

The W.N.E.O.

We Need Each Other

*January
Newsletter*

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Matthew ~ Mark ~ **Luke** ~ John ~ Acts ~ Romans ~ 1 Corinthians ~ 2 Corinthians

⁵ Your love, LORD, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies.

⁶ Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, your justice like the great deep.
You, LORD, preserve both people and animals.

⁷ How priceless is your unfailing love, O God! People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

Psalm 36: 5-7 (New International Version)

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HAPPY NEW YEAR



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Rick's Remarks

I have met very many people in the last few months who say they are “non-religious.” I have explored that concept with some of them.

What most have meant is that they are not interested—religion, institutional churches, and religiosity.

However, most believe in God, Jesus, and even Jesus’ ability to save. Therefore we approach people where they are and let them tell us their “stories.” Lately, I have simply told people that “I am a follower of Jesus Christ and His teachings.”

That has proven to be a pretty good way to begin a conversation in this 21st Century culture.

Walt Harris



Technology Workshops

Reminder: The Northern Kentucky Baptist Association is offering the following workshop for church staffs, production team members, and any others who may need training for their ministries. Please call for reservations (859.727.6522) or e-mail Anita Hornsby (ahornsby@nkbaptist.org).

Technology Purchasing Workshop

Getting the Most Out of Your Technology Dollars

A free workshop will be offered to church staff, media/production teams and others responsible for technology purchases. Join us on January 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the NKBA Office, 3001 Riggs Avenue, Erlanger, KY 41018, to find out how to get the most value for your technology budget. This includes sound/projection equipment, computers, software, etc. This workshop is sponsored by the NKBA Tech Team.

Shoeman Water Projects

Thanks to our churches who have partnered with the NKU Baptist Campus Ministry to collect shoes for the Shoeman Water Projects.

Shoeman Water Projects pick up donated used and new shoes year round from businesses, churches, schools, and shoe drives. Once collected, the shoes are given a second life when the Shoeman exports the donated shoes to retailers in the developing world. The resale of shoes provides jobs and affordable footwear. Funds generated from the export of shoes provides well drilling rigs, water purification systems, and hand pump repair to bring clean, fresh water to those who thirst.

Having partnered with Water for Kenya, the Shoeman has drilled 140 Kenya wells serving about 130,000 people.



First Baptist Church, Newport welcomed their new pastor, Michael Turner and his wife, Terry, and their children, Michaela and Wesley.

Licking Valley welcomed their new pastor, Rev. Robert Strunk, his wife, Lisa, and their children, Nathan, Emma, and Jonathan.

Executive Board Meetings—Change of Venue

The Executive Board Meeting dates for 2011 will be as follows:

January 24, 2011	9:30 a.m.
March 21, 2011	7:00 p.m.
May 23, 2011	9:30 a.m.
July 25, 2011	7:00 p.m.

All meetings will be held at **Anchor Baptist Church**, 3126 Riggs Avenue, Erlanger, KY 41018.

Help Wanted for Turfway Park Ministry

Turfway Park Ministry is in need of the following:

1. Volunteers for the Community Center. Friendly workers are needed. The center's hours are 7:00-10:00 a.m., one day a week.
2. Adult-size jeans for men and women—Used with lots of wear left are fine.
3. The BIG REQUEST—Turfway Park Ministry is seeking an 18-wheeler trailer! It needs to be waterproof for clothing storage.

For more information, call: Chaplain Tom Farley, 859-525-7533
or
Dianna Rowe, 859-525-8108

Pastors' and Wives' Christmas Dinner

Thanks to Kento-Boo Baptist for hosting the Pastors' and Wives Christmas Dinner. Music was provided by Curt and Judy Combs (Fairlane). Greg and Nancy Wingate (Rosedale) and Dave and Joan Simpson (Highland Avenue) shared Christmas memories. Martha Pike led the group in singing Christmas carols.



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Ministers' Conference
January 3 ~ 10:30 a.m.

Purchasing Technology Workshop
January 10 ~ 7:00 p.m.
NKBA Office

Pastors' Support Group
January 11 ~ 10:30 a.m.

BLC Auxiliary
January 12 ~ 10 a.m.
Long House

Tech Team Meeting
January 17
6 p.m.

Pastors' Book Study
January 20 ~ 1 p.m.

Executive Board Meeting
January 24 ~ 9:30 a.m.
Anchor Baptist Church