



Rehoboth Baptist Association
Appalachian Mountain Ministry
January 2020 Newsletter
Pete Soots, Director

We have started off with a big year. Thursday we sent a semi load of clothing to the Bahamas to help with the disaster relief program with a partnership with a sister church in Warner Robins. This will provide badly needed clothes to the Bahamas and will be dispersed by two churches in the Bahamas. The shipment should arrive in Freeport on Wednesday of this coming week. This project took several months, many phone calls with port authorities and the people in Bahama, but God's work is always worth it. People will be blessed and we will be blessed for accomplishing the task. Thanks to the folks who help make this possible packing and loading the truck.

We have been up to Knoxville and have several loads planned to go to Jellico, Greer, S.C. and back to Knoxville. So we will be busy for the foreseeable future.

Backpack time will be here before we know it. If your church is going to participate, please have your WMU director contact Phyllis Johnson as there will be several planning meetings. We have asked the Mountain sites to provide us the number of children by age and we will be providing the number of back packs by age group that will fill the orders along with what goes in the bags. Our goal is 1500 and we will be working hard to get that accomplished. Please get in touch with Phyllis Johnson so you will receive all of the pertinent communications.

Sunday school and Religious material. We will receive all of your religious material but please place it in boxes and seal the boxes. We will only receive them on **Tuesdays** as that is when we are at the building packing. Please do not just throw it through the window into the bins as that is a terrible lot of work to get out and then we have to pack it. We appreciate you bringing it and we want to take it but please help us by boxing it and securing the boxes with tape. Thank you in advance!

I would like to invite each Pastor and staff member to come over to the site on any Tuesday and see the operation. You would probably be surprised and overwhelmed at what you see. If any pastor has a need for one of your members all you have to do is vet the situation and give Phyllis or myself a call and we will do our level best to help fill the requirement. We are here for Warner Robins just like the mountains. We definitely help the Vets because remember they have fought to keep us free. Tell a vet thank you for their service every chance you get.

Love in Christ, Pete Soots, RBA Appalachian Mountain Ministry

P.S. Take a look at our Web page at RBA Appalachian Mountain Ministry.

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