Project Cost

\$2,426,550



ACADIAN BAPTIST CENTER'S CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

~ \$2,426,550 RECEIVED IN GIFTS AND PLEDGES TO DATE ~

2019 CAMP DIRECTOR'S REPORT

There is a lot of excitement at Acadian Baptist Center, throughout the community, and in the hearts of our constituents over the construction of the new worship center. It will be such a blessing to have a facility that will accommodate close to 1000 worshippers. It will also allow the gym, once again, to be used for recreation. Our "Legacy of Worship" Capital Campaign is still in full swing with plans to continue visiting and sharing what God has been doing out here to further His Kingdom. We are currently at \$2.42 million in cash and pledges toward our goal of \$3.1 million. If you or your church would like to help, please give me a call and you can give at www.abccamp.com. Construction began in April with anticipated completion in time for 2020 summer camps.

Attendance this summer was our highest ever with 4249 campers among 16 groups! We had over 3000 attend the Fuego/Spark camps and over 1000 at the other camps! Weekends have been very busy with 3 groups last weekend and 3 anticipated for this weekend.

Many lives are touched at the camps and retreats held on these hallowed grounds. This summer we recorded 120 salvations, 103 recommitments and 62 other decisions.

Special thanks to our staff, volunteers, donors, Board of Directors and prayer warriors that God has used to make the ministry flourish these past 44 years. It is exciting to anticipate how many lives will be touched by God in the future at this little place on the Acadian prairie.

Listed herein are future events that I hope you will help to promote each one and ask God to use each one for His Glory.

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This 2-day retreat allows guys (1st – 6th grade) to spend valuable time with a dad or guardian learning life skills to have a better understanding of what it takes to be a man with faith in God. Cost is \$55/person.

Senior Adult Lunch 10/1/19
Our guest musician will be Dr.
Richard Hood. Retired educator,
He is a Chet Atkins'-style
guitarist. Come and enjoy lunch,
door prizes, and music. This is a
free event. A love offering will
be taken for the new Worship
Center. Please RSVP to ABC office.

Wild Game Dinner October

15th. At 5 PM there will be a variety of wild game dishes to enjoy. At 7 PM the program will begin. Tickets are \$15 and includes the opportunity to win one of several door prizes. You must be present to win.





UPCOMING ABC EVENTS:

SURVIVOR MAN SENIOR ADULT LUNCH **ABA REUNION** WILD GAME DINNER **CAMPERS ON MISSION CHRISTMAS BANQUET ABC MEN'S RETREAT** ABC COUPLES RETREAT ABC WOMEN'S RETREAT **CAMP SPARK CAMP FUEGO CAMP FUEGO CAMP FUEGO CAMP FUEGO CAMP FUEGO CAMP FUEGO**

September 13-14, 2019 October 1, 2019 October 11-12, 2019 October 15, 2019 Oct. 27 - Nov. 1, 2019 **December 10, 2019** Jan. 31-Feb. 1, 2020 February 28-29, 2020 April 3-4, 2020 June 3-6, 2020 June 8-12, 2020 June 15-19, 2020 June22-26, 2020 June 29 - July 3, 2020 July 6-10, 2020 July 13-17, 2020

TESTIMONY ABOUT GIVING

I give my support to the project at Acadian Baptist Center for the new building program as I have seen countless young people give their lives to Christ, many have surrendered to Christian service and missions and work for God in our area and around the world! My influence for ABC came from my association with Bro. Joe and Beth Backus while pastoring in Ruston. He was a primary impetus in me being here at Opelousas! My own kids and those from our church have had wonderful encounters for this place where God is at work!!!

Pastor Perry C. Hubbs, D.Min. FBC, Opelousas, LA

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