



Crushing Snakes! Phillip Shuford

Director of Missions



Reading the news these days, it may seem like Satan has the upper hand-particularly among children and young people. But the Enemy has been defeated! We who belong to Christ are promised victory in this world and the next! Children and young people need to hear God speak to them—now more than ever—and know that no matter what the enemy may throw their way, with Jesus they can overcome!

Tri-County's camp theme this year is **CRUSHING SNAKES**. That may sound like a strange theme for a church camp! But Jesus told His followers "*I saw Satan fall* from heaven like lightning! Look, *I have* given you authority over all the power of the enemy, and you can walk among snakes and scorpions and crush them. Nothing will injure you." Luke 10:18-19 NLT

Tri-County's camp leadership has been praying. Will you pray with us that **God** will step into children's and young people's lives while at Baptist Hill?

THIS IS OUR CAMP! Without adult volunteers, camp cannot happen! We need cabin leaders, help in the kitchen, with tech, setting up and breaking down for activities during the week, and more. Information on how to sign up to serve: tcsba.com/resources/for-childrenyouth/camps or call Tri-County.

I'll be there. I hope to see you on the Hill too!

Connecting churches with churches and the Great Commission

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 am - noon & 1:00—4:00 pm Friday: Office Closed; Other Hours by Appointment Tri-County Baptist Association is connecting churches with each other and with the Great Commission. Contact us about speaking in your church about what God is doing through local missions!



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Around Tri-County

help us get your news out by emailing debbie@tcsba.com or calling at (417) 725-8825

Let's Throw a Party! Tri-County's Block Party Trailer is an amazing resource available to all Tri-County churches! Usage fee = \$50 to use a large bounce house, small bounce house, snow-cone machine, popcorn machine, carnival games, portable sound system, pop-up tents, tables, chairs and a portable generator. In addition to the block party trailer, these resources are available to Tri-County churches—free of charge—to use for church and outreach events: snow-cone machine, popcorn machine, cotton candy machine, bubble-making machine, and a giant inflatable movie screen. Call 417-725 -8825 or email debbie@tcsba.com.

Holy Land 2024: March 11-20, 2024 Pastors, church folks from Tri-County churches and friends will walk where Jesus walked as part of a tour of Biblical sites in Israel! Churches—what a blessing to send your

pastor! Cost: \$4,555 from Dallas (based on a minimum 20 participants). Information at *tcsba.com/holy-land-2024* or call Phillip at Tri-County 417-725-8825.

"Let Them Swim!" Baptist Hill Pool Project

Baptist Hill's pool is over 20 years old and needs renovating at a cost of \$650,000. Be a part of making disciples through church camp by donating to the Pool Project! Ways to give:

- ONLINE: go to tcsba.com and click on GIVE
- MAIL: TCBA, PO Box 370, Nixa MO 65714 (memo: POOL PROJECT);
- IN PERSON: drop your donation off at Tri-County's office during office hours.

Pray for our churches between pastors:

Beacon of Hope, FBC Billings, FBC Chadwick, FBC Clever, Ozark Highlands, Pleasant Grove, Selmore. COMING UP

Minister's Prayer Fellowship Breakfasts

Village Inn Ozark 8 am: 5/18 (no breakfast in June or July) Bob Evans Branson 8 am: 5/25 (no breakfast in June or July)

Tri-County Summer Camps

June 5-8, Baptist Hill Assembly

TCBA Annual Meeting

October 1, Real Life Hollister Church, Hollister.

Thank you for giving to local missions through Tri-County!

Our commitment is to use what the Lord sends us to encourage, assist and resource our churches in Christian, Stone and Taney Counties to fulfill the Great Commission.

> Budgeted thru January 2023: \$22,715 Receipts YTD: \$25,907.15 Expenses YTD: \$20,680.35

"They are a fragrant offering, an acceptable sacrifice, pleasing to God." Philippians 4:18