



Mission Resource Plan

CBFNC Partner Churches who are currently using the Mission Resource Plan (February, 2010):

Earley's, Ahsokie
First, Ahsokie
Neill's Creek, Angier
First, Arden
First, Asheboro
Calvary, Asheville
Morningside, Asheville
First of Smithton, Belhaven
Benson, Benson
Boonville, Boonville
Boiling Springs, Boiling Springs
First, Buies Creek
Memorial Baptist, Buies Creek
First, Burlington
First, Butner
First, Canton
First, Carolina Beach
Greenwood Forest, Cary
Westwood, Cary
Chadbourn, Chadbourn
Mt Carmel, Chapel Hill
Grace Crossing, Charlotte
Peace Covenant, Charlotte
Sardis, Charlotte
First, Clayton
First, Clinton
Grove Park, Clinton
First, Dunn
Glenn School Road, Durham
Temple, Durham
Yates, Durham
First, Eden
Edenton, Edenton
First, Elkin
First, Elon
Antioch, Enfield
First, Fairmont
First, Farmville
First, Fayetteville
Mt Pisgah, Fayetteville
Snyder Memorial, Fayetteville

Florence, Forest City
First, Four Oaks
Pauline, Four Oaks
Burningtown, Franklin
First, Gastonia
Reynoldson, Gates
First, Goldsboro
First, Graham
Brandt Oaks, Greensboro
Southeast, Greensboro
Oakmont, Greenville
The Memorial, Greenville
First, Henderson
Providence, Hendersonville
Viewmont, Hickory
First, Kannapolis
Main Street, Kernersville
Knightdale, Knightdale
First, Laurinburg
Goshen, Leland
First, Lenoir
Churchland, Lexington
First, Lexington
Jersey, Lexington
Mount Pleasant, Liberty
Littleton, Littleton
Hickory Rock, Louisburg
Louisburg, Louisburg
First, Lumberton
First, Madison
Antioch, Marners
First, Marion
Mars Hill, Mars Hill
Mt Adar, Mebane
First, Morehead City
First, Mount Airy
First, Mount Gilead
First, Mount Olive
Murfreesboro, Murfreesboro
Rock Creek, Nashville
First, New Bern

Trinity, Newton
Union Grove, Oak Ridge
Roberts Chapel, Pendleton
Forest Hills, Raleigh
First, Raleigh
Greystone, Raleigh
Hayes Barton, Raleigh
HomeStar Fellowship, Raleigh
New Hope, Raleigh
St John's, Raleigh
Swift Creek, Raleigh
Tabernacle, Raleigh
Trinity, Raleigh
Dortches, Rocky Mount
Lakeside, Rocky Mount
Flat Springs, Sanford
First, Shelby
First, Smithfield
Sharon, Smithfield
First, Southern Pines
First, Stanfield
First, Stoneville
Brunswick Islands, Supply
First, Sylva
First, Tarboro
Heritage, Wake Forest
Woodland, Wake Forest
First, Weaverville
Baptist Tabernacle, Wendell
First, West Jefferson
First, Whiteville
Masonboro, Wilmington
Winter Park, Wilmington
Cashie, Windsor
Wingate, Wingate
Ardmore, Winston-Salem
Covenant, Winston-Salem
First, Winston-Salem
United, Winston-Salem
Wise, Wise
Zebulon, Zebulon

***"Do not remember the former things,
or consider the things of old.
I am about to do a new thing;
now it springs forth,
do you not perceive it?"***

Isaiah 43:18-19

If you have questions about the Mission Resource Plan and the New Day that is dawning for North Carolina Baptists, please call the CBFNC Executive Coordinator, **Larry Hovis at (888) 822-1944.**

Also, visit **www.cbfnc.org** for more on the MRP, including a more detailed breakdown of percentages and other CBFNC information.

What are pastors saying about the Mission Resource Plan?

“The MRP is a great tool that helps Reynoldson’s ministry reach far outside of our sanctuary walls and rural community. My congregation is confident knowing how and where every penny is distributed--plus we are empowered to become more faithful stewards of our resources.”

Todd Higginson
Pastor
Reynoldson Baptist Church, Gates

“There are many reasons we love the MRP..

1. *This plan provides greater contact among churches and mission plan recipients. Previously, we sent our offerings to a large state organization, and they took it from there. There was limited contact with churches. Though they are not expected, I appreciate the thank you notes and updates from MRP recipients.*

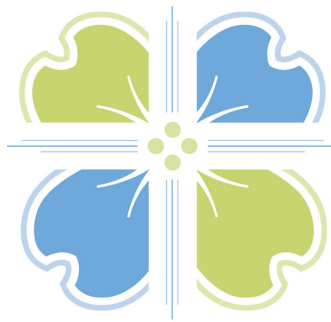
2. *We are able to “tweak” the plan to meet our church’s needs. For instance, we value our partnership with Chowan University, about 15 minutes from our church. Our ability to allow a few more dollars to flow to Chowan is important to us. The MRP puts churches in the driver’s seat. If the 21st century is indeed the age of the local church (I think Rob Nash said that), the MRP is the kind of vehicle the local church needs.*

3. *Having something similar to what we were used to was important (We are a Baptist church, after all!). When we heard that we could maintain funding to all the places we have cherished for so long as well as include some other worthy recipients, it didn’t take long to ‘make the sale.’ ”*

Daniel Glaze
Pastor
First Baptist Church, Ahoskie

“Goshen Baptist Church in Leland is a 156-year-old congregation in a rural setting. Our Treasurer keeps exquisitely precise, hand-written financial records in a green ledger book. The Missions Resource Plan has greatly simplified our church’s off-site giving. We are working to establish a pattern of giving beyond a “tithe” of what we take in to missions, but our interests are varied. The MRP lets us support several arenas of evangelism and ministry without adding to the workload of our excellent Treasurer. Thank you for providing this flexible alternative.”

Barbara Bell
Pastor
Goshen Baptist Church, Leland



“The CBFNC Missions Resource Plan gives our congregation the opportunity to see their mission and ministry gifts at work through long established and respected Baptist entities as well as through new and dynamic approaches to ministry. The beauty of the resource plan is that it can be adapted by our congregation to emphasize specific ministries in the plan that our Church especially desires to support.”

Dennis Herman
Pastor
Greystone Baptist Church, Raleigh

“The Mission Resource Plan has greatly simplified the budget process here at First Baptist Mount Airy. With one monthly check we send support to CBF North Carolina, CBF national, and continue funding many traditional Baptist institutions and causes. At the same time the plan gives us the freedom to tailor contributions to correspond to our specific wishes.”

Roger Gilbert
Pastor
First Baptist Church, Mount Airy

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