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Three Rivers Baptist Association

“... to assist each member church in fulfilling its God-given purpose.”

It's Not Really About the Turkey

Fresh Ideas from Diana Davis (speaker at TRBA Ministers Wives Retreat in March '09)

- **Have a church fellowship** with a simple meal (homemade stew and corn-bread) and a special Lord's Supper celebration. Everyone is seated at round tables with one deacon or church staff member at each table. At their table, each person shares about blessings from God they have received this year. After dinner, the pastor leads a candlelight Lord's Supper. The deacon or staff members administer the elements to those at their table.
- **Wall of Thanks** - in the beginning of November, use white paper to cover a focal wall in the church foyer and invite members to use markers to artfully express thanks to God all month long.

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Gloria Horn - 10 Years of Service at TRBA

- Kathy Schultz, Adm. Asst.

A BIG thank you to Gloria Horn, treasurer for Three Rivers Baptist Association for 10 years! Gloria has “retired” from her position due to health reasons. On a personal note, I will miss Gloria’s weekly words of wisdom, faith, unsinkable Molly Brown attitude, and her stories of the old days of Three Rivers. For a 70+ year old woman, she hasn’t lost her sassiness yet! She was a tremendous help to me when I started my job last year. Did I mention patience as another of her attributes? Please keep Gloria in your prayers. She is a member of Westview Baptist. Thank you, Gloria, and God bless!

Welcome Back Forsythes

Travis and Kim Forsythe and family (missionaries in Senegal, Africa) are back in the States on furlough. Their schedule is filling up very fast. Please contact them if you would like them to speak at your church. Email: Kimberley@Forsythes.net or call 815/741-3787.

Looking for ...

Crosswinds Church in Plainfield would like to borrow or rent a scissor lift or genie lift. Call 815/230-7624 if you have any leads.

Next Level Leadership Network

“Transforming Conflict from Strife Into



January 30-31, 2009
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Speaker: Dr. Jim Hamilton
Executive Director,
Dakota Baptist Convention

Please note the new email addresses for Dr. Eddington and for the office of Three Rivers.



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