



Association Missionary

Association Mission Strategist Thoughts

Well, Goodbye to 2025, and Hello to 2026. WOW, how time does fly. It seems like we just started ministering in 2025 and now it is coming to an end. I hope each and everyone had a good 2025.

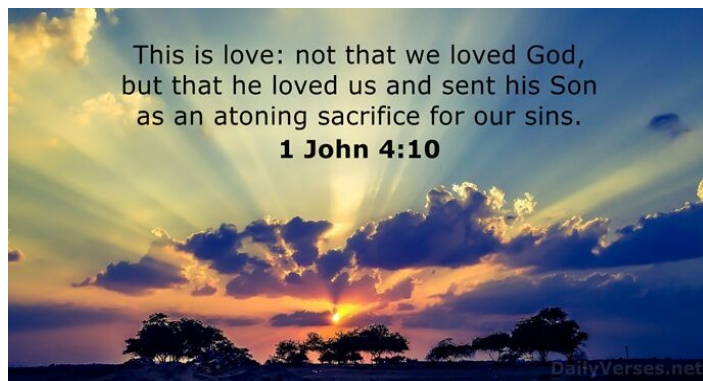
Now as we enter 2026, we all should be looking forward to what the Lord has in store for us. New opportunities for ministries. New opportunities for life adventures and New opportunities to serve our Lord and to serve others. Let's strive to make 2026 the BEST YEAR of our lives, the best year in God's Church, the best year in God's Association and the best year for His Kingdom. All it takes is obedience to His Word.

On January 13th, there will be an Evangelism Roundtable held at First Baptist Church in Richmond Hill.

This Roundtable will be presented by the Georgia Baptist Mission Board. It will begin at 10:00 a.m. and conclude at 11:30 a.m. The keynote speaker will be Dr. James Merritt and the main topic will be "Personal Evangelism". I would like to encourage everyone to try to attend. We will have two more Evangelism Roundtables this year. One in August and one in October.

Happy New Year to each and every one!

Serving Him Together
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Please let us know if your church has an **upcoming event**, **announcement** or **job opening** that you would like for us to post on our website!



Savannah Baptist Center

December 2025

Christmas Care Packages

Thank you to all who helped with this project. We were able to provide care packages for clients who receive services through the clothes closet ministry. In addition to giving a gift, we were able to share God's love with our clients and show them the true meaning of Christmas.

January 2026

Thank you to everyone who collected items for the children's Christmas stockings. We look forward to sharing information on the stocking distribution in the January newsletter. Thank you to all who participated in this project.

New Staff Member

Please welcome Pastor Dwayne Dasher as our newest staff member at the Savannah Baptist Center. Dwayne has joined us as our Administrative Assistant and is also the Pastor of Lighthouse Baptist Church in Bloomingdale.

Thank you to everyone who has supported God's work at the Baptist Center through prayer, donations, and financial contributions. We are grateful for the opportunities God provided in 2025 and look forward to following His plan in 2026.

Thank you, Stephanie
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Like us on to see current needs and info!



Marty's Minutes

Dear SBA Church family,

As we conclude the last semester of BCM ministries at GSU Armstrong for 2025, I would like to express my gratitude for your support. This semester has been wonderful for our BCM ministries, thanks to your prayers, financial support, and the time you volunteer each week. We finished the fall semester with the largest number of students attending our Wednesday launch/devotion, nearly 150. Currently, we have four small groups meeting weekly to minister to, encourage, and disciple college students in their walk with Jesus.

Thank you for all that you do to keep our ministry thriving on the campus of GSU@Armstrong. As we begin our ministries in the New Year, please continue to pray for Daphne, Abby, our team of local volunteers, our churches, and especially our BCM student leadership team, that they may deepen their commitment to Christ and the mission of sharing the Gospel with their university community.

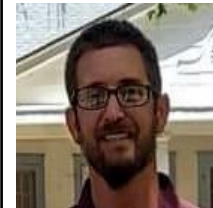
Blessings to you and your church in the New Year.

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Happy New Year!



Assembly News

Merry Christmas from the Assembly,

I hope everyone's Christmas season is filled with joy. I know for churches it's a busy season with all kinds of great ministry opportunities, but also a lot of energy spent. I pray that God will use all your efforts to further the Gospel. With the end of one year comes the beginning of a new year. I look forward to seeing how God will use the Assembly next year. Please feel free to give me a call if you'd like to get a head start on planning for next year.

Thanks,
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Happy Birthday To our Pastors & Spouses

Mrs. Kelly Eason	1/4
Mrs. Iris Pinel	1/14
Rev. Darrin Thomas	1/17
Mrs. Jennifer Sanders	1/18
Rev. Ovidio Cabrera	1/25
Rev. Paul Pinel	1/25

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ASSOCIATION EVENTS

Calendar

January 1st, 2026 Offices Closed
January 5, 12, 26, 2026 Minister's Meeting 11 am
January 12, 2026 Admin Team Meeting 9:30 am
January 13, 2026 Evangelism Round Table w/
GBMB at FBC Richmond Hill 10:00 am until
11:30 am
January 19, 2026 Closed for Martin Luther King Jr.
Parade Downtown
January 26, 2026 Baptist Center Trustees Meeting
at 1:30 pm

February 2, 9, 23, 2026 Minister Meetings at
11:am
February 11, 2026 Center Volunteer Meeting
11:00 am
February 15, 2026 Focus on WMU Day
February 16, 2026 Office Closed in observance of
President's Day

All events are located on the Associational web site:
www.sbassociation.org
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Don't Miss the
DEADLINE!

**All articles are due by noon on the
25th of the month. Please mark your
calendars.**

Ministers Meetings
Mondays at 11:00 am

January 5
Lunch: Wangs II 7601 Waters Ave

January 12
Lunch: Carey Hilliard's 3316 Skidaway Road

January 19
No Meeting or Lunch

January 26
Lunch: Pirates House 20 E. Broad St.



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The Baptist Vision



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You can visit us at Savannah Baptist Association. If you cannot find us, email info@sbassociation.org with your Facebook name: [@SavAssociation](#). We will give you a "friend invite". You can also send us pictures and announcements from your church and we will try to put them on our Facebook page. We would love to see pictures of VBS, musicals, ordinations, etc.

