2020 Minutes of the Gibson Baptist Association

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held at

First Baptist Church, Kenton
October 22, 2020

2021 Annual Meeting - October 25, 2021 - New Bethlehem Baptist Church

DIRECTORS OF MISSIONS

The following men have served in the capacity of Associational Missionary, Superintendent of Missions, or the most recent title, Director of Missions.

Charles A. Wingo: February 1944 - April 1947

William H. Pitt, Sr.: June 1954 - November 1958

Edwin A. Alexander: February 1959 - October 1960

Barney L. Flowers: December 1960 - October 1968

Lyman B. McDonald: July 1969 - July 1972

J. Kenneth Sparkman: February 1973 - July 1999

J. Mike Kemper: July 1999 - July 2006

Roger D. Stacy: March 1, 2007

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Dedication



In Memory of Mr. Harold Pinkley

Mr. Harold Pinkley was an active member of the Church at SugarCreek in Humboldt. He passed away on July 12, 2020. He served as a deacon for many years in his church. Mr. Pinkley served as a volunteer with the Gibson Baptist Association's disaster relief ministry, an arm of the Southern Baptist Disaster Relief ministry. He was a member of the Humboldt Lions Club, former member of the Humboldt School Board, and past president of the West Tennessee Strawberry Festival. He and his wife Jean were married for 68 years and had three children.



In Memory of Mrs. Rachel Duck

Mrs. Rachel Marie Duck was born on March 13, 1952 in Reagan, TN, the daughter of a Baptist pastor. She was an active member of First Baptist Church Dyer. She went home to be with our Lord on August 12, 2020, at Jackson Madison County General Hospital. She was married to Bro. Daymond Duck and served alongside of him in his ministry. Rachel graduated valedictorian of her class at Clarksburg High School in 1970. Rachel always had a heart for helping others and so she pursued a degree

in Nursing at Union University and graduated in 1973 with an associate degree. She was a nurse, and her favorite role was when she was a head nurse at Jackson Madison County General Hospital. She left the hospital and started doing Home Health for West Tennessee Healthcare in 1991 until her retirement in 2005. She led multiple Bible studies, was involved in local missions, helped with Tanya Taylor mission fundraising, and taught Sunday School. She participated in multiple mission trips to Ecuador doing medical missions.



In Honor of Bro. Johnny Criswell

Bro. Johnny Criswell married his bride, Vickie on February 8, 1964. He surrendered to the gospel ministry at a revival in August of 1967 at Midway Baptist Church. He began his studies at Union University shortly thereafter in 1968. His first pastorate was the Fulton Baptist Church, Ripley, TN. He was paid \$25 a week and drove 160 each week. He graduated Union with a master's degree in religion and journalism in 1972. His next pastorate was First Baptist Church Maury City. At this

pastorate a revival movement broke out with 67 salvations and 17 by letter his first year. Afterwards, he was called as pastor of Alridge Baptist Church. Bro. Johnny helped organize the Keely Mill Baptist Church in Dyer. He then pastored Poplar Springs Baptist Church. In 1991, he became the interim pastor of Midway Baptist Church and was called as pastor in 1992. He has completed twenty-eight years (28) at Midway and is the longest serving pastor in the Gibson Baptist Association at one church.

Associational Directory

		<u>Office</u>	<u>Home</u>
Moderator	Shawn Allred	749-5780	415-2472
Assistant Moderator	Bryan Morris	665-7107	901-860-3252
Clerk	Leann Cherry		414-0758
Treasurer	Jim Acree		692-2933
Assistant Treasurer	Joel Pigg	855-2520	616-9901
Director of Missions	Roger Stacy	855-1202	414-9973
Ministry Specialist	Grace Gentry	855-1202	589-2191

Teams

Strategic Leadership Team

Director of Missions, Director Moderator Assistant Moderator Steve Littleton, Seek Team Leader Eric McLemore, Send Team Leader James Rogers, Strengthen Team Leader

Send Team

Ron Harper (2023), Fellowship

Eric McLemore (2021), Northside – Team Leader Billy Hanks (2022), West Carroll Barbara Jones (2022), Salem Sheilah Spangler – WMU (Ex-oficio)

Seek Team

Kevin Mullins (2023), White Hall

Steve Littleton (2021), Gibson – Team Leader Bryan Morris (2021), New Hope Mike Sellers (2021), Chapel Hill Lane Self (2022), Dyer FBC

Strengthen Team

Hunter Martin (2023), Northside

James Rogers (2021), Oakwood – Team Leader Shawn Allred (2021), Kenton FBC Wendy Tate (2022), Salem John Coleman (2022), New Bethlehem

New team members are in bold print, a year following the name indicates when the term ends.

Other Leadership

Budget & Finance Committee		
Terri Messer (2023)	Fellowship	686-7565
Mike Garner (2021) – Committee Chair	New Bethlehem	692-2349
Greg Pillow (2022)	Midway	225-0223
Chairman of Personnel Committee		
Treasurer		
Constitution & Bylaws Committee		
Jake Fry (2023)	Emmanuel Humboldt	695-3954
Tony Crossnoe (2021) – Committee Chair	Calvary, Humboldt	663-2480
Daymond Duck (2021)	Dyer FBC	694-9086
Tommy Griggs (2022)	Bethpage	695-6613
Steven Osborne (2022)	Lavinia	686-0735
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<u>Credentials Committee</u>		
Jack Woods (2023)	Fellowship	686-0706
Randy Beals (2021) – Committee Chair	New Haven	414-5689
Shawn Allred (2022)	Kenton FBC	415-2472
Newsigating Committee		
Nominating Committee	History Costs	602 2754
Sherry Scruggs (2023)	Hickory Grove	693-3751
Pat Wollam (2021) – Committee Chair	Salem	742-2190
Eddie Holmes (2022)	Fellowship	217-6276
Personnel Committee		
Jearod Flowers (2023)	New Bethlehem	
Bryan Morris (2021) – Committee Chair	New Hope	901-860-3252
Steve Hemann (2022)	Clear Creek	487-0983
Tourstand		
Trustees	Dealer Co.	FF0 47F6
Tim Ingram (2023)	Poplar Grove	559-4756
Jason McDaniel (2021) - Chair	White Hall	414-4636
Eston Hurst (2022)	New Bethlehem	414-4030

New committee members are in bold print, a year following the name indicates when the term ends.

WMU Officers

WMU Director	Sheilah Spangler	414-9292
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Assistant Director/Publications	Rhonda Poore	446-1319
Acteens Consultant	Mary Beth Dunagan	695-0869
Area Director 1	Dottie Walker	669-6242
Area Director 2	Kim Petty	420-9561
Area Director 4	Stephanie Rodgers	487-1711
CWJC Site Coordinator	Christy Skelton	414-2795
Chorister	Louise Fout	487-7342
GA Consultant	Pamela Basham	414-2187
M & M Coordinator	Mindy Summar	431-3904
M & M Coordinator/Churchwide Missions	Penny Stacy	487-3276
Memorial Chair	Linda Choate	487-5829
Mission Friends Consultant	Jaclyn Scott	571-7147
Missions Growth Consultant	Leah McLemore	234-6782
Pianist	Addie Brelsford	697-7856
Place Chair/Historian	Joyce Reynolds	571-4859
Prayer Support	Judy Cantrell	613-0076
Treasurer	Dianne Yarbrough	343-0121



Gibson Baptist Association Churches

<u>Church</u>	Church Address	<u>Phone</u>
Antioch	425 Antioch Rd, Humboldt 38343	783-5330
Avondale	1900 Hwy 45 By-Pass, Humboldt 38343	784-3981
Beech Grove	233 Old Dyersburg Road, Dyer 38330	686-3596
Bethel-H	85 Bethel Road, Humboldt 38343	784-0830
Bethel-Y	12 Baseline Road, Yorkville 38389	643-6597
Bethpage	59 Bethpage Road, Kenton 38233	673-4494
Bradford, First	126 Church Street, Bradford 38316	742-3343
Calvary-H	2925 Carriage Lane (PO Box 67), Humboldt 38343	784-2343
Calvary-R	142 Calvary Road, Rutherford 38369	514-6483
Center	262 Edison Frog-Jump Road, Trenton 38382	855-0135
Chapel Hill	76 Chapel Hill Road, Milan 38358	686-0414
China Grove	1 China Grove Road, Rutherford (Mail: 508 S Trenton St, Rutherford 38369)	665-6273
Clear Creek	505 Old Dyersburg Road, Dyer 38330	692-3399
Dyer, First	198 W. College Street, Dyer 38330	692-2549
Eldad	49 Eldad Road, Trenton 38382	787-6189
Elevate	9000 W Van Hook St (Mail: PO Box 183), Milan 38358	
Emmanuel-H	1102 N. 22nd Avenue, Humboldt 38343	784-4410
Fellowship	6295 Graball Drive (Hwy 187), Milan 38358	686-0492
Fruitland	59 Fruitland Road, Humboldt 38343	784-2436
Gibson	302 Hwy 79 North, Humboldt 38343	787-6755
Hickory Grove	229 Old Eaton-Trenton Road, Trenton 38382	855-3444
Idlewild	48 Idlewild Hollyleaf Road, Bradford 38316 (Mail: PO Box 158, Idlewild)	742-3305
Immanuel-T	1001 S. College, Trenton 38382	855-1066
Keely Mill	204 Madison Street, Dyer 38330	693-3511
Kenton, First	204 South Poplar (PO Box 188), Kenton 38233	749-5780
Laneview-K	158 Old Rutherford-Kenton Rd, Kenton 38233	665-6696
Laneview-T	46 Laneview-Concord Rd, Trenton 38382	855-1550
Latham's Chapel	135 Latham's Chapel Road, Milan 38358	783-1093
Lavinia	4200 Hwy 220, Lavinia 38348	783-5100
Medina, First	97 Milan Hwy, Medina 38355	783-3222
Midway	860 Old Dyersburg Road, Dyer (Mail: 644 S Trenton St, Rutherford 38369)	643-6638
Milan, First	2000 South Second Street, Milan 38358	686-3385
Mount Pisgah	87 Mt. Pisgah Road, Bradford 38316	742-3879
Mount Pleasant	405 Trezevant Hwy, Bradford 38316	742-3503
New Bethlehem	159 New Bethlehem Rd (PO Box 76), Dyer 38330	692-3594
New Haven	4045 Graball Drive (PO Box 674), Milan 38358	613-2482
New Hope	132 New Hope Road, Dyer 38330	665-7107
Northern's Chapel	122 Northerns Chapel Rd, Rutherford 38369 (Mail: 107 Joe Lumpkin Rd)	665-6354
Northside	5001 Patton Street, Milan 38358	686-1291
Oak Grove	134 Oak Grove Road, Milan 38358 21 Oakwood Road, Milan 38358	606 0755
Oakwood Old Bethlehem	·	686-8755
Poplar Grove	86 Old Bethlehem Road, Rutherford 38369	665-7245
Poplar Springs	366 Gibson Wells Brazil Rd, Trenton 38382 39 Poplar Springs Road, Atwood 38220	559-4635 783-9956
Rutherford, First	301 W Main Street (PO Box 277), Rutherford 38369	665-6159
Salem	199 Neal Kinsy Rd, Trenton 38382	855-2520
Smyrna	16 Dollar Road, Humboldt 38343	787-7257
Spring Hill	80 St Route 188, Trenton 38382	559-4755
Sugar Creek	3400 E Mitchell, Humboldt 38343	784-1883
Trenton, First	401 S High St, Trenton 38382	855-9321
Walnut Grove	3 Walnut Grove Church Road, Kenton 38233	665-7328
West Carroll	110 Front Street, Trezevant 38258	669-3703
Westside	301 Factory Street (PO Box 438), Trenton 38382	855-9091
White Hall	671 Concord Cades Rd, Trenton 38382	855-2018
GBA Office	1275 US 45 Bypass N (PO Box 186) Trenton 38382	855-1202
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Gibson Baptist Association Pastors

<u>Church</u>	<u>Pastor</u>	Pastor's Address	<u>City</u>	<u>Zip</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Home</u>
Antioch	Bill Espy	136 Duffey Dr	Medina	38355	783-5330	783-0326
Avondale	Bob Dennison	585 Earl Carter Rd	Halls	38040	784-3981	442-2192
Beech Grove	Scott Jewell	217 N Poplar	Dyer	38330		692-4541
Bethel-H	Donald Scott	2890 E Main St	Humboldt	38343	784-0830	234-3712
Bethel-Y	Billy Criswell	886 Torrey Pine Cove	Newbern	38059	643-6597	676-4446
Bethpage	Garry Burkacki	211 Hillside Street	Kenton	38233	673-4494	901-355-2444
Bradford, First	Don Dyer	PO Box 68	Bradford	38316	742-3343	784-1555
Calvary-H	Tony Crossnoe	1019 Oakcrest Farm Rd	Bells	38006	784-2343	663-2480
Calvary-R	Sammy Dowland	536 Trezevant Rd	Bradford	38316		571-2713
Center	Joey Gowan	145 Gowan Lane	Atwood	38220		415-1954
Chapel Hill	(I) Dr. Todd Brady	104 Greenbriar Lane	Jackson	38305	686-0414	270-564-1379
China Grove						
Clear Creek	Steve Hemann	1113 Thomas Dr	Milan	38358		487-0983
Dyer, First	Lane Self	PO Box 290	Dyer	38330		514-8282
Eldad	Jonathan Criswell	8 Nelson Cove	Milan	38358	787-6189	414-4435
Elevate	Dale Denning	10 Trenton Hwy	Bradford	38316		234-8487
Emmanuel-H	Jake Fry	16 Denim Cove	Jackson	38305	784-4410	695-3954
Fellowship	Eddie Holmes	226 Maddox	Jackson	38305		217-6276
Fruitland	(I) Andy King	125 New Hope Rd	Dyer	38330		234-8332
Gibson	Steve Littleton	304 US Hwy 79 N	Humboldt	38343	787-6755	931-221-9851
Hickory Grove	Michael McEwen	26 Broadfield Manor	Trenton	38382		695-0827
Idlewild	(I) Jackie Vaughan	312 West Main St	Greenfield	38230	742-3305	235-2234
Immanuel-T	Steve Skelton	29 Broadfield Manor	Trenton	38382	855-1066	618-7799
Keely Mill	Stephen Fields	107 S Peck Switch Cove	Dyer	38330		487-3449
Kenton, First	Shawn Allred	PO Box 188	Kenton	38233	749-5780	415-2472
Laneview-K	(I) Barry Capps	453 Stella Rum Rd	Martin	38237	665-6696	456-2978
Laneview-T	Nickey McMinn	1006 South Main St	Dyer	38330	855-1550	613-8487
Latham's Chapel	Tommy Stutts	269 Hwy 412 E	Jackson	38305	783-1093	424-4003
Lavinia	Stephen Osborne	86 Oak Grove Rd	Milan	38358	783-5100	343-4529
Medina, First					783-3222	
Midway	Johnny Criswell	4078 Stinson Rd	Milan	38358	723-3698	643-6638
Milan, First					686-3385	
Mount Pisgah	Clayton Williams	2314 McDearmon	Humboldt	38343	742-3879	225-1610
Mount Pleasant	Johnny McCartney	405 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford	38316	742-3503	414-7719
New Bethlehem	John Coleman	PO Box 76	Dyer	38330	692-2030	692-3594
New Haven	Randy Beals	PO Box 674	Milan	38358		414-5689
New Hope	Bryan Morris	876 N Main St	Dyer	38330	665-7107	901-860-3252
Northern's Chapel	Dillard Lykins	11 Majestic Oak Cove	Humboldt	38343		394-2850
Northside	Eric McLemore	5009 Patton St	Milan	38358	686-1291	694-7341
Oak Grove	Tim Newby	8005 S 1st St	Milan	38358		256-520-2940
Oakwood	James Rogers	417 W Main St	Rutherford	l 38369		420-9510
Old Bethlehem	Eddie Hayes	48 Reynolds Rd	Bradford	38316		414-8213
Poplar Grove	Joey Hufstedler	366 Gibson Wells Brazil Rd	Trenton	38382		267-9602
Poplar Springs	Kerry Zeiss	155 Peggy Lane	Atwood	38220		415-4827
Rutherford, First	(I) Mike Kemper	88 Chamberlain Dr	Humboldt	38343	665-6159	267-2260
Salem	Joel Pigg	PO Box 346	Trenton	38382	855-2520	695-5321
Smyrna	David Powell	10060 Trimble St	Trimble	38259	787-7257	445-0897
Spring Hill	Andy Mayfield	78 St Route 188	Trenton	38382	559-4959	618-1245
Sugar Creek	Greg McFadden	3400 E Mitchell	Humboldt		784-1883	784-9005
Trenton, First	Jason Bowen	401 S High St	Trenton	38382	855-9321	501-650-0176
Walnut Grove	Andy Rice	815 Mary Key	Humboldt		665-7328	618-0236
West Carroll	Billy Hanks	39 Poplar Springs	Atwood	38220		571-3808
West Side	Stephen Powell	236 West Broad St	Dyer	38330		414-0253
White Hall	Kevin Mullins	669 Concord Cades Rd	Trenton	38382	855-2018	901-482-9481
GBA Office	Roger Stacy	PO Box 186	Trenton	38382	855-1202	414-9973

Music Directors

<u>Church</u>	Music Di	rector	Director's Address			<u>Phone</u>
Antioch	Kelly	Sorrell	117 Baymeadows Dr	Jackson	38305	427-8873
Beech Grove	Jan	Croom	124 Reed Rd	Dyer	38330	
Bethel, Y	Alex	Sims	140A Baseline Rd	Dyer	38330	414-7907
Bethpage	Franklin	Sanford	11 Brown Rd	Dyer	38330	643-6836
Bradford First	Larry	Patterson	140 Milan Hwy	Bradford	38316	742-3262
Calvary, H	Suzanne	Morgan	336 E Foster Ave	Medina	38355	783-3517
Calvary, R	Barry	Flowers	PO Box 363	Rutherford	38369	487-6712
Center	Jenny	Stokes	107 Gibson Wells Brazil Rd	Humboldt	38343	559-4719
Chapel Hill	Mark	Brown	453 State Route 186 N	Trenton	38382	343-1984
China Grove	John	Brelsford	PO Box 182	Rutherford	38369	414-1682
Clear Creek	Bradley	Shanklin	498 Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer	38330	
Eldad	David	Adkins	11 Eldad Rd	Trenton	38382	787-7190
Emmanuel, H	Mark	Stanley	144 Pleasant Hill	Humboldt	38343	695-1618
Fruitland	Jonathan	Flowers	230 W Broad	Dyer	38330	
Gibson	John	Barrix	PO Box 10452	Jackson	38305	664-8434
Hickory Grove	Blake	Elliott	711 S High St	Trenton	38382	697-8671
Idlewild	Jeremy	Shackelford	221 Mulberry Grove Rd	Bradford	38316	742-3844
Immanuel, T	Ray	Ethridge	68 Johnson Chapel Rd	Trenton	38382	787-6680
Keely Mill	Mike	Fields	75 Elam Rd	Bradford	38316	742-2442
Laneview, K	Johnny	Cavender	1806 E Trimble Mason Hall Rd	Kenton	38233	673-4468
Laneview, T	Jerry	Campbell	452 R Laneview Concord Rd	Trenton	38382	855-3768
Latham's Chapel	Rita	Rutherford	135 Lathams Chapel Rd	Milan	38358	
Medina First	Jonathan	Mackey	PO Box 39	Medina	38355	397-2225
Midway	Johnny	Criswell	4078 Stinson Rd	Milan	38358	723-3698
Mount Pisgah	Sammy	Scott	45 Gann Rd	Milan	38358	414-4559
New Bethlehem	Jared	Poore	3169 Concord Rd	Kenton	38233	446-7646
New Hope	Johnny	Alford	186 New Hope Rd	Rutherford	38369	692-4613
Northern's Chapel	Jon	Stafford	145 New Hope Rd	Dyer	38330	414-6134
Northside	Hunter	Martin	8176 Telecom Dr	Milan	38358	235-3174
Oak Grove	Billy	Sanderson	285 State Route 186 N	Humboldt	38343	676-4412
Oakwood	James	Rogers	417 W Main St	Rutherford	38369	420-9510
Old Bethlehem	Cheryl	Hayes	48 Reynolds Rd	Bradford	38316	
Poplar Springs	Roger	Hanks	86 NW Horace Burress Rd	Atwood	38220	414-4081
Salem	Steven	Tate	61 Gentry Boucher Rd	Kenton	38233	225-0080
Smyrna	Eddie	Long	27 Dollar Rd	Humboldt	38343	571-8782
Spring Hill	Emily	Mayfield	80 State Route 188	Trenton	38382	618-1236
Sugar Creek	Kevin	Hamilton	2705 Chere Carol Rd	Humboldt	38343	784-1883
Trenton First	Stephen	Watson	5001 Caldwell Dr	Milan	38358	334-1540
Walnut Grove	Donald	Cunningham	39 Morella Rd	Kenton	38233	749-5468
West Side	Ronnie	Baker	134 Trenton Hwy	Bradford	38316	487-5649
White Hall	Jim	Criswell	1312 Sunny Dr	Trenton	38382	855-9214

Ministers of Youth

Antioch	Matt	Dunagan	43 Rooker Dr	Jackson	38305	783-5330
Bradford First	Charlton	McDade	134 Mount Pisgah Rd	Bradford	38316	
Chapel Hill	Meredith	Erlandson	153 Charles Latham Dr	Jackson	38301	686-0414
Dyer First	Wesley	Gordon	PO Box 133	Yorkville	38389	343-2841
Fruitland	Jonathan	Flowers	230 W Broad	Dyer	38330	
Keely Mill	Tonya	Fields	107 S Peck Switch Cv	Dyer	38330	234-1938
Kenton First	Travis	Ellis	707 Baker Rd	Martin	38237	636-1097
Laneview, T	Jerry	Campbell	452 R Laneview Concord	Trenton	38382	855-3768
Lavinia	Dewayne & Valori	McMinn	4200 Hwy 220	Lavinia	38348	
Medina First	Jonas	Mackey	PO Box 39	Medina	38355	783-3222
Milan First	Bill	Kisner	2000 Second St	Milan	38343	686-3385
Mount Pisgah	Beth	Logan	26 Reynolds Rd	Bradford	38316	662-352-4601
Mount Pleasant	Andy & Georgia	Rutherford	405 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford	38316	414-7835
New Bethlehem	Thomas	ODaniel	287 N Poplar St	Dyer	38330	414-9065
New Hope	Joseph	Rice	815 Mary Key Dr	Humboldt	38343	618-0172
Northside	Nick	Wilson	5001 Patton St	Milan	38358	
Poplar Grove	David	Draper	72 Frog Jump Brazil Rd	Trenton	38382	487-9122
Poplar Springs	Amanda	Lowery	Mill Rd	Trezevant	38258	298-6576
Rutherford First	Dusty	Emerson	PO Box 124	Rutherford	38369	414-7984
Salem	Todd	Kirk	109 Scattered Acres Dr	Dyer	38330	855-2520
Smyrna	Kenneth	Leke	1123 31St Ave	Humboldt	38343	784-7859
Sugar Creek	Christian	Shipman	62 Ashberry Ln	Humboldt	38343	256-617-3248
Trenton First	Tyler	Scott	401 S High St	Trenton	38382	855-9321
W Carroll Unity	David	Moncrief	PO Box 24	Trezevant	38258	343-1967
White Hall	Chris	Sumner	92 Channing Way	Jackson	38305	358-5000

Other Ordained Ministers

Chapel Hill	Ken	Bowman	273 Pleasant Hill Rd	Humboldt	38343	686-0414
Chapel Hill	Mark	Brown	53 State Route 186 N	Trenton	38382	343-1984
Chapel Hill	Billy	Robinson	227 Tennessee St	McKenzie	38201	352-5238
Chapel Hill	Mike	Sellers	111 Bluebird Cv	Medina	38355	783-0247
Dyer, FBC	Daymond	Duck	68 State Route 185	Dyer	38330	692-3162
Dyer, FBC	Jason	Griggs				
Dyer, FBC	Bob	Hill	353 W Broad St	Dyer	38330	692-3700
Hickory Grove	Michael	McEwen	18 Broadfield Manor	Trenton	38382	695-0827
Oak Grove	James	Taylor	374 Gumwoods Rd	Trenton	38382	559-4154
Rutherford, FBC	Marlon	Stephens	PO Box 250	Rutherford	38369	665-7198
Salem	Randy	Pool	1 Ira Falls	Trenton	38382	431-7101
Smyrna	James	Brown	221 Medina Hwy	Humboldt	38343	784-2578
Sugar Creek	Bob	Agee	270 Ashport Rd	Humboldt	38343	660-3594
Sugar Creek	Matt	Arnold	2239 N Highland Ave	Jackson	38305	668-1094
Sugar Creek	Steve	Babcock	3400 East Mitchell St	Humboldt	38343	784-1883
Sugar Creek	Robert "Bob"	Benedict	194 Pleasant Hill Rd	Humboldt	38343	618-1595
Sugar Creek	Andy	Clenney	3608 Brownsville Hwy	Jackson	38301	424-2529
Sugar Creek	Jerry	Coln	33 Scarbrough Loop	Humboldt	38343	660-2168
Sugar Creek	Kevin	Hamilton	2705 Chere Carol Rd	Humboldt	38343	784-1883
Sugar Creek	Mark	Jenkins	950 N 29th St	Humboldt	38343	784-3732
Sugar Creek	Mike	Kemper	88 Chamberlain Dr	Humboldt	38343	267-2260
Sugar Creek	Mike	Sanders	241 Edison Frogjump Rd	Trenton	38382	695-4800
Trenton, FBC	N. Tyler	Scott	401 S High St	Trenton	38382	855-9321

Church Clerks

Antioch	Cindy Sellars	425 Antioch	Humboldt, 38343	664-6897
Avondale	Gaye Kent	328PleasantHillRd	Humboldt, 38343	414-9605
Beech Grove	Vickie Bryant	235 Old Dyer Trenton Rd	Dyer, 38330	692-2303
Bethel, H	Bonnie Scott	2890 E. Main	Humboldt, 38343	234-3712
Bethel, Y	Linda Parker			377-3100
Bethpage	Brenda Griggs	202 Will Fowler Rd	Kenton, 38233	749-5676
Bradford First	Donna Rinks	PO Box 88	Bradford, 38316	742-2544
Calvary, H	Linda Stoltz	3105 Laurel	Humboldt, 38343	784-4635
Calvary, R	Tracy Abbott	PO Box 75	Rutherford, 38369	414-3741
Center	Jenny Stokes	107 Gibson Wells Brazil Rd	Humboldt, 38343	559-4719
Chapel Hill	Peggy Lowe	92 Southshore Dr	Jackson, 38305	431-1906
China Grove	Bernie Henderson	104 Flowers Rd	Rutherford, 38369	487-3781
Clear Creek	Deborah Goad	185 New Bethlehem Rd	Dyer, 38330	
Dyer First	Gayle Hill	353 West Broad St	Dyer, 38330	613-3029
Eldad	Georgia Warrington	126 Eldad Rd	Trenton, 38382	571-2824
Emmanuel	Renee Mitchell	1300 Dungan St	Humboldt, 38343	420-0100
Fellowship	Martha Kernodle	5046 Dolly Tom Dr	Milan, 38358	487-6429
Fruitland	Charlene King	125 New Hope Rd	Dyer, 38330	234-8333
Gibson	Kathy Brown	638 N 27th Ave	Humboldt, 38343	414-4305
Hickory Grove	Ann Elliott	476 Old Trenton Eaton Rd	Trenton, 38382	487-1830
Idlewild	Patsy James	153 Idlewild Hollyleaf Rd	Bradford, 38316	742-3156
Immanuel	Judy Baker	2225 Barrett Ln	Humboldt, 38343	420-3664
Keely Mill	Jennifer Fields	130 Rutherford Hwy	Bradford, 38316	742-4694
Kenton First	Tina Forbes	5358 Macedonia	Kenton, 38233	695-2546
Laneview	Vickie Talley	55 Mount Orange Rd	Trenton, 38382	414-8950
Latham's Chapel	Beverly Coleman	40 Spring Creek Hwy	Medina, 38355	783-3315
Lavinia	Cindy McGregor	695 W Main St	Atwood, 38220	662-4300
Medina First	Sheryl Wren	55 Mary Kay Dr	Medina, 38355	410-0350
Midway	Greg Pillow	644 S Trenton St	Rutherford, 38369	225-0223
Milan First	Kim Wilson	2000 Second St	Milan, 38358	686-3385
Mount Pisgah	Joyce Doyle	4085 Fairfield Dr	Milan, 38358	414-8174
Mount Pleasant	Cathy Simmons	189 Taylor Rd	Bradford, 38316	414-8051
New Bethlehem	Shirley Pipkin	214 Division St	Dyer, 38330	692-2657
New Hope	Charlotte Curtis	822 Maple Heights St	Kenton, 38233	937-0000
Northern's Chapel		124 Joe Lumpkin Rd	Rutherford, 38369	665-7195
Northside	Leah McLemore	5009 Patton St	Milan, 38358	234-6782
Oak Grove	Barbie Burns	229 Caraway Hills Rd	Milan, 38358	697-6626
Old Bethlehem	Shirley Hanks	68 Tollie Gordon Rd	Dyer, 38330	571-5137
Poplar Grove	Janette Welch	317 Gibson Wells Brazil Rd	Trenton, 38382	234-6257
Poplar Springs	Chris Hayes	37 Lyndell Hayes Rd	Milan, 38238	618-7342
Rutherford First	Susan McCullar	PO Box 483	Rutherford, 38369	487-2961
Salem	Suzanne Pigg	199 Neal Kinsey Road	Trenton, 38382	571-3841
Smyrna	Georgia Brisentine	1075 N 29th Ave	Humboldt, 38343	697-4944
Spring Hill	Janie Jarnigin	989 Dyersburg Hwy	Trenton, 38382	559-4473
Sugar Creek	Jerry Barker	2655 Beau Beth Dr	Humboldt, 38343	569-7324
Trenton First	Leann Cherry	143 Bob Batchelor	Trenton, 38382	855-4968
Walnut Grove	Earlene Keathley	338 Walnut Grove Rd	Kenton, 38233	749-5582
West Carroll Unity		PO Box 24	McLemoresville, 38235	343-1966
West Side	Curtis Halbrook	190 Gibson Hwy	Trenton, 38382	445-6380
White Hall	Demetra Hickerson	605 S College	Trenton, 38382	855-2018

Treasurers

Antioch	Linda	Alexander	1073 Woodgate	Humboldt	202/12	784-6979
Avondale	Gaye	Kent	328 Pleasant Hill Rd	Humboldt	38343	414-9605
Beech Grove	Marilyn	Cotham	45 Cotham Rd	Trenton	38382	487-9080
Bethel, Y	Joy	Milligan	244 Nebo-Yorkville Rd	Dyer	38330	643-6195
Bethpage	Tommy	Griggs	202 Will Fowler Rd	Kenton	38233	749-5676
Bradford First	Donna	Rinks	PO Box 88	Bradford	38316	742-2544
Calvary, H	Linda	Stoltz	3105 Laurel	Humboldt	38343	784-4635
Calvary	Tammy	Flowers	PO Box 363	Rutherford		487-0037
Center	Margaret		124 Peter Smith Gravel Rd	Humboldt	38343	784-50037
Chapel Hill	Roberta	Sellers	76 Chapel Hill Rd	Milan	38358	686-0414
China Grove	Wilbur	Gant	97 Old Dyersburg Rd	Trenton	38382	694-0493
Clear Creek	Bradley	Shanklin	498 Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer	38330	692-2327
	Jim	Acree	292 Division St	-	38330	693-6023
Dyer First				Dyer		
Eldad	Fred	Warrington	26 Eldad Rd	Trenton	38382	697-8247
Emmanuel	Ronald	Coleman	172 State Route 420	Humboldt	38343	784-5201
Fellowship	Janelle	Hurley	7091 Hillcrest Dr	Milan	38358	723-4525
Fruitland	Pat	Lindsey	105 E 10th St	Trenton	38382	697-0571
Gibson	Lisa	Shaver				
Hickory Grove	Sherry	Scruggs	356 Old Trenton Eaton Rd	Trenton	38382	686-5133
Idlewild	Kay	Shackelford	221 Mulberry Grove Rd	Bradford	38316	742-3844
Immanuel	Mary	Ashley	213 Taylor St	Trenton	38382	420-4340
Kenton First	Broecksie	•	474 W College St	Kenton	38233	749-5222
Laneview, K	Lia	Hicks	209 S Poplar St	Dyer	38330	592-1694
Laneview, T	James	Talley	55 Mount Orange Rd	Trenton	38382	855-9607
Latham's Chapel	Lois	Akin	27 Jackson Hwy	Medina	38355	783-3166
Lavinia	Danny	McMinn	1080 Fry Rd	Lavinia	38348	783-1249
Medina First	Tony	Jones	327 Cumberland St	Medina	38355	783-0088
Midway	Greg	Pillow	644 S Trenton St	Rutherford	38369	225-0223
Milan First	Joe	Ragon	11023 Fields Dr	Milan	38358	686-3385
Mount Pisgah	Dorothy	Scott	45 Gann Rd	Milan	38358	414-5117
Mount Pleasant	Rita	Sellers				394-0790
New Bethlehem	Mike	Garner	51 Neal Kinsey Rd	Trenton	38382	692-2349
New Haven	Greg	Hall	4105 Caldwell Dr	Milan	38358	686-0344
New Hope	Kelley	Cryer	670 N Main St	Dyer	38330	487-1426
Northern's Chapel	l Jerry	Montgomer	/107 Joe Lumpkin Rd	Rutherford	38369	665-6354
Oak Grove	Jo Ann	Canada	166 Oak Grove Church Rd	Milan	38358	686-2981
Oakwood	Darlene	Smith	64 Turner Loop Rd	Humboldt	38343	487-0228
Poplar Grove	Tim	Ingram	35 Fred Brown Rd	Trenton	38382	559-4756
Poplar Springs	Kathy	Hanks	86 NW Horace Burress Rd	Atwood	38220	255-1568
Rutherford First	Libby	George	PO Box 177	Rutherford	38369	665-6159
Salem	Tommy	Golden	244 Concord Moores Chapel	Trenton	38382	487-1040
Smyrna	Sheila	Bell	903 Valley Hill Pl	Humboldt	38343	784-4688
Spring Hill	Janie	Jarnigin	989 Dyersburg Hwy	Trenton	38382	559-4473
Sugar Creek	Katie	Laughlin	2681 Beau Beth Dr	Humboldt	38343	784-1883
Trenton First	Mark	Johnson	1405 S College St	Trenton	38382	855-2490
Walnut Grove	Amy	Keathley	219 Joe Penn Rd	Kenton	38233	571-7107
West Carroll Unity	•	Moncrief	PO Box 24, McLemoresville	- ****	38235	343-1966
West Side	Ann	McComb	PO Box 433	Trenton	38382	414-8737
White Hall	Ricky	Tucker	384 Concord Cades Rd	Trenton	38382	686-2769
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Sunday School Directors

Avondale	Dan	Thurbush	1645 Ingram St	Humboldt, 38343	784-3570
Beech Grove	Richmond	Vick	114 Cantrell St	Bradford, 38316	
Bethel, Y	Jackie	Gregory	822 Old Dyerburg Rd	Dyer, 38330	643-6276
Bethpage	Curt	Cochran	511 Baseline Rd	Kenton, 38233	446-4502
Bradford First	Jason	Copous	232 Wildcat Lane	Bradford, 38316	420-2468
Calvary, H	Dennis	Barger	400 Morris Circle	Humboldt, 38343	784-5776
Calvary	Don	Abbott	34 State Route 185	Dyer, 38330	692-2764
Center	Joey	Gowan	262 Edison-Frog Jump Rd	Trenton, 38382	415-1954
Chapel Hill	Mark	Brown	453 State Route 186 N	Trenton, 38382	343-1984
China Grove	John	Brelsford	PO Box 182	Rutherford, 38369	665-6955
Clear Creek	Bradley	Shanklin	498 Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer, 38330	692-2327
Dyer First	Robert	Hill	353 West Broad St	Dyer, 38330	613-3029
Eldad	Ricky	Sammons	138 Sammons Rd	Trenton, 38382	855-1061
Emmanuel	Fredia	Mitchell	2325 Maple Circle	Humboldt, 38343	784-6759
Fellowship	Jack	Woods	1087 Baird St	Milan, 38358	686-0706
Gibson	Harris	Coble	289 State Route 186 N	Humboldt, 38343	787-6282
Hickory Grove	Charles	Scruggs	356 Old Trenton Eaton Rd	Trenton, 38382	855-0280
Idlewild	Shawn	Winberry	9093 Wildwood St	Milan, 38358	
Keely Mill	Mike	Fields	75 Elam Rd	Bradford, 38316	742-2442
Kenton First	Dale	Marvin	5140 Kenton Levee Rd	Kenton, 38233	749-5617
Laneview	James	Talley	55 Mount Orange Rd	Trenton, 38382	855-9607
Latham's Chapel	Guy	Coleman	40 Spring Creek Hwy	Medina, 38355	783-3315
Lavinia	Tracy	McMinn	4200 Hwy 220	Lavinia, 38348	
Medina First	Bubba	Parrett	127 Westwind Dr	Medina, 38355	783-3197
Midway	Greg	Pillow	644 S Trenton St	Rutherford, 38369	225-0223
Mount Pisgah	Bobby	Doyle	4085 Fairfield Dr	Milan, 38358	414-6924
Mount Pleasant	David	Dudley	405 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford, 38316	
New Bethlehem	Russ	Garrett	85 Hamp Taylor Rd	Rutherford, 38369	414-5249
New Hope	Richard	Hartsfield	37 Tom Austin Rd	Dyer, 38330	643-6445
Northern's Chape	l Darrell	Duren	124 Joe Lumpkin Rd	Rutherford, 38369	665-7195
Northside	Franklin	Rauchle	5024 Dolly Tom Dr	Milan, 38358	686-7658
Oak Grove	Richard	Canada	166 Oak Grove Church Rd	Milan, 38358	676-1004
Poplar Grove	Nathan	Barber	897 Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer, 38330	676-2686
Poplar Springs	Roger	Hanks	86 NW Horace Burress Rd	Atwood, 38220	414-4081
Salem	Mark	Martin	79 Yorkville Hwy	Dyer, 38330	692-4907
Smyrna	Georgia	Brisentine	1075 N 29th Ave	Humboldt, 38343	697-4944
Spring Hill	Mark	Carlton	106 Carlton Turner Rd	Trenton, 38382	559-4323
Sugar Creek	Steve	Babcock	3400 East Mitchell St	Humboldt, 38343	784-1883
Trenton First	Tommy	Martin	144 Narrow Gage Rd	Trenton, 38382	414-0635
Walnut Grove	Barry	Keathley	219 Joe Penn Rd	Kenton, 38233	446-3989
West Carroll Unity	-	Moncrief	PO Box 24- 5484 Main St	Mclemoresville, 38235	343-1967
West Side	David	Strauss	81 Davis Grove Rd	Bradford, 38316	613-3906
White Hall	Melissa	Barber	284 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford, 38316	487-1603
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WMU Directors

Antioch	Ann	Joyner	633 Sanders Bluff Rd	Humboldt	38343	784-3486
Bethel, Y	Stephanie	Rodgers	PO Box 161	Yorkville	38389	643-6588
Bethpage	Dot	Sellers	641 Baseline Rd.	Kenton	38233	(901) 496-9489
China Grove	Deseray	McDaniel	804 N Main	Dyer	38343	747-5074
Dyer First	Judy	Barron	3 Old Dyer Trenton Rd	Dyer	38330	692-2522
Fellowship	Janelle	Hurley	7091 Hillcrest Dr	Milan	38358	723-4525
Immanuel	Carole	French	218 E Eighth St	Trenton	38382	618-1704
Keely Mill	Tonya	Fields	107 S Peck Switch Cv	Dyer	38330	234-1938
Kenton First	Lisa	Howard	31 Stringtown Rd	Kenton	38233	749-5896
Midway	Vicki	Criswell	4078 Stinson	Milan	38358	723-3698
Milan First	Joyce	Doyle	1099 Meadowbrook	Milan	38358	686-7531
Mount Pisgah	Elizabeth	Romines	2030 Salem St	Milan	38358	618-3591
Mount Pleasant	Georgia	Rutherford	405 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford	38316	225-4940
Northside	Amanda	Garcia	7104 Hillcrest Dr	Milan	38358	414-8573
Oak Grove	Brenda	Scott	3112 Ennis St	Milan	38358	618-9899
Oak Grove	Kim	Petty	28 Green Acres Rd	Trenton	38382	420-9561
Poplar Grove	Jennifer	Walls	74 Dyersburg Hwy	Trenton	38382	414-2205
Poplar Springs	Mary Ann	Grimes	307 Hurt St	Trezevant	38258	415-2124
Salem	Martha	Phelan	1249 S Main St	Dyer	38330	692-3060
Smyrna	Bonnie	Ballentine	234 Jim Bob Scruggs Rd	Humboldt	38343	337-8070
Sugar Creek	Lisa	Kail	2 Shady Lane Estates	Humboldt	38343	697-7596
Trenton First	Carol	Weems	247 Alamo Hwy	Trenton	38382	414-7673
West Carroll Unity	<i>D</i> ebbie	Moncrief	PO Box 24	McLemoresville	38235	343-1966
West Side	Louise	Watson	801 S. High St	Trenton	38382	559-4603
White Hall	Julie	Haynes	159 Sleepy Hollow Rd	Trenton	38382	414-2529

Men's Ministry Directors

Antioch	Ken	Luckey	207 Antioch Rd	Humboldt	38343	784-2417
Chapel Hill	Chuck	Stewart	8 W Station Rd	Milan	38358	686-1993
Medina First	Alan	Bradbury	PO Box 594	Medina	38355	225-6565
New Bethlehem	Curtis	Mann	162 Nee Rd	Dyer	38330	692-4993
Oakwood	Brian	McKeel				
Trenton First	Barry	Smith	299 Edison Frog Jump Rd	Trenton	38382	784-9905

Chairman of Deacons

Antioch Avondale	Stan Dan	Williams Thurbush	61 Mount Zion Rd 1645 Ingram St.	Humboldt Humboldt	38343 38343	784-3570
Bethel, Y	James	Dunagan	1100 Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer	38330	643-6218
Bethpage	Tommy	Griggs	202 Will Fowler Rd	Kenton	38233	749-5676
Bradford First	Mitch	Cates	296 Taylor Rd	Bradford	38316	742-3866
Calvary, R	Alan	Abbott	PO Box 75	Rutherford	38369	514-6483
Center	Earl	Leeper	27 McConnell Manor Rd	Trenton	38382	855-2767
Chapel Hill	Mike	Rice	14 Nelson Cove	Milan	38358	(931) 703-4020
Clear Creek	Gary	Selph	Old Dyersburg Rd	Dyer	38330	697-1032
Dyer First	Charles	King	123 New Hope Rd	Dyer	38330	234-8334
Eldad	Fred	Warrington	26 Eldad Rd	Trenton	38382	697-8247
Emmanuel	Ronald	Coleman	172 State Route 420	Humboldt	38343	784-5201
Fellowship	Jack	Woods	1087 Baird St	Milan	38358	686-0706
Gibson	James	Adams	PO Box 366	Gibson	38338	787-6571
Hickory Grove	Blake	Elliott	711 S High St	Trenton	38382	697-8671
Idlewild	Shawn	Winberry	9093 Wildwood St	Milan	38358	
Laneview, K	Derrick	Bawcum	108 Rutherford Hwy	Kenton	38233	234-0109
Laneview, T	James	Talley	55 Mount Orange Rd	Trenton	38382	855-9607
Latham's Chapel	Во	Beard	1025 Latham's Chapel Rd	Lavinia	38348	787-6588
Lavinia	Larry	Young	4200 Hwy 220	Lavinia	38348	
Medina First	Brent	Price	30 Kanewood Cove	Jackson	38305	
Mount Pisgah	Sammy	Scott	45 Gann Rd	Milan	38358	414-4559
Mount Pleasant	Larry	Sellers	405 Trezevant Hwy	Bradford	38316	742-2823
New Bethlehem	Frank	West	119 Concord Moores Chapel	Trenton	38382	414-3410
New Haven	Ralph	Leach	6100 Stinson Rd	Milan	38358	686-8476
New Hope	David	McEwen	142 Monroe	Dyer	38330	692-9773
Northern's Chapel	Harrell	Swindle	36 Northerns Chapel Rd	Rutherford	38369	665-7272
Northside	David	Glisson	40 Vick Rd	Bradford	38316	693-5998
Oak Grove	Richard	Canada	166 Oak Grove Church Rd	Milan	38358	676-1004
Oakwood	Dudley	Browning	369 Gann Rd	Milan	38358	686-1086
Poplar Grove	Jimmy	Porter	34 Bill Edwards Rd	Humboldt	38343	414-3729
Rutherford First	Eddie	Bell	PO Box 293	Rutherford	38369	446-7880
Salem	Mark	Cates	470 Poplar Corner Rd	Trenton	38382	693-2752
Spring Hill	Terry	Tyree	860 Old Eaton Rd	Trenton	38382	559-4467
Sugar Creek	Jerry	Barker	2655 Beau Beth Dr	Humboldt	38343	569-7324
Trenton First	Barry	Smith	299 Edison Frog Jump Rd		38382	784-9905
Walnut Grove	Barry	Keathley	219 Joe Penn Rd	Kenton	38233	446-3989
White Hall	Tim	Haynes	159 Sleepy Hollow Rd	Trenton	38382	414-5829

Lay Executive Board Members

Avondale	Dan	Thurbush	1645 Ingram St.	Humboldt	38343	784-3570
Bethpage	Rodney	McMackin	210 Tull Rd	Kenton	38233	873-4196
Calvary, R	Alan	Abbott	PO Box 75	Rutherford	38369	514-6483
Center	Earl	Leeper	27 McConnell Manor Rd	Trenton	38382	855-2767
Dyer First	Doug	Duncan	PO Box 267	Dyer	38330	692-3025
Eldad	Bob	Howland	517 S College St	Trenton	38382	
Fellowship	Jack	Woods	1087 Baird St	Milan	38358	686-0706
Fruitland	James	Phares	123 Forest St	Trenton	38382	273-9299
Hickory Grove	Blake	Elliott	711 S High St	Trenton	38382	697-8671
Idlewild	Shawn	Winberry	9093 Wildwood St	Milan	38358	
Latham's Chapel	Во	Beard	1025 Latham's Chapel Rd	Lavinia	38348	787-6588
Lavinia	Danny	McMinn	1080 Fry Rd	Lavinia	38348	783-1249
Midway	Greg	Pillow	644 S Trenton St	Rutherford	38369	225-0223
Mount Pisgah	Juan	Anguiano	185 Mount Pisgah Rd	Bradford	38316	742-3648
New Bethlehem	Eston	Hurst	218 High St	Dyer	38330	414-4030
New Haven	Greg	Hall	4105 Caldwell Dr	Milan	38358	686-0344
New Hope	Wallace	Alford	96 Will Orr Rd	Dyer	38330	665-7230
Northern's Chapel	Jerry	Montgomery	107 Joe Lumpkin Rd	Rutherford	38369	665-6354
Northside	David	Glisson	40 Vick Rd	Bradford	38316	693-5998
Oak Grove	Richard	Canada	166 Oak Grove Church Rd	Milan	38358	676-1004
Oakwood	Dudley	Browning	369 Gann Rd	Milan	38358	686-1086
Poplar Springs	Roger	Hanks	86 NW Horace Burress Rd	Atwood	38220	414-4081
Rutherford First	Larry	Belew	113 Waldunn Cove	Rutherford	38369	665-6149
Salem	Pat	Wollam	402 Trezevant Highway	Bradford	38316	613-3230
Spring Hill	Terry	Tyree	860 Old Eaton Rd	Trenton	38382	559-4467
Sugar Creek	Mike	Sanders	241 Edison Frogjump Rd	Trenton	38382	695-4800
Trenton First	Tony	Parks	41 Mount Orange Rd	Trenton	38382	414-4561
Walnut Grove	Terry	Walker	PO Box 39	Rutherford	38369	665-6387
West Carroll Unity	Roy	Hanks	1720 State Rd 77	Atwood	38220	358-4372
White Hall	Lanny	Taylor	52 Martin Alexander Rd	Trenton	38382	855-0061

Special Called Executive Board Meeting

Ninety-Seventh Annual Session
First Baptist Church, Kenton TN - October 22, 2020

- 1. Call to Order The meeting was called to order at 6:30 by Bro. Steve Littleton, moderator, pastor Gibson Baptist Church. There were 34 Executive Board Members, representing 21 churches, present.
- 2. Welcome and Prayer Bro. Shawn Allred, pastor FBC Kenton, gave the welcome and opening prayer.
- 3. Financial Report Mr. Jim Acree, Treasurer, member of FBC Dyer, said that we are in the black even with all that has gone on this year. We actually spent less than was budgeted for the year. We did not meet the budget in terms of receipts, but we did not spend more than we received.
- 4. Nominating Report Pat Wollam, a member of Salem Baptist Church, recommended approval of the nominating committee report. There were no further nominations from the floor. The nominating committee was approved.
- 5. Budget Presentation Charles Tyner, chairman of the budget committee, a member of Immanuel Baptist Church, presented the proposed budget. He stated that the budget reflects an increase of .22%. He recommended that the budget be adopted as presented by the Budget Committee. The proposed budget passed unanimously.
- 6. Miscellaneous Business James Rogers, pastor of Oakwood Baptist Church, presented a recommendation from the Credentials Committee that Elevate Church in Milan be placed under watch care for the next year. The recommendation passed unanimously. He presented the next item of miscellaneous business, which was a proposed amendment to Article I, Membership, Section 2. The items to be changed were C, F, I and J. The recommendation passed unanimously.

Amendment To Bylaws: Article I. Membership, Section 2

- A. A church desiring membership in the Gibson Baptist Association shall write an official letter of petition, complete an application for membership and submit the letter with the application to the Director of Missions or the Moderator of the Association.
- B. The Credentials Committee shall serve as a watch care committee for the Association when a church petitions membership.
- C. The Credentials Committee shall meet with the petitioning church to examine their soundness of faith and doctrine, their intent to cooperate with sister churches of the Association, and their relationship with the Tennessee Baptist Convention and Southern Baptist Convention. This watch care process shall be no less than six months.
- D. Any church requesting membership must affirm the Baptist Faith & Message 2000 and be of like Faith and Order.
- E. It is recommended that the petitioning church have a sponsoring Southern Baptist church of like faith and order. The petitioning church shall have affiliation with no other denominational body.
- F. Only duly organized and constituted churches shall be considered for membership in the Association. New church plants or mission congregations may petition the Association for membership, provided that their sponsoring church has duly organized and constituted them as a church. The leadership of the new church plant or mission congregation shall meet with the Credentials Committee to verify their agreement and compliance with all requirements. The new church may be recommended and accepted for membership at the annual meeting of the Association without the one-year watch care period since the sponsoring church has fulfilled this role and requirement. The new church, after having been under the watch care of the sponsoring church, may be accepted for membership by vote of the Association.
- G. The petitioning church is required to participate financially to the Association and Cooperative Program during the watch care period.

- H. Members of the petitioning church are encouraged to participate in all programs, ministries, activities, Executive Board meetings and fellowship of the Association during the watch care period, but they have no voting rights and may not serve in any elected position of the Association.
- 1. A church which was constituted and organized from division and disharmony with a sister church, shall work with the Credentials Committee to seek reconciliation and unity. The Credentials Committee and the leadership of the two churches shall work together to resolve any differences that might be an obstacle to the petitioning church's request for membership. A favorable recommendation will not be possible from the Credentials Committee until such time the two churches resolve their differences and demonstrate a spirit of unity and cooperation.

 The Credentials Committee will work with the leadership of a church which was constituted and organized from division or disharmony and with the leadership of the sister church. The purpose will be to seek a healthy working relationship and a spirit of cooperation between the two churches, the Association, and for the Kingdom's sake. If there are no issues that require a meeting, then a letter of cooperation from the leadership of the two churches shall be acceptable.
- J. The Credentials Committee shall report to the Association its recommendation at the next meeting after the watch care process has been completed. at the next annual meeting its recommendation to receive or reject the petition for membership. A three-fourths (3/4) vote is required for membership. If received as a member of the Gibson Baptist Association, the petitioning church shall be seated as messengers immediately and enjoy membership with all privileges and responsibilities as a sister church.
- 7. Seek Team Bro. Bryan Morris, team leader, pastor of New Hope Baptist Church, said that the Seek Team wanted to focus on three (3) areas: Evangelism Training, Carnival Workers Evangelism Outreach at the Gibson County Fair, and an Impact Evangelism Event during the county fair. He also mentioned support for the West Tennessee Evangelism Rally in March.
- 8. Strengthen Team—Shawn Allred, team leader, pastor FBC Kenton, gave the report. He stated that scholarships are available for continuing education. He gave dates for the pastors and wives retreat weekend, which will be March 5-6, 2021. He also talked about the Senior Adult activity on April 13, and the Youth Rally, during the Fair, on August 24, 2021.
- 9. Send Team Sheilah Spangler, WMU Director, member of Salem Baptist Church, gave the report due to the absence of team leader, Eric McLemore. The send team made the recommendation that our new Wingo goal be \$23,500 and be distributed as follows:

70% to IMB, which is a 5% decrease

25% to NAMB, which is a 5% increase and

5% to Disaster Relief Team.

The recommendation passed unanimously.

- 10. WMU Report Sheilah Spangler, WMU Director, informed the board that mission work has continued, even with Covid, through our offerings.
- 11. Election of Officers Bro. Steve Littleton, moderator, opened the floor for nominations for each office. Bro. James Rogers, pastor of Oakwood nominated Bro. Shawn Allred, pastor of FBC Kenton as moderator, and Bro. Andy King, interim pastor of Fruitland, moved that nominations cease, and Bro. Allred be elected. The motion was approved, and Bro. Shawn Allred was elected moderator. Bro. David Powell, pastor of Smyrna Baptist Church, nominated Bro. Bryan Morris, pastor of New Hope, as assistant moderator. Bro. Shawn Allred moved that nominations cease, and Bro. Morris be elected. The motion passed and Bro. Morris was elected assistant moderator. Bro. Andy King nominated Leann Cherry as clerk. Bro. Jason Bowen, pastor of FBC Trenton moved that nominations cease and she be elected. The motion passed and she was elected. Doug Duncan, member of FBC Dyer, nominated Jim Acree, member of FBC Dyer as treasurer. Bro. Shawn moved that nominations cease,

- and he be elected. The motion passed and he was elected. Pat Wollam, member of Salem Baptist, nominated Bro. Joel Pigg, pastor of Salem Baptist, as assistant treasurer and Bro. Andy King moved that nominations cease. The motion passed and he was elected.
- 12. Time, Place Resolution Report John Coleman, pastor of New Bethlehem Baptist Church, recommended that the 2021 Annual Meeting of the Gibson Baptist Association be held on October 25, 2021, with the host church being New Bethlehem Baptist Church. The recommendation passed. The second recommendation was for the approval of the resolutions (see below). The resolutions were adopted unanimously. After the resolutions passed Bro. Andy King requested that Resolution 4 be sent to the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention.

RESOLUTION I

EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO KENTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

WHEREAS, the members of the Executive Board of the Gibson Baptist Association meeting in special session on October 22, 2020, at Kenton First Baptist Church, to conduct the business of the Association; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge the kind hospitality of the people of Kenton First Baptist Church for opening their facilities for our meeting; and

WHEREAS, we further acknowledge Pastor Shawn Allred and the ministerial staff of Kenton First Baptist Church along with the many Kenton First Baptist Church volunteers who have worked so diligently to make our meeting a success;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Executive Board of the Gibson Baptist Association expresses our profound gratitude and appreciation to the Lord for the people of Kenton First Baptist Church for opening their doors and welcoming us for the purpose of conducting the business of the Gibson Baptist Association.

RESOLUTION II EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO THE GIBSON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

DR. ROGER STACY

WHEREAS, Dr. Roger Stacy continues to serve the Churches of the Gibson Baptist Association faithfully as Director of Missions; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his ministry Dr. Stacy has labored to sustain, nurture, and safeguard the many Pastors, ministerial staff, and churches of his Gibson Baptist mission field; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Stacy approaches his ministry with a clear devotion to strengthening the local church, the Bride of the Lord Jesus Christ; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Stacy expresses his vision of missions by leading others to embrace personal involvement in missions both at home and abroad;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Executive Board of the Gibson Baptist Association expresses our profound gratitude and appreciation for his dedicated service to our association, and wish to extend our prayers and support for his continued ministry.

RESOLUTION III EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO THE GIBSON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MINISTRY SPECIALIST

MRS. GRACE GENTRY

WHEREAS, the Executive Board of the Gibson Baptist Association extends sincere appreciation to Mrs. Grace Gentry, Ministry Specialist; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge her dedication to the Gibson Baptist Association and is committed to excellence in all she does, and has been gracious and hospitable during this trying time;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the members of the Gibson Baptist Association Executive Board extend our hope, prayers and expectancy for God's continued blessings upon Grace's service and ministry to the Association.

RESOLUTION IV EXPRESSING OPPOSITION TO CRITICAL RACE THEORY (CRT)

WHEREAS, Critical Race Theory (CRT) is a secular worldview used by some in social sciences to analyze marginalized populations by categorizing differences among peoples, especially race and gender; and

WHEREAS, intersectionality arises from dialogue regarding CRT and focuses on the overlapping categorizations within CRT; and

WHEREAS, CRT and intersectionality emphasize the priority of social and scientific analyses of humanity while failing to recognize the validity of Biblical truth in understanding the sinful nature of humanity; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge the presence of racism, pride, greed, and lust existing in societies of a fallen world; and

WHEREAS, the churches of the Gibson Baptist Association are deeply troubled that some are injecting CRT and Intersectionality into theological context; and

WHEREAS, Scripture is true and trustworthy and must be the foundation of a Christian's worldview;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that ethnic, gender, cultural and racial distinctions do exist and are a gift from God that will give Him absolute glory when the entirety of sanctified humanity worships Him in perfect unity founded upon our unity in Jesus Christ; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Tennessee Baptist Churches and institutions are encouraged to take a stand against all forms of biblically defined injustice and are encouraged to do so in a manner consistent with the biblical worldview rather than unbiblical worldviews; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the members of the Executive Board of Gibson Baptist Association strongly denounce CRT and intersectionality as inconsistent with the Biblical worldview and theology; and be it further

RESOLVED, that we affirm Scripture as the first and only framework for evaluating the world around us including academia and social sciences.

RESOLUTION V

EXPRESSING GRATITUDE AND DIVINE INTERVENTION DURING COVID-19

WHEREAS, the world has experienced an unprecedented pandemic due to the Covid-19 virus, affecting not only our economy, our churches and our way of life; and

WHEREAS, pastors, and their staff, have faced unparalleled challenges in ministering to their congregations, leading their churches in and through this crisis, working endless hours and shouldering the burdens of their own families and the flock over which God has entrusted them, facing burnout and stress while finding creative avenues to continue to offer worship experiences for their people by means of virtual church, drive-in services, or social distancing; and

WHEREAS, churches have been gracious, supportive and understanding during these uncertain times, faithful in stewardship and supportive of their staff and leadership;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that we express our gratitude and loving support to our pastors, staff, and leadership of our churches; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Churches of the Gibson Baptist Association continue to show our support and appreciation for the sacrificial, relentless and tireless service rendered during Covid-19 by all essential workers (health care professionals, first responders, emergency personnel, police and firemen, etc.); and be it further

RESOLVED, that we sympathize with the loss of loved ones due to Covid-19, and the loss of jobs for many of our members; and be it further

RESOLVED, that we encourage our churches to remain faithful in stewardship as has been evidenced during the pandemic, always remembering the work of evangelism and missions is our calling and responsibility; and be it further

RESOLVED, that we humble ourselves before Almighty God and seek wisdom from the Holy Spirit in the development of a vaccine by our scientific and medical community for the Covid-19 virus.

Time: Thursday, October 22, 2020 Place: First Baptist Church, Kenton, TN

- 13. Director of Missions Report Bro. Roger Stacy, DOM, stated that most of what was planned for the year had to be cancelled due to the pandemic. The Minute Book will be in memory of Rachel Duck, member of FBC Dyer, in memory of Harold Pinkley, member of the Church at Sugar Creek, and in honor of Bro. Johnny Criswell for serving 28 years as pastor of Midway Baptist Church. He recognized Grace Gentry our new ministry specialist at the GBA for her hard work in preparing the Book of Reports for the meeting. Bro. Roger shared that two of our churches closed their doors this year: Maranatha Baptist Church and Connect Baptist Church. These churches will give the funds in their checking and savings accounts to GBA. Maranatha will give their church building and property to GBA. Bro. Roger asked that the Association consider leasing the Maranatha Church to SugarCreek for use in the Hispanic Ministry.
- 14. Bro. Randy Beals, pastor New Haven Baptist Church, made a motion to lease the Maranatha Church building to SugarCreek for \$1 a year for the Hispanic Mission. Tony Crossnoe, pastor of Calvary Baptist in Humboldt, seconded the motion. Bro. Greg McFadden, pastor of SugarCreek spoke and asked that at some point the Association consider giving the Maranatha Church property to the Hispanic Church. Bro. Roger stated that this could be considered when the Hispanic Church is constituted. The motion passed unanimously.
- 15. New Pastor Recognition Bro. Roger recognized the following new pastors: Bob Dennison, Avondale; Todd Brady, interim at Chapel Hill; Jake Fry, Emmanuel in Humboldt; Jackie Vaughan, interim at Idlewild; Johnny McCartney, Mount Pleasant; Mike Kemper, interim at Rutherford FBC; Kevin Mullins, White Hall.
- 16. Presentation to Outgoing Moderator Bro. Roger presented Bro. Steve Littleton with a moderator's plaque.
- 17. Wingo Offering Boxes were available at each door when exiting.
- 18. Benediction Bro. Shawn Allred, new moderator, led the benediction.

Leann Cherry, Clerk

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Recognition of New Pastors and Church Staff

We welcome the following pastors and staff members who moved into our association or changed from one position to another within this association since October 1, 2019.

New Pastors

Avondale	Bob Dennison
Chapel Hill	(I) Dr. Todd Brady
Emmanuel Baptist Church	
Idlewild Baptist Church	(I) Jackie Vaughar
Mount Pleasant Baptist Church	Johnny McCartney
Rutherford, FBC	(I) Mike Kemper
White Hall	•

Other Ordained Ministers

Chapel Hill

Rev. Ken Bowman Rev. Mark Brown

Rev. Billy Robinson, Retired

Rev. Mike Sellers

Dyer, FBC

Rev. Daymond Duck, Retired

Rev. Jason Griggs Rev. Bob Hill

Hickory Grove Baptist

Rev. Michael McEwen

Milan, FBC

Rev. Bill Kisner

Oak Grove Baptist

Rev. James Taylor

Rutherford, FBC

Rev. Marlon Stephens, Retired

Salem Baptist Church

Rev. Randy Pool, Retired

Smyrna Baptist Church

Rev. James Brown

Church at Sugar Creek

Dr. Bob Agee, Retired Rev. Matt Arnold

Rev. Steve Babcock

Rev. Robert "Bob" Benedict

Rev. Andy Clenney

Rev. Jerry Coln

Rev. Kevin Hamilton

Rev. Mark Jenkins

Rev. Mike Kemper

Rev. Mike Sanders

Trenton, FBC

Rev. N. Tyler Scott

Memorial Report

Antioch

None Listed

Avondale

None Listed

Beech Grove

Mrs. JoAnn C. King Mrs. Cordelia Jones

Bethel - Humboldt

Mrs. Janie Flowers Mr. Joe Blurton

Bethel - Yorkville

None Listed

Bethpage

Mr. Carlton Williams Mr. Richard Dotson

Bradford, First

Mrs. Rachel Williams

Calvary - Humboldt

None Listed

Calvary - Rutherford

None Listed

Center

Mrs. Dean Rice Robert M. Koffman ****

Chapel Hill

Mr. Bruce Brooks

Mr. Charline Moore ****

Mrs. Sue Webb

Mrs. Kathryn Robinson

Mr. Don Roark

Mrs. Evelyn Johnson

Mrs. Helga Frost

Deacon Tommy Jones

Mr. Ted Baker

China Grove

Mrs. Lorretta Rasberry Mrs. Teresa Paynor **Clear Creek**

None Listed

Connect

None Listed

Dyer, First

Mr. Joe Freeman

Mr. Dan King

Mr. Stanley Carson

Mrs. Rita Cole

Mr. Jack Nichols ****

Mrs. Kathryn Rayfield

Mr. J. W. King ****

Mr. James Oliver

Mr. Bill Barron

Mrs. Barbara Hopper

Mrs. Rachel Duck

Eldad

Mrs. Martha Haas

Mr. Richard Hamilton

Mr. Ray Miller

Emmanuel

None Listed

Fellowship

Marie Pratt

Patricia Ann Cagle

Janice Wolfe

Fruitland

Mr. Jerry Coleman

Gibson

Mr. Clay A. Barrix

Hickory Grove

Mr. Robert Jetton ****

Idlewild

Mrs. Mary Kennon

Mrs. Marivonne Sanders

Mrs. Rachel Smith

Immanuel - Trenton

Mrs. Pat Newell

Keely Mill

None Listed

Kenton, First

Mrs. Evelyn Mayhall

Mr. Jerry Warren

Mr. Jerry Dunn

Mr. Charles Emrich

Laneview - Kenton

None Listed

Laneview - Trenton

None Listed

Latham's Chapel

Mr. Franklin Osborne ****

Mr. David Replogle

Lavinia

Mrs. Carolyn White

Mrs. Dorothy Waldrop

Mr. Hillard Collins

Maranatha

None Listed

Medina, First

Mattie Clarke Wendell Foutch

Bobby Foutch

Midway

None Listed

Milan, First

Margie Fields

Marie Evans Charles Allen

Lisa Swafford

John Fuqua

Eunice Evans

Bobby Hardin

Sara Lewis

Najanna Coleman

Ann Kelley

Homer Keel

Mildred Asher

Memorial Report

Mount Pisgah

Mr. David Webb

Mount Pleasant

Charlene Neal Sue Holmes Troy Cantrell

New Bethlehem

Mr. Paul James Mrs. Sally Johnson

New Haven

Mrs. Ada Mai Vernon Mr. Ricky Baxley

New Hope

None Listed

Northern's Chapel

None Listed

Northside

Mrs. Margaret Taylor *****
Mr. Sammy Burrow ****
Ms. Martha Wheeler *****
Mr. Howard (Devon) Rollins
Ms. Carlie Meales

Oak Grove

Mr. Buddy Jenkins

Oakwood

Mrs. Jacqueline Hassell Mr. Jerry Hensley

Old Bethlehem

None Listed

Poplar Grove

Mr. Rickey Bryant Mr. Jerry Hinton Mrs. Lenora Rice Mrs. Eva Rose Butler Mr. John Pickler

Poplar Springs

Lyndell Hayes

Rutherford, First

Mr. Steve Reddick Mr. Billy Warren

Salem

Mr. Anthony Warren Mrs. Betty Barton Mr. Eddie Thompson Mrs. Emily Gordon

Smyrna

Mrs. Sharon Evans Mr. Thomas McMinn Mr. Bob Sauseda

Spring Hill

Mr. William Tyree ****
Mr. Drury Tyree
Mr. Danny Dotson

Sugar Creek

Mrs. Nelle Agee
Mr. Lewis Bolerjack
Mr. Bill Boughton
Rev. Orvind Dangeau
Rev. Curtis Dennison ****, *
Mr. H. B. Fisher
Ms. Mary Jane Fraley
Ms. June Harris
Mr. Ralph Jones ****
Mrs. Pat King
Ms. Doty Moore
Mrs. Suzy Pemberton
Mr. Harold Pinkley ****
Ms. Patricia Pool

Mr. Jack Ramsey Ms. Wilma Williams

Trenton, First

Mrs. Nell Breeden Mrs. Vickie Odle Mr. Bobby Harper Mrs. Vertie Henson Mrs. Linda Moore Mrs. Alice Jean Walls Mr. Harvell Price Mrs. Mary Malone Mr. Ollie Richardson

Walnut Grove

Mrs. June Johnson Mrs. Dorthy Harris

West Carroll Unity

None Listed

West Side

Mr. Howard Dunn Mrs. Ira Mae Brogdon Ms. Betty Westbrooks Mr. Brian Hawks Mrs. Margie McCall

White Hall

Mrs. Bobbie Sue McCurdy Mrs. Evelyn McConnell Mrs. Christy Thomason

^{*}Minister

^{**}Retired Pastor

^{***}Retired Pastor's Wife

^{****}Deacon

^{*****}Charter Member

^{******}Retired Pastor's Widow

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

The Executive Board of the Gibson Baptist Association is composed of one elected representative from each church and the pastor of the church. The Constitution and Bylaws require the board to meet quarterly. The Executive Board has as its purpose to conduct the business of the association between annual meetings.

January Executive Board Meeting highlights: Twenty-two members, representing 13 churches were present for the first meeting of the year. Moderator Steve Littleton recognized new pastors Jim Koonce, interim pastor Connect, and Kevin Mullins at White Hall. Treasurer Jim Acree presented the financial report. He shared that receipts were about \$851 less than expenditures, but still in line with the budget. Bro. Roger Stacy announced that no one applied for the Bertie Thompson scholarship this year. Christian Women's Job Corps has completed the process to incorporate as a 501c3 and will no longer be under the liability umbrella of the GBA. He observed that several churches, some large, are in conflict, that affects the monetary support given to the Associational work. He encouraged all churches to remain faithful to the giving. Bro. Randy Pool, representing TBMB recognized Calvary Rutherford as the #3 (2017) and #2 rank (2018) in Cooperative Program giving per attendee. Bro. Sammy Dowland, pastor, received the award for the church. Kelly Wall, Director, Gibson County Birth Choice, reported that they now have a Mobile Unit and will serve Fayette, Hardeman and Haywood Counties. She stated 72%-80% of abortion-minded women change their minds after hearing the heartbeat. Sheilah Spangler presented the WMU report highlighting the Annual Jerry Legg Volunteer Mission Banquet/Cornbread and Bean Supper, at Salem on February 20 at 6:30 pm. She also highlighted the Missions Get-Together for women at Gatlinburg March 20-22. Christy Skelton updated the progress on the transition house (House of Hope). They still need a house manager. The women will most likely be residents for 6-12 months. Six churches have committed to \$100 monthly support. Twice Blessed Thrift Store profits help greatly but will not be sufficient to fund the house entirely.

July Executive Board Meeting highlights: Jim Acree, treasurer, gave the financial report stating receipts are short of the budget. We received \$149,388.03 but our expenditures were only \$136,263.88. Bro. Roger Stacy, DOM, shared that Maranatha Baptist Church in Humboldt has decided to dissolve and give their building to GBA. They also are giving the association \$25,000 to help pay for utilities and upkeep of the building and property. He shared he will be working with The Church at SugarCreek to use the building for the Hispanic ministry. He asked the board to consider a contingency plan if we are not able to have our annual meeting in October. In miscellaneous business the board adopted a contingency plan regarding the annual meeting.

- (1) The board desires to have the annual meeting, if possible, at its regular date, time, and place. October 26, 2020, at Antioch Baptist Church. If it is deemed, solely by the discretion of the GBA Leadership team, unfeasible or irresponsible to hold the annual meeting due to the ongoing pandemic of COVID 19, will trigger the following contingencies as deemed necessary.
- (2) Hold a special Called Executive Board meeting to approve officers, committees, and team members for the new church year. The nominating committee will make its recommendations to the executive board for approval. The budget and finance committee will present a budget for approval to the executive board. This option gives the most significant opportunity for input, next to having the annual meeting, in the decision-making process.
- (3) Deeming option 1 or 2 to be unfeasible or irresponsible and in the unlikely event the nominating committee and the budget finance committee are unable to provide recommendations for officers, committees, and team members, and budget the executive board has chosen to adopt the current budget for the new associational year, October 1, 2020-September 30, 2020, and approve the current officers, committees, and teams to serve for another year until the next annual meeting of the association.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

(ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY)

This has been the most unusual year in my life and my ministry. Most of what we planned a year ago to accomplish has not been done due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Our teams met and planned diligently for a great year of ministry, but most of those plans had to be put on hold. I am prayerful and hopeful we can move forward this year with doing great things for God!

We welcomed a new Ministry Specialist on January 6, 2020. Grace Gentry began her ministry with the Gibson Baptist Association. Her e-mail address is: gbalife.org.

The only mission trip to Brazil this year was the week of February 3—11. Again, this was due to the coronavirus pandemic. A team of 18 volunteers served in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and conducted simultaneous revivals (a crusade) in 12 churches during the week. I am thankful for the Wingo Funds providing scholarships for pastors to be able to go and preach in the churches in Rio. There were 389 professions of faith during the crusade. We saw many drug dealers surrender their lives to the gospel. A highlight of the trip was to be hosted by the mayor of Rio and not only enjoy a meal with him, but to lay hands on him and pray for him.

We were able to have our Jerry Legg Volunteer Missions Banquet before Covid-19 hit. Barbara Jones, member of Salem, received the award for Volunteer of the Year.

This year the Association had to make some adjustments to have the Good Friday services. We had planned on Smyrna Baptist Church to host the event, but due to Covid-19, we had to go virtual. The "Seven Saying From The Cross" were preached by seven pastors using Facebook to stream the sermons.

As we hit the spring and into the summer, most of our churches ceased to have in-person services. Many provided drive-in church services, Facebook live, YouTube or other livestreaming means to continue to worship. This has been a very difficult season for our pastors and wives.

Members of our Strengthen Team and I attended a Replant Conference offered by the North American Mission Board the week of March 2-3. The Replant Conference was a two-day training of association teams to help churches facing closure. This is a growing issue across the Southern Baptist Convention.

Through our mission work in Brazil, we have worked with Silvia Crespo, a Brazilian who is rescuing street children. I made an appeal to help her financially to have funds to feed 120 children who are homeless and whose parents are either drug dealers or prostitutes. I want to thank our association of churches and individuals for your generous offerings. We have received over \$5,000. Funds keep coming in for this ministry. Silva reported to me that five entire families have been saved and baptized as a result of your offerings.

It saddens me to report that Maranatha Baptist Church in Humboldt voted to close its doors. Connect Baptist Church in Milan also closed its doors. Members of Connect merged with Elevate Church. Elevate purchased the church building. Elevate is a Tennessee Baptist Convention at-large church. Both churches could not recover from the drop-off in attendance due to Covid-19. Both churches are giving the funds in their checking and savings accounts to our association. Our plan is to use the Maranatha Baptist Church building for the Hispanic ministry in Humboldt, working with the Church at SugarCreek.

My prayer is that we will soon turn the corner on the Covid-19 pandemic and that we will experience the greatest year in our history as Gibson Baptist Churches.

Financial Reports

September 2020

General Fund Summary

Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019:	\$ 39,128.60
Receipts: Budget - \$188,368.27 + Designated - \$12,732.11	\$ <u>201,100.38</u>
Total Available for the General Fund by September 30, 2020:	\$ 240,228.98
Expenditures:	\$ <u>194,796.84</u>
Balance on Hand September 30, 2020:	\$ <u>45,432.14</u>

Receipts

Church	Gifts	Church Gifts
Antioch\$	4,253.93	Medina, FBC 2,718.00
Avondale	.00	Midway 2,457.29
Beech Grove	2,901.41	Milan, FBC 8,594.28
Bethel-Humboldt	.00	Mount Pisgah 1,949.70
Bethel-Yorkville	3,223.00	Mount Pleasant14,105.33
Bethpage	958.43	New Bethlehem 6,850.55
Bradford, FBC	3,730.00	New Haven 3,000.00
Calvary-Humboldt	411.17	New Hope 3,206.71
Calvary-Rutherford	954.86	Northern's Chapel300.00
Center	600.00	Northside 2,273.62
Chapel Hill	16,728.29	Oak Grove746.21
China Grove	183.97	Oakwood 1,921.05
Clear Creek	.00.	Old Bethlehem00
Connect	1,781.33	Poplar Grove 2,007.03
Dyer, FBC	5,988.19	Poplar Springs00
Eldad	3,096.69	Rutherford, FBC 1,286.19
Elevate	500.00	Salem 4,095.91
Emmanuel	2,829.05	Smyrna 2,463.97
Fellowship	3,037.59	Spring Hill 1,000.77
Fruitland	153.62	The Church at Sugar Creek13,381.20
Gibson	1,714.00	Trenton, FBC 7,500.00
Hickory Grove	1,300.00	Walnut Grove 1,000.00
Idlewild	1,280.84	West Carroll 1,163.55
Immanuel-Trenton	1,552.00	West Side637.00
Keely Mill	263.26	White Hall 5,204.91
Kenton, FBC	22,485.35	
Laneview-Kenton	200.00	Total Inc. from Churches\$ 178,164.57
Laneview-Trenton	636.32	Interest 15.83
Latham's Chapel	1,650.00	TBMB10,187.87
Lavinia	6,875.00	Designated Receipts12,732.11
Maranatha	1,013.00	Total Receipts <u>\$ 201,100.38</u>

Year to Date Expenditures October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2020

Ministry Item	Budget	Expenses	Designated	Balance
101 - Project Ministries	\$ 200.00	\$ 48.16	\$.00	\$ 151.84
102 - Men's Ministries	2,000.00	100.00	.00	1,900.00
103 - Senior Adult Ministries	1,200.00	40.60	.00	1,159.40
104 - Youth Ministries	1,500.00	.00	.00	1,500.00
110 - Continuing Education	100.00	.00	.00	100.00
112 - Bi-Vocational Pastors	1,350.00	1,538.34	.00	-188.34
113 - Deacon's Ministry	1,200.00	.00	.00	1,200.00
114 - Pastor's Conference	1,000.00	686.76	.00	313.24
120 - Softball	50.00	.00	.00	50.00
201 - Volunteer Missions Banquet	300.00	300.00	.00	.00
202 - Baptist Collegiate Ministry	3,000.00	1,913.37	.00	1,086.63
203 - Mississippi River Ministry	1,000.00	1,000.00	.00	.00
204 - WMU	2,000.00	1,759.58	.00	240.42
301 - Vacation Bible School	1,000.00	373.11	.00	626.89
302 - Evangelism	500.00	.00	.00	500.00
501 - Salary (DOM)	35,340.00	35,340.00	.00	.00
502 - Housing Allowance (DOM)	25,876.00	25,875.99	.00	.01
504 - Convention, Conferences (DOM)	2,000.00	1,352.58	.00	647.42
505 - Mileage/Ministry Reimburse (DOM)	7,200.00	6,004.56	.00	1,195.44
506 - Life Insurance/Medical (DOM)	7,582.00	7,533.54	.00	48.46
507 - Retirement (DOM)	16,930.00	16,929.96	.00	.04
508 - Professional Expense (DOM)	6,000.00	6,000.00	.00	.00
515 - Associational Ministry Specialist	28,219.00	28,038.51	.00	180.49
516 - Social Security (Ministry Specialist)	2,159.00	2,144.93	.00	14.07
517 - Insurance (Ministry Specialist)	220.00	29.20	.00	190.80
518 - Retirement (Ministry Specialist)	2,070.00	1,695.24	.00	374.76
525 - Part Time Ministry Assistant	1,000.00	1,000.00	.00	.00
530 - Staff Christmas Gifts	1,410.00	1,410.00	.00	.00
702 - Office Utilities	8,500.00	8,494.79	.00	5.21
705 - Printing, Office Supplies, Postage	7,200.00	7,257.57	.00	-57.57
706 - Book of Reports, Minutes, Clerk	1,000.00	434.26	.00	565.74
710 - Maintenance of Office Copier	1,350.00	1,392.41	.00	-42.41
711 - Office Equipment (Office Copier)	10,300.00	10,379.22	.00	-79.22
715 - Insurance: Building/Workers Comp	5,120.00	5,276.51	.00	-156.51
716 - Building Maintenance	1,000.00	1,040.68	.00	-40.68
717 - Kitchen & Janitorial Supplies	400.00	330.64	.00	69.36
720A-Custodial Service	2,860.00	2,860.00	.00	.00
720B-Lawn Service	3,170.00	3,540.00	.00	-370.00
725 - Audit	950.00	950.00	.00	.00
730 - Miscellaneous	500.00	493.98	.00	6.02
Total: Budgeted Receipts/Expenditures	\$ 194,756.00	183,564.49	.00	11,191.51
801 - Explanation of Designated Funds	\$ 7,782.13	11,232.35	12,732.11	9,281.89
Total Expenditures: September 30, 2020		194,796.84		

Explanation of Designated Funds

October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2020

	Beginning Balance			Ending Balance
	Oct 1, 2019	Receipts	Expenditures	Sept 30, 2020
Evangelism	2,000.02	.00	.00	2,000.02
Men/Boys	345.53	.00	.00	345.53
Pastors Fund	33.00	101.00	25.00	109.00
Reimbursed Misc. Expenses	1,820.86	7,859.71	8,135.95	1,544.62
Continued Education	2,296.43	1,000.00	250.00	3,046.43
Senior Adult Events	172.00	20.00	20.00	172.00
Softball	1,014.32	.00	.00	1,014.32
Wingo/Special Funds	.00	2,465.40	2,465.40	.00
WMU Events	99.97	1,286.00	336.00	1,049.97
Total	7,782.13	12,732.11	11,232.35	9,281.89

Special Funds Account Summary

October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2020

Wingo Receipts

Beech Grove	400.00	Milan, FBC	100.00
Bethel-Y	1,175.00	New Hope	4,719.00
Bethpage	375.00	Northside	150.00
Calvary-H	411.23	Oak Grove	300.00
Calvary-R	200.00	Oakwood	1,000.00
Connect	638.00	Salem	1,099.96
Dyer, FBC	611.00	Smyrna	600.00
Eldad	500.00	Sugar Creek	1,077.40
Emmanuel-H	670.00	Trenton, FBC	495.00
Fruitland	156.00	Walnut Grove	750.00
Kenton, FBC	1,500.00	White Hall	<u>1,250.00</u>
Lavinia	1,374.00		19,826.59
Maranatha	175.00	Gifts/Memorials	512.00
Medina, FBC	100.00	Interest	<u>510.80</u>

Wingo Funds

\$20,849.39

Total Wingo Receipts as of September 30, 2020

International Mission Partnership	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	\$ 46,202.44
Receipts from Annual Meeting	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	34,585.69
<u>Disaster Relief</u>	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts from Annual Meeting	45.55
Expenditures	<u>337.80</u>
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 12,156.14
North American TBMB/GBA Partnership	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	\$ 33,598.64
Receipts from Annual Meeting	182.20
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 33,780.84

Total Available for Wingo Funds: \$ 101,372.06

Other Funds

Bertie Thompson Scholarship Fund	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	368.90
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 2,378.47
Block Party Wagon	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 4,152.94
Brazil Mission Trip/Projects	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 25,680.69
<u>Disaster Relief Trailer</u>	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 11,142.54
GOTM/GBA	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	
Expenditures	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 8,519.33
Hispanic Ministry	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 2,176.17
Romania Mission Trips	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ -325.22
Total Available for Other Funds: \$53,724.92	
Total Special Funds Checking Account Balance as of September 30, 2020	: \$ 155,096.98
Contingency Reserve Fund	
Balance on Hand, October 1, 2019	
Receipts (Interest)	
Expenditures	
Balance on Hand, September 30, 2020	\$ 9,097.52

Explanation of the Use of Wingo Funds in 2019-2020

The following are churches that contributed to the Wingo Fund and also churches that went on Mission Trips and used Wingo Funds.

Church	Gave to	Rec'd IMB	Rec'd DR	Rec'd NAMB
	Wingo	Wingo	Wingo	Wingo
Beech Grove	\$ 400.00	.00	.00	.00
Bethel-Y	1,175.00	1,000.00	.00	.00
Bethpage	375.00	.00	.00	.00
Calvary-H	411.23	.00	.00	.00
Calvary-R	200.00	.00	.00	.00
Connect	638.00	300.00	.00	.00
Dyer, FBC	611.00	1,000.00	.00	.00
Eldad	500.00	.00	.00	.00
Emmanuel-H	670.00	.00	.00	.00
Fruitland	156.00	1,300.00	.00	.00
Gibson	.00	1,400.00	.00	.00
Keely Mill	.00	1,400.00	.00	.00
Kenton, FBC	1,500.00	600.00	.00	.00
Lavinia	1,374.00	.00	.00	.00
Maranatha	175.00	.00	.00	.00
Medina, FBC	100.00			
Milan, FBC	100.00			
New	.00	.00	337.80	.00
Bethlehem				
New Hope	4,719.00	1,400.00	.00	.00
Northside	150.00	600.00	.00	.00
Oak Grove	300.00			
Oakwood	1,000.00			
Poplar Grove	.00	1,400.00	.00	.00
Salem	1,099.96	.00	.00	.00
Smyrna	600.00	900.00	.00	.00
Sugar Creek	1,077.40	700.00	.00	.00
Trenton, FBC	495.00	300.00	.00	.00
Walnut Grove	750.00	.00	.00	.00
White Hall	1,250.00	.00	.00	.00
Totals:	\$ 19,826.59	\$ 12,300.00	337.80	.00

We also received \$1,022.80 in interest, gifts, and memorials. Total Receipts: \$20,849.39

2020-2021 GUIDELINES FOR WINGO MISSION FUNDS

In order to receive Wingo Funds for any mission trip or project, all volunteers must undergo a background check with the GBA. This requirement is in compliance with our mission sending agencies of the Southern Baptist Convention, and is for the legal prudence of the GBA. No funds will be dispersed for any trip or project until the background screening requirements are completed and payment has been received.

BACKGROUND SCREENING REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Volunteers must submit three references using the reference forms provided by the GBA. The references must be from individuals who are not family members of the volunteers and must be at least 21 years of age. One of the three references must be from the pastor of the church where the volunteer is a member. In cases where the church is without a pastor, a staff member or chairman of deacons may serve as a reference.
- 2) Volunteers must complete a personal interview questionnaire form provided by the GBA.
- Volunteers under the age 18 are only required to submit reference forms and the personal interview questionnaire.
- 4) Volunteers who are older than 18 must have a background check through the company used by the GBA. A consent form will be provided for the volunteer to grant permission for the background check.
- 5) The volunteer will be responsible for paying the fee for the background check.
- 6) Volunteers are required to watch a child protection video provided by the GBA.
- 7) Volunteers are required to undergo background screening every four years with the GBA.
- 8) Churches participating in a mission trip other than a GBA led trip, shall conduct the background screening as outlined above. All background screening forms shall be maintained on file with the church. GBA will make available online background checks for churches. When a church has completed the background screening, an authorized representative of the church must sign a declaration statement provided by GBA, verifying that the background screening has been completed for every mission volunteer receiving Wingo Funds. Background screenings are valid for four years. In cases where a church receives a Church Scholarship (Multiple Scholarship), the same procedures must be followed along with a signed declaration statement to the GBA. Wingo funds will not be granted until such procedures are completed.

INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS PROJECTS

GBA Volunteers and churches participating in an official project of the Gibson Baptist Association, the Tennessee Baptist Convention, or the International Mission Board are eligible for travel assistance from the Wingo Fund account. Scholarships from this account primarily seek to encourage and help GBA volunteers (ages 15+ or a student who has completed 9th grade) to participate in a 'first time' mission trip. The following guidelines apply for use of Wingo Funds:

- 1) Funds are designed to assist volunteers who participate in an official IMB trip/project. First time international mission volunteers are eligible for a scholarship of \$400.
- 2) Volunteers who have previously participated in an official IMB project/trip are eligible for a \$300 scholarship once per associational calendar year, if it is an IMB project/trip.
- 3) Churches may request a multiple scholarship for volunteer team members of the same church once per calendar yr.
 - A multiple scholarship is designated when a group of volunteers from a single church participate in same project/trip.
 - A multiple scholarship amount will be limited to \$2,000 for the project/trip.
 - Only one multiple scholarship can be granted to a single church in the calendar year.
 - Additional scholarships may be awarded to other individuals of a church that has received a multiple scholarship (under existing guidelines) up to \$1,000 over and above the multiple scholarship.
 - Scholarship requests that exceed the \$3,000 limit for a church may be considered by the Send Team.
 - It is encouraged that first time volunteers be distributed their full \$400 scholarship from this amount, if possible.
- 4) Volunteers (first time or otherwise) not participating in a multiple scholarship project/trip with their church are still eligible for an individual scholarship once during the association calendar year.
- 5) Volunteers requesting funds must complete an application, available at the GBA office or by e-mail.
- 6) Wingo funds will be disbursed as early as possible with adequate notice prior to the date of the project/trip. Special considerations may be submitted to GBA.
- 7) Any special requests/needs for funds not addressed in these guidelines may be addressed to the necessary channel of the Send Team.
- 8) In order to help and encourage pastors who have never participated in an IMB international mission trip while serving as a GBA pastor, a \$ 1,000 pastor's scholarship will be available for five pastors each year (first come, first serve basis). To qualify, this must be the pastor's first IMB international mission trip as a GBA pastor. The

pastor will still be eligible to receive Wingo funds for first-time mission volunteers along with this scholarship. It must be an official trip of the International Mission Board and be in compliance with all guidelines for Wingo mission funds.

DISASTER RELIEF PROJECTS

- 1) International disaster relief projects will qualify for travel assistance for GBA volunteers as listed above. However, for International Disaster Relief Projects, the minimum amount from this fund shall be \$500 for any volunteer from GBA, regardless of the number of trips/projects the volunteer may have participated in.
- 2) Matching funds from the local church is encouraged.
- 3) The maximum total contribution to volunteers from a single church for any specific project/trip travel assistance is \$2,000.
- 4) USA disaster relief projects qualify for gasoline reimbursement for volunteers from GBA going to a disaster point as called upon by the GBA or TBC.
- 5) An allocation of up to \$1,000 may be given to any area where a disaster has occurred. The gift and amount is to be determined by the Send Team of the association.

NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS PROJECTS

GBA Volunteers and churches participating in an official project of the Gibson Baptist Association, the Tennessee Baptist Convention, or the North American Mission Board are eligible for travel assistance from the Wingo Fund account. Scholarships from this account primarily seek to encourage and help GBA volunteers (ages 13 and older or a student who has completed 7th grade) to participate in a 'first time' mission trip. The following guidelines apply for use of Wingo Funds:

- 1) Funds are designed to assist volunteers who participate in an official GBA, TBC, or NAMB trip/project more than 200 miles round trip from the Gibson Baptist Association Office out of state. First Time North American mission volunteers are eligible for a scholarship of \$150.
- 2) Volunteers who have previously participated in an official North American Mission project/trip are eligible for a \$100 scholarship once per associational calendar year, if it is a North American Mission project/trip.
- 3) Churches may request a multiple scholarship for volunteer team members of same church once in the calendar year.
 - •A multiple scholarship is designated when a group of volunteers from a single church participate in the same project/trip.
 - A multiple scholarship amount will be limited to \$1,000 for the project/trip.
 - Only one multiple scholarship can be granted to a single church in the calendar year.
 - Additional scholarships may be awarded to other individuals of a church that has received a multiple scholarship (under existing guideline) up to \$375 over and above the multiple scholarship.
 - Scholarship requests that exceed the \$1,375 limit for a church may be considered by the Send Team.
 - It is encouraged that first time volunteers be distributed their full \$150 scholarship from this amount, if possible.
- 4) Volunteers (first time or otherwise) not participating in a multiple scholarship project/trip with their church are still eligible for an individual scholarship once during the association calendar year.
- 5) Volunteers requesting funds must complete an application which is available at the GBA office or by e-mail.
- 6) Wingo funds will be disbursed as early as possible with adequate notice prior to the date of the project/trip. Special considerations may be submitted to GBA.
- Any special requests/needs for funds not addressed in these guidelines may be addressed to the necessary channel of the Send Team.

WINGO OFFERING

Each year the Send Team of the association will recommend a goal for the Wingo Offering at the Annual Meeting of the GBA. Gifts from churches or individuals for these accounts are welcomed anytime during the budget year. However, a recommended date for receiving the Wingo Offering in the churches is the last Sunday of each month, May through September each year. Fund allocations from donations/offerings will be determined by the Send Team each year. The Wingo Offering is named in honor of Rev. Charles Wingo, first Director of Missions, GBA. Wingo Funds exist to encourage volunteers and church participation.

THE SEND TEAM RECOMMENDS

- 1) 2020-2021 Wingo Fund Goal of \$ 23,500
- 2) The distribution of the 2019-20 Wingo gifts of \$20,849.39 will be as follows:
 - \$ 14,594.57 70% IMB Projects
 - \$ 5,212.35 25% North American/TBC/GBA Projects
 - \$ 1,042.47 5% Disaster Relief

2020-2021 Associational Budget

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	then Team	2020-2021
	Project Ministries	
	Men's Ministries	
	enior Adult Ministries	
	outh Ministries	
110 C	Continuing Education	100
	Bi-vocational Pastors	
113 D	Deacon Ministry	1,200
	Pastors Conference	
	oftball	
	inancial Update Conf. for Churches	
123 .	mundar opuace com. for characterism.	230
Send Te	oom	
		200
	/olunteer Missions Banquet	
	Baptist Collegiate Ministry	•
	Aississippi River Ministry	
204 V	VMU	1,900
Seek Te		
301Vac	cation Bible School	1,000
302Eva	ıngelism	3,000
Admini	istrative	
501 S	alary (DOM)	35,500
	lousing/Utility Allowance (DOM)	
	Conventions, Conferences (DOM)	
	Mileage/Ministry Reimb (DOM)	
	ife Insurance/Medical (DOM)	
	Retirement (DOM)	
	Professional Expense	•
	Associational Ministry Specialist	
	ocial Security (Min. Specialist)	
	nsurance (Ministry Specialist)	
	Retirement (Ministry Specialist)	
	Part Time Ministry Assistant	
530 S	taff Christmas Gifts	1,600
531 B	Bonus	00
Office I	Expenses	
702 C	Office Utilities	8,600
705 P	Printing, Office Supplies, Postage	7,500
	Book of Reports, Minutes, Clerk	
	Maintenance of Office Copier	
	Office Equipment (Copier Rental)	
	nsurance: Bldg/Workers Comp	
	Building Maintenance	
	(itchen & Janitorial Supplies	
	Custodial Service	
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730 N	Aiscellaneous	500
GBA Bu	udget Total	\$ 195,179

Associational Calendar

There is a GBA Pastors Conference every Monday, 10 AM at the Association office, with the exception of holidays, and weeks of these GBA, TBC, and SBC events: Annual Meeting, TBC Summit, and SBC Convention. Listed below are known associational and some denominational events. Other calendar events will be announced in the Vision.

Jan 2021	14	WMU Leadership Quarterly Planning	10:00 AM	GBA Office
	19	Financial Issues Update	6:30 PM	
	21	WMU Association Wide Quarterly Meeting	10:00 AM	
	25	Executive Board Meeting	7:00 PM	
February	8-14	Focus on WMU Week		
	9	West TN Pastors/Wives Valentine Banq.	6:00 PM	Union University
	13	Children's Missions Day		
	23	Holy Land Trip Interest Meeting	6:30 PM	GBA Office
	28	Softball Meeting	2:00 PM	GBA Office
March	7-14	AAEO/Wk of Prayer - N American Missions		
	9	West TN Pastors Conference	10:00 AM	Union University
	13	YEC Watch Party	7:00 PM	yectn.org
	19-20	WMU Virtual Get-Together & Connection		
April	4	Easter Sunday		
	8	WMU Leadership Quarterly Planning	10:00 AM	GBA Office
	12	GBA Bible Drills	6:30 PM	White Hall
	13	West TN Pastors Conference	10:00 AM	Union University
	13	Senior Adult Spring Event	6:00 PM	Dyer, First
	15	WMU Association Wide Quarterly Meeting	10:00 AM	Mt Pisgah
	22	GBA VBS Clinic	6:30 PM	Salem
	26	Executive Board Meeting	7:00 PM	GBA Office
May	6	National Day of Prayer		
	11	West TN Pastors Conference	10:00 AM	Union University
June	13-16	Southern Baptist Convention		Nashville
July	8	WMU Leadership Quarterly Planning	10:00 AM	GBA Office
	15	WMU Association Wide Quarterly Meeting	10:00 AM	Salem
	26	Executive Board Meeting	7:00 PM	GBA Office
August	10	WMU Leadership Team Annual Planning	9:30 AM	GBA Office
	24	Senior Adult Event	6:00 PM	Salem
September	2	Deacons' Meetin		
	9	WMU Leadership Team Meeting	10:00 AM	GBA Office
	12-19	Wk of Prayer for State Missions - GOTM		
	16	WMU Association Wide Quarterly Meeting	10:00 AM	Gibson Baptist
October	25	GBA Annual Meeting	3:30 PM	New Bethlehem

GIBSON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORTS

SEND TEAM

Wingo Fund Report

This year the Wingo offering goal was set at \$23,000. Our GBA churches gave a total of \$20,849.39, which was short of our goal by \$2,150.61. Last year our churches gave \$21,744.39, plus another \$911.00 received during the Annual Meeting, bringing the grand total to \$22,655.39. The Wingo funds are used to assist volunteers in participating in mission projects and trips during the year. We are thankful for our churches and individuals who give faithfully to support missions and the Wingo offering.

Wingo Funds were used this past year to help eighteen (18) individuals from thirteen (13) churches receive Wingo scholarships that helped with the cost of their mission trips to three (3) countries. Last year forty (40) volunteers from twelve (12) churches received Wingo funds to travel to three (3) countries.

The total, GBA/IMB scholarships distributed this past year, was \$12,300. The following is a list of those receiving funds and the country in which they served.

Brazil: Billy & Melinda Criswell, Janice Moore, Andy King, Steve Littleton,

Stephen Fields, Shawn Allred, Bryan Morris, Eric McLemore, Joey Hufstedler,

Shelia Bell, David Powell, Isabel Foster

Panama: Noah Blackburn, Doug Duncan, Charles King, Mike Kemper

Sierra Leone: Austin Clenney

This year we also helped send a trailer of supplies to Mobile, Alabama. Originally, we were going to deliver the supplies to the Lake Charles, Louisiana area in response to Hurricane Laura. However, we received a request to deliver them to the Mobile area in response to Hurricane Sally. A total of \$337.80 was given to help with travel expenses.

Alabama: Glynn Reynolds

Brazil Mission Report

Due to the covid-19 pandemic, we were not able to take but one team to Brazil this past association year. We hope that the next year will bring new opportunities to resume our partnership with Brazil.

We were able to lead a team of pastors along with some lay people to conduct a crusade in the northern part of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Pastor Douglas Xavier spoke at our annual association meeting last October and in several churches, along with speaking to our pastor's conference. His challenge was for us to take a group of preachers to Rio to conduct a crusade (simultaneous revivals).

The week of February 3-11, 2020, twelve preachers scattered out across the area known as Chapadão to preach in twelve (12) churches. When we arrived in Rio, we were taken to the mayor of Rio's palace to meet him and enjoy a meal with him and his staff. We were able to present him a plaque on behalf of the Gibson Baptist Association. In return, the mayor presented our association with a gift. The evening of our arrival we participated in a rally to kick off the week of revivals. Pastor Douglas hosted the rally with the presence of the pastors from the twelve churches.

One of the highlights of the week was the opportunity to go to the headquarters of the drug lord. With around 10,000 young people gathering for an evening of drugs and a party life, we were given the opportunity to have prayer and through the prayer share the gospel of Jesus Christ.

The last Sunday afternoon of the crusade (revivals) there was a big rally with all of the pastors and churches. Bro. Bryan Morris preached the message for the afternoon.

When the week of revivals came to an end on Sunday evening, the team rejoiced that 389 souls made professions of faith. Churches were strengthened and pastors were encouraged.

We plan on going back to Brazil in 2021 to conduct another crusade if the covid-19 crisis is under control.

The Wingo funds have provided financial help to many of our pastors to participate in mission trips to Brazil.

Join us this next year and help us reach Brazil with the gospel in 2021!

Ohio Mission Report

Virtually all mission work and mission teams were unable to respond to our partner's needs in the West Central Baptist Association, Piqua, Ohio.

The need is great, and the workers are few. The association covers ten (10) counties with over 550,000 residents. There are only 14 Southern Baptist Churches in these ten counties that compose the association.

We have worked with the West Central Association in the towns of Minster and New Bremen to help plant a church. Other areas of the association are also in need of teams and volunteers.

One of our greatest strategies is prayer for the lost and for an openness to the gospel. We are asking God for a person of peace or people of peace. This is a key to opening the work up for a new church plant.

The Hillcrest Baptist Church in the West Central Association is the sponsoring church of this new work.

We are prayerful that next year we will be able to return to Ohio with mission teams.

Baptist Collegiate Ministry Report

Our year started out great working with the Dyersburg State Trenton Campus. We had meals prepared by local churches every 1st and 3rd Monday of the month during the Fall and Spring semesters. Obviously, the COVID-19 crisis changed everything during the Spring semester. Dyersburg State went virtual and that left us with no ability to minister to these students for the remainder of the year. We hope that will not be the case this next year.

I would like to give a big thank you to all of the churches that helped us out by preparing meals and giving donations to help provide for this great ministry. We typically averaged around 20 students for each gathering. During each meal there was a sermon preached. The students were very grateful for the meals they received and were very respectful to everyone present. I was able to develop some nice relationships with the students. On a couple of occasions I stayed a couple of hours after each meal was over. The students were asking a lot of deep questions and we would just sit and discuss whatever issue came up. It was truly a blessing for me. If you would like to help us with this great ministry you can contact the association office or you can call my cell phone. The number is 731-267-9602. Thank you so much for all the help you have provided for this ministry.

Bro. Joey Hufstedler

Gibson Baptist Association WMU Annual Report

At first, I didn't know what to write this year. It seems that everything was cancelled due to Covid-19 considerations. But, that's not true. Many events and activities happened before Covid shut us down.

In September, I had the opportunity/privilege to represent GBA WMU at the TN Day at national WMU headquarters in Birmingham, AL. TN Day recognized the years of support that TN has provided to the national offices and it specifically unveiled the new TN room in their library. The library renovation is just one of the many projects undertaken by various state organizations to remodel the headquarters. I toured the headquarters and was fascinated by the museum of missionary mementoes prominently displayed throughout the building. I was also humbled by the respect which was extended to the TN representatives because of their support over the years. While there I visited the Walk of Faith outside the headquarters because I wanted to see where the brick GBA WMU had purchased would be displayed. The importance of the brick in the Walk of Faith is explained below.

The September quarterly meeting at Immanuel Trenton gathered 53 women to witness the presentation to Gladys Powers of a brick on the Walk of Faith. Ms. Gladys has been active in missions leadership in WMU at several churches within the association for over 70 years. At 94 years of age she had just stepped down from her position as the oldest serving member of the Leadership Team. We were so excited to honor her in this way. Contributions for the brick were made by individuals and churches throughout the association. Brother Roger was the speaker for that meeting and talked about mission trips to Brazil.

Also, in September the Missions & Ministries coordinators (Mindy Summar and Penny Stacy) organized the local churches to provide free snow cones in front of Twice Blessed on the 28th in celebration of Good Neighbor Day. All were encouraged to wear their church T-shirts and tracts were distributed to the community along with the snow cones. The community was very appreciative of this event.

In January, 27 women gathered at the quarterly meeting to hear Bro Billy Hanks, West Carroll Unity, speak on the topic "Where He leads, we will go". He used his mission trips as examples of how we all can serve.

In February, the Annual Jerry Legg Volunteer Mission Banquet included the cornbread and bean supper provided by the women of the WMU. The banquet honored one of our own WMU women, Barbara Jones of Salem, as the Volunteer Missionary of the Year.

Unfortunately, the rest of the year was lost to cancellations. However, the WMU leadership team held its yearly planning meeting in August to map out the 2020-2021 year. We pray that with God's guidance and direction some or all of our plans will be completed this next year.

On mission for Christ, Sheilah Spangler Director, GBA WMU

SEEK TEAM

Evangelism

Twenty-seven (27) GBA churches reported baptizing one hundred thirty-five (135) people this year. Last year thirty-three (33) GBA churches reported baptizing one hundred sixty-three (163) people. We baptized twenty-eight (28) fewer people this year.

Vacation Bible School Report

We were not able to have our Vacation Bible School training clinic this year due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

We are hopeful we can have our training next year. Churches are encouraged to have a Vacation Bible School this next year. If we do not reach children and youth with the gospel through VBS, we will perhaps never reach them as adults. VBS is the most effective tool the church has to reach the lost. Here are some helpful facts about Vacation Bible School based upon research from Lifeway:

- 25% of Baptisms reported by the Southern Baptist Convention come from VBS.
- Every 1 person trained in VBS results in 1.1 salvation decisions.
- VBS increases the number of prospects discovered from your community.
- 10% of people enrolled in VBS are unchurched.

Our Association Vacation Bible School team attended the training led by the Tennessee Baptist Convention at West Jackson Baptist Church.

The theme for the 2021 VBS is "Destination Dig, Unearthing the Truth about Jesus." Kids will discover real-life archaeological finds that have helped to uncover the truth about Jesus. The theme verse is Jeremiah 29:13.

STRENGTHEN TEAM

Christian Women's Job Corps

We started out the new Association year very excited about all that God was doing in the ministry of Gibson County CWJC. In spite of all that is going on around us and the very challenging times that we are living in, we remain excited and dedicated to the mission of helping women to become successful and self-sufficient.

The Gibson County CWJC is your ministry. It belongs to the citizens of Gibson County. It is because of your overwhelming generosity, your hearts of servitude and your prayers that we continue to be able to minister to people in need, witness to the lost in our community and be good stewards of God's blessings and resources. This past church year we assisted over 100 families with food/clothing. We also processed 35 applications for assistance with their utilities through the Ministerial Alliance.

This past fall in August we started a new class at the Gibson County Correctional Facility. We simultaneously had a class going at Twice Blessed. From those two classes we had 3 graduates. Two of those graduates became volunteers at Twice Blessed, and one continues currently. One has just completed a 6-month rehab, and the other got a job. Our classes both at the jail and at Twice Blessed for the spring of 2020 were interrupted by the pandemic. We had 13 enrolled in our class at the Gibson County Correctional Facility and 3 in our class at Twice Blessed. We are not permitted to have classes at the jail and have chosen not to have any classes at Twice Blessed at this particular time.

Our Transition House is fully furnished and ready for occupancy. We were able to use our 2nd allocation of \$500 from our GOTM toward the liability insurance for our house. Our prayer is that in the very near future, this house will become a home for those women who sincerely need a fresh start. Please continue to pray regarding this endeavor.

In lieu of our Night of Hope this year, we will have a live auction on November 10th at 6pm. We hope to have a good selection of merchandise for your bidding pleasure. Please watch for more information and be prepared to shop for Christmas gifts as well as other nice items.

Christy Skelton, Site Coordinator

Birth Choice

Planned Parenthood isn't stopping, and neither are we! Last year 131 precious babies were saved from abortion when people like you answered God's call to partner with our mission. Now that times look uncertain, women are more likely to choose abortion. Abortion clinics know it and we know it, which is why throughout the pandemic we continued to offer our free, life-affirming services while taking precautions. In fact, as of August 2020 42 babies were saved at our offices during the COVID quarantine; our "diamond count" (babies saved so far is 89!) and 622 people heard the Gospel!

Although we had to cancel our banquet due to the COVID quarantine, our faithful supporters still raised \$99,162 (\$6,360.00 from Gibson Co.). We also had not planned to do our baby bottle campaign but many of you wanted to anyway and because of that as of August 2020 Gibson Co. has raised \$10,133 so far! Thank you to everyone who gave! Because of your support we have been able to continue offering free ultrasound at our clinics and on our mobile unit as well as provide all our other free programs. God bless you.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Thanksgiving Meat Sale* October 27 to November 20.

Pick up on Nov. 25. Order at birthchoice.biz.

Christmas Meat Sale* November 27 to December 18

Pick up on Dec. 23. Order at birthchoice.biz.

NEEDS:

- We are looking for a couple people who would be willing to volunteer to tag team a couple times a month to help us keep our building clean.
- We are looking to fill some shifts with volunteer Support Nurses and Client Advocates as well as volunteers for the resource room.

If interested in any of these positions contact Kelly at <u>Kelly@birthchoice.us</u> or 731-882-7324 (my direct line).

- We will need yard work this Fall such as: trees trimmed, gutters cleaned and pressure
 wash the building. Contact Kelly by information above if you would be interested in
 helping with any of these projects.
- We are continually needing items for the resource room from the smallest items such as pacifiers, bottles, thermometers, etc. to large items such as diapers, wipes, baby beds, strollers, car seats, high chairs, etc. You can donate these items during business hours.

You can stay in touch with us by our Quarterly Newsletter (by mail or online), our website birthchoice.biz and on social media, Facebook and Instagram.

Thank you all for your continued prayers and support, God is doing some amazing things (as always if we would just look for Him)!

Faithfully Serving Him, Kelly

^{*}Meat sales subject to change based on availability

Youth Team Report

All plans for youth events were canceled this year due to the coronavirus pandemic. We had high hopes that we would be able to have Youth Night at the Gibson County Fair once again. In fact, everything was on go for us to have the event until the first of August when we received word that the Fair would not be able to have any events.

We are prayerful and hopeful that we will be able to have the Youth Night next year at the Gibson County Fair, and other youth events and activities across the association.

Deacon's Report

Unfortunately, we were not able to have our annual Deacons' Meetin' this year due to the coronavirus. Kenneth Brown, a deacon at White Hall, had the dream and vision of an annual Deacons' Meetin', Mr. Brown said that his dream for the ministry was born out of a burden to see the men of the church step up and lead the work of the church for Christ.

Our first meeting was held in 2007 at White Hall with Bro. Roger Stacy, DOM, preaching. From that first meeting, the attendance has continually grown to around 200 deacons, pastors and wives.

The date for the 2021 Deacons' Meetin' will be September 2 at White Hall Baptist Church. The Strengthen Team will be planning the program for the evening. As always, the ladies at White Hall will help make the event a success.

Men's Ministry Report

We were unable to do any men's ministry events this year due to the ongoing pandemic related to coronavirus.

Our desire is to support Men's Ministry by partnering with our sister churches of the association. We are able to financially support some of the men's events our churches have held this past year.

There are many ways in which our churches provide valuable and effective ministries to men such as car shows, wild game suppers, etc. The Strengthen Team is responsible for oversight and assistance in the men's ministry.

We look forward to the future and many opportunities for men's ministry next year.

Pastors' Conference Report

To say that 2020 has been interesting is an understatement. What began as a somewhat "normal" year morphed quickly into one of confusion, quarantines, and challenges. Pastors of the GBA came together each Monday for encouragement and support from our fellow partners in the work of our Lord and Savior. On several occasions we were able to hear from guest speakers and talk through issues facing the Southern Baptist Convention, the Tennessee Baptist Convention, and our own local Gibson Baptist Association. We had the opportunity to experience a virtual Dementia presentation to help us see first-hand what both the patient, as well as the caregiver go through daily. We heard from missionaries about what is going on in their field of ministry and we learned about new ministries from around our state. Bro. Daymond Duck shared with us on several occasions about the latest world events and how they may relate to prophecy. We were privileged to have the Executive Director of the TBMB, Dr. Randy Davis come and update us on current events at the state convention level and to encourage pastors.

As we reached the months of March and April, things began to change. Because of COVID-19, pastors and churches were forced to take a look at how we do ministry in the middle of a global pandemic. For the first time in the history of the GBA Pastors' Conference we met online. This was a new experience, but pastors rose to the challenge. Another new experience that we helped each other through was transitioning to online services and drive-in church. We each have been faced with the decision of whether to meet for worship face to face on Sundays and whether or not to resume our regular schedules, neither of which is an easy decision. Each Monday pastors were able to talk through these decisions and what went right and what went not so right. We have celebrated victories and shared in sorrows together during this difficult time.

We have not been able to have our quarterly Pastors and Wives fellowships as we normally would due to the spread of the virus, and many Associational events have been affected. Because of this, we have been challenged to think outside the box in order to minister to our respective communities. Each time we get to come together is a reminder that no church, no church member, and no pastor is alone. As an association, we are stronger together than we are apart, and I encourage each of our pastors to come be a part of the fellowship that is the GBA Pastors' Conference. We need each other! To sum up the year, it has been *Difficult*, but because of Christ in us, we have not been *Defeated*!

May God continue to bless all the churches of the GBA as we seek to serve Him together!

Serving the Master,

Bro. Steve Littleton
Pastor, Gibson Baptist Church
President, GBA Pastors' Conference

Senior Adult Report

The 2019-2020 year was a trying and difficult time for the senior adult ministry. All of our planned events had to be canceled due to the Covid-19 pandemic. We regret that we were unable to have our meetings for encouragement, fellowship and ministry.

We are planning on being able to hold our senior adult events in 2021. Our prayer is that the pandemic will soon come to an end.

Our plans for the year 2021 are to have our regular spring and fall events.

The Spring Event will be April 13th at First Baptist Church in Dyer at 6:00 P.M. The entertainment will be Larry DeLawder as "Barney Fife" impersonator. Two attendance trophies will be given plus door prizes.

The Fall Event will be held on August 24th at Salem Baptist Church in Trenton at 6:00 P.M The entertainment will be the Scott Shepherd family from Paris, TN. It will be a "Country Jamboree". Two attendance trophies will be given plus door prizes for the best dressed country style for a man and for a woman.

Respectfully,
MARTHA PHELAN

GBA Softball Report

The Softball league met and planned for the 2020 season during the winter months. Rules were reviewed and updated. Information was shared on the expectations of the teams and the tournament to be played in July of 2020.

However, due to the Covid-19 pandemic, all plans were put on hold and the season canceled.

The commissioner for the softball league is Bob Moore and Co-Commissioner is Eric Patton. Churches are encouraged to consider playing softball next year as a great outreach and fellowship with other churches. Again, our plans will depend on the Covid-19 situation. We will exercise caution and seek the best decision to assure we have a safe and healthy season.

Thank you, Bob Moore, Commissioner

Bertie Thompson Ministry Scholarship

The vision of Mrs. Bertie Thompson still lives on, though she has been with the Lord for a few years now. Her reason for establishing this fund was to encourage and support those serving in some area of Christian ministry.

The scholarship is available to members of our GBA churches. The scholarship provides financial help for those students who sense a calling to serve in some aspect of Christian ministry and who maintain a certain grade point average. Please, encourage your church to help us promote this valuable financial resource that is available to help young men and women prepare for service to our Lord Jesus Christ. We live in a day when fewer are entering the realm of Christian ministry and the gospel-preaching ministry.

Unfortunately, this association year no one applied for the scholarship. This has happened a very few times over the years. We encourage our pastors and churches to make their people aware of this great fund.

All applications are placed in the hands of a Scholarship Team for evaluation to determine the recipient for the year. The application form and requirements are on the GBA website at www.gbalife.org, or individuals may request a copy to be sent to them by regular or e-mail.

Continuing Education Report

Continuing education is under the responsibility of the Strengthen Team of GBA.

Dr. Roger (Sing) Oldham is now working with the Tennessee Baptist Mission Board (TBC) to help initiate and facilitate continuing education across the state. One of the goals is to establish Bible Institutes or something similar in our associations.

This type of training will help prepare and develop lay leaders and pastors. The GBA Strengthen team will be considering the possibility of offering courses through a Bible Institute as we move forward with continuing education.

An option for continuing education has been around for many years and is known as Seminary Extension. Courses are available online for anyone desiring to receive credit for study or to study without seeking any degree. Our six Southern Baptist Seminaries provide this course of study.

Block Party Wagon Report

We are thankful for God's provision of a tremendous tool to reach communities for Christ through our Black Party Wagon (BPW).

We were not able to make full use of the Block Party Wagon (BPW) this year due to the coronavirus pandemic.

As you know the state of Tennessee passed a law governing the use of jumpers (bouncy houses), many associations ceased to have block party wagons. This also affected the use of our Block Party Wagon. We are hopeful that we can get the certification so that we can once again use the bouncy house.

The Block Party Wagon (BPW) is available for any GBA Church on a first-come-first-serve basis. The restriction is that it must be used in some form of evangelism outreach.

Sunday School Report

For the last several years, the Annual Church Profiles show that Sunday School attendance and enrollment have continued to drop. The annual church profiles for 2019/20 show that Sunday School enrollment decreased again. Our churches reported a Sunday School enrollment of 5,402 which is a decrease of 165 from last year's enrollment of 5,567. Our Sunday School average attendance also decreased by 325 people with the 2018/19 average attendance at 3,613 and the 2019/20 average attendance at 3,288.

Discipleship Training Report

Discipleship Training has increased this year from last year. This year nineteen (19) of our churches reported a total enrollment of 1,128 in Discipleship Training. Last year twenty-two (22) churches reported an enrollment of 1,081. The enrollment increased by 47 members.

Bible Drills Report

Like everything else in 2020, Bible Drills looked different. While we were not able to have associational or regional & state drills, several of our churches proceeded with their church drills in some form. The TBMB allowed us to count our church drills as if they were associational, regional and state drills. While we requested information from the churches in our association, we only received it from three churches. Following are the names of the children who participated, along with their grade, the number of years they have participated, and their standing. These children received their certificates, seals, and trophies and have been recognized by their churches. Thanks to all the Bible Drill coaches and especially to all the children who worked so hard to "hide God's Word in their hearts".

FBC-Milan

Madi Neely, 4th year driller	6th grade	State Winner Superior
Zac Fowler, 1st year driller	5th grade	State Winner Superior
Andi Crossett, 1st year driller	3rd grade	Associational Winner
Claira Reed, 4th year driller	6th grade	State Winner Superior
Fidelia Wolfe, 1st year driller	4th grade	State Driller
Micah White, 1st year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior
Olivia Spencer, 2nd year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior
Charis Lawson, 2nd year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior
Piper Lawson, 2nd year driller	6th grade	State Winner Superior
Lynnley Hurt, 3rd year driller	4th grade	State Winner
Eli Clark, 3rd year driller	5th grade	State Winner Superior
Tara Neely, 4th year driller	6th grade	State Winner Superior
Jack Robinson, 1st year driller	5th grade	State Winner Superior
Maddie Sims, 3rd year driller	5th grade	State Winner Superior
James Driver, 1st year driller	3rd grade	Associational Winner
Maggie White, 1st year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior
Nathan Brown, 1st year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior
Meredith Butler, 2nd year driller	4th grade	State Winner Superior

New Bethlehem

Jules Poore, 2nd year driller, 5th Grade, State Winner Superior (Score: 24 out of 24) Easton Hopper, 2nd driller, 5th Grade, State Winner Superior (Score: 23 out of 24) Micah Poore, 1st year driller, 4th Grade, State Winner Superior (Score: 22 out of 24) Aubri Poore, 1st year driller, 2nd Grade, Participated for practice only

FBC-Kenton

Conner Forbes, 3rd year driller, 5th Grade, State Winner Superior (Score: 23 out of 24)

Rhonda Poore
Bible Drills Coordinator
Gibson Baptist Association

TENNESSEE BAPTIST MISSION BOARD

Baptist Memorial Health Care System

Memphis, Tennessee Jason Little, President and CEO

Baptist Memorial Health Care began as a 150-bed hospital in downtown Memphis in 1912. It was formed by the Southern Baptist Conventions of Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas because they recognized a tremendous need for a health care facility in this part of the country. The hospital's early days were rough – at one point, it almost closed – but eventually it grew to become the largest private hospital in the world. The hospital played a very important role in the history of health care in the 20th century, celebrating many firsts along the way.

The Baptist Memorial Health Care system was created in 1981 to provide an integrated health care delivery system offering a full continuum of care to communities throughout the Mid-South. Today, a total of 22 hospitals in Arkansas, Tennessee and Mississippi; an 800-member physician group; and dozens of other entities are affiliated with Baptist.

Baptist Memorial Health Care's staff chaplains are a part of the health care team. Patients, family members or employees know that they can ask for a chaplain at any time to augment our health care with spiritual or emotional care. In our hospitals, our chaplains represent their own faith but often deal with spiritual issues that transcend denominational lines.

In August 2017, Baptist's Pastoral Care Department introduced the Rev. Jimmy Terry Preaching Series: It's All About Jesus. The series is named in memory of a beloved member of Baptist's Board of Trustees and the founder and former pastor of Tabernacle Baptist Church in Clarksville, Tennessee. Each month, a speaker – usually an ordained Baptist minister – delivers an evangelical message to employees, physicians, patients and visitors at Baptist's flagship hospital. The message is also broadcast to all 22 of Baptist's hospitals in Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas, and it is promoted on Baptist's Facebook page.

In the last half of 2019 and the beginning of this year, hundreds of people attended Jimmy Terry Preaching Series sermons in our Garrett Auditorium and hundreds more watched on monitors throughout our health care system. We post a video from each event on our Facebook page, and from June 2019 to February 2020, those videos have been viewed nearly 79,000 times and have reached more than 82,000 people.

Baptist Memorial Health Care has dedicated a considerable amount of time and resources to protecting our communities from COVID-19. Since the pandemic began, we have treated thousands of COVID patients in our hospitals and performed more than 160,000 tests. In addition, we launched a multi-phase public education campaign that included television public service announcements, billboards, social media ads and posts, videos and media interviews. Hundreds of thousands of people received important information about the virus and how to stay safe and healthy. We will continue this necessary work for as long as COVID-19 affects the people we serve.

The Center of Excellence for Addiction Medicine, a partnership between Baptist Memorial Health Care and Integrated Addiction Care (IAC) Associates – a medical practice that treats patients with addictions to drugs and/or alcohol – won a \$4 million, five-year Health Resources and Services Administration grant to expand its addiction medicine fellowship program. The fellowship program is one component of the Center of Excellence, and it focuses on training future addiction medicine physicians. The grant will allow the center to train five physicians a year for five years, adding 25 addiction medicine specialists to the Mid-South community.

Generous Baptist team members helped raise \$133,000 during the 2019 United Way Giving Campaign. The money will benefit the United Way Fund, the Baptist Memorial Health Care Foundation and other charities. Funds help provide grief support, financial assistance for patients and employees, health care for the homeless, scholarships for students training to be health care professionals and many others in the communities we serve.

Using data from the College Scorecard, an online database started in 2015 to give more information about colleges, Georgetown University published a report that ranks 4,500 colleges and universities by return on investment. Baptist College of Health Sciences was the number 1 private college in Tennessee and was in the top 10 percent of colleges nationwide.

In September, the Baptist Cancer Center was one of only six centers in the country to begin a research study called the SIMPRO Research Center. In collaboration with the National Cancer Institute and the Beau Biden Cancer Moonshot Initiative, the study will help researchers and technicians develop, implement and evaluate an app called eSyM. The app makes it easier for cancer patients to track and communicate their treatment symptoms to their care team.

Baptist Memorial Hospital-Tipton won a Breastfeeding, Early Elective Delivery Reduction and Safe Sleep for Tennessee Babies (BEST) Award for its efforts to reduce infant deaths in the state. The Tennessee Department of Health and the Tennessee Hospital Association bestowed the honor, which promotes safe sleep for infants and helps give Tennessee babies a great start to life.



For almost 200 years, Union University has been an institution that is committed to the local church, to the authority of Scripture, and to the preparation of young adults for a lifetime of service. Our mission statement expresses our objective:

"Union University provides Christ-centered education that promotes excellence and character development in service to Church and society."

We fulfill that transformational mission through our commitment to four core values: Excellence-driven, Christ-centered, People-focused, Future-directed.

These values shape our identity as an institution that prioritizes liberal arts-based undergraduate education, enhanced by professional and graduate programs. The Union academic community is composed of quality faculty, staff and students working together in a caring, grace-filled environment conducive to the development of character, servant leadership, and cultural engagement.

We saw many examples of God's faithfulness to Union during the 2019-2020 academic year. Our trustees approved a campus master plan that will guide development of Union's physical campus over the next 20 years. A survey conducted by our Vocation Center for Life Calling and Career showed that 98 percent of Union's class of 2019 were employed or enrolled in graduate school within six months of receiving their degree. The class of 2019 in our College of Pharmacy received a 100 percent pass rate for first-time attempts on the North American Pharmacist Licensure Examination. Union was one of only three pharmacy schools in the nation to achieve that (out of 140 schools total), and the only one in the Southeast to do so.

In addition, we announced several new majors that will begin in the 2020-2021 academic year, including cybersecurity, criminal justice, forensic science and commercial music.

While the COVID-19 pandemic disrupted much of our spring semester, the Lord provided for our needs. We were able to hold commencement ceremonies in June to celebrate our 2020 graduates, and we resume our in-class instruction for the fall semester.

We are pleased to be partners with the churches of Tennessee Baptist Mission Board and are immensely grateful for their support. Because of the generous support of Tennessee Baptists, Union is able to provide a transformative experience for our students. As Union University strives to be faithful to our mission in an age when traditional Christian beliefs are continually under assault, we value the ongoing prayers and support of our Tennessee Baptist partners.

Gratefully,

Samuel W. "Dub" Oliver

President

Baptist & Reflector

The *Baptist and Reflector* continues to strive to produce articles and columns that impact Tennessee Baptist Convention churches. As with the rest of the world, one of our major emphases in 2020 has been publishing articles to help our churches deal with the COVID-19 crisis in our country. In addition, just before the pandemic started to peak in March, we provided extensive coverage of tornado damage through Middle Tennessee and later in the Chattanooga-Cleveland area of East Tennessee.

Also this year, the *B&R* is focusing on our 185th anniversary as a Baptist state paper. The paper was established in 1835 by Editor R.B.C. Howell, who also was the pastor of First Baptist Church, Nashville. The first issue of *THE BAPTIST* was published on Jan. 1 of that year. The paper would eventually become the present day *Baptist and Reflector*. It is one of the longest, continuously published papers in the United States.

The B&R is mailed to more than 18,300 homes 26 weeks a year, reaching nearly 50,000 readers.

In addition, the B&R website has grown steadily since it was introduced in late 2015. From January through mid-July of this year we have had 167,300 visitors and 343,900 page views. The number of visitors is more than double what the website had at the same time last year and the page views have increased by more than 140,000 over the same time frame.

The goal of the paper is to "tell the story of Tennessee Baptists" through news, feature stories and photographs. As in the past, the paper this year placed a major emphasis on what Tennessee Baptists are doing to reach the world for Christ by focusing on stories related to missions and evangelism. This year the paper has focused on timely topics such as domestic violence that impact Tennessee Baptists and our churches.

The *Baptist and Reflector* continued to utilize social media tools in 2020 such as Twitter and Facebook. Editor Lonnie Wilkey regularly writes a blog that provides information for Tennessee Baptists between print issues.

The staff monitors trends that could affect Tennessee Baptists and prints those stories to keep readers informed. In addition, opinions, both from the editor and others, are printed and are intended to make readers think, reflect, and act.

The paper continually seeks to enlist new subscribers. The Church Trial Plan has been reintroduced. We need more churches to send the paper to their leadership such as deacons, Sunday School teachers, etc. We are asking every reader of the *B&R* for the next year to consider sending one subscription to someone they know. If just a small percentage of our readers would do this, our print circulation would significantly increase. For more information about subscription plans, call the *Baptist & Reflector* office at 1-800-558-2090 or (615) 371-2003.

Lonnie Wilkey, Editor

Associational Report 2020

Carson-Newman University

Your partnership and support enable us as Christian educators to help our students reach their full potential as educated citizens and worldwide servant-leaders.

This past year has included:

- The campus community began the year celebrating the University's new president Dr. Charles A. Fowler and his wife Sandra. The University held his inauguration where more than 40 academic institutions, associations and learned societies were represented. Inauguration events leading up to the ceremony featured speakers that included Dr. David Dockery, Dr. Tom Elliff and Dr. Randy Davis.
- Carson-Newman announced its largest freshman class in its history (557). It also marked its highest enrollment ever with 2,725 students and a record 885 graduate students.
- Partnering with the TBMB, C-N hosted "Tennessee Evangelism Rally," which drew more than 900 attendees from multiple churches across East Tennessee. The event featured Christian recording artist Christy Nockles, C-N alumnus Roc Collins and Christian music's Citizen Way.
- Baptist Collegiate Ministries (BCM) sent out 119 student missionaries and conducted nine mission experiences serving in 10 states and Mexico. These included Chattanooga's Tennessee Baptist Children's Home and "MissionLab" sponsored by New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. Twelve salvations were seen through these mission experiences.
- During the fall, the Eagles football team saw over 25 students make decisions for Christ.
- Now in its 36th year, C-N's Appalachian Outreach home repair ministry completed 16 home repair projects in surrounding counties. Its Samaritan House shelter served 29 families from four counties and provided 7,801 meals. The ministry continues to provide numerous meals to families in need during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The University opened the "Randall O'Brien Veterans Center," which provides a gathering and relaxing space for students, faculty and staff who are veterans.
- Carson-Newman was championed by various rankings including being named a "Best in the Southeast" by Princeton Review and cited a "Christian College of Distinction" by Colleges of Distinction for the sixth consecutive year. The University was named among "Great Colleges to Work For," which was overseen by ModernThink. C-N's online graduate program was ranked No. 2 in the state by U.S. News & World Report. It's registered nursing program was named a top ten program in the state by Registered Nursing.org.
- Carson-Newman's Nursing Department held "Blessing of the Hands" ceremonies during the fall and spring. The event allows faculty members to pray over nursing students prior to them entering clinical care and hands-on patient care.
- The University's Baptist Archives received the Davis C. Woolley Award for Outstanding Achievement in Assessing and Preserving Baptist History. The honor was presented by The Baptist History and Heritage Society and the Association of Librarians and Archivists at Baptist Institutions.

Highlights presented here are possible because of the cooperation of Tennessee Baptists. Some programs, like certain mission trips, are made possible by the underwriting of individual like-hearted supporters.

Submitted by Charles A. Fowler, President

Harrison-Chilhowee Baptist Academy (dba The King's Academy)

Harrison-Chilhowee Baptist Academy celebrates 140 years as a distinctively Christian school. For the past 26 years, Tennessee Baptist's accredited Christian boarding and day school has operated as The King's Academy. During this recent period enrollment increased 400% and the school budget grew to \$6 million. International students are the academy's most distinctive feature—over 1,050 students from 99 nations enrolled since 1935; an average of 14 countries are represented in the academy student body each year.

The academy faces increasing financial challenges each year, and these difficulties will be further amplified by the COVID-19 pandemic. Staff reductions and major budget cuts were necessary to remain operational for the 2020-2021 school year. Given the socio-economic demographics of academy families, increases in fees translate into enrollment declines, particularly to families who suffered income or job loss due to the pandemic.

Nevertheless, the academy remains focused on its VISION – *Transformed Lives, Empowered by Christ-like Character, Pursuing Academic Excellence and Lifelong Service* – and committed to its MISSION: *The King's Academy inspires and equips students of all cultural backgrounds to fulfill their God-given potential in a nurturing, college preparatory community.*

Matthew Mercer entered his second year as President/Headmaster for the 2019-2020 school year and added many new key staff members to enhance both faculty and administration. The academy experienced significant growth in its international boarding population, largely due to a partnership with WESPN, which assists in connecting students from Brazil and other South American countries with the academy. Approximately 70 students lived in the academy's dormitories for the 2019-2020 school year.

The COVID-19 pandemic brought great challenges. Academy students and staff were on spring break, when the academy's board and administration heeded federal, state, and local recommendations to close campus for in-person instruction. Students and staff were unable to have their usual end-of-year celebrations: field day, class programs, baccalaureate, promotions, etc. Thankfully, through the academy's 1-to-1 initiative, implemented for the 2019-2020 school year, every student in grades 6-12 had their own Chromebook for online learning to complete their academic coursework. Devices were also available for younger students who requested access.

Many of the academy's international boarding students were unable to return to their home countries during the COVID-19 shutdown in March, so they remained on campus to shelter-in-place together. These students received round-the-clock care and ministry from the academy's Resident Life, Food Service, and Maintenance Staff as well as online instruction from academy teachers. While it was a hard time to be away from their families, these students from all over the world bonded as their own unique family unit, creating life-long memories through their shared experience.

Prior to transitioning to online learning, highlights of the 2019-2020 school year include:

- Hosted Social Media Awareness & Responsibility Training for Parents, led by Security Officer David Whaley
- Hosted Elementary STEM Night
- Choir/Drama Department presented Mary Poppins, Jr.
- Students participated in annual Speech Contest, Spelling Bee, Geography Bee
- High School Volleyball team competed in TSSAA State Tournament
- High School Girls Basketball finished as runner-up in the TSSAA State Tournament Championship
- Our Class of 2020 was a very high academic achieving class, with most gaining acceptance to their first college choice; Commencement was held July 24, 2020 with limited attendance
- High School Girls Basketball Coach Blake Derrick was named PrepExtra Coach of the Year
- Coach Lincoln Thomas was named Strength and Performance Coach of the Year

It is a distinct privilege for the academy family to partner with and serve alongside Tennessee Baptists in the mission of Christian education.

Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes

Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes welcomes children in hard places with the love of Christ. We are only able to welcome these children into our homes because of the faithfulness of churches, businesses and individuals who have a heart for children and families who are struggling. To those of you who fall into this category, thank you for your prayers, for your service and for sharing your financial resources with TBCH. We are committed as a ministry to operate without the use of government funds relying on God's people to supply the resources necessary to meet the needs of children and families in crisis.

2020 has presented many challenges for all of us. We have lost hundreds of volunteer man hours due to COVID-19. And while the number of churches that support us financially has dropped significantly, other churches have stepped up in their support of the kids. All in all, the Lord has shown His faithfulness to this 129-year-old ministry by providing the necessary resources for us to provide homes for children. We rejoice in the five children who have been born again. Rest assured that TBCH is Christ centered in our approach to dealing with children and their families. We believe Jesus is the ultimate answer to all brokenness and our team unashamedly points people to Him in age appropriate ways.

TBCH has provided **Residential Care** for 85 children so far this year in our on-campus homes. Seventeen of these children have been successfully reunited with their families. TBCH is also committed to assisting those who age out of our program. These **Independent Living** students now transition to our Chattanooga Campus where they receive continued support by our staff and have the opportunity to learn a trade or attend college. We are committed to helping these young people get off to a good start in early adulthood. There are presently ten young people in our Independent Living program.

TBCH's **George Shinn Foster Care** program has served 157 children and has 101 foster homes on our team. Fifteen children have been adopted into Christian families so far this year while 31 children are presently in foster-to-adopt situations! Our foster care staff has also seen 15 children successfully reunify with their families.

The foster home in Oakdale is very close to being ready for children to arrive while our foster home in Kingsport is nearing the completion of being remodeled. We are just beginning the search for a family to live in this home who has the heart for caring for sibling groups of foster children. TBCH is grateful for the churches and volunteers who are helping bring this home back into service!

TBCH's **Family Care** program exists to assist families as they deal with things like addictions, child abuse, and the need for faith-based foster homes. We want to help families learn to cope and find the answers they need by providing consultation and resources. We are also ready to provide training for your church in child abuse awareness and in how to support your own foster and adoptive families. Please call on us and we will be there to help you help children.

Defending the Defenseless, Greg McCoy President/Treasurer

Tennessee Baptist Adult Homes, Inc. Report to Associations, 2020

I am most grateful to report to you that we have not experienced a single case of Covid-19 at any of our locations! We have much to be joyful about in this regard. The 2020 Father's Day Offering video expresses my utmost appreciation and gratitude for the men and women who live out their calling to *Show What Love Is* by serving as our home managers. They are the ones to be credited for us weathering the Coronavirus storm.

As a result of Covid-19 we have observed a quarantine in our homes for much of this fiscal year. The inability to accept new admissions, conduct placement interviews, allow visitors, or allow residents to visit their family homes has made this a very difficult year for everyone. Our faith is that, in the long run, our efforts will prove well worth the struggle. One case in any facility will have a cascading effect so we developed plans for each individual resident should anyone contract the virus. Each individual plan is designed according to the family and other resources an individual has at their disposal. We call them "the plans we plan to never use."

I am happy to report that we have sold Williams Ferry Pointe in Lenoir City. The transaction took place in a series of closings from June to October 31, 2020. The sale price for WFP was \$2.7M. These much-needed resources will be used to help us realize a **two-fold vision**.

First, it will allow us to establish a significant endowment that will produce operating income. Our Father's Day Offering has never managed to rise to a level to offset our operating deficit.

Secondly, it is our hope to establish a small senior living community in Humboldt on land we already own where we can provide modest, comfortable retirement living (probably duplexes) for indigent pastors and missionaries who may not be financial able to provide from themselves in retirement. TBAH will own these facilities and rent them on a sliding scale basis. They will be for independent living seniors; we will provide no health care or physical assistance. And, it will be a TBAH in west Tennessee!!

Covid-19 and the sale of Williams Ferry Pointe guaranteed that this past year was not, and next year will not be, ordinary. I am confident, however, thanks to the resources from the sale of Williams Ferry Pointe coupled with the elimination of all expenses associated with the operation of Williams Ferry Pointe, TBAH will be OK through the pandemic and for the foreseeable future. Thanks be to God for his provision!

Thanks, again, for your support and partnership with us. May you all be safe and stay well.

Sincerely,

Mark Anderson, President/Treasurer

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Serving Tennessee Baptists Since 1938

2020 Annual Report to Associations

Since 1938 the Tennessee Baptist Foundation has been of service to Tennessee Baptists and Kingdom causes around the world. The assets under management of the Foundation have grown from \$6,577 to \$156 million during that time. God continues to bless this ministry and we are pleased to make our report to the associations as to highlights for the fiscal year 2019-20 thus far. The Foundation is pleased to offer the following services to Tennessee Baptists:

- Presenting informational Faith-based estate planning seminars for churches
- ♦ Working with individuals, helping them develop distinctively Christian personal estate plans
- Assisting individuals in their establishment of various Charitable Trusts
- ♦ Serving as Trustee of trusts and funds committed to its care
- Providing investment services to Tennessee Baptist churches, associations and institutions
- ♦ Helping churches establish Legacy Ministries
- ♦ Facilitating loans to Tennessee Baptist churches/associations
- Providing grants for qualifying new ministries and projects

Highlights of the Foundation's stewardship thus far for this fiscal year include:

- ✓ Funds under management: Over 1,100
- ✓ Assets under management: \$156,413,916 (as of May 31, 2020)
- ✓ New fund additions as of May 31, 2020: \$2,763,360 (11 new funds)
- ✓ Educational scholarships: 228 totaling \$184,748 for 2020-2021 academic year. (Awarded over \$5.7 million in scholarships since 1987)
- Special Project Grants: \$118,300 distributed to assist 67 ministry projects thru May 31,2020. This included helping 55 churches/associations during the Covid-19 pandemic and \$10,000 to Disaster Relief for tornado relief that affected Nashville in March.
- ✓ Cooperative Program: \$316,965 as of May 31, 2020. Projected to give over \$500,000 by year end.
- ✓ Baptist and charitable causes: \$1,945,310 as of May 31, 2020. Projected to give over \$3.3 million by year end.

The Tennessee Baptist Foundation continues its commitment to manage funds with integrity and help Tennessee Baptists leave legacies with a Kingdom focus.

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Tennessee Woman's Missionary Union 2020 Annual Report

In 2019-20, Tennessee WMU continued to challenge Tennessee Baptists in their unshakable pursuit to know God more, show His love unconditionally, and make disciples who make disciples. This report shares information about some of the state events, ministries, and initiatives that have taken place.

Last fall, 698 children and leaders attended three regional JAMs, a missions event for children in grades 1-6 and leaders. Children learned what it means to go everywhere and tell the Good News to everyone, they met missionaries from around the world, and they collected 149 Christmas Backpacks.

Over 500 boys and leaders attended the 2019 RA Camp-O-Ree at Linden Valley Baptist Conference Center on October 18-19. This missions camping event for boys grades 1-12 is hosted by Mid-South Royal Ambassadors and Tennessee WMU. Boys participated in a multitude of activities, challenges, and crafts while enjoying the great outdoors, meeting missionaries, and enjoying two action packed worship services.

Missionary Parents Fellowship Retreat: On September 6-7, 2019, 40 parents of IMB missionaries gathered with program personnel for fellowship, information, prayer, and encouragement at the TBMB Church Support Center in Franklin. The retreat attendees were encouraged to return to their churches and thank them for their support of the Tennessee Missionary Parents Fellowship through gifts to the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions.

Christmas Checks – In December 2019, Tennessee WMU mailed Christmas Checks, on behalf of Tennessee Baptists to missionary kids and retired missionaries.

- Checks for \$150 were sent to 20 missionary kids whose parents serve with IMB from Tennessee.
- Checks for \$50 were sent to 104 retired IMB missionaries born in Tennessee.

These gifts are made possible through an allocation from the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions for nurturing Tennessee missionaries and their families.

In the Spring of 2020, concerns about Covid-19 virus were growing and several 2020 events had to be cancelled like Get-Together & Connection, Tennessee WMU Annual Meeting, and RA Wilderness Challenge. Out of the challenges and changes arose some new ways to utilize digital resources:

- Zoom with a Missionary scheduled Zoom meetings with missionaries and children/youth missions discipleship groups hosted by Tennessee WMU.
- LeaderConnect Zoom meetings for missions and ministry leaders for training and networking.
- Facebook Pages and Groups New Facebook groups were started for targeted missions and
 ministry leaders to coincide with efforts to utilize all Tennessee WMU Facebook groups and pages
 to network and resource leaders and participants more.

In March 2020, \$34,200 in scholarships were awarded to 29 students attending graduate school, seminary, as well as, undergraduate schools in Tennessee during the 2020-21 school year. These scholarships are funded through endowments, invested funds, and the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions.

As part of Tennessee WMU's Denver Prayer Advocacy Partnership, over the past three years, 24 ladies have served through six mission teams to Denver. The teams worked with 14 different church planters to prayer walk and engage the communities surrounding the church plants. The two teams scheduled to go in April and May of 2020 had to be cancelled. In June, we partnered with Dave Howeth, NAMB Send Denver Missionary to host three virtual prayer walking tours. Each virtual prayer tour was two hours and participants heard from and prayed for four church planters. There were 47 total participants from 41 churches who participated in one or more prayer tours.

MK Re-Entry Retreat –Two missionary kids from Tennessee were provided travel assistance funds to attend the MK Re-Entry Retreat in Indiana during August 2020 hosted by Indiana WMU, Kentucky WMU, and the International Mission Board.

Literacy Missions ministries are helping bring Tennesseans to Christ. There are 68 "registered" churches/associations English as a Second Language (ESL), Adult Reading & Writing (ARW), or Tutoring Children & Youth (TCY) ministry sites. These sites reported having participants from more than 25 countries, speaking 11 different languages who are being taught English and are engaged with the gospel.

Christian Women's Job Corps and Christian Men's Job Corps are ministries of WMU that seek to help men and women break the cycle of poverty through job and life skill classes, Bible study, and mentoring. Last year the 21 sites in Tennessee reported serving 2,855 participants. There were 182 men and women who completed the program and 32 recorded professions of faith.

Missionary Houses in Mt. Juliet – Mary's House (WMU House) and the Missions Mobilization Center (MMC) House continue to be a hub of activity as they provide a place for our missionaries to rest and reconnect with family and friends. The Worthy family arrived at Mary's House in June 2020 and will stay through May 2021. Frank & Sheri Moran arrived at the MMC House in April 2020 and will stay through October 2020 unless they receive clearance sooner to return to the mission field; delay due to Covid-19 restrictions.

The theme for the 2019-20 Tennessee Missions Emphasis was "See Tennessee, Go Harvest." The suggested dates for the Week of Prayer for State Missions were September 13-20, and the goal for the 2019-20 Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions was \$2,100,000. As of July 23, 2020, the total amount given to the 2019-20 Golden Offering is \$1,859,608.48. The offering year goes from September 1 – August 31.

Currently, Tennessee WMU staff includes Vickie Anderson, Executive Director-Treasurer; Denise Bronaugh, Adult Missions & Ministries Specialist; Kim Cruse, Missions Discipleship Specialist; vacant, WMU Communications Specialist; Janice Carter, Compassion Ministries Catalyst - CWJC/CMJC, Vickie Clemons, Administrative Assistant; Jacki Holleman, Ministry Assistant; Brian Holt, RA/Challenger State Coordinator; and Tika Soles, Women's Ministry State Coordinator.

For we are laborers together with God,

Martha Pitts, President Vickie Anderson, Executive Director-Treasurer



Mississippi River Ministry (MRM) is one of three arms of the Compassion Ministry outreach of the Tennessee Baptist Mission Board. Like so many of the ministries of the TBMB, COVID took its toll on the activity of this past year. In spite of limitations imposed by the pandemic, Mississippi River Ministry was able to minister in the following ways:

- During this past year, \$5,480 of GOTM funds were channeled into three different West Tennessee associations to assist churches with six different projects and ministries designed to impact lostness by touching poverty.
- Seven (7) poverty training events were conducted. The training events took place in all seven Harvest Fields across the state and 174 participants took part.
- Over 1,700 Christmas backpacks were collected and distributed to ministry sites in West Tennessee last year. Christmas backpacks are still needed for distribution this year. Be sure to check the website at: https://www.tnbaptist.org/backpacks.
- Ministry items were collected and delivered to those able to distribute them directly to those in need.

This year marks the 20th anniversary of my work with Mississippi River Ministry. It has been a fruitful and joyful 20 years. As we look ahead to the changes in how Compassion Ministry will be conducted in this Post-COVID world, I am stepping aside and retiring at the end of this year. The commitment on the part of the TBMB will continue to be steadfast in the area of Compassion Ministry as they face the new needs that will arise due to this pandemic. Please be in prayer for what that ministry will look like.

I encourage you to explore Compassion Ministry at the TBMB website - https://www.tnbaptist.org/missions-ministries/compassion-ministries/ for ways that your church can make a difference outside the walls. Never forget – we are the church when we gather and we are the church when we scatter.

It has been my honor and privilege to partner among you these past 20 years. See you in the fields!

Submitted by Randy Pool Coordinator for the Mississippi River Ministry

NORTH AMERICAN MISSION BOARD REPORT - 2020

Since 2011, we have seen an increasing number of churches and individuals become more directly involved in church planting and other missions efforts through our **Send Network** and **Send Relief** strategies. These efforts revolve around the priority of **planting new evangelistic churches**—especially in the unreached and underserved areas such as large cities and regions outside the South— and engaging **communities with the gospel through compassion ministry**.

To help Southern Baptists close this gap, NAMB has identified more than **30 focus** areas that are receiving intense church planting and compassion ministry efforts. These areas have vast influence in their regions and beyond. In reaching these strategic focus areas, Southern Baptists can lead many to Christ in North America and around the world.

While NAMB focuses ministry in these different areas, NAMB partners with Southern Baptists to plant churches everywhere for everyone and serve communities everywhere, meeting needs and changing lives.

Send Network Missionaries

Our *Send City Missionary* in each **Send City** is there to recruit church planters and help local Southern Baptists develop a plan for reaching the city. He also assists churches and individuals from outside the city who want to partner in efforts to reach the city.

In addition to our City Missionaries, *Church Planting Catalysts* (CPCs) are responsible for catalyzing the planting of churches throughout North America. Each is to help bring about the planting of at least four churches annually as well as encourage recently started churches in their region.

In an average year, 1,000 churches disappear from the SBC database. Many of those churches are closing their doors forever. Because of this, we have also prioritized our church revitalization efforts in order to help existing churches become healthier.

Another option for churches is NAMB's **Church Replant initiative**. A replant occurs when a church that's either died or is near death decides to launch a new church from a building that once housed an SBC church. A replant brings new spiritual life. The process allows property to remain in the SBC family as the Replant takes the torch and continues the mission of reaching the community.

Over the last few years, NAMB has developed a **Church Planter Pathway** which is designed to help future church planting missionaries follow God's calling and benefit from the influence of others in the church. From coaching to training, the Pathway cultivates their ability to lead in the process of planting.

In 2019, we sent more than \$27 million to Canadian and state convention partners to fund missionaries and support evangelistic church planting, evangelism and church revitalization ministries in their states.

Establishment of New Congregations

There are nearly 5,000 churches involved in our Send Network strategy as prayer partners or as active participants connected with a ministry location or church planter. In 2019 (the most recent year for which data is available), Southern Baptists planted 552 new churches, 297 new churches affiliated with the SBC and 59 church campuses were launched. To better understand and assess the status of churches in the SBC, new church campuses began to be tabulated in 2019. Altogeth- er, Southern Baptists added 908 new congregations in 2019.

NAMB continues to work with state conventions, associations and churches to deploy church planters, including streamlining the assessment process to get planters on the field quickly with- out sacrificing the quality of their training. Through NAMB's request and application process, churches, associations and state conventions are able to easily provide a missionary request and NAMB works to match prospective candidates with the request.

During 2019, NAMB provided multiple church revitalization and Replant **gatherings and labs**. In 2020, we will continue to partner with state conventions and offer several more of these **events**, **both in person and virtually**.

Evangelism

In 2018, Johnny Hunt joined the NAMB team to serve as the senior vice president of evangelism and leadership. Hunt revamped and energized NAMB's evangelism efforts, primarily through the **Who's Your One** campaign and tour. Shane Pruitt joined NAMB's evangelism team in 2019 as the executive director for next gen evangelism.

Overall, 25,827 kits, 411,672 prayer guides and 1.5 million bookmarks were distributed along with 469 kits, 9,228 prayer guides and 70,475 bookmarks produced in Spanish. Through social media, Who's Your One garnered 6.9 million impressions, 828,000 engagements and 16,300 users engaged across all of NAMB's social channels.

Appointment and Support of Missionaries

NAMB supports 3,057 missionary units in varying ministry categories. (NAMB counts missionaries as units. In addition, 3,758 Southern Baptist chaplains serve in the U.S. military, in state and federal prisons, hospice, hospitals, disaster relief, as volunteers and in many other settings around the world. NAMB endorses chaplains on behalf of Southern Baptists and helps train and encourage them as they share Christ every day and disciple those who already know Him.

IMB Report 2020

Thank you for praying, giving, and going.

Because of your generous partnership and your giving through the Cooperative Program and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering[®], we celebrate these highlights from around the world.

2019 Global Highlights

12,368

NEW CHURCHES PLANTED

89,325

NEW BELIEVERS 47,929

BAPTISMS

90,532

RECEIVED LEADERSHIP TRAINING

3,615

TOTAL FIELD PERSONNEL 535,325

HEARD GOSPEL WITNESS 396,499

OPPORTUNITIES TO RESPOND

At IMB, our mission is to serve you in carrying out the Great Commission to make disciples of all nations. Visit imborg to learn more about how you can play your part in taking the gospel to the unreached

imb.org

All data, except for active field personnel and unreached people group counts, reflects information from the 2019 Data-Year Annual Statistical Report (IMB).

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GBA STATISTICAL REPORTS

Member and Congregational Information

Church	County	Total Mbrship	Resident Mbrship	Total Baptisms	Other Additions	Year Organized	Year Pastor Came	Worship Service
Antioch	Madison	531	429	12	4	1831	2005	140
Avondale	Gibson	400	100	0	0	1976	2020	30
Beech Grove	Gibson	182	140	0	0	1865	2008	38
Bethel-H	Madison	141	20	1	0	1872	2007	25
Bethel-Y	Gibson	265	180	4	0	1832	1996	44
Bethpage	Gibson	147	109	0	2	1860	2016	76
Bradford, First	Gibson	287	147	1	0	1875	1993	105
Calvary-H	Gibson	307	100	0	2	1963	2017	16
Calvary-R	Gibson	18	16	0	0	1952	2018	15
Center	Gibson	30	12	0	0	1874	2017	11
Chapel Hill	Gibson	1,493	530	6	0	1846		335
China Grove	Gibson	148	89	1	3	1851		16
Clear Creek	Gibson	100	100	0	0	1857	2020	18
Connect	Gibson	24	24	0	0	2017		20
Dyer, First	Gibson	651	467	2	5	1885	2019	100
Eldad	Gibson	213	194	6	1	1828	2011	58
Emmanuel-H	Gibson	371	276	0	0	1953	2020	70
Fellowship	Gibson	253	130	0	0	1974	2018	40
Fruitland	Gibson	177	127	2	0	1905		28
Gibson	Gibson	376	290	1	0	1877	2017	46
Hickory Grove	Gibson	155	61	0	2	1863	2018	45
Idlewild	Gibson	163	116	0	0	1911		22
Immanuel-T	Gibson	108	104	3	7	1952	2018	35
Keely Mill	Gibson	59	59	0	0	1977	2016	30
Kenton, First	Gibson	414	252	2	0	1890	2016	111
Laneview-K	Gibson	400	300	0	0	1901	2000	100
Laneview-T	Gibson	61	35	0	0	1920	2002	40
Latham's Chapel	Gibson	280	213	0	0	1915	2007	24
Lavinia	Gibson	301	245	10	2	1830	2007	25
Maranatha	Gibson Gibson	161 446	68 399	0 1	0 0	1966		28 111
Medina, First	Gibson	52	32	0	0	1883 1934	1992	24
Midway Milan, First	Gibson	2,246	1,500	12	9	1865	1992	410
Mount Pisgah	Gibson	102	1,500	12	0	1860		51
Mount Pleasant	Gibson	384	284	0	0	1848	2020	60
New Bethlehem	Gibson	499	377	5	8	1851	2000	205
New Haven	Gibson	173	173	2	5	2010	2010	105
New Hope	Gibson	323	281	3	0	1914	2018	100
Northern's Chapel	Gibson	31	29	0	0	1913	2014	15
Northside	Gibson	130	90	5	6	1956	2017	92
Oak Grove	Gibson	87	73	0	5	1870	2019	24
Oakwood	Gibson	86	85	4	4	1900	2016	60
Old Bethlehem	Gibson	48	45	0	0	1833	2011	14
Poplar Grove	Gibson	218	214	2	5	1843	2012	65
Poplar Springs	Gibson	116	49	2	4	1838	2007	15
Rutherford, First	Gibson	181	163	0	1	1869		81
Salem	Gibson	535	403	9	18	1847	2005	178
Smyrna	Gibson	172	158	2	4	1975	2018	47
Spring Hill	Gibson	73	73	0	0	1832	2019	30
Sugar Creek	Gibson	908	622	18	46	1867	2000	372
Trenton, First	Gibson	450	375	20	10	1850	2015	258
Walnut Grove	Gibson	110	49	0	0	1842	2013	25
West Carroll	Gibson	38	21	0	0	2007	2011	16
West Side	Gibson	41	36	0	0	1966	2019	24
White Hall	Gibson	<u>190</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>	1942	2020	<u>100</u>
Totals		15,855	10,659	137	157			4,173

Digest of Letters

Congregation	Total	Other	Church	SS	SS Avg	Music		Men's Min.
	Baptisms	Additions	Mbrship	Enrollment	Attendance	Enrollment	Enrollment	Enrollment
Antioch	12	4	531	209	160	67	83	22
Avondale	0	0	400	27	20	2	0	0
Beech Grove	0	0	182	62	28	0	0	0
Bethel-H	1	0	141	7	0	0	0	0
Bethel-Y	4	0	265	59	55	31	5	0
Bethpage	0	2	147	74	46	18	11	0
Bradford, First	1	0	287	131	89	41	0	0
Calvary-H	0	2	307	21	14	5	0	0
Calvary-R	0	0	18	13	13	0	0	0
Center	0	0	30	12	11	0	0	0
Chapel Hill	6	0	1,493	601	335	74	0	11
China Grove	1	3	148	16	12	16	0	0
Clear Creek	0	0	100	24	15	0	0	0
Connect	0	0	24	20	14	5	0	0
Dyer, First	2	5	651	174	73	25	85	8
Eldad	6	1	213	111	66	82	0	0
Emmanuel-H	0	0	371	42	31	25	2	0
Fellowship	0	0	253	38	25	15	8	0
Fruitland	2	0	177	19	22	2	0	0
Gibson	1	0	376	75	0	65	0	0
Hickory Grove	0	2	155	42	35	0	0	0
Idlewild	0	0	163	29	17	2	0	0
Immanuel-T	3	7	108	38	25	20	10	6
Keely Mill	0	0	59	16	12	3	8	7
Kenton, First	2	0	414	173	109	50	41	7
Laneview-K	0	0	400	82	55	18	8	0
Laneview-T	0	0	61	31	31	0	0	0
Latham's Chapel	0	0	280	24	14	0	0	0
Lavinia	10	2	301	26	26	12	12	0
Maranatha	0	0	161	44	28	3	0	0
Medina, First	1	0	446	126	126	2	0	0
Midway	0	0	52	26	16	10	2	0
Milan, First	12	9	2,246	747	369	160	35	25
Mt. Pisgah	1	0	102	45	39	22	6	0
Mt. Pleasant	0	0	384	70	68	15	20	0
New Bethlehem	5	8	499	199	137	49	51	16
New Haven	2	5	173	67	67	15	0	25
New Hope	3	0	323	95	72	20	0	12
Northern's Chape		0	31	17	15	0	0	0
Northside	5	6	130	110	65	33	0	0
Oak Grove	0	5	87	29	18	3	12	0
Oakwood	4	4	86	56	40	6	0	6
Old Bethlehem	0	0	48	11	11	7	0	0
Poplar Grove	2	5	218	85	75	3	10	9
Poplar Springs	2	4	116	23	15	1	7	0
Rutherford, First	0	1	181	140	75	9	51	0
Salem	9	18	535	185	121	39	79	5
Smyrna	2	4	172	35	33	0	7	0
Spring Hill	0	0	73	23	15	2	0	0
Sugar Creek	18	46	908	619	310	257	130	40
Trenton, First	20	10	450	243	131	71	38	0
Walnut Grove	0	0	110	26	18	2	0	0
West Carroll	0	0	38	6	6	0	7	0
West Side	0	0	41	25	21	10	8	0
White Hall	<u>0</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>190</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>0</u>
Totals	137	157	15,855	5,402	3,323	1,341	781	199

General Financial Information

Congregation	Total Receipts	Undesignated Gifts	Designated Gifts	Total Missions Expenditures	Association Missions	Cooperative Program
Antioch	533,154	429,214	103,603	62,172	7,115	43,083
Avondale	27,000	27,000	0	0	0	0
Beech Grove	104,510	99,009	2,489	13,441	3,087	8,794
Bethel-H	18,454	17,778	476	716	0	240
Bethel-Y	128,464	111,586	16,878	22,177	4,565	11,160
Bethpage	124,519	81,070	43,449	22,952	1,341	16,675
Bradford, First	267,470	238,871	28,420	25,298	3,680	17,460
Calvary-H	41,123	41,123	0	7,367	822	4,524
Calvary-R	49,446	49,151	0	14,918	1,849	7,119
Center	25,459 1,048,435	25,459 994,419	162.259	1,320	600 17,565	420 17 565
Chapel Hill China Grove	11,368	884,418 11,368	162,258 0	38,139 605	243	17,565 243
Clear Creek	22,754	21,754	1,000	900	0	0
Connect	58,811	45,057	4,208	7,149	1,781	3,324
Dyer, First	391,360	272,479	100,979	71,714	7,810	29,995
Eldad	159,394	157,664	1,730	12,674	3,096	6,193
Emmanuel-H	99,139	91,077	8,062	18,961	2,829	9,745
Fellowship	114,603	110,472	3,382	19,059	3,262	7,613
Fruitland .	27,479	26,715	764	645	79	79
Gibson	150,095	122,079	28,016	11,965	2,120	6,175
Hickory Grove	61,645	45,104	9,582	10,882	1,300	5,357
Idlewild	43,263	41,940	1,131	13,279	1,311	5,245
Immanuel-T	72,274	63,509	8,765	8,761	1,200	1,344
Keely Mill	27,598	16,434	10,911	1,266	263	263
Kenton, First	416,995	381,947	34,842	111,407	22,739	54,953
Laneview-K	116,105	106,984	9,121	200	200	0
Laneview-T	48,150	45,356	2,636	2,636	636	1,590
Latham's Chapel	75,024	65,454	0	16,650	6,400	4,500
Lavinia	148,525	140,706	7,819	24,397	8,437	7,032
Maranatha	34,082 359,718	33,619 0	122 0	2,600 50,721	1,013 2,400	1,465
Medina, First Midway	50,619	46,828	3,338	10,478	2,457	35,352 4,683
Milan, First	1,446,108	1,234,916	210,686	136,000	9,500	68,000
Mt. Pisgah	69,229	66,861	2,368	8,416	1,981	4,327
Mt. Pleasant	201,451	142,138	59,313	46,982	13,966	18,622
New Bethlehem	337,896	307,412	30,484	46,003	0	32,303
New Haven	238,371	225,177	13,194	35,561	3,000	14,000
New Hope	175,000	125,000	40,000	10,932	3,206	5,558
Northern's Chapel	30,553	29,928	625	625	275	100
Northside	142,935	126,058	15,804	25,569	2,503	10,013
Oak Grove	44,295	39,958	4,337	4,337	849	443
Oakwood	69,010	67,140	1,846	6,662	2,001	2,001
Old Bethlehem	20,659	20,659	0	0	0	0
Poplar Grove	135,513	125,727	8,932	22,579	1,960	13,065
Poplar Springs	32,075	2,750	25,250	2,225	75	50
Rutherford, First	196,018	175,178	20,840	17,318	1,520	11,795
Salem	537,143	415,901	109,538	79,382	4,159	41,590
Smyrna	82,847	80,191	2,487	5,732	3,049	1,224
Spring Hill Sugar Creek	66,331 1,495,496	60,181 1,064,856	6,150 426 127	9,009 173 667	1,147 13 311	5,727 106,486
Trenton, First	431,556	1,064,856 336,530	426,127 95,026	173,667 75,249	13,311 7,995	12,000
Walnut Grove	63,521	57,037	2,284	9,850	3,750	1,500
West Carroll	31,180	30,365	2,284 815	2,224	468	956
West Side	45,647	42,547	3,100	3,100	497	497
White Hall	281,438	227,750	53,070	70,653	<u>5,520</u>	<u>36,426</u>
Totals	11,031,307	8,855,485	1,726,257	1,397,524	190,932	698,874

Bible Study Information

Congregation E	Total SS inrollment	Preschool Birth-5	Children 6-11	Youth 12-17	Adults 18-29	Adults 30+	SS Avg Attendance	DT Enrollment
Antioch	209	27	28	40	61	53	160	110
Avondale	27	0	5	2	2	18	20	0
Beech Grove	62	2	8	6	6	40	28	0
Bethel-H	7	2	5	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel-Y	59	2	6	2	4	45	55	0
Bethpage	74	13	13	6	4	38	46	0
Bradford, First	131	24	18	7	13	69 31	89	0
Calvany-H	21 13	0 2	0 0	0 2	0 0	21 9	14 13	0
Calvary-R Center	12	0	0	0	0	12	11	0
Chapel Hill	601	71	85	78	30	337	335	0
China Grove	16	0	0	3	0	13	12	0
Clear Creek	24	2	5	4	2	11	15	0
Connect	20	4	2	5	0	9	14	0
Dyer, First	174	16	17	17	15	109	73	0
Eldad	111	5	13	25	7	61	66	0
Emmanuel-H	42	0	0	3	0	39	31	20
Fellowship	38	0	1	0	0	37	25	0
Fruitland	19	0	5	3	0	11	22	20
Gibson	75	0	10	15	20	30	0	0
Hickory Grove	42	6	8	3	0	25	35	0
Idlewild	29	5	5	0	0	19	17	0
Immanuel-T	38	2	5	2	0	29	25	0
Keely Mill	16	0	1	1	3	11	12	12
Kenton, First	173	29	12	9	31	92	109	25
Laneview-K	82	6	11	10	16	39	55	0
Laneview-T	31	0	2	1	1	27	31	0
Latham's Chapel	24	0	3	6	0	15	14	0
Lavinia	26	1	8	2	0	15	26	0
Maranatha	44	9	11	6	0	18	28	0
Medina, First	126	13	18	17	26	52	126	0
Midway	26	0	0	0	2	24	16	0
Milan, First	747	61	102	81	81	422	369	150
Mt. Pisgah	45	3	0	5	1	36	39	0
Mt. Pleasant	70	2	12	6	10	40	68	0
New Bethlehem	199	8	29	17	6	139	137	43
New Haven	67	10	7	20	0	30	67	0
New Hope	95	5	10	15	5	60	72	15
Northern's Chape	l 17 110	0 24	2 19	3 12	0 18	12 37	15 65	0 77
Northside Oak Grove	29			4	0	25	18	0
Oak Grove	56	0 2	0 7	11	0	36	40	10
Old Bethlehem	11	1	2	0	0	8	11	11
Poplar Grove	85	5	18	16	1	45	75	21
Poplar Springs	23	0	0	3	1	19	15	8
Rutherford, First	140	17	26	15	6	76	75	20
Salem	185	8	12	25	20	120	121	0
Smyrna	35	0	0	7	1	27	33	0
Spring Hill	23	0	0	0	2	21	15	0
Sugar Creek	619	56	72	48	141	302	310	361
Trenton, First	243	13	24	29	33	144	131	159
Walnut Grove	26	2	0	0	3	21	18	0
West Carroll	6	0	0	0	0	6	6	9
West Side	25	1	3	0	0	21	21	16
White Hall	<u>154</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>41</u>
Totals	5,402	466	669	627	579	3,061	3,323	1,128

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1924	Humboldt	R. N. Owen	H. A. Todd	W. D. Davis	J. W. Haynie
1925	Milan	L. R. Riley	H. A. Todd	W. D. Davis	J. W. Haynie
1926	New Bethlehem	C. L. Bowden	R. W. Puckett	W. D. Davis	J. W. Haynie
1927	Medina	W. C. Skinner	R. T. Skinner	W. D. Davis	J. W. Haynie
1928	Bethpage	D. L. Sturgis	W. F. Carlton	W. D. Davis	J. W. Haynie
1929	Atwood	J. L. Robertson	W. F. Carlton	J. I. Jones	J. W. Haynie
1930	Chapel Hill	H. J. Huey	W. F. Carlton	J. I. Jones	J. W. Haynie
1931	Walnut Grove	C. O. Simpson	J. L. Robertson	J. I. Jones	J. W. Haynie
1932	Spring Hill	H. W. Ellis	J. L. Robertson	J. I. Jones	J. W. Haynie
1933	Bethlehem	W. M. Pratt	J. L. Robertson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1934	Poplar Grove	H. C. Cox	J. L. Robertson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1935	China Grove	D. D. Smothers	C. O. Simpson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1936	Eldad	Lyn Claybrook	C. O. Simpson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1937	Center	S. R. Woodson	C. O. Simpson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1938	Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Hill	C. O. Simpson	I. H. Perry	J. W. Haynie
1939	Bethel-H	H. B. Woodard	H. J. Huey	I. H. Perry	N. D. Guy
1940	Oak Grove	L. M. Mayer	H. J. Huey	I. H. Perry	N. D. Guy
1941	Antioch	W. A. Farmer	S. R. Woodson	I. H. Perry	N. D. Guy
1942	Kenton	Reece R. Bledsoe	S. R. Woodson	I. H. Perry	N. D. Guy
1943	Bradford	Wade Carver	W. A. West	W. H. Keathley	N. D. Guy
1944	Milan	Paul A. Wieland	W. A. West	W. H. Keathley	N. D. Guy
1945	Center	W. A. West	Paul A. Wieland	W. H. Keathley	R. H. Hampton
1946	White Hall	F. W. Gillespie	Paul A. Wieland	W. H. Keathley	Annette Logan
1947	Salem	R. H. Hampton	H. J. Huey	John Morris	D. P. McFarland
1948	Humboldt	H. A. Turner	R. H. Hampton	John Morris	I. H. Perry
1949	Humboldt	W. A. West	Haywood Highfill	John Morris	Dillard West
1950	Trenton FBC	Dillard West	Haywood Highfill	L. Robertson	Russell Crouse
1951	China Grove	Clyde Burke	Clyde Burke	L. Robertson	W. A. Porter
1952	Trenton, FBC	Hayward Highfill	W. A. Farmer	L. Robertson	Walter Martin
1953	Dyer, FBC	Walter M. Martin	W. A. Farmer	L. Robertson	Walter Martin
1954	Poplar Grove	J. R. Hamlin	Wilburn Nelson	L. Robertson	Walter Martin
1955	Medina	R. E. Crouse	Wilburn Nelson	L. Robertson	Walter Martin
1956	Trenton FBC/Beech Grove	Henry Wooten	Barney Flowers	Wilburn Nelson	Walter Martin
1957	Walnut Grove/Eldad	E. L. Smothers	Barney Flowers	Wilburn Nelson	Walter Martin
1958	Spring Hill/Gibson	F. M. Dowell	E. L. Smothers	Wilburn Nelson	Bill Oakley
1959	Dyer, FBC/Chapel Hill	W. C. Garland	E. L. Smothers	Wilburn Nelson	R. E. Brown
1960	Antioch/Kenton, FBC	C. W. Leonard	Walter Martin	Carmon Lannom	R. E. Brown
1961	Milan, FBC/Salem	Harry Garland	Walter Martin	Carmon Lannom	W. C. Breland
1962	Humboldt, FBC/Rutherford, FBC	Crawford Williams	R. Brown Hughes	Carmon Lannom	Hillard Goode
1963	Humboldt, FBC/Trenton, FBC	Orville McMahan	R. Brown Hughes	Carmon Lannom	Hillard Goode
1964	Northside/Mt. Pleasant	Leo Brown	W. C. Garland	Carmon Lannom	Willis Henson
1965	Bradford, FBC/Latham's Chapel	O. Wyndell Jones	W. C. Garland	Carmon Lannom	Willis Henson
1966	Oak Grove/Gibson	Herbert Higdon	W. C. Breland	Carmon Lannom	Willis Henson
1967	Antioch/White Hall	Willis Henson	W. L. Brown	Carmon Lannom	Willis Henson
1968	New Bethlehem/Trenton, FBC	Denzel Dukes	W. L. Brown	Argyle Graves	Hoyt Wilson
1969	Bradford, FBC/Rutherford, FBC	Wilburn Nelson	Herbert Higdon	Argyle Graves	Hoyt Wilson
1970	Chapel Hill/Dyer, FBC	Raymond Boston	Herbert Higdon	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1971	Medina, FBC/Kenton, FBC	Jerry Powell	O. Wyndell Jones	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1972	Humboldt, FBC/Hickory Grove	John Pippin	Raymond Boston	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1973	Salem/Trenton, FBC	Frank Kemper	Raymond Boston	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1974	Emmanuel-H/New Hope	Robert E. Brown	Jerry Powell	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1975	Immanuel-T/Mt. Pleasant	Michael Adams	Jerry Powell	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson

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1976	White Hall/Dyer, FBC	Herbert Higdon	Denzel Dukes	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1977	Walnut Grove/Center	Ben Wood	Denzel Dukes	J. D. Nowell	Hoyt Wilson
1978	Antioch/Gibson	Kester Cotton	John Pippin	J. D. Nowell	Paul Barkley
1979	Milan, FBC/Northside	James Powers	John Pippin	J. D. Nowell	Paul Barkley
1980	Kenton, FBC/New Bethlehem	W. H. DePriest	Bill Northcott	J. D. Nowell	Paul Barkley
1981	Humboldt, FBC/Rutherford, FBC	•	Frank Kemper	J. D. Nowell	Richard Holloman
1982	Trenton, FBC/Southside	Richard Holloman	Herschel Lindsey	J. D. Nowell	Richard Holloman
1983	Bradford, FBC/Bethpage	Gary Harner	Herschel Lindsey	J. D. Nowell	Richard Holloman
1984	Emmanuel-H/Salem	Don Whitt	Mike Kemper	J. D. Nowell	Kenneth Sparkman
1985	Antioch/Mt. Pleasant	W. D. Leach	John Farmer	J. D. Nowell	Brenda Parsons
1986	Milan, FBC/Avondale	James Spain	Jerry Legg	J. D. Nowell	Brenda Parsons
1987	Kenton, FBC/New Hope	W. W. Shanklin	Jerry Legg	J. D. Nowell	Virginia Stephens
1988	White Hall/Dyer, FBC	Jimmy Yarbrough	Garry Burkacki	J. D. Nowell	Virginia Stephens
1989	Northside/Medina, FBC	J. Edward North	Garry Burkacki	J. D. Nowell	Virginia Stephens
1990	Humboldt, FBC/Oakwood	Trevis Otey, Jr.	Greg McFadden	J. D. Nowell	Virginia Stephens
1991	Mt. Pleasant/Bethpage	Edward Marbury	Jerry Summers	J. D. Nowell	Virginia Stephens
1992	Trenton, FBC/Walnut Grove	Bobby Garland	Randy Latch	Fred Mabry	Virginia Stephens
1993	Emmanuel-H/Salem	Jerry Milam	Randy Latch	William Breeden	Virginia Stephens
1994	Antioch/Gibson	Billy Hammonds	Wayne Perkins	William Breeden	Virginia Stephens
1995 1996	Avondale/New Hope	Ira Singleton Don Cooper	Randy Crews	William Breeden William Breeden	Nell Breeden Virginia Stephens
1997	Rutherford, FBC/Bradford, FBC Fellowship/Laneview-K	Joe Franklin	Bobby Garland Billy Hammonds	William Breeden	Bobby Garland
1998	Medina, FBC/Chapel Hill	Dr. "Skip" Parvin	Don Cooper	William Breeden	Bobby Garland
1999	White Hall/Kenton, FBC	Tim Sanderson	Garry Miller	William Breeden	Bobby Garland Bobby Garland
2000	Emmanuel-H/New Bethlehem	Dr. Charles Pratt	Tim Sanderson	William Breeden	Bobby Garland Bobby Garland
2001	New Hope/Northside	Dr. Ed North	Dale Denning	William Breeden	Bobby Garland
2002	Smyrna/Dyer, FBC	Greg McFadden	Mike Nolen	William Breeden	Bobby Garland
2003	Mt. Pleasant/Fruitland	Johnny Criswell	Andy Rice	William Breeden	Bobby Garland
2004	White Hall/Medina, FBC	David Dockery	John Troutman	William Breeden	Virginia Stephens
2005	Humboldt, FBC/Chapel Hill	Dr. Todd Brady	Dr. Steve Atwood	William Breeden	Virginia Stephens
2006	Rutherford, FBC/Antioch	Dr. Jerry Tidwell	Dr. Charles Pratt	William Breeden	Virginia Stephens
2007	Fellowship/Kenton, FBC	David Dockery	Dr. Bill Espy	Jim Acree	Virginia Stephens
2008	New Bethlehem/Trenton, FBC	Dr. D. Singuefeld	Dr. Bill Espy	Jim Acree	Bill Rice
2009	Medina, FBC/Dyer, FBC	Eric Resse	John Coleman	Jim Acree	Leann Dillard
2010	Northside/Mt. Pleasant	Mike Roberts	John Coleman	Jim Acree	Leann Dillard
2011	Antioch/Kenton, FBC	Dr. Randy Davis	Joel Pigg	Jim Acree	Leann Dillard
2012	New Hope/Humboldt, FBC	Randy Chestnut	Corey Meggs	Jim Acree	Sheilah Peevyhouse
2013	Bradford, FBC/White Hall	Jamie Dowdy	Brian Roberston	Jim Acree	Sheilah Peevyhouse
2014	Salem/Smyrna	Flavio Machado	Dewayne Goodgine	Jim Acree	Sheilah Spangler
2015	Dyer, FBC	Dr. Charles Brock	Mike Sanders	Jim Acree	Sheilah Spangler
2016	Trenton, FBC	Dr. John Butts	Joey Hufstedler	Jim Acree	Leann Cherry
2017	Milan, FBC	Dr. Roc Collins	Chris Alexander	Jim Acree	Leann Cherry
2018	Salem Baptist Church, Trenton	Dr. David Evans	David Powell	Jim Acree	Leann Cherry
2019	New Hope Baptist Church, Dyer	Douglas Xavier	Billy Criswell	Jim Acree	Leann Cherry
2020	Kenton First Baptist Church		Steve Littleton	Jim Acree	Leann Cherry