

LBC Family

Years ago, I listened to the testimony of an old gentleman from Asia. In this testimony, he shared how no one had shared the Good News of Jesus with him when he was a boy... not even when he was a young man. It was when he was much older that missionaries finally came to his country and he heard the message of Jesus for the first time. He was so thankful that someone came and shared the Good News with him, but he questioned why no one had come sooner. He grieved over all of the years lost in not knowing Jesus. He ended his testimony by saying, "everyone has a right to hear." Those words were engraved on my heart, and it is the motivating factor for what I do as a follower of Christ. LBC is involved in so many different missions and ministries. It is my desire that the driving force for all that we do in each and every ministry is that fundamental right of every person: the right to hear the gospel message. Our vision at LBC is to make disciples of Jesus, both here in Lexington and around the world. The first step towards discipleship is someone coming to faith in Jesus. It is for that reason that we do all of the things listed in this brochure. That must always be our overriding heart and goal to share the gospel message in some way, whether it is through Prison Ministry, School Time Bible, ESL or any other ministry: because everyone has a right to hear!

What role will you play in people hearing? We need volunteers in each area of missions/ministry. We need volunteers to pray. We need volunteers to go. There is some area of involvement in missions that everyone can have. Thanks so much for being a part of people hearing the message.

Thanks and Blessings,



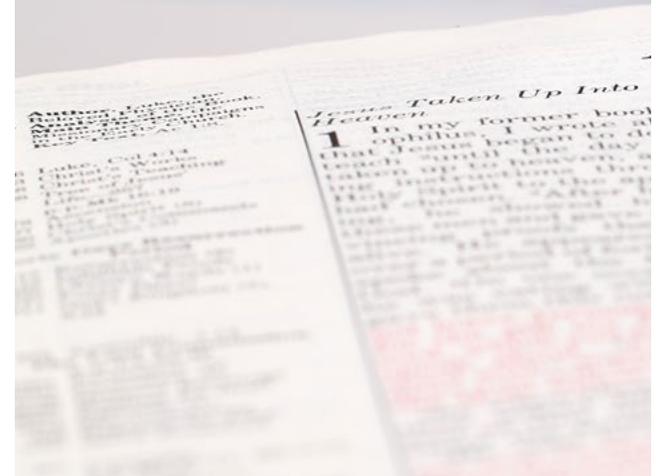
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Local Ministry

ESL MINISTRY

Teaching English as a Second Language to Internationals in the Lexington area with the goal of sharing the gospel.

ARISE MINISTRY

Providing home and yard repairs, as well as home winterization.

OIL CHANGE MINISTRY

Offers two or three oil change events each year for single moms and widows.

SCHOOL TIME BIBLE

Bringing students to the LBC campus for Bible study classes during the school day.

BACKPACK MINISTRY

Collects, packs and delivers food in backpacks to children who would not have enough to eat over the weekend.

STREETSIDE MINISTRY

Serving meals to the homeless in the Columbia area.

PRISON MINISTRY

Sending volunteers to the local prisons to provide Bible studies and worship services.

FAMILIES OF HOPE

Offering resources and training to families of adopted and foster children.

Additional opportunities to serve in local ministries are available at the following LBC partner organizations:

DAYBREAK PREGNANCY CENTER

Providing pregnancy tests, childbirth/parenting classes, dating & relationship classes, as well as post-abortion support.

LEXINGTON INTERFAITH COMMUNITY SERVICES

Providing financial help, food, clothing and training for those in crisis situations.

LIGHTHOUSE FOR LIFE

Seeking to combat sex trafficking through education, restoration and empowerment.



Contact Us

If you'd like to get involved with the LBC Missions Ministry, please contact the Missions office at 803.996.8836 or mhathcox@lexingtonbaptist.org. For more information, visit lbcmissions.org.

*Dates and details for trips planned for 2017 are available at the Missions kiosk in the lobby



National & International Ministry

PORTLAND CHURCH PLANT

LBC is supporting and partnering with church members Kevin and Jenn Lott as they prepare to start a church in Portland, Oregon in the summer of 2017.

NORTH CAROLINA PERSIAN MINISTRY

LBC continues to support and partner with a Central Asian couple as they reach Persian people living in the U.S., especially the Raleigh, NC area.

CENTRAL ASIA

God has called LBC to make a significant impact in Central Asia by being a "Hub Church" (a church that meets and works with International Mission Board field personnel to reach Central Asian peoples with the gospel). That work includes partnering with two particular IMB teams serving in the Central Asia region.

CENTRAL/SOUTH AMERICA

The LBC Missions Ministry works with other organizations in Central and South America to provide opportunities to LBC families who would like to participate in an international mission trip. Most of this work involves VBS, Bible clubs and/or construction work.