

November: Was a great month for ministry

In this edition of the Beacon we are focused on the multiple ministries in which several of our P.B.A. churches, groups, and pastors have been engaged. You will find that Bluffdale Baptist Church, which recently celebrated their 150 year anniversary really came through to provide children with the blessings of receiving a shoe box filled with goodies. They far exceeded their goal of filling 300 shoe boxes. Looks like the entire church was blessed. Pastor's Wife, Cindy Pace headed up the campaign.

You will find pictures from our P.B.A. Chainsaw Team which is headed by Greg Rose. In this their second deployment of the year the Team working with Texans on Missions has been providing much needed tree removal in the area of Oklahoma hard hit by recent tornadoes. Please pray for this team of volunteers who will deploy in December back to North Carolina.

Also, included in this edition of the Beacon are pictures submitted by Noemi Fodoreanu, worship leader at the Lighthouse of Tin Top. These pictures tell the story of a church reaching out to the local community to provide “full course provisions” for a family meal at Thanksgiving. According to Noemi over ninety families received the generosity of God's people.

The final photo is of Pastor Don Smarto of Southside Baptist Church. Pastor Don was recently elected president of the Lake Granbury Ministerial Alliance. We are looking forward to seeing what God has in store for this fellowship of men and women who have been called to serve our local churches. Pastor Don has made it his mandate to see that the group returns to their original charter as written by Rev. Glenn Ward, when he founded the group many years ago.

In the midst of all of this activity, let me not fail to wish you and your family, along with your church family a great and blessed Thanksgiving and Christmas. I am thankful for you and pray for you often.

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