:2

A Word from the President

CAMP MEETING

Mark your calendars and make plans to attend our **Heart Cry for Revival Camp Meeting, June 14-19, 2009**. This will be our 30th Anniversary of the Camp Meeting. Dr. Robert H. Lescelius and Dr. Randy Bane will be our keynote morning and evening speakers. Many other preachers attending the conference will be called upon to share in the pulpit ministry. In times past it has proven to be a "spiritual oasis."

SPECIAL EVENTS

Several exciting special events are planned for the week of Camp Meeting. Lord willing, Tuesday evening we will be honoring the life and ministry of Dr. Robert H. Lescelius. You do not want to miss it. On Thursday afternoon of the same week there will be a dedication service for the new Neuenschwander Counseling Center. Earlier plans had been drawn up to build a separate building for the Counseling Center but after much prayer it was concluded that it was not practical nor financially feasible. It was decided that the wisest move would be to remodel a part of our educational facility at Peachtree Baptist Church and convert it into a center for Biblical Counseling. The center includes a beautiful reception area, two counselor's offices and a large family conference room. The funds for this project were donated to GBC by the New Testament Baptist Church of Harlan, Iowa in honor of Pastor Arthur Neuenschwander. He was their founding pastor. It is very appropriate that the counseling center be named for Pastor Neuenschwander. Like the goal of Biblical Counseling, his life depicts the sufficiency of Christ in all of life's circumstances.



Pastor Arthur Neuenschwander

MIDDLE EAST BAPTIST SEMINARY

Dr. Lescelius and I are scheduled to be in Alexandria, Egypt for the seminary module, June 20-29, 2009. Please pray for our safety, and the \$6,000 needed to cover the expenses of our travel, the feeding of the seminarians, plus the administrative cost incurred during the module. Your faithful prayers and financial support is both needed and truly appreciated. You make this ministry possible.



Students attending class in Alexandria, Egypt.

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION CONFERRED

On May 3, 2009 during our regular commencement services Georgia Baptist College Graduate School of Education conferred the Doctor of Education Degree upon Mrs. Jamie Gaddy. This is the first earned doctorate to be granted by the college. Mrs. Gaddy earned her BS degree from GBC and her M.Ed. degree from Bob Jones University. Her doctoral studies and writing project included the extensive research and development of the new external studies program of Georgia Baptist College and Theological Seminary. Mrs. Gaddy earned her doctorate while balancing her active life as a pastor's wife, mother of six children and Head of the Education Department of GBC.

Congratulations goes to Dr. Jamie Gaddy on a job well done!



Pictured L to R: Rev. J. Alan Gaddy, Dr. David W. Dickerson, Dr. Robert H. Lescelius and Dr. Jamie Gaddy receiving the first doctorate degree from GBC.

GBC Bible and Core Courses on DVD!

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