



Feather River Baptist Association May 2026

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Note from Our Missionary

In March, we took 4 students from our Youth Group at FAITH Ministry to serve in Little India, Chicago & learn about Multi-Cultural ministry with Caleb & Maddie Hunter. They studied different religions, prayer walked, started conversations & did service projects for the community for the sake of the Gospel.

I attended a SEND Network Training & an EQUIP Conference as well. There are great resources & partnerships with sister churches available. We are better together! We have several churches signed up to attend, serve, & lead at Missions Camp this summer. It's our 17th year. Be sure to sign your students up.

We are trying to find new ways to engage our community to share the Gospel. Thanks to Liz & Katie for helping Nicky & I start evangelism at car shows. Clint & Dylan passed out 20+ Bibles & we met others who are interested in starting a Christian Car Club. Also, Loyaltan Community Church will be sharing the Gospel at a car show in their area on June 13th.

On a personal note, I have been serving as an Area Missionary/Director of Missions for 20 years...Shasta for 5 years, Feather River for 18 years. Time goes by fast! Nicky & I will be taking 2 months off in August & September this year to enjoy a Sabbatical, visit friends, & make time for a renewal of vision for this next season in missions. We appreciate the encouragement, help & prayers from so many of you!

J. Ballard

Pastor Peter & Emily Celum
Last Sunday in
Chester! Thankyou
for your Faithfulness



2 Evangelism Grant Options for your missions or outreach events

CSBC [Click here to apply for a grant for your church or organization.](#) For questions related to the Grant Request process, please contact Janessa Paez jpaez@csbc.com

ALSO,

SoCal Baptist ministries is a non-profit organization that provides small grants for Evangelism Apply at, <https://bfcocal.org/grants/>

Missions Camp 2026

Sunday, June 28th 5pm –
Thursday, July 2nd 10am

At Camp Tehama

Sponsored By FAITH Ministry

"Multiply"

2 Timothy 2:2

Grades: 3rd-6th
& 7th-12th

\$140 per Student
& \$70 per Adult



Camp registration is due **June 15th**.

Camp forms & packing list are at Frbaonline.com (Feather River Baptist Assn. website) under the Missions tab.

There will be Missions classes, crafts, fishing, climbing wall, archery, worship services, games & swimming! Sign up with your church or contact J. Ballard.

Caleb & Maddie Hunter serve at the South Asian Friendship Center in Chicago, IL. Caleb is a nurse & serves in men's ministry. Maddie serves in a tutoring center and a new Immigrant Hope ministry with South Asian families. They are both learning languages, too. To receive Updates or prayer requests, email: calebandmaddie2021@gmail.com.



They are a product of FRBA missions & camp. ****Please pray for them as they are currently in the process of adopting a precious baby girl in Reno, NV. To help them with costs, visit: <https://lifesong.org/give-adoptive-family/> with their family code – 12065. Their name will appear – make sure to click to donate.**

RENEW CALIFORNIA FRBA

Foster Relationship with sister churches investing in the Kingdom by working together in Northeast, CA. Churches helping churches with music, teaching, preaching, leadership, discipleship, mission projects, outreach events, etc. See the webinar @ <https://csbc.com/church-matters/> (first 25min). Call to develop a strategic plan and the resources to carry it out. J. Ballard 530-515-0014.



OCT 2025-APRIL 2026

Church Missions Giving	Mar-April	Yr to Date
Alturas Baptist Church	699	2200
Chester Baptist Church	--	660.60
Community Church of Loyalton	330.00	1155
Calvary Church, Truckee	--	--
Evergreen Baptist Fellowship	429	2491.25
Faith Ministry Reno	538.92	1532.56
Greenville Southern Bap Ch.	400.00	1400.00
Janesville, Log Cabin	--	2,219.86
Portola Station Church	--	400.00
Iglesia de Dios	36.26	94.62
Quincy Community Church	--	3891.96
Sierra Christian Church	269	1117.00
Susanville, Lighthouse Baptist		--
(Chuukese Church)		--
(Palauan Baptist Church)		--
Tulelake, First Baptist Church		456.00
Westwood, First Baptist Church	--	--
Other Giving		
CSBC		1,824.06
Total Missions Giving		19,442.91

It's an honor to serve you, going into our 17th year at FRBA!

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Among The Churches:

Alturas BC: praying for community outreach.

Calvary Truckee has a vibrant Men's Ministry with breakfast & devotions the 1st Saturday each month. Keep Pastor Mike in prayer.

Chester BC is in search of a pastor. Pastor Peter & Emily Celum retired & celebrated their last Sunday with a baptism!

Evergreen BF: still working on there their new building. new sound system, entry way,

FBC Tulelake: keep Pastor Jim in prayer as he serves in this next season of life.

Greenville SBC: has a new Pastor Joe & Faith Case from Michigan. Pray for flourishing as the Greenville community still recovers from the fire. Their VBS is scheduled for June.

Iglesia de Dios continues to reach out to Latinos in the Klamath Basin.

Lighthouse Baptist in Susanville is in the Pastor search process.

Chuukese & Palauan Churches meets with Lighthouse for a joyful Trinity Service each quarter!

Loyalton Community Church: sharing the Gospel at a car show in their community on June 13. They have an extensive missions ministry.

Log Cabin Church Janesville: Pastor Steve Tank is recovering from surgery.

Sierra Christian: has a new Pastor Marc & Seonaid Uebelhardt. They come with great experience from Hawaii. Pray for them as they reach their community for Christ!

Westwood: Pastor Greg Hampton is looking to reach children & families in their community with a team from Missions Camp.

FAITH Ministry: is in process to merge with a 2 ½ year old church plant.



Send Relief Trailer & Party Trailer

are available to assist churches as they serve their communities. Please call J. to reserve the use of this trailer.

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