# 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

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CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

> Philippians 3:12-14 14 I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.

Adonia Asheville Korean **Balfour Bat Cave Barker Heights Bearwallow Beulah** Biltmore Broad River Cedar Springs Crab Creek **Contemporary First** Double Springs **FBC Hendersonville** East Flat Rock Ebenezer Etowah Dana First Baptist Church Español Fletcher First French Broad Fruitland Gethsemane Horse Shoe Iglesia Bautista Aqua Vista Jones Gap Kings Grove Liberty Living Water Locust Grove Main Street Middle Fork Mount Gilead Mountain Home Mount Moriah Mountain Valley Mountain View Mud Creek Naples Oak Forest **Refuge Saluda First Shaws Creek** Pleasant Grove Pleasant Hill Speak Life Tuxedo First Upward Valley Hill Zion Hill West Hendersonville Baptist Church

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147th Semi-Annual Sessions of the

## CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

### Meetings in 2024

April 23, 2024 Spring Semi-Annual Conference

Speaker: Rev. Brandon McMinn, Senior Pastor East Flat Rock First Baptist Church 7:00pm Business Meeting Location: Barker Heights Baptist Church 215 Glover Street Hendersonville, NC 28792



October 22, 2024 Fall Semi-Annual Conference

Speaker: Todd Unzicker Executive Director/Treasurer NC Baptist State Convention 5:30 Meal / 7:00pm - Business Meeting Location: Fruitland Baptist Bible College 1455 Gilliam Road Hendersonville, NC 28792



The Carolina Baptist Association is a self governing fellowship of autonomous Southern Baptist churches. Our purpose is to develop healthy churches and help them grow:

Powerful through Prayer Warmer through Fellowship Deeper through Discipleship Stronger through Worship Broader through Ministry Larger through Evangelism

# Carolina Baptist Association

# MISSION

Partnering together to fulfill the Great Commission.

# VISION

As an association of Baptist churches in Henderson County, we will intentionally work together to increase missional awareness & accelerate strategic mobilization for the Great Commission through church planting & revitalization, leadership development, local & international community engagement, and ministry partnership formation with Gospel-centered organizations.



### CBA STAFF

- Ray Brickhouse, Interim Associational Mission Strategist
- · Paula Janes, Office Manager
- Rebecca Moon, Missions and Ministry Coordinator

### ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

- Ray Brickhouse, Moderator
- · Jose Alonso, Vice Moderator
- · Collin Terenzini, Treasurer
- Keris Suttles, Clerk





### CHURCH STRENGTHENING TEAM

- Team Leaders: Steven Blanton, Clint McKnight
   Sub-teams: EQUIP Conference; Women's Ministry; Bivocational & Small Church Support
- · Others to be established as needed by the Leadership Team

### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT TEAM

Team Leaders: William Hardin, Frank Stout

- Sub-teams: Baptists on Mission (Carpenter's Hands); Acts 1:8 Vision Team
- Others to be established as needed by the Leadership Team





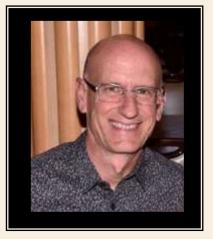


### ASSOCIATIONAL OPERATIONS TEAM

Team Leader: Collin Terenzini, Clerk (Vacant)

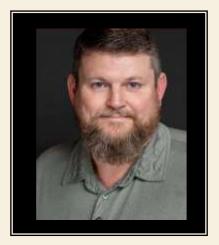
- Sub-teams: Stewardship, Membership, Recruitment, Communications
- · Others to be established as needed by the Leadership Team

# **CBA Staff**



Rev. Dr. Currie Tilley Associational Mission Strategist Resigned August 14, 2023

1 Corinthians 10:31



Rev. Ray Brickhouse, Interim Associational Mission Strategist August 21, 2023

Galatians 5:25



Mrs. Paula Janes Financial/Office Manager cba1877@gmail.com

Psalms 46:1



Mrs. Rebecca Moon Missions and Ministry Coordinator rmoon.cba@gmail.com

John 10:28

# Leadership Team

### ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS



CHURCH

# STRENGTHENING TEAM

| Moderator:        | Ray Brickhouse (Oak Forest)<br>484 Jackson Road<br>Fletcher, NC 28732<br>Church Phone: 828-684-8038<br>Email: pastorray001@gmail.com<br>Took office October 18, 2022                                       | L |
|-------------------|--|---|
| Vice Moderator:   | Jose Alonso (FBCH En Espanola)<br>577 Buncombe Street<br>Hendersonville, NC 28792<br>Pastor Phone: 828-337-2620<br>Email: alonsoj@fbchnc.org<br>Took office February 15, 2021                              |   |
| Clerk:            | Keris Suttles (Ebenezer) *<br>2557 Chimney Rock Road<br>Hendersonville, NC 28792<br>Church Phone: 828-450-6791<br>Email: suttleskeris@gmail.com<br>Took office October 18, 2022<br>Resigned August 1, 2023 | L |
| Treasurer:        | Collin Terenzini (Shaws Creek)<br>91 Shaws Creek Road<br>Hendersonville, NC 28791<br>Church Phone: 828-692-4430<br>Email: pastor@mycreek.org<br>Took office October 18, 2022                               |   |
| ***********       | *****  |   |
| Historian:        | Paula Janes (Refuge/CBA)<br>601 Hebron Road<br>Hendersonville, NC 28739<br>Phone: 828-693-3493<br>Email: cba1877@gmail.com<br>Took office October 17, 2017   |   |
| *Parliamentarian: | Trey Matthews (Ebenezer)<br>2557 Chimney Rock Road<br>Hendersonville, NC 28791<br>Church Phone: 828-692-0170<br>Email: trey@ebcnc.org<br>Took office January 1, 2023                                       | L |

\* Person appointed by the Moderator

Leaders:

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Clint McKnight (Horse Shoe) PO Box 125 Horse Shoe, NC 28742 Pastor Phone: 910-817-5107 Email: cmcknight@aol.com Served since April 24, 2017

Steven Blanton (Ebenezer) 2557 Chimney Rock Road Hendersonville, NC 28792 Email: tarheelpreacher@yahoo.com Served since October 17, 2017

### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT TEAM

\_eaders: William Hardin (Fruitland)

150 College Street Hendersonville, NC 28792 Pastor Phone: 828-551-6191 Email: preacherman2050@att.net Served since October 20, 2015

Frank Stout (Ebenezer) 2557 Chimney Rock Road Hendersonville, NC 28792 Phone: 828-450-6791 Email: frankandleslie99@gmail.com Served since October 18, 2022



ASSOCIATIONAL **OPERATIONS TEAM** 

\_eaders:

Collin Terenzini (Shaws Creek) 91 Shaws Creek Road Hendersonville, NC 28791 Church Phone: 828-692-4430 Email: pastor@mycreek.org Served since October 18, 2022

Keris Suttles (Ebenezer) \*



Trustees are elected by the Nominations Team. They are presented at the Spring Meeting and take office January 1st and serve a three year term.

Term Expires: 2023 Greg Newman (FBCH) 282-692-0402

Took office January 1, 2021, for a 3 year term. Term expires December 31, 2023.

Term Expires: 2024 Leroy Nicholson (Dana) 828-692-5941

Took office January 1, 2021 for a 3 year term. Term expires December 31, 2024. Note: Term was extended one extra year to have one Trustee rotate off every year. Term Expires: 2025 Eddie Osteen (828) 974-1122

Took office January 1, 2022 for a 3 year term. Term expires December 31,2025.





The Kurdish Peoples are one of the largest people groups without a formal country, with 30-45 million estimated to live in several different countries.



The Kurdish People are 99.9% Muslims. They live in an area with lots of biblical history and yet many have never had the opportunity to hear the Gospel.



The Kurdish People have the most presence in Iraq and Turkey, with a very strong presence in the Northern Iraqi providences of: Dohuk, Erbil, and Sulaymaniyah.



The Kurdish People face constant discrimination, even today. During the 1980's it is estimated that over 180,000 Iraqi Kurds were killed in Iraq under Saddam Hussein.



Due to several different factors (religion, discrimination, etc.) many Kurds, especially women, do not know how to read or have been denied an education.

### Semi-Annual Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the CBA 146<sup>th</sup> Spring Meeting April 25, 2023 – 7pm East Flat Rock First Baptist Church

Welcome and Prayer - Brandon McMinn, Pastor at East Flat Rock First Baptist Church, opened the meeting in prayer and welcomed all the attendees.

Associational Operations - Ray Brickhouse, Moderator of the Leadership Team at CBA and Pastor at Oak Forest Baptist Church, called the business meeting into session.

He then recognized new Pastors and Staff and asked them to introduce themselves and share some information about them with those present.

- Kevin Long, Crab Creek Baptist Church welcomed Kevin as full-time January 29, 2023. Kevin is married to Natalie Long and they have one son. (Kevin was not present at the Spring Semi-Annual meeting).
- Brandon McMinn, East Flat Rock First Baptist Church welcomed Brandon McMinn as full-time pastor January 16, 2023. Brandon is married to Brianna.
- Scott Westmoreland, Etowah Baptist welcomed Scott as full-time pastor April 16, 2023. Scott is married to Teresa and they have one daughter and granddaughter.

Ray then presented the following Leadership Team and Team Leaders for affirmation. Tony Halford (Pastor at Mountain View Baptist) made the motion to affirm the leadership as presented, Tony Reese (Pastor at Saluda First) seconded, there was no opposition, motion was carried. With the exception of Keris Suttles, who will be rotating off as CBA Clerk in October, all team members will continue in their role for the 2023-2024 year.



Financial Report - Paula Janes, Office Manager/CBA presented the Financial Report. As this was a report for information only, no voting was necessary. Ray opened the floor for a question and answer session. There were none so he called the business meeting out of session.

Message - Collin Terenzini, Pastor at Shaws Creek Baptist Church, gave the message from Nehemiah 1:1-4. The question of the evening was "Can God bring dead things back to life"? He shared that upright ministers of the faith have bended knees. Our prayers have to be active, not passive; is God your steering wheel or spare tire? Don't ask God to bless your ministry if you don't think He can.

### Semi-Annual Meeting Minutes

Video: AMS Video.

### Associational Mission Strategist Report

- Currie recognized the following faithful servants:
  - o Becky Wuerzer, WOC Leader from September 2020 to April 2023 and introduced Summer Cannon who will be leading the WOC Team.
  - o Rev. Dewey Barnwell is retiring as pastor of Beulah Church. Pastor Barnwell has been faithfully serving as pastor for 33 years.
  - Rev. Sam Gibbs who passed April 22, 2023. Sam served for 15 years as Director of Church and Community Missions.
  - Currie referenced Jeremiah 1:9-10 as his theme verse. He emphasized that we continue to reconstruct, but with a spiritual blue print.
- Foundation: Mission and Vision:
  - Mission: Partnering together to fulfill the Great Commission, Matthew 28:18-20.
  - Vision: Currie pointed out that his title & responsibilities are seen in this vision: Associational Mission Strategist; As an association of Baptist churches in Henderson County, the CBA will intentionally work together to increase missional awareness & accelerate strategic mobilization for the Great Commission through church planting & revitalization, leadership development, local & international community engagement, and ministry partnership formation with Gospel-centered organizations.
  - Strategy #1 focus is Church Strengthening; referencing Ephesians 3: 7-10. The CBA's strategic emphasis will be focused on strengthening our churches and will continue partnering together to fulfill the Great Commission.
  - o Church strengthen plans in progress and next steps:
    - Pastor & wives support; healthy leaders-healthy churches
    - Revitalization cohort of pastors
    - Bi-vocational/smaller church support accessibility to tools & resources to stay on mission
    - Mission insight understanding our community, customized for each church, available now
    - Strategy #2 is Community Engagement plans in progress and next steps:
      - Targeted communication from CBA office on ways to connect & engage with opportunities
      - Joining in on existing work taking place through NCBOM, NCMB, IMB (On Mission Together booklet).
    - Disaster Relief training opportunities; FBCH May 20<sup>th</sup>.
  - Structure: CBA Leadership Team our structure is designed to support our strategy. This is the blueprint for reconstruction. The foundation does not change (gospel, mission). The structure (organization, configuration, strategy plans) will continue to be adjusted.
- Currie then showed the NC Missions Offering video and explained the importance of this offering.

Certificates were given out to the top 3 NCMO giving churches:

- 1. First Baptist Church Hendersonville
- 2. First Baptist Church Saluda
- 3. East Flat Rock First Baptist

### Community Engagement

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Missions and Ministry Report – Rebecca Moon thanked the churches for their support and emphasized that the association could not serve the community without the help of the churches. She referred them to page 9 of the agenda where the ministries of the CBA were listed. She then went on to show the similarities of profit and loss in secular business and Christian outreach. In a business profit and loss is based on revenue in and out; in Christian ministry profit and loss is based on people who accept Jesus Christ as their savior (profit) and those who do not (loss). Christians have been commissioned to share the gospel far and wide and our bottom line should reflect a profit not a loss for souls entering the Kingdom of heaven.

Deep Impact – Brandon Powell, Student Mobilization Coordinator with Baptist on Mission shared a video on Deep Impact and explained the focus and outreach emphasis of their ministry. DI kids will be in Hendersonville June 12-16 and DI students will be here June 19-23. There are 13 service mission projects scheduled in the community with the DI students.

Habitat for Humanity – Kristin Boelter, Volunteer Manager for Habitat for Humanity in Hendersonville, shared a video of a home build by volunteers from First Baptist Church Hendersonville, DI students laying sod and landscaping at one of the home builds and a house dedication of two homes where FBCH and DI has worked. She shared with those present the vision and mission of Habitat for Humanity. She also brought a 2x4 that will be used in a house and asked those in attendance to write scripture and blessings on it.

Currie gave closing remarks, thanked attendees and participants and offered a call to respond.

Acknowledgements:

- o Iglesia Baptista Agua Viva Praise Team lead congregational singing.
- Keris Suttles was sound and video technician.

### Display Tables:

- o Mike Nelson with Carpenter's Hands
- o Sandra Wilson with Harvest Seeds
- o Zach Minnock with Fruitland Baptist Bible College
- o Kristin Boelter with Habitat for Humanity
- o Brandon Powell with Baptist on Mission

Closing Prayer was offered by Marco Hernandez, Pastor at Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva.

Messengers

Spring Annual Session - April 25, 2023 East Flat Rock FBC

### Messengers-

Bat Cave - Rev. Dr. Nathan Sundt Crab Creek - Raymond & Suzette Hatchett Etowah - Rev. Scott and Mrs. Teresa Westmoreland, Mike & Christine Paynter, Eva McCrary East Flat Rock FBC - Rev. Brandon & Mrs. Briana McMinn FBC Hendersonville - John Roach, Brian Proctor (Minister of Missions), Kathy Proctor, Rev. Ray Talley (Retired) FBC En Espanol - Rev. Jose & Mrs. Maria (Aguire) Alonso FBC Saluda - Rev. Tony Reese French Broad - Rev. Kemuel Pruitt Fruitland - Rev. William Hardin, Anne Gilbert, Zach Minnock, Linda Bradley Iglesia Bautista Aqua Viva - Rev. Marco Hernandez Main Street - Jana Jones Mountain View - Rev. Tony Halford Oak Forest - Rev. Ray & Mrs. Ivy Brickhouse Shaws Creek - Rev. Collin & Mrs. Kierstin Terenzini, Kevin Robinson, Pete Davis Tuxedo - Summer Cannon Valley Hill - Rev. David Woodie

### Participants-

\* Boelter, Kristen Volunteer Coordinator, Hendersonville Habitat for Humanity (Speaker and Table) Brickhouse, Ray CBA Moderator, Pastor at Oak Forest

Baptist Church Garrett, Bobby, Director of Campus Facilities, Fruitland Baptist Bible College (Table) Hernandez, Marco, Pastor at Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva Janes, Paula Finance/Office Manager, CBA Keris Suttles - CBA Clerk & Sound Technician McMinn, Brandon Pastor at East Flat Rock FBC Moon, Rebecca Missions and Ministry Coordinator, CBA

### \* Nelson, Mike Carpenter's Hands Ministry (Table)

\* Powell, Brandon Student Mobilization, Baptists on Mission (Speaker and Table)

Terenzini, Collin - CBA Treasurer, Pastor at Shaws Creek Baptist Church

Tilley, Currie - Associational Mission Strategist, CBA Wilson, Sandra - Coordinator, Harvest Seeds Ministry (Table)

Iglesia Bautista Aqua Viva - Praise Team

### Visitors: \*

FBC King - Nathan Fletcher

Shaws Creek - Barry Schell, Riley & Jan Brown, Steve & Kathy Cairnes, David & Marilyn Tippen, Joyce Jolly, Mick & Jeri Frye, Rev. Richard & Mrs. Beverly Merck

### Attendance:

33 messengers, 8 speakers, 5 display tables, 16 visitors representing 17 churches (including host church) and Baptist on Mission

\* Visitors

### Semi-Annual Meeting Minutes

### Minutes of the CBA 146<sup>th</sup> Fall Semi-Annual Meeting October 10, 2023 – 7pm Fruitland Baptist Bible College

Welcome and Prayer – Pastor Ray Brickhouse, Interim AMS and Senior Pastor at Oak Forest Baptist Church, welcomed everyone and opened the meeting in prayer.

Praise and Worship was led by Adam Neal, Biltmore Church, Hendersonville Campus

Associational Operations – Pastor Jose Alonso, Vice-Moderator of the Leadership Team at CBA and Pastor of First Baptist Church En Espanol Hendersonville, called the business meeting into session.

Recognition of Pastors and Staff: Jose recognized new pastors and staff and asked them to introduce themselves and share some information about them with those present.

- Jesse Peters Naples Baptist Church welcomed Jesse Peters as full-time pastor on June 18<sup>th</sup>. He is married to Devon Peters and they have four children.
- Steve Sigmon Horse Shoe First Baptist Church welcomed Steve Sigmon as bi-vocational Pastor of Families, Education and Evangelism on September 4, 2023.
- Zack Minnick Fruitland Baptist Church welcomed Zack Minnick as the Director of Youth Ministry on August 27, 2023

Recognition of Outgoing Leadership Team Members:

• Keris Suttles was recognized for her outstanding contributions to the CBA Leadership Team serving as Clerk.

AMS Report: In August Currie Tilley, AMS for the CBA accepted a position with the NC Baptist Convention Home Office in Cary, NC. Ray Brickhouse was unanimously voted in to serve Interim Associational Mission Strategist while the Search Committee looked for qualified candidates to fill the position. Ray assured those present that the CBA will continue to be unified and moving in the same direction according to God's plan. Currie Tilley did a great job examining the layout of the CBA and implementing an effective plan to help us stay "on mission together." Our job now in the interim is to "forge ahead" together under the mission we have before us. Here are a few ways we are doing just that.

- We have a solid staff who are doing a good job maintaining all of the behind-the-scenes details to keep us on track and moving forward.
- We have a solid group of volunteers who serve in various capacities to keep us moving forward.
- We are still seeking to provide encouragement, resources, and training for our pastors.
- We are still seeking to provide resources and training to our churches that can help strengthen their ministries.
- We are still seeking to provide opportunities to connect churches with mission opportunities, both locally, nationally, and internationally.

It was brought to those in attendance that Covenant Baptist Church has requested membership from the CBA.

Ray Brickhouse introduced the Associational Mission Strategist Search Committee Members:

- Jose Alonso (FBC H'ville En Español)
- Eric Gash (Speak Life)
- Tony Halford (Mountain View Missionary)
- William Hardin (Fruitland)
- Natalie Long (Crab Creek)
- Brandon McMinn (East Flat Rock First)
- Collin Terenzini (Shaws Creek)

#### Ministry Highlights:

- CBA Missions and Ministry Report was given by Rebecca Moon
- Operation Christmas Child presentation was given by Kathy Merrill
- NC Baptist Children's Home presentation was given by Lewis Smith
- Melani Lainhart presented information on the Guardian ad Litem Program

Pastor Ray Brickhouse then shared a message from Philippians 3:12-14 titled "Forging On"

Special offering for tonight's meeting was the Bethlehem Toy Store. Adam Neal provided special music. Pastor Jose Alonso closed the meeting in prayer.

Minutes recorded by Rebecca Moon

Messengers

Fall Annual Session - October 7, 2023 Fruitland Bible Baptist College

### Messengers:

Adonia - Bobbie Garrett Bat Cave - Rev. Dr. Nathan Sundt Crab Creek - Rev. Kevin & Mrs. Natalie Long, Ray & Suzette Hackett Etowah - Rev. Scott Westmoreland, Eva McCrary, Mike & Christine Paynter, Wanda Love FBC East Flat Rock - Rev. Brandon McMinn, David & Lynette Jones First Baptist En Español - Rev. Jose & Mrs. Maria (Aquire) Alonso FBC Hendersonville - Doug Moon FBC Horse Shoe – Mike Lance FBC Saluda - Eddie Banther Fruitland - Rev. William Hardin, Rev. Chris Pace, Anne Gilbert, Rev. Zach & Mrs. Lauren Minnock, Ryan Fogarty, Sharon White Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva - Rev. Marco & Mrs. Rosalba Hernandez, Marco & Deia Martha Patino, Alberto & Alyssa Franco Main Street – Jana Jones, Katie Murdock Mountain View - Rev. Tony & Mrs. Teresa Halford, Gloria Nock Mud Creek - Sydney Lowder Naples - Rick Heatherly, Marissa Dunlow Oak Forest - Rev. Ray & Mrs. Ivy Brickhouse Shaws Creek: Rev. Collin Terenzini Valley Hill Baptist Church - Rev. David Woodie, Terry & Bennie Baker

### Participants:

\* Addock, Kenny - Truett Conference Center & Camp, Table

Alonso, Jose - Vice Moderator, CBA; Pastor, First Baptist Church En Español

Brickhouse, Ray - Interim AMS, CBA; Moderator, CBA; Pastor, Oak Forest Baptist Church

Janes, Paula - Office/Finance Manager, CBA; Refuge Baptist Church

\* Lainhart, Melani - NC Program Supervisor, Guardian ad Litem; Speaker & Table

\* Merrill, Kathy - Church Relations Team/ Blue Ridge Area, Operation Christmas Child, Speaker & Table Moon, Rebecca - Missions & Ministry Coordinator, CBA;

First Baptist Church Hendersonville

\* Neal, Adam - Founder of Refuge Retreat; Biltmore Church; Worship Leader and Table

\* Smith, Lewis - Western Area Director of Development, Baptist Children's Homes

Terenzini, Collin - Treasurer, CBA; Pastor, Shaws Creek Baptist Church

\* Weshe, Mike - Baptists on Mission and Table

### Tables:

Bethlehem Toy Store (CBA) The Storehouse

Production Team: Fruitland Baptist Bible College

### Attendance:

45 messengers, 8 speakers, 7 display tables, 6 visitors representing 18 churches and Baptists on Mission

# **Historical Record**

| Year         | Moderator                     | Clerk   | Place   | Preacher                          |
|--------------|-------------------------------|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1930         | E.E. Bomar                    | Arthur Jackson  | Double Springs                                      | T.W. Ayers                        |
| 1931         | E.E. Bomar                    | Arthur Jackson  | Balfour   | J.M. Page                         |
| 1932         | E.E. Bomar                    | W.H. Ford   | Refuge  | D.B. Martin                       |
| 1933         | N.B. Phillips                 | W.H. Ford   | Bat Cave  | W.H. Ford                         |
| 1934         | N.B. Phillips                 | James L. Brown  | East Flat Rock First                                | J.M. Justice                      |
| 1935         | W.B. Sinclair                 | Roy Bennett   | Mud Creek   | Broadus Jonese                    |
| 1936         | W.B. Sinclair                 | Mrs. J.L. Redden  | French Broad  | Paul Hartsell                     |
| 1937         | M.L. Walker                   | Roy Bennett   | Fruitland   | Broadus E.Wall                    |
| 1938         | M.L. Walker                   | W.H. Cole   | Tuxedo First  | A.A. Edney                        |
| 1939         | M.L. Walker                   | M.A. Kiser  | Mountain Page                                       | B.G. Henry                        |
| 1940         | Victor Rector                 | W.H. Davis  | Dana  | A.E. Kilstrom                     |
| 1941         | Victor Rector                 | W.H. Davis  | Double Springs                                      | N.B. Phillips                     |
| 1942         | Victor Rector                 | Charles Vause   | Hendersonville First                                | N.A. Melton                       |
| 1943         | D.G. Wilkie                   | A.V. Reese  | Fletcher First                                      | W.Worthy                          |
|              |                               |   | East Flat Rock First                                | Otto Parham                       |
| 1944         | D.G. Wilkie                   | A.V. Reese  | Hooper's Creek                                      | O.M. Seigler                      |
| 1945         | M.L. Walker                   | Mrs. E.M. Bostick   | Horse Shoe First                                    | J.N. Shuford                      |
|              |                               |   | Balfour   | L.A.Erwin                         |
| 1946         | M.L. Walker                   | Mrs. E.M. Bostick   | Oak Grove   | Wayne Peek                        |
| 1947         | F.M. Huggins                  | E.V. Plemmons   | Mud Creek   | Fred Poplin                       |
| 1948         | F.M. Huggins                  | E.V. Plemmons   | Hendersonville First                                | Ralph Banning                     |
| 1949         | F.M. Huggins                  | E.V. Plemmons   | Valley Hill   | C.E.Scarborough                   |
| 1950         | M.L.Walker                    | Roy Campbell  | Dana  | D.H. Daniels                      |
| 1951         | M.L.Walker                    | Roy Campbell  | Refuge  | W.C. Huntley                      |
| 1952         | M.L.Walker                    | Roy Campbell  | East Flat Rock First                                | N.A. Melton                       |
| 1953         | M.L.Walker                    | Roy Campbell  | Mud Creek   | Mack M. Goss                      |
| 1954         | N.A. Melton                   | Mrs. Fred Swift   | Etowah  | W.F. Sinclair                     |
| 1955         | N.A. Melton                   | Mrs. Fred Swift   | Tryon First   | R.A.Banning                       |
| 1956         | N.A. Melton                   | Rafe P. Lockaby   | Valley Hill   | J.P. Canipe                       |
| 1957         | M.M. Goss                     | Roy F. Easterly   | Beulah  | W.S. Billingly                    |
| 1958         | M.M. Goss                     | Roy F. Easterly   | Hendersonville First                                | T.G. Proctor                      |
| 1959         | M.M. Goss                     | Calvin Freeman  | Etowah  | Charles Stanley                   |
| 1960         | T.G. Proctor                  | Calvin Freeman  | Shaws Creek   | Homer Baker                       |
| 1961         | T.G. Proctor                  | Calvin Freeman  | Balfour   | George Roberts                    |
| 1962         | M.L. Walker                   | Lyman Wilson  | Mount Moriah  | Richard Davis                     |
| 1963         | M.L. Walker                   | Lyman Wilson  | Mt. Gilead/Cross Roads                              | E.R. Boyd                         |
| 1964         | Albert Hill                   | Lyman Wilson  | Fruitland/Valley Hill                               | Henry B. Stokes                   |
| 1965         | Albert Hill                   | Lyman Wilson  | Mud Creek/Fletcher First                            | George Johnson Jr.                |
| 1966         | John Rymer                    | Roy D.Keller  | EFRFirst/Saluda First                               | Silas Bradley                     |
| 1967         | John Rymer                    | Roy D.Keller  | Naples/Refuge                                       | Frank Carter                      |
| 1968         | George Roberts                | John Rymer  | Barker Heights                                      | C.H. Greene                       |
| 1969         | George Roberts                | Guthrie Colvard   | Main Street/Balfour                                 | Curtis McCarley                   |
| 1970         | John Rymer                    | Guthrie Colvard/V. Rymer                                    | Naples/Shaws Creek                                  | Ian Walker                        |
| 1971         | John Rymer                    | Guthrie Colvard/V. Rymer                                    | Tuxedo First/Etowah                                 | Bobby Graham                      |
| 1972         | Frank Carter                  | Guthrie Colvard/V. Rymer                                    | Ebenezer/Mud Creek                                  | John Rymer                        |
| 1973         | Frank Carter                  | Guthrie Colvard/V. Rymer                                    | Double Springs/Naples                               | Harlod McKinnish                  |
| 1974         | Frank Hopkins                 | Velma Rymer   | Locust Grove/Saluda First                           | Charles Magnet                    |
| 1975         | Dean Weaver                   | Latt Beshears/V. Rymer                                      | W H'ville/Fruitland                                 | Dean Weaver                       |
| 1976         | Dean Weaver                   | Latt Beshears/V. Rymer                                      | Etowah/Mount Moriah                                 | R.P. Hamby                        |
| 1977         | Dean Weaver                   | Latt Beshears/Hazel Duncan                                  | D.Springs/Tryon First                               | R.P. Hamby                        |
| 1978         | Charles Magnet                | Latt Beshears/Hazel Duncan                                  | Mtn. Valley/F. Broad                                | Jimmy Cox                         |
| 1979<br>1980 | Sam F. Padgett                | Leon Nicholson/Hazel Duncan<br>Marie Blackwell/Hazel Duncan | Dana/Balfour<br>Valley Hill/H'ville First           | L. Nicholson<br>W. Willingham     |
|              | John Rymer                    |   | 2   | e                                 |
| 1981         | John Rymer                    | Mrs. G. Holland/Hazel Duncan                                | Beulah/Ebenezer                                     | Ray Linville                      |
| 1982         | W. Willingham                 | Mrs. Roy Duncan   | Mountain Home/Refuge                                | Allen Jewett                      |
| 1983<br>1984 | W. Willingham                 | Laurena Helms<br>Laurena Helms                              | Barker Heights/EFRock First                         |                                   |
|              | John Rymer<br>Mervin Corrison |   | Mount Gilead/Tuxedo First                           | Dewey Thomas                      |
| 1985         | Mervin Garrison               | Laurena Helms   | Mountain Valley/Fruitland<br>Mount Morish/Mtn. View | Nathan Blackwell                  |
| 1986         | Mervin Garrison               | Laurena Helms   | Mount Moriah/Mtn. View                              | Rich Liner                        |
| 1987         | Rich Liner                    | Mrs. M. McGraw  | W.H'ville/Mud Creek                                 | Lawrence Goodman                  |
| 1988         | Rich Liner                    | Mrs. M. McGraw  | Etowah/Naples                                       | Bill Landreth                     |
| 1989         | Greg Mathis<br>Bigh Lingr     | Mrs. M. McGraw  | French Broad/EFR First                              | John Rymer                        |
| 1987<br>1988 | Rich Liner<br>Rich Liner      | Mrs. M. McGraw<br>Mrs. M. McGraw                            | W .H'ville/Mud Creek<br>Etowah/Naples               | Lawrence Goodman<br>Bill Landreth |
| 1988         | Greg Mathis                   | M M M C   | French Broad/EFR First                              | John Rymer                        |
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# **Historical Record**

| Year                     | Moderator                          | Clerk                              | Place   | Preacher                       |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1990                     | Greg Mathis                        | Mrs. M. McGraw                     | Valley Hill/Ebenezer                                | Ray Ledford                    |
| 1991                     | David Hyde                         | Lucy Sitton                        | Main Street/Refuge                                  | John Rymer                     |
| 1992<br>1993             | Paul Chandler Jr.                  | Lucy Sitton                        | Hoopers Creek/Balfour                               | Bobbie Arrowood                |
|                          | Bobbie Arrowood<br>Bobbie Arrowood | Lucy Sitton<br>Lucy Sitton         | Oak Forest/ Etowah<br>Fletcher First                | Tommy Martin<br>Steve Scoggins |
| 1994 Spring<br>1994 Fall | Bobbie Arrowood                    | Lucy Sitton                        | Crab Creek  | Bobbie Arrowood                |
| 1995 Spring              | W. W. Willingham                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Mills River   | Roy Waldroup                   |
| 1995 Fall                | W. W. Willingham                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Hendersonville First                                | W. W. Willingham               |
| 1996 Spring              | W. W. Willingham                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Pleasant Hill                                       | David Hyde                     |
| 1996 Fall                | W. W. Willingham                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Mud Creek   | David MacEachern               |
| 1997 Spring              | Harold McKinnish                   | Lucy Sitton                        | E Flat Rock First                                   | Tim Turner                     |
| 1997 Fall                | Harold McKinnish                   | Lucy Sitton                        | French Broad  | Harold McKinnish               |
| 1998 Spring              | Harold McKinnish                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Naples  | Frank Denning                  |
| 1998 Fall                | Harold McKinnish                   | Lucy Sitton                        | Ebenezer  | Ron Fousek                     |
| 1999 Spring              | Wade Laughter                      | Lucy Sitton                        | Shaws Creek   | Wade Laughter                  |
| 1999 Fall                | Wade Laughter                      | Lucy Sitton                        | Horse Shoe First                                    | Zollie Ward                    |
| 2000 Spring              | Bill Landreth                      | Lucy Sitton                        | Mount Moriah  | Ray Talley                     |
| 2000 Fall                | Bill Landreth                      | Lucy Sitton                        | Balfour<br>Mount Gilead                             | Brian Davis                    |
| 2001 Spring<br>2001 Fall | Joe Mullins<br>Joe Mullins         | Lucy Sitton<br>Lucy Sitton         | Contemporary First                                  | Sandy Beck<br>Dan Blackwell    |
| 2001 Fail<br>2002 Spring | Joe Mullins                        | Lucy Sitton                        | Jones Gap   | Philip Capell                  |
| 2002 Spring<br>2002 Fall | Joe Mullins                        | Lucy Sitton                        | East Flat Rock FBC                                  | Paul Noe                       |
| 2003 Spring              | Brian Davis                        | Jana Jones                         | Fruitland   | Paul Black                     |
| 2003 Fall                | Brian Davis                        | Jana Jones                         | Hendersonville First                                | Kemuel Pruitt                  |
| 2004 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Jana Jones                         | Saluda First  | Mike Stewart                   |
| 2004 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Jana Jones                         | Hendersonville First                                | Richard Harris                 |
| 2005 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Becky Turpin                       | Etowah  | Sam Boyd                       |
| 2005 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Becky Turpin                       | Fletcher First                                      | Richard Merck                  |
| 2006 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Carlene Burleson                   | Fruitland   | Mike Smith                     |
| 2006 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Carlene Burleson                   | Bat Cave  | Jimmy Tarrant                  |
| 2007 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Carlene Burleson                   | French Broad  | Alvin Melton                   |
| 2007 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Carlene Burleson                   | Mud Creek   | Greg Mathis                    |
| 2008 Spring              | Mike Smith                         | Vincent Hoots                      | Valley Hill   | Tracy Fletcher                 |
| 2008 Fall<br>2009 Spring | Mike Smith<br>Mike Smith           | Vincent Hoots<br>Vincent Hoots     | West Hendersonville<br>Living Water                 | Brian Henderson<br>Thad Dowdle |
| 2009 Spring<br>2009 Fall | Mike Smith                         | Vincent Hoots                      | East Flat Rock FBC                                  | D.L. Lowrie                    |
| 2010 Spring              | Mark Hunnicutt                     | Shelia Corn                        | Balfour   | Ryan Pack                      |
| 2010 Fall                | Mark Hunnicutt                     | Shelia Corn                        | Ebenezer  | Milton Hollifield              |
| 2011 Spring              | Mark Hunnicutt                     | Shelia Corn                        | French Broad  | David MacEachern               |
| 2011 Fall                | Mark Hunnicutt                     | Shelia Corn                        | Fletcher  | David Horton                   |
| 2012 Spring              | Brian Henderson                    | Autumn Thompson (Filling In)       | Gethsemane  | Tony Hall                      |
| 2012 Fall                | Brian Henderson                    | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Etowah  | Shannon Owen                   |
| 2013 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Naples  | Mike Smith                     |
| 2013 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Bat Cave  | Mark Hunnicutt                 |
| 2014 Spring              | David MacEachern                   | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Main Street   | Branton Burleson               |
| 2014 Fall                | David MacEachern                   | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Crab Creek  | Brad Knox                      |
| 2015 Spring<br>2015 Fall | Brad Knox                          | Paula Janes (Filling In)           | Mountain Valley                                     | Sandy Beck                     |
| 2015 Fall<br>2016 Spring | Brad Knox<br>David MacEachern      | Shelia Corn<br>Shelia Corn         | Refuge<br>Mud Creek                                 | Roy Perry<br>Robert Hefner     |
| 2016 Spring<br>2016 Fall | Tony Reese                         | Shelia Corn                        | Ebenezer  | Steve Scoggins                 |
| 2017 Spring              | Tony Reese                         | Laura Sullins (Filling In)         | East Flat Rock FBC                                  | Scott Thompson                 |
| 2017 Fall                | Tony Reese                         | Laura Sullins (Filling In)         | Etowah  | Michael Smith                  |
| 2018 Spring              | Tony Reese                         | Laura Sullins (Filling In)         | FBC Saluda  | Jim Hyler                      |
| 2018 Fall                | Tony Reese                         | Jana Jones                         | Fruitland   | Michael Smith                  |
| 2019 Spring              | Brad Knox                          | Jana Jones                         | Horse Shoe First                                    | Jack Givens                    |
| 2019 Fall                | Brad Knox                          | Jana Jones                         | Main Street   | Steven Blanton                 |
| 2020 Spring              |                                    | Cancelled due to Covid 19 Pandemic |   |                                |
| 2020 Fall                | Tony Reese                         | Jana Jones                         | FBC Hendersonville                                  | Brian Allen                    |
| 2021 Spring              | Tony Reese                         | Jana Jones                         | Fruitland Bible Bapt. College                       |                                |
| 2021 Fall                | Tony Reese                         | Jana Jones                         | French Broad Baptist                                | Jesse Peters                   |
| 2022 Spring              | Tony Reese                         | Jana Jones                         | Crab Creek Baptist                                  | Jose Alonso                    |
| 2022 Fall                | Tony Reese<br>Ray Brickhouse       | Jana Jones<br>Keris Suttles        | Fruitland Bapt. Bible College<br>East Flat Rock FBC | Collin Terenzini               |
| 2023 Spring<br>2023 Fall | Ray Brickhouse                     | Keris Suttles                      | Fruitland Bible Bapt. College                       |                                |
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# **Book of Reports**



### BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME OF NC

- · Website: https://www.bchfamily.org
- Keith Henry Operating Officer
- · Mission: Sharing hope ... changing lives.
- Vision: To provide the highest quality of Christian services to children, adults, and families in a caring culture of measurable excellence.
- Founded: November 11, 1885.



### **BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NC**

- · Website: https://www.ncbaptist.org
- Todd Unziker, Executive Director/Treasurer
- The BSCNC staff operate under the supervision of directors, which is comprised of pastors and lay people from member churches across the state.
- Beliefs: Our beliefs reflect the scripture truths presented in the Baptist Faith and Message 2000.
- Mission: To assist the churches in their divinely appointed misson.



### **BAPTIST ON MISSION - BOM**

Website: https://www.baptiston mission.org
 Richard Brunson, Executive Director

Statement of Beliefs: We are a Christian missions organization that is an auxiliary to the Baptist State Convention of NC. The purpose of Baptists on Mission is to Glorify God by involving churches and Christians in meeting human needs in Jesus' name.



### INTERNATIONAL MISSION BOARD IMB

- Website: https://www.imb.org
- Paul Chitwood, President
- Vision: A multitude from every nation, tribe, people and language, knowing and worshipping our Lord Jesus Christ (Rev. 7:9).
- Mission: To serve Southern Baptists in carrying out the Great Commission to make disciples of all nations.



### NA MISSION BOARD - NAMB

Website: https://www.namb.net

· Brian Wright, President

The Church is God's plan - you are God's plan - to reach North America and the nations with the hope of the Gospel, and the North American Mission Board is here to help.

### **GUIDESTONE FINANCIAL**

- Website: https://www.guidestone.org
- Dr. D. Hance Dilbeck, Jr.; President & CEO
- Vision: Every servant of Christ finishes well.
- Mission: To enhance financial security and resilience for those who serve the Lord.

### **BIBLICAL RECORDER**

- Website: https://www.brnow.org/about/
  - Chad Austin, Managing Editor

The Biblical Recorder's primary goal is to help churches work together to make disciples of all nations by publishing reliable information and inspiring stories that build trust.

### NC BAPTIST FOUNDATION/PROVISION

- Website: https://www.provision.org
- Harry Nelson.CIMA; President & CEO

During the September board of directors meeting, NC Baptist Foundation took a historic step by voting unanimously to change it's name to Provision Financial Services of NC Baptists, Inc. This decision was made to better reflect the organization's comprehensive range of services, align with its core mission  $\mathcal{E}$  value and signal a fresh chapter in its distinguished history.

 Mission: Provision aims to encourage and enable faithful and wise stewardship for the glory of God and the good of the world. Provide services to meet the ongoing stewardship needs of Baptist individuals and institutions.



FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE
Website: https://www.fruitland.edu
Dr. John Horton, President

#### 2023 Annual Report Introduction/Overview

Fruitland Baptist Bible College has educated and trained many pastors throughout North Carolina for more than 75 years. Over these many years FBBC has also trained many men and women whom God has called into ministry and missions around the state and the world. FBBC has graduates across the globe who are faithfully serving Christ and making a difference for the Kingdom of God. Fruitland has some great reasons for celebration for the 2022-2023 year:

- Student Activities
- Conferences
- Special Days
- Camps

### Significant Accomplishments & Activities

- The 2023 Fruitland Graduation ceremony was held on September 9, 2023. Twenty-six students received the Associate of Religion/ Christian Ministry degree. Nine students in the Hispanic program were awarded the Certificate of Christian leadership and Diploma in Christian Ministry. Dr. Luis Tejera, professor for the Hispanic Program, preached a wonderful Baccalaureate Sermon which encouraged everyone in attendance.
- Fruitland added the new position of Student Dean to our administrative staff in the Fall of 2022. Lisa Furstenburg was promoted to this position.
- A weekly devotion and prayer/encouragement lunch for female students was created.
- FBBC students also participated in a Softball Tournament.
- Fruitland also began, for the first time, the FBBC Student Intramurals starting with Flag Football.
- An Addiction Recovery Support Group for students who have struggled with addictions in the past was established in the Fall of 2022.

### FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE Continued

- Other activities for students included a Welcome-Back Student Bingo Mixer for new students and returning student for the Fall quarter; a Student Super Bowl Party; and a Part-time Employee Appreciation Recognition.
- Conferences hosted by FBBC include Women of Carolina Women's Conference; a Prayer Conference which met at Mud Creek Baptist Church; a Bible Conference in partnership with Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary; as well as the Carolina Baptist Association Semi-Annual Meeting/Meal.
- FBBC hosted a number of special days throughout the 2022-2023 calendar year: The 2022 Founders Day and Alumni Day; the Annual Fruitland Breakfast at the Convention; Perry Brindley was awarded our 2022-2023 Fruitland "Alumnus of the Year Award" and the 2022-2023 "Advancing Fruitland Award" went to all of the alumni and students of FBBC.
- FBBC hosted a number of camps during the past year: Camp Glow Worship night; Deep Impact Kids Camp and, Deep Impact Students Camp (the 2nd and 3rd weeks respectively); the Clearview Baptist Church and South Mountain Association Mission.
- Over the last year, Fruitland students participated in various mission trips. In November, they prepared backpacks for students in West Virginia and in December the students delivered the backpacks. Our students also participated in the Hendersonville Christmas Parade and shared the love of Christ the love of Christ with the citizens of Hendersonville.
- In 2022, FBBC was involved in 7 weeks of recruiting at the Be-Do-Tell camps in Caswell, North Carolina. These seven weeks of recruiting were very important for bringing new students to the campus. Our staff and students were involved in this recruiting effort. Fruitland also had a Booth at the Edneyville Elementary College and Career Fair and hosted the Korean Prayer Walk event on our campus.
- Robert Fernandez, the FBBC Director of Spanish Theological Education, oversees the Certificate program, the Diploma Program, and the Online Associate degree program for Hispanic students around the state and around the world. The Hispanic program hosted a Hispanic Conference on our Wilmington campus this past December as well as a regional Hispanic Conference on the main FBBC campus last fall. These conferences were a great blessing to our Hispanic students. This past year, Dec. 2-3, the Hispanic Information/Conference was held at the Wilmington Campus.
- Simon Touprong is the FBBC Director for the Montagnard Program. God has blessed FBBC with a great group of Montagnard students who are learning to spread the Gospel around North Carolina and the State.
- God has truly blessed Fruitland Baptist Bible College throughout 2022-2023. Our students, staff, administration and faculty have worked together in a wonderful way to make this year a success. Dr. David Horton, President, is very thankful for the presence of the Lord on our campus and has some great plans and goals for the coming years. One of the most important initiatives for Dr. Horton would like to see in the coming years is the need to organize and take a proactive role in filling the vacant pulpits throughout the State. FBBC, under the direction of Dr. Horton is preparing certificate programs and hybrid classes which have the capacity to mobilize in the regions around the state. Please pray for FBBC as we begin to work on sending more students as pastors in our churches.

### AMS ANNUAL REPORT

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Rev. Ray Brickhouse, Interiim AMS

August 1 - December 31, 2023

Greetings, everyone! 2023 was a great year for the Carolina Baptist Association. As you will see through this annual report, God has truly done some great things in and through the churches of this association to glorify Himself. The mission of the CBA is "Partnering together to fulfill the Great Commission." While we have been busy with efforts to accomplish that task, there is still much work to be done and many people who need the hope they can only find through a relationship with Jesus Christ. We look forward to partnering together even more in 2024.

While 2023 was a great year, it was also a year of transition. We appreciate the work that Dr. Currie Tilley did to lead our association. We also appreciate the ministry of Suzanne Tilley to the ladies of the association. Currie and Suzanne were both bright lights at the CBA. We were not surprised that the leadership of the State Baptist Convention of NC would reach out to Currie about serving the associations of NC, and we wish him well in that role.

It has been my honor to serve as the Interim Associational Mission Strategist since Currie's departure. Paula Janes and Rebecca Moon have done an incredible job of making sure the operations and ministries of the association continue in a solid way. The three of us are attempting to improve what we can to get ready for the next full-time AMS. Please be in prayer for the AMS Search Team, led by William Hardin, as they continue their important work of finding God's man for this position.

If you or your church need anything, please give us a call. We echo what Currie Tilley wrote a year ago: "We will support what our churches are doing and find ways to strengthen, equip and mobilize our congregations for the glory of God and the advancement of His Kingdom." That has not changed. May 2024 be the best year yet for the Carolina Baptist Association!

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORT

Rebecca Moon, Ministry & Missions Outreach Coordinator
 January 1 - December 31, 2023

**Pastors' Wives Brunch and Fellowships** were hosted by Suzanne Tilley February 4, June 3; August 12 to offer encouragement and fellowship to the wives of pastors and ministerial church leaders. **Souper Bowl of Caring** Several association churches participated in collecting food for Interfaith Assistance Ministry and The Storehouse. **Rev. Currie Tilley,** Associational Mission Strategist accepted a position with the NC Baptist Convention. His last day of employment was August 11, 2023.

**Ray Brickhouse** was elected to serve as Interim Associational Mission Strategist for the CBA effective August 21, 2023 with the departure of Dr. Currie Tilley.

Keris Suttles resigned as CBA Clerk August 1, 2023. CBA Weekly pastor's meeting every Monday at CBA.

**ACP (Congregational Profiles for 2023):** Twenty-four churches completed and successfully submitted 2023 Congregational Profiles, which gave us a 48% completion rate.

**FBC East Flat Rock** hosted CBA's Spring Semi-Annual Meeting April 25, 2023. Pastor Collin Terenzini, Shaws Creek Baptist, brought the message. The theme for the meeting was "Reconstruct" using Jeremiah 1:10 as scriptural reference.

**Fruitland Baptist Bible College** hosted CBA's Fall Semi-Annual Meeting October 10, 2023. Rev. Ray Brickhouse, Interim Associational Mission Strategist at CBA, brought the message. The theme for the fall meeting was "Forging Ahead - On Mission Together", using Philippians #:12-14 as scriptural reference. Mission offering was for the Bethlehem Toy Store.



#### CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORT CONTINUED

**Women of Carolina** welcomed Tammy Shipman (Gethsemane BC), Cheree Tallant (Naples BC) and Jaalah Shipment (Shaws Creek BC) to the WOC Leadership Team. Becky Wuerzer, Katy Gash and Suzanne Tilley resigned.

### Women of Carolina Women's Conference September 30 at Fruitland

Baptist Bible College. Guest Speaker was Amanda Martinsen, Leadership Development Consultant for WMU.

Deep Impact Kids Mission Project was June 12-15. Deep Impact Students Mission Project was June 19-23.

**Appalachian Christmas Outreach** churches in the CBA were invited to join Transylvania churches under the leadership of Dewey and Kathie Aiken, on-site partnership coordinators – NC Baptist on Mission Appalachian Coalfields Ministry to provide backpacks to children of First Baptist Coeburn Hope Center in Coeburn, VA in December.

**Pastor Appreciation Dinner** was held Tuesday, October 24 at the association office.

**CBA Christmas Banquet** was held December 14 at First Baptist Church Hendersonville

### Pastor and Church Updates:

- Kevin Long accepted the position of Senior Pastor at Crab Creek Baptist Church January 29, 2023.
- Brandon McMinn accepted the position of Senior Pastor at East Flat Rock FBC January 16, 2023.
- Scott Westmoreland transitioned from Interim Pastor at Etowah Baptist Church to Senior Pastor April 16, 2023.
- Jesse Peters accepted the position of Senior Pastor at Naples Baptist Church June 18, 2023.
- Pastor Craig Garren resigned from Mountain Home Baptist Church May 21, 2023.
- Kevin Parsons started serving as Interim Pastor at Mountain Home Baptist Church October 1, 2023.
- Rev. Justin Alexander was voted in as Senior Pastor of First Baptist Church Hendersonville in November and will begin his full time duties July 2024 upon Pastor Steve Scoggins' official retirement.

**Operation Christmas Child Collection** at Hendersonville Presbyterian Church November 13-20.

**Church and Community Outreach:** 2023 was a busy year for many of our association churches that participated in many outreach mission projects both local and national; from church Vacation Bible School to handing out coats in New York City to showing the love of Jesus across the nation.

### On Mission Together with NC Baptist

- Winter Youth Retreat "Unshaken" was held January 14-16 at Truett Camp in Hayesville, NC.
- VBS Preview was held January 27-28 at Lifeway Ridgecrest Conference Center in Black Mountain, NC for VBS Church Leaders.
- Marriage Matters Conference (married couples Valentine's Day Retreat) was held February 10-11 at Truett Conference Center in Hayesville, NC.
- Leaving a Legacy That Lasts Seminar was held Feb. 11 at Fruitland Baptist Bible College.
- Region 9 Rally was held February 28 at Shoal Creek Baptist Church in Burnsville and August 27 at Mud Creek Baptist Church in Hendersonville.
- Fill the Tank was April 16, 2023.
- Missions Conference was held April 14 at Hickory Grove Baptist Church in Charlotte, NC.
- **Decisional Preaching Conference** was held April 22 at Buncombe Baptist Association.

- **OperationInAsMuch** is a one day community mission blitz. Association churches were given the option of two dates: April 29 or May 6.
- **Construction Skills Training** was held April 23 and October 15 at Shelby Mission Camp.
- **Disaster Relief** changed their name to **Disaster Response.** Training was held at FBC Hendersonville May 20, 2023.
- Ministers' Wives Retreat was held July 10-12 at Caraway Conference Center in Sophia, NC.
- Worship Leader Training was held August 24 at Caraway Conference Center.
- .Western Area Conference was held September 7 at Broyhill Children's Home.
- **Replenish Retreat** for pastors and their families was held September 18-20 at Caraway Conference Center.
- **The Latter Years** retirement workshop was held at Skyland First Baptist Church in Arden, NC on September 22.
- Women's Conference was held October 28 at Caraway Conference Center.
- Ministry Assistant's Association Annual Conference was held November 13-15 at Caraway Conference Center in Sophia, NC. Administrative staff from FBCH, Saluda First, Naples and CBA attended. Karen Scoggins and Susan Marshall from FBC Hendersonville hosted breakout sessions and Brenda Duke from Saluda First did mentoring for "first timers".
- NCMO Hope for Tomorrow special missions offering received in September that bring relief to those in need, plants churches and mobilizes NC Baptists for Mission.
- Missions Offering: Congratulations to FBC Hendersonville for leading the CBA in total giving to the 2022 NC Missions Offering. Saluda First was second and East Flat Rock FBC was third for a total of \$32,082 in missions offering from CBA churches.
- SBC Annual Conference Meeting was held June 12-14 In New Orleans, Louisiana.
- NCSBC Annual Convention Meeting was held November 6-7 at Koury Convention Center in Greensboro, NC.
- WMU Missions Conference and 132nd Annual Meeting April 28-30. Theme-Ignite; Location-Lawndale Baptist Church, Greensboro, NC.
- **Camp Scholarships:** 77 scholarships were granted for a total of \$10,388.50.

| Church         | #  | Camp                                      | Amount      |
|----------------|----|---|-------------|
| Ebenezer       | 13 | Journey Camp                              | \$1,950.00  |
| FBC Hvl        | 5  | Hickory Cove                              | \$750.00    |
|                | 2  | BonClarken                                | \$300.00    |
|                | 2  | Splash                                    | \$85.00     |
| French Broad   | 3  | Copper Hill                               | \$450.00    |
| Fruitland      | 9  | Journey Camp                              | \$750.00    |
|                | 4  | Lookup Lodge                              | \$253.50    |
| Gethsemane     | 8  | Student Life                              | \$1,200.00  |
| Horse Shoe 1st | 7  | Lookup Lodge                              | \$1,050.00  |
| Mud Creek      | 12 | Journey Camp                              | \$1,800.00  |
|                | 5  | Centeri Kid Camp,<br>Ridgecrest Conf. Ctr | \$750.00    |
| Shaws Creek    | 7  | Crossroads                                | \$1,050.00  |
| 8 Churches     | 77 |   | \$10,388.50 |

| Church             | Dates          | Theme                      |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| Iglesia Aqua Viva  | July 10-14     | Twists & Turns             |
| Balfour            | June 12-15     | Keepers of<br>Kingdom      |
| Barker Heights     | July 9-14      | Bible Museum               |
| Bat Cave           | July 31-Aug. 4 | Twists & Turns             |
| Crab Creek         | July 13-15     | Pets Unleashed             |
| East Flat Rock 1st | July 23-27     | Stellar                    |
| Ebenezer           | June 19-22     | Twists & Turns             |
| Etowah             | July 16-20     | Keepers of<br>Kingdom      |
| FBC Hendersonville | June 20-23     | Stellar                    |
| Fletcher First     | July 16-20     | Twists & Turns             |
| Fruitland          | July 23-28     | Twists & Turns             |
| Gethsemane         | July 9-12      | MEGA Sports                |
| Mount Moriah       | July 10-14     | Twists & Turns             |
| Mt. Gilead         | July 24-28     | Keepers of<br>Kingdom      |
| Naples             | July 9-14      | Twists & Turns             |
| Oak Forest         | July 22        | Getting S'more of<br>Jesus |
| Refuge             | June 11-14     | Twists & Turns             |
| Upward             | July 17-21     | Mystery Island             |

#### Vacation Bible School

### **COMMUNITY PARTNERS**

**Interfaith Assistance Ministry** Elizabeth Moss, Executive Director, is a non-profit organization partnering with the faith community since 1984 to provide assistance to Henderson County residents. Website: https://www.iam-hc.org/

**Storehouse** Lynn Staggs, founder & Executive Director, is a Christ-**centered ministry providing food and life's most basic necessities** for those in need in Henderson County.

Website: https://www.storehouseonline.org/

**Child Evangelism Fellowship of North Carolina** Jason Beverly, Executive Director, is a Bible-centered, worldwide organization composed of born-again believers, to evangelize children with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, disciple them in the Word of God and assist them to plug into a local church for Christian Living. In 2022 3,598 adults were reached with 279 salvations. Website: ashevillecef.org

**Habitat for Humanity** Linda Saturno, Executive Director, believes everyone deserves the opportunity for a better future. Website: http://www.habitat-hvl.org/

**Carpenter's Hands** Mike Nelson, Coordinator, is a volunteer disaster relief and re-building mission team of skilled carpenters and willing helpers of all trades & talents serving in local, state and nationwide mission projects.

Website: https://www.mudcreekchurch.org/carpentershands

**Open Arms Pregnancy Center** Joyce Wright, Executive Director, is a ministry to dedicated to preserve life. In 2023, 1,011 clients were seen. Baby supplies, accessories, maternity clothes & baby clothes were given out. Website: https://openarms329.com/

**Hendersonville Rescue Mission** Rev. Anthony McMinn, President/CEO, was founded in 1981 by George Cox, a student at Fruitland Baptist Bible College, and a Little Debbie Food Truck ... the modern day story of the "fishes and loaves!".

Website: https://www.hendersonvillerescuemission.org/



WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Linda Bradley, CBA WMU Leader

### WMU Report

2022–24 WMU EMPHASIS: Hope in Christ

**OBJECTIVE**: Because of our hope in Christ, we will seek to be genuine in love, patient in tribulation, constant in prayer, and compassionate to all.

**WATCHWORD:** "Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer." —Romans 12:12 (NIV)

- We as WMU of CBA are so thankful for CBA Staff Paula and Rebecca along with Gloria Nock for continuing the Bethlehem Toy Store so successfully for HIS Glory. Please remember to support this excellent endeavor with Christmas in July and sign up to witness and distribute toys in December.
- We also participated with Red Box Outreach Ministry again in 2023 by collecting toothbrushes. These boxes are distributed to the two largest NC Correctional Institutes. For many of these women our gift is all they receive. Your contributions make a difference in the lives of these women. In 2023 there were 2,480 boxes distributed and in 2024 the prisons have asked us to prepare 2,630 boxes.
- Ignite Missions Conference for Adults, Youth and Children April 19-20, 2024 at Parkwood Baptist Church in Concord, NC. To register visit wmunc.org. Keynote Speaker is Nicki Koziarz who is nationally known but lives in Matthews, NC. Nicki is a wife, mom, best-selling author, Bible teacher, podcast host and first-generation farmer. Cindy Morgan is our worship leader, she is a singer / songwriter, two-time Grammy nominee, thirteen-time Dove winner and more. She splits her time between Nashville, TN and Holly
- Springs, NC.
- WMU NC offers speakers to come to your church / group, leadership training, cohort certification classes, mission trip opportunities and more. Visit their website to learn more. We realize that churches are doing many different things to reach the lost and have discipleship. Many churches are incorporating the mission literature that is excellent written into their other groups throughout the church. Take a look at all WMU has to offer, you will be glad you did!
- The WMU Emphasis is an overarching theme for WMU's various avenues of missions discipleship. Each two-year emphasis is a scriptural spiritual concept that provides a framework for WMU's Coordinated study and support of missions among all age levels. This cohesive structure of study allows a church to journey together in spiritual growth and fulfilling the mission of God. During the 2022– 24 church years, WMU and WMU leaders are rallying around our hope in
- Christ, seeking Him to make a difference in our lives and in the lives of others.

#### 2024 Calendar of Events: https://www.wmunc.org/ calendar

# Missions & Ministry Report

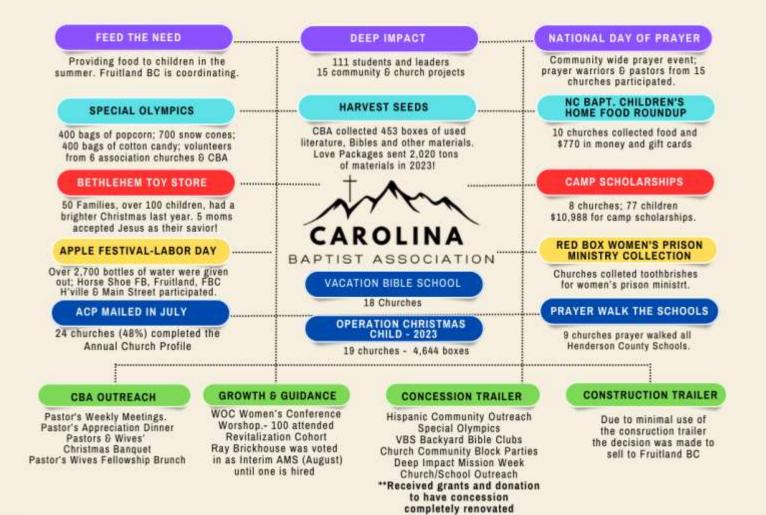
Rebecca Moon, Missions & Ministry Outreach Coordinator January - December 2023

**On Mission Together** simply means serving side by side with our association churches, community and faith partners and NC Baptist for the sake of sharing the gospel through various missions and ministry outreach. Listed below are just a few of the ways CBA is **"On Mission Together"** with:

Association Churches:

- Red Box Collection churches collect toiletries for the Women's Prison Ministry
- Bethlehem Toy Store churches collect toys during the Christmas in July Toy Drive
- National Day of Prayer prayers, praise and worship is lead by association pastors and praise bands
- Harvest Seeds churches bring Christian literature to send across the world
- Camp Scholarships CBA partners with churches to provide scholarships to children whose families are not able to pay Faith and Community Partners:
- Interfaith Assistance Ministry provides referrals for families
- Habitat for Humanity works with church volunteers to build forever homes for residents of Henderson County
- Special Olympics CBA provides concession trailer for this event and volunteers from association churches give of their time NC Baptist:
- Deep Impact Kids and Youth spend a week in Hendersonville serving the community
- Disaster Relief provides training for all of NC
- Fill the Tank a day scheduled for churches across the state to see thousands profess Christ through believer's baptism
- Enrichment conferences, camps, seminars and training for pastors, their wives, ministry assistants, ministry leaders and families

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A <u>SHEVILLE KOREAN</u> Rev. Ted Min; Wife: Anne Pastor Phone: 469-888-3751 | Email: minssking@gmail.com

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D<u>EARWALLOW</u>

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Church Phone: 828-693-1286 Address: 10 Raven Rock Road, Zirconia, NC 28790



RAB CREEK BAPTIST

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Church Secretary/Clerk: Gertrude Miller Address: 72 Jeter Mountain Road, Hendersonville, NC 28739 Church Phone: 828-692-5694 | Church Email: crabcreekbaptist@gmail.com Website: https://www.crabcreek.org/w.crabcreek.org



### ONTEMPORARY FIRST

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OUBLE SPRINGS

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Church Secretary/Treasurer: Charity Strahm Church Clerk/ACP/Missions/Men Director: Michael L. Hudson Address: 49 Holbert Mountain Road, Zirconia, NC 28790 Mail: POB 687, Zirconia, NC 28790



AST FLAT ROCK FBC

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### LETCHER FIRST

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Rev. William Hardin Pastor of Ministries Wife: Allison Phone: 828-551-6191 Email: preacherman2050@att.net



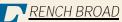
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### BC HENDERSONVILLE

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Rev. Danny Pridmore; Wife Debra Pastor Phone: 828-697-1899

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ING'S GROVE

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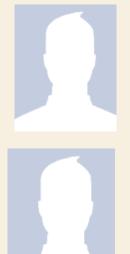












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Church Secretary: Margaret Cagle Address: 202 S Main Street, Hendersonville, NC 28792 Church Phone: 828-692-4132 | Church Email: mainstreetbaptist202@gmail.com Website: www.mainstreetbaptistnc.org





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Kevin Parsons (Interim): Wife: Jennifer Joyce Pastor Phone: 828-641-1159 | Pastor Email: kevinparsonsmail@gmail.com

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CRFFK

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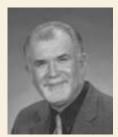
Church Secretary: Cheree Tallant Address: 799 Rugby Drive, Hendersonville, NC 28791 Mail: POB 296, Naples, NC 28760 | Church Phone: 828-692-7982 Church Email: naplesbchurch@hotmail.com | Website: www.naplesbaptistchurch.org

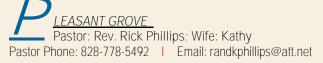




Pastor: Ray Brickhouse; Wife: Ivy Pastor Phone: 828-290-8309 | Email: pastorray001@gmail.com

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EFUGE

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ALUDA FIRST BAPTIST

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HAWS CREEK BAPTIST

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IXEDO FIRST

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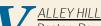


### PWARD

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Pastor: Rev. David Woodie; Wife: Theresa Pastor Phone: 828-779-2112 | Email: davidglennwoodie@yahoo.com

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### EST HENDERSONVILLE

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Churches without Pastors: Beulah, Double Springs (Rev. Joe Maybin, Interim); Locust Grove; Main Street (Rev. Chris Wray, Interim); Mountain Home (Rev. Kevin Parsons, Interim) No Photos: Rev. Joe Maybin (Interim), Double Springs; Rev. Rev. Curtis Pace, Jones Gap; Rev. Wilburn Lefler, Upward.



# CBA Financial Report December 2023

| Name                                | MTD                                    | YTD          | PriorY TD    |
|-------------------------------------|--|--------------|--------------|
| Adonia Church                       | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$150.00     |
| Asheville Korean Baptist Church     | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Balfour Baptist Church              | \$0.00                                 | \$500.00     | \$1,450.82   |
| Barker Heights Baptist Church       | \$600.00                               | \$1,200.00   | \$1,200.00   |
| Bat Cave Baptist Church             | \$332.00                               | \$4,899.00   | \$4,562.00   |
| Bearwallow Baptist Church           | \$863.35                               | \$4,440.35   | \$4,898.46   |
| Beulah Baptist Church               | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Biltmore Church Hendersonville      | \$1,250.00                             | \$5,000.00   | \$5,000.00   |
| Broad River Baptist Church          | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Cedar Springs Baptist Church        | \$0.00                                 | \$500.00     | \$500.00     |
| Contemporary First Baptist Church   | \$0.00                                 | \$750.00     | \$750.00     |
| Crab Creek Baptist Church           | \$0.00                                 | \$1,000.00   | \$1,300.00   |
| Dana Baptist Church                 | \$0.00                                 | \$1,200.00   | \$600.00     |
| Double Springs Baptist Church       | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| East Flat Rock First Baptist Church | \$0.00                                 | \$1,833.57   | \$0.00       |
| Ebenezer Baptist Church             | \$1,598.22                             | \$18,292.80  | \$16,317.15  |
| Etowah Baptist Church               | \$0.00                                 | \$6,173.69   | \$5,320.26   |
| Fletcher First Baptist Church       | \$600.00                               | \$2,400.00   | \$2,400.00   |
| French Broad Baptist Church         | \$128.00                               | \$1,536.00   | \$1,706.00   |
| Fruitland Baptist Church            | \$2,810.00                             | \$14,872.45  | \$14,831.05  |
| Gethsemane Baptist Church           | \$151.21                               | \$2,403.76   | \$2,361.76   |
| Hendersonville First Baptist Church | \$4,080.75                             | \$53,668.38  | \$50,366.72  |
| Horse Shoe First Baptist Church     | \$0.00                                 | \$2,200.00   | \$3,200.00   |
| Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva          | \$225.31                               | \$1,892.47   | \$1,722.13   |
| Jones Gap Baptist Church            | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Kings Grove Baptist Church          | \$0.00                                 | \$2,000.00   | \$2,000.00   |
| Liberty Baptist Church              | \$0.00                                 | \$900.00     | \$1,000.00   |
| Living Water Baptist Church         | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Locust Grove Baptist Church         | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Main Street Baptist Church          | \$167.00                               | \$1,837.00   | \$2,170.74   |
| Middle Fork Baptist Church          | \$0.00                                 | \$1,000.00   | \$0.00       |
| Mount Gilead Baptist Church         | \$540.00                               | \$540.00     | \$540.00     |
| Mount Moriah Baptist Church         | \$0.00                                 | \$4,758.51   | \$4,191.25   |
| Mountain Home Baptist Church        | \$0.00                                 | \$600.00     | \$600.00     |
| Mountain Valley Baptist Church      | \$100.00                               | \$1,200.00   | \$1,200.00   |
| Mt. View Missionary Baptist Church  | \$100.00                               |              | \$1,200.00   |
| Mud Creek Baptist Church            | \$1,000.00                             | \$12,000.00  | \$12,000.00  |
| Naples Baptist Church               | \$1,455.96                             | \$16,450.45  | \$15,924.06  |
| Oak Forest Baptist Church           | \$0.00                                 | \$1,000.00   | \$1,000.00   |
| Pleasant Grove Baptist Church       | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Pleasant Hill Baptist Church        | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Refuge Baptist Church               | \$0.00                                 | \$800.00     | \$1,200.00   |
| Saluda First Baptist Church         | \$578.75                               | \$3,583.54   | \$4,579.03   |
| Shaws Creek Baptist Church          | \$0.00                                 | \$1,500.00   | \$750.00     |
| Speak Life Community Church         | \$500.00                               | \$800.00     | \$1,400.00   |
| Tuxedo First Baptist Church         | \$0.00                                 | \$3,068.00   | \$3,068.00   |
| Upward Baptist Church               | \$0.00                                 | \$0.00       | \$0.00       |
| Valley Hill Baptist Church          | \$0.00                                 | \$500.00     | \$281.18     |
| West Hendersonville Baptist Church  | \$300.00                               | \$1,200.00   | \$600.00     |
| Zion Hill Baptist Church            | \$100.00                               | \$1,300.00   | \$300.00     |
| Totals:                             | 집 것 같은 것이 같은 것 같은 것 같은 것               | \$180,999.97 | \$172,640.61 |
| Total Expenses:                     | \$14,078.08                            |              |              |
| Budget Needs:                       | ************************************** |              |              |
| GF Checking Account Ending Balance: | \$47,655.96                            |              |              |

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE MINISTRIES OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

# FINANCIALS

# Carolina Baptist Association Budget for 2024

|  | 20 | 23 Budget | 202      | 24 Budget   |
|--|----|-----------|----------|---|
| INCOME<br>Receipts from Churches                 | s  | 180,000   | s        | 180,000   |
| Needed to Meet Budget                            | ŝ  | 19,100    | \$       | 180,000 25,000  |
| Our Jerusalem                                    | š  | 2,000     | ŝ        | - 1   |
| Miscellaneous                                    | ŝ  | 2,000     | ŝ        | 2,000   |
|  | ŝ  | 203,100   | S        | 207,000   |
|  |    |           |          |   |
| EXPENSES   |    |           |          | 1   |
| Community Engagement                             |    |           | -        | /   |
| State Fair Ministry                              | \$ | 750       | S        | 750   |
| Baptists on Mission                              | \$ | 500       | S        | 500   |
| Deep Impact                                      | \$ | 250       | \$       | 250   |
|  | \$ | 1,500     | \$       | 1,500   |
|  |    |           |          | 1   |
| Church Strengthening                             |    |           |          | /   |
| Equip Conference                                 | S  | 1,000     | <u>s</u> | 1,000   |
| Pastoral Support                                 | \$ | 2,500     | \$       | 1,500   |
| Joy Singers                                      | \$ | 200       | \$       | 200   |
| WMU  | \$ | 250       | \$       | 250   |
| Pastor's Wives/Women Enr.                        | \$ | 700       | \$       | 700   |
|  | \$ | 4,650     | \$       | 3,650   |
|  |    |           |          | ,   |
| Associational Operations<br>Telephone & Internet | s  | 2,500     | \$       | 2,500   |
| Utilities  | ŝ  | 3,000     | \$       | and a subscription of the local division of |
|  | s  |           | \$       | 3,000   |
| Office Supplies<br>Postage and Mailing           | ŝ  | 2,000     | \$       | 2,500   |
| Equipment Maintenance                            | ŝ  | 2,000     | \$       | 500   |
| Office Equipment                                 | s  | 7,300     | \$       | 7,500   |
| Property/Liability Ins.                          | ŝ  | 4,000     | \$       | 4,000   |
| Worker's Compensation                            | ŝ  | 4,000     | \$       | 800   |
| Janitorial Service                               | ŝ  | 1,700     | ŝ        | 1,500   |
| Building & Grounds                               | ŝ  | 4,000     | s        | 4,000   |
| Host Church Assist.                              | s  | 4,000     | 5        | 500   |
| Miscellaneous                                    | ŝ  | 61        | \$       | 18  |
| macenaricous                                     | ŝ  | 28,361    | S        | 28,518  |
|  | •  | 20,301    | •        | 20,010  |

|                             | 202  | 3 Budget | 202 | 24 Budget |
|-----------------------------|------|----------|-----|-----------|
| Salaries                    |      |          |     |           |
| AMS                         | \$   | 41,275   | \$  | 41,275    |
| Missions & Ministry Coord.  | \$   | 22,928   | \$  | 23,845    |
| Financial Manager           | \$   | 32,394   | \$  | 33,690    |
|                             | \$   | 96,597   | \$  | 98,810    |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
| Staff Pension Plans         |      |          |     |           |
| AMS Pension 10%             | \$   | 6,615    | s   | 6,615     |
| Financial Mgr. Pension 10%  | \$   | 3,239    | \$  | 3,369     |
| Missions & Ministry Coord.  | \$   | 1,200    | \$  | 1,200     |
|                             | \$   | 11,054   | \$  | 11,184    |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
| Staff Insurance             |      |          |     |           |
| AMS                         | \$   | 568      | s   | 568       |
| Financial Manager           | s    | 21,000   | \$  | 23,000    |
| Missions & Ministry Coord.  | \$   | 2,200    | \$  | 2,400     |
|                             | \$   | 23,768   | \$  | 25,968    |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
| Other AMS Personnel         |      |          |     |           |
| AMS Housing                 | \$   | 24,870   | \$  | 24,870    |
| AMS Conf. Exp./Materials    | \$   | 3,500    | \$  | 3,500     |
| AMS Mileage                 | \$   | 4,000    | \$  | 4,000     |
|                             | \$   | 32,370   | \$  | 32,370    |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
| Other Personnel             |      |          |     |           |
| Employer SS and Medicare    | \$   | 4,200    | \$  | 4,400     |
| Secretary Conferences/Trng. | \$   | 600      | S   | 600       |
| Staff Christmas Bonuses*    | \$   | -        | \$  | -         |
| Anniversary Bonuses*        | \$   | -        | \$  | +         |
| Appreciation Bonuses*       | \$   | -        | \$  | -         |
|                             | \$   | 4,800    | \$  | 5,000     |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
| Total Association Budget    | \$   | 203,100  | \$  | 207,000   |
|                             |      |          |     |           |
|                             | Diff | ference  | s   | 3,900     |

\*Bonuses are contingent on fund availability.

# **CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION GENERAL FUND - December 2023**

CBA Financials

|   | Month                | YTD 2023                   | Budget                     | <u>Budget</u><br>Remaining |
|---|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|   |                      |                            |                            |                            |
| INCOME  | A 17 100 FF          | 0400 000 07                | A400 000 00                | 0000.07                    |
| Church Contributions  | \$ 17,480.55         | \$180,999.97               | \$180,000.00               | -\$999.97                  |
| Needed to Meet Budget   | \$0.00<br>\$0.00     | \$0.00<br>\$0.00           | \$19,100.00<br>\$2,000.00  | \$19,100.00<br>\$2,000.00  |
| Our Jerusalem Offering<br>Miscellaneous                               | \$0.00               | \$2.14                     | \$2,000.00                 | \$1,997.86                 |
| Total Income:   | \$17,480.55          | \$181,002.11               | \$203,100.00               | \$22,097.89                |
| Total Income.   | • 11,400.00          | 4101,002.11                | 4200,100.00                | VE2,001.00                 |
| EXPENSES  |                      |                            |                            |                            |
| A. Community Engagement   |                      |                            |                            |                            |
| Deep Impact   | \$0.00               | \$34.12                    | \$250.00                   | \$215.88                   |
| Mountain State Fair Ministry  | \$0.00               | \$37.20                    | \$750.00                   | \$712.80                   |
| Baptists on Mission   | \$0.00               | \$0.00                     | \$500.00                   | \$500.00                   |
| Total:  | \$0.00               | \$71.32                    | \$1,500.00                 | \$1,428.68                 |
| B. Church Strengthening   | 60.00                | 624.00                     | 61 000 00                  | \$005 04                   |
| Equip Conference  | \$0.00               | \$34.99                    | \$1,000.00                 | \$965.01                   |
| Pastoral Support<br>Joy Singers                                       | \$1,749.96<br>\$0.00 | \$4,044.22<br>\$0.00       | \$2,500.00<br>\$200.00     | -\$1,544.22<br>\$200.00    |
| Woman's Missionary Union  | \$30.00              | \$30.00                    | \$250.00                   | \$200.00                   |
| Pastor's Wives/Women's Enrichment                                     | \$0.00               | \$653.82                   | \$700.00                   | \$46.18                    |
| Total:  | \$1,779.96           | \$4,763.03                 | \$4,650.00                 | -\$113.03                  |
| C. Associational Operations   | \$1,175.50           | \$4,705.00                 | \$4,050.00                 | -0110.00                   |
| Telephone   | \$228.62             | \$2,376.18                 | \$2,500.00                 | \$123.82                   |
| Utilities   | \$258.32             | \$3,120.94                 | \$3,000.00                 | -\$120.94                  |
| Office Supplies   | \$352.65             | \$3,495.65                 | \$2,000.00                 | -\$1,495.65                |
| Postage and Mailing   | \$500.00             | \$1,522.27                 | \$2,000.00                 | \$477.73                   |
| Equipment Maintenance   | \$0.00               | \$0.00                     | \$500.00                   | \$500.00                   |
| Office Equipment  | \$743.89             | \$7,898.03                 | \$7,300.00                 | -\$598.03                  |
| Liability/Property Ins.   | \$313.20             | \$5,061.37                 | \$4,000.00                 | -\$1,061.37                |
| Worker's Compensation   | \$0.00               | \$859.50                   | \$800.00                   | -\$59.50                   |
| Janitorial Service  | \$148.00             | \$1,156.00                 | \$1,700.00                 | \$544.00                   |
| Building & Grounds Maintenance  | \$760.60             | \$6,212.21                 | \$4,000.00                 | -\$2,212.21                |
| Host Church Assistance  | \$0.00               | \$297.83                   | \$500.00                   | \$202.17                   |
| Miscellaneous   | \$0.00               | \$12.00                    | \$61.00                    | \$49.00                    |
| Total:  | \$3,305.28           | \$32,011.98                | \$28,361.00                | -\$3,650.98                |
| D. Staff Salaries   | \$1,000.00           | \$23 A07 AG                | \$44.075.00                | \$8,867.54                 |
| Associational Mission Strategist<br>Missions and Ministry Coordinator | \$1,763.52           | \$32,407.46<br>\$22,927.56 | \$41,275.00<br>\$22,928.00 | \$0,007.54<br>\$0,44       |
| Financial Manager   | \$2,491.72           | \$32,393.92                | \$32,394.00                | \$0.08                     |
| Total:  | \$5,255.24           | \$87,728.94                | \$96,597.00                | \$8,868.06                 |
| E. Staff Pension Plan   | \$01200124           | 001,120.04                 | 0001001100                 | 40,000.00                  |
| Associational Mission Strategist                                      | \$0.00               | \$5,461.00                 | \$6,615.00                 | \$1,154.00                 |
| Financial Manager   | \$270.00             | \$3,510.00                 | \$3,239.00                 | -\$271.00                  |
| Administrative Assistant  | \$100.00             | \$1,300.00                 | \$1,200.00                 | -\$100.00                  |
| Total:  | \$370.00             | \$10,271.00                | \$11,054.00                | \$783.00                   |
| F. Staff Medical/Life Ins.  |                      |                            |                            |                            |
| AMS/Medical & Life  | \$0.00               | \$861.69                   | \$568.00                   | -\$293.69                  |
| MMC Medicare  | \$164.90             | \$1,978.80                 | ep 200.00                  | \$224.20                   |
| Financial Manager/Medical & Life                                      | \$224.38             | \$20,715.51                | \$2,200.00<br>\$21,000.00  | \$221.20<br>\$284.49       |

# FINANCIALS

# Carolina Baptist Association General Fund - 2023 - Page 2 of 2

|                               | Month       | <u>YTD 2023</u> | <u>Budget</u> | <u>Budget</u><br><u>Remaining</u> |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| Total:                        | \$389.28    | \$23,556.00     | \$23,768.00   | \$212.00                          |
| G. AMS Benefits               |             |                 |               |                                   |
| Housing Allowance             | \$0.00      | \$16,260.32     | \$24,870.00   | \$8,609.68                        |
| Conference Expenses/Materials | \$0.00      | \$2,346.38      | \$3,500.00    | \$1,153.62                        |
| Mileage Expense Reimbursement | \$66.72     | \$1,966.89      | \$4,000.00    | \$2,033.11                        |
| Total:                        | \$66.72     | \$20,573.59     | \$32,370.00   | \$11,796.41                       |
| H. Other Personnel            |             |                 |               |                                   |
| Employer Share SS/Medicare    | \$325.48    | \$4,393.00      | \$4,200.00    | -\$193.00                         |
| Secretary Conferences         | \$72.31     | \$965.32        | \$600.00      | -\$365.32                         |
| Christmas Bonuses             | \$1,200.00  | \$1,200.00      | \$0.00        | -\$1,200.00                       |
| Temporary Work                | \$0.00      | \$0.00          | \$0.00        | \$0.00                            |
| Anniversary Bonuses           | \$0.00      | \$1,106.44      | \$0.00        | -\$1,106.44                       |
| Total:                        | \$1,597.79  | \$7,664.76      | \$4,800.00    | -\$2,864.76                       |
| J. Reserves                   |             |                 |               |                                   |
| Budget Needs                  | \$0.00      | \$0.00          | \$0.00        | \$0.00                            |
|                               |             |                 |               |                                   |
| Total Expenses:               | \$12,764.27 | \$186,640.62    | \$203,100.00  | \$16,459.38                       |
| Church Receipts Minus E       | xpenditures | \$ 4,716.28     |               |                                   |

### Balance as of December 31, 2023:

\$48,670.21 \*

\*This includes accumulated sales tax to be refunded of \$435.99

# **CBA DESIGNATED FUNDS - DECEMBER 2023**

### NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

| A. Camp Sale Investment<br>*Endowment (Principal \$239,052.63) | Mkt. Value<br><u>9/30/23</u><br>\$343,439.35 | Mkt. Value<br><u>10/31/23</u><br>\$336,518.48 | Mkt. Value<br><u>11/30/23</u><br>\$353,444.95 | Mkt. Value<br><u>12/31/23</u><br>\$360,283.12 |
|--|--|---|---|---|
| *Principal cannot be disbursed<br>B. Zeke Crawford Endowment   | \$6.048.97                                   | \$5,927.07                                    | \$6,225.19                                    | \$6,441.72                                    |
| *Endowment for Fruitland College Scholarships                  |  |   |   |   |
| C. NCBF CD   | \$71,720.03                                  | \$71,720.03                                   | \$71,720.03                                   | \$72,445.55                                   |
| *Investment to Earn Interest                                   |  |   |   |   |
| DESIGNATED   | CHECKING ACCOU                               | JNT AND CD                                    |   |   |
|  | Beg. Bal.                                    | Receipts                                      | Expenses                                      | End. Bal.                                     |
| D. NCBF Dividend Income for Scholarships                       |  |   |   |   |
| Total of NCBF Dividends  | \$43,017.44                                  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$43,017.44                                   |
| Total:   | \$43,017.44                                  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$43,017.44                                   |
| E. Missions  |  |   |   |   |
| Backpack Ministry  | \$3,259.48                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$3,259.48                                    |
| NCBF Dividend for Spanish Ministry                             | \$3,085.22                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$3,085.22                                    |
| Feed the Need (Summer Program)                                 | \$7,038.60                                   | \$5,000.00                                    | \$0.00  | \$12,038.60                                   |
| Local Missions/NC Share  | \$5,911.79                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$5,911.79                                    |
| Special Olympics   | \$665.28                                     | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$665.28                                      |
| First Responder Outreach                                       | \$1,678.45                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$1,678.45                                    |
| Joy Singers  | \$100.00                                     | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$100.00                                      |
| Garage for Trailers  | \$64.34                                      | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$64.34                                       |
| Special Projects Coordinator                                   | \$791.43                                     | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$791.43                                      |
| Fall Meeting Meal  | \$0.00                                       | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  |
| Deep Impact  | \$140.19                                     | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$140.19                                      |
| Disaster Recovery Trailer                                      | \$12.00                                      | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$12.00                                       |
| Concession Trailer<br>Total:                                   | \$4,331.45<br><b>\$27,078.23</b>             | \$0.00<br>\$5,000.00                          | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                              | \$4,331.45<br>\$32,078.23                     |
| F. Women's Ministries  | \$21,010.20                                  | 35,000.00                                     | 30.00   | \$32,076.23                                   |
| WMU-Bethlehem Toy Store  | \$4,151.17                                   | \$5,000.00                                    | \$3,898,32                                    | \$5,252.85                                    |
| Women's Conference   | \$911.02                                     | \$0.00  | \$0,050.02                                    | \$911.02                                      |
| Total:   | \$4,151.17                                   | \$5,000.00                                    | \$3,898.32                                    | \$6,163.87                                    |
| G. Other   |  | 00,000,00                                     | 00,000,01                                     | 001100101                                     |
| Building Maintenance (From Sale of Property)                   | \$5,300.00                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$5,300.00                                    |
| Minister's Emergency Fund                                      | \$3,988.45                                   | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$3,988.45                                    |
| Leadership Training and Resources                              | \$47.72                                      | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$47.72                                       |
| Budget Needs   | \$32,980,79                                  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$32,980.79                                   |
| New Plant/Replant/Revitalization                               | \$14,039.01                                  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$14,039.01                                   |
| Total:   | \$56,355.97                                  | \$0.00  | \$0.00  | \$56,355.97                                   |
| Sales Tax Receivable   |  | \$193.08                                      | \$189.34                                      | -\$470.78                                     |
| Grand Total  | \$130,128.29                                 | \$10,193.08                                   | \$4,087.66                                    | \$137,144.73                                  |

| Distribution: | NCBF CD Bat               | \$60,000.00  |
|---------------|---------------------------|--------------|
|               | Designated Checking Bal.: | \$77,144.73  |
|               |                           | \$137,144.73 |

# One Year Digest

| Congregation                               | Year | Total<br>Baptisms | Other<br>Additions | Resident<br>Members | Totai<br>Members | Total SS.<br>Enroli | SS Avg<br>Attend | VBS<br>Enroli | Music<br>Ministry | Total<br>WMU | Men's<br>Ministry | Total DT<br>Enroli | Undesignated<br>Receipts | Cooperative<br>Program |
|--|------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Adonia Church                              | 2023 | 4                 | 0                  | 30                  | 30               | 0                   | 20               | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 12                | 0                  | \$61,100                 | \$250                  |
| Bat Cave,<br>Handersonville                | 2023 | 3                 | 0                  | 0                   | 123              | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$325,312                | \$4,956                |
| Bearwallow,<br>Gerton                      | 2023 | 0                 | 0                  | 20                  | 20               | 0                   | 10               | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$69,596                 | \$2,504                |
| Contemporary<br>First,<br>Hendersonville   | 2023 | 6                 | 0                  | 252                 | 252              | Û                   | 45               | 0             | Ø                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$0                      | \$0                    |
| Crab Creek.<br>Hendersonville              | 2023 | 5                 | 15                 | 206                 | 223              | 0                   | 47               | 30            | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$195,754                | \$1,897                |
| Dana,<br>Hendersonville                    | 2023 | 4                 | 6                  | 0                   | 240              | 0                   | 22               | 51            | 0                 | 7            | 0                 | 0                  | \$2,400                  | \$0                    |
| Double Springs,<br>Zirconia                | 2023 | 0                 | 0                  | 34                  | 34               | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$9,010                  | \$0                    |
| East Flat Rock<br>First, East Flat<br>Rock | 2023 | 6                 | 10                 | 641                 | 809              | o                   | 58               | 110           | Q                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$299,075                | \$0                    |
| Ebenezet,<br>Hendersonville                | 2023 | 36                | 0                  | 0                   | 1,210            | 0                   | 219              | 203           | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$1,063,800              | \$32,635               |
| Fletcher First,<br>Fletcher                | 2023 | 5                 | 8                  | 540                 | 856              | 0                   | 118              | 130           | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$678,910                | \$0                    |
| Fruitiand,<br>Hendersonville               | 2023 | 5                 | 0                  | 325                 | 604              | 0                   | 93               | 158           | 0                 | 62           | 23                | 0                  | \$455,710                | \$31,807               |
| Hendersonville<br>First,<br>Hendersonville | 2023 | 28                | 122                | 0                   | 9,724            | ٥                   | 846              | 394           | 0                 | 126          | 175               | 0                  | \$4,940,600              | \$494,060              |
| Horse Shoe First,<br>Horse Shoe            | 2023 | 18                | 22                 | 0                   | 102              | O                   | 0                | 0             | Ũ                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$218,250                | \$250                  |
| Liberty,<br>Hendersonville                 | 2023 | 2                 | 0                  | 49                  | 49:              | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$0                      | \$0                    |
| Main Street,<br>Hendersonville             | 2023 | 0                 | 0                  | 88                  | 114              | 0                   | 25               | 0             | 0                 | 10           | 0                 | 0                  | \$155,800                | \$10,500               |
| Mount Gilead,<br>Mills Filver              | 2023 | 9                 | 5                  | 0                   | 60               | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$0                      | \$0                    |
| Mountain Valley,<br>Zirconia               | 2023 | 1                 | 5                  | 117                 | 279              | 0                   | 30               | 199           | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$174,949                | \$1,200                |
| Mud Creek,<br>Hendersonville               | 2023 | 23                | 0                  | 0                   | 1,800            | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$2,000,000              | \$67,000               |
| Naples,<br>Hendersonville                  | 2023 | 3                 | 16                 | 0                   | 305              | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$255,054                | \$17,496               |
| Refuge, Dana                               | 2023 | 0                 | 0                  | 299                 | 495              | 0                   | 29               | 82            | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$201,745                | \$2.460                |
| Saluda First,<br>Saluda                    | 2023 | 0                 | 5                  | 99                  | 128              | 0                   | 35               | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$117,400                | \$20,316               |
| Shaws Creek,<br>Hendersonville             | 2023 | 8                 | 0                  | 117                 | 353              | 0                   | 60               | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$175,765                | \$7,031                |
| Tuxedo First,<br>Zirconia                  | 2023 | 2                 | Ó                  | 242                 | 252              | 0                   | 47               | 94            | 0                 | 10           | 0                 | 0                  | \$157,244                | \$3,068                |
| West<br>Hendersonville,<br>Hendersonville  | 2023 | 2                 | 24                 | 282                 | 310              | 0                   | 0                | 0             | 0                 | 0            | 0                 | 0                  | \$114,208                | \$1,500                |

NOTE: This statistical information is based on data taken from the 2023 Annual Congregational Profiles in which 24 out of 50 churches submitted their 2023 annual profile.

# **In Loving Memory**

Carolina Baptist Association (reported) church members deceased during the church year 2023 Also, one of our beloved pastors, Rev. Dan Blackwell "Preacher Dan", went home to be with the Lord July 21, 2023 This is information is taken from the 2023 Annual Church Profiles

> Asheville Korean Jennifer Dikkers

Crab Creek Mr. John Arnold

Dana Preacher Dan Blackwell Vincent Lee Pace

East Flat Rock First Doris Shipman Margaret Shipman Stepp Autumn "Nikki" (Saltz) Stepp Judy Mintz Lois McKinnish

> Ebenezer Virginia Webb Brenda Case Shelby Lester Pam Green Faye Caulder Eva Osteen

Etowah Mitch Brogden Girtrue Talley Dawson Hogsed Walter Raxter

Fletcher First Joann Bowen Narrell Owenby Natalie Meece Bobbie Arrowood Leonard Burbo Geraldine McMinn Mary Lou Scott David Livingston Lewis Todd Ashton Melton Main Street Edward "Max" Ramey Joseph "Joe" Ray Owen Barbara Ann Sosebee Gasperson Patricia "Pat" Lancaster Roberson

> Mountain Valley Janice Owens

Naples Jimmy Schultz Jeff Brevard Verdie Sanders Nina Barnwell Freida Veach

Saluda First Frank Crawford Shaws Creek Margie Newton Richard L. Brown Jeri Meigs

Tuxedo First Mary Joyce Corn

West Hendersonville Mildred Walsh Dr. Bobby Taylor



# **REV. DAN BLACKWELL**

Dan devoted his life to Christ at an early age. He was a Reverend for 64 years, serving churches in the Hendersonville area including, Locust Grove Baptist, Beulah Baptist, Upward Baptist and was presently serving in his 29th year at Dana Baptist. Dan was loved by many and will be missed deeply.

August 24, 1933 - July 21, 2023

# Calendar of Events 2024

#### JANUARY 2024

- 1 CBA Office Closed
- 11-12 Worship Leader Training, Caraway Conference Center
- 13-15 Winter Youth Retreat, Truett Conference Center & Camp
- 15 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, 9am
- 15 Women of Carolina (WOC) Team Meeting, 6pm
- 21 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- 26-27 VBS Preview (Lifeway), Ridgecrest Conf. Center

#### FEBRUARY 2024

True Love Waits Emphasis Month

- 9-10 Marriage Matters Conference, Truett Conf. Center & Camp
- 11 "Souper Bowl of Caring" for IAM
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 15 Deadline for Provision Education Scholarships
- 18 Focus on WMU Sunday
- 19 CBA Leadership Team Meeting 9am
- 19 Women of Carolina (WOC) Team Meeting 6pm
- 26 Region 9 Missions Rally, Woodland Baptist Church, Waynesville
- 27 Disciple Making Conference,, Hickory Grove BC, Charlotte

#### MARCH 2024

- 3-10 Week of Prayer for N.A. Missions & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
- 9 Construction Skills Training, Shelby Mission Camp
- 10 Spring forward set clocks up one hour
- 18 CBA Leadership Team Meeting 9am
- 18 WOC Team Meeting 6pm

### 22-24 Woven Women's Conference, Truett Conf. Center & Camp

- 28 CBA Office Closed for Easter Holiday
- 29 Good Friday
- 31 Easter Sunday

### APRIL 2024

# NC Baptist Children's Home Food Roundup Month for Broyhill Children's Home in Clyde, NC

- 5-6 NC Baptist Missions Conference, Charlotte, NC
- 7 "Fill the Tank" Baptism Sunday
- 15 CBA Leadership Team Meeting 9am
- 15 WOC Team Meeting 6pm
- 19-20 WMU-NC Women's Missions Conference & Annual Meeting, Concord, NC
- 23 Spring Semi-Annual Conference, 7pm, Location TBD

### MAY 2024

- 1 Deadline for Scholarship requests
- 2 National Day of Prayer, Historic H'ville Courthouse, Time TBD
- 12 Mother's Day
- 20 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 20 Women of Carolina Meeting, 6pm
- 27 Memorial Day (CBA Office Closed)

### JUNE 2024

- Feed the Need Program Month
- 2 Disaster Relief Sunday
- 11-12 SBC Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN
- 16 Father's Day
- 17 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 17 WOC Team Meeting 6pm
- 17-22 Deep Impact Fruitland Bible College
- 23 Mission: Dignity Sunday
- 29 Armed Forces Day

### JULY 2024

### Feed the Need Program Month

Christmas in July-Bethlehem Toy Store Collection Month

- 4 CBA closed for Independence Day
- 7 Religious Liberty Sunday
- 8-10 NC Baptist Ministers' Wives Retreat, Caraway Conference Center
- 15 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 15 WOC Team Meeting, 6pm

### AUGUST 2024

Feed the Need Program Month

- 3-10 ServeNC
- 4 Send Relief Sunday
- 1-11 Prayer Walking Our Local School
- 12 HCPS Start Date
- 19 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 19 WOC Team Meeting, 6pm
- 25 Global Hunger Sunday

### SEPTEMBER 2024

### NC Missions Offering Month

Red Boxes for Women Inmates Collection Month

- 2 Labor Day (CBA Office Closed)
- 6-15 NC Mountain State Fair
- 16 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 16 Women of Carolina Meeting, 6pm
- 23-27 Global Week of Student Prayer
- 25 See You At The Pole 2022

### OCTOBER 2024

### Pastor Appreciation Month

Cooperative Program Emphasis Month

- 6 Cooperative Program Sunday
- 15 Deadline Red Box Collection for Women's Prison Ministry
- 15 CBA Semi-Annual Fall Meeting, FBBC, 5:30pm Dinner; 7pm-Dinner

Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offer-

- 20 Day of Prayer for Association Missions
- 21 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 21 Women of Carolina Meeting 6pm; CBA Office
- 27 Student Baptism Sunday

### NOVEMBER 2024

- NC Baptist Children's Home Thanksgiving Offering
- 3 Set clocks back one hour
- 3 Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church
- 3-4 NC Baptist Pastors' Conference, Greensboro, NC
- 4-5 BSCNC Annual Meeting, Greensboro, NC
- 11 Veteran's Day

27-28 CBA Office Closed

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DECEMBER 2024

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Thanksgiving Day

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Month

Bethlehem Toy Store Set-Up

Bethlehem Toy Store Distribution & Witnessing

Tentative - Pastors, Staff and Spouse Christmas Dinner

- 10-17 Week of Prayer for NC Baptist Children's Home18 CBA Leadership Team Meeting, CBA Office, 9am
- 18 Women of Carolina Meeting, 6pm