# Middle Florida Baptist Association

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1980-1981

**Eighty-Second Annual Session** 

October 19, 1981
Mayo Baptist Church
October 20, 1981
Hopewell Baptist Church

Eighty-Third Annual Session of the Association will convene with Faith Baptist Church, October 18, 1982 and Brewer Lake Baptist Church, October 19, 1982

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# CONSTITUTION OF THE MIDDLE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

This body shall be know as the "Middle Florida Baptist Association."

#### ARTICLE II - COMPOSITION

Section 1. The membership of this association shall be composed of messengers representing cooperating Southern Baptist Churches, the doctrinal beliefs and practices of which shall conform to those usually accepted by Southern Baptist Churches and 'to those contained in the "Baptist Faith and Message" adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963.

Section 2. This association reserves the right to reject, in accord with Article III, Section 2 & 3 of the By-Laws, messengers from any church which shows itself to be unorthodox in faith or practice, or which wilfully and persistently creates discord by refusing to comply with the spirit of this constitution.

Section 3. This association may receive churches into its affiliation in accord with Article II, Section 4 of the By-Laws of the Association.

Section 4. Any church may withdraw from affiliation with the Association in accord with Article II, Section 5 of the By-Laws of the Association.

#### **ARTICLE III - OBJECTIVE**

Section 1. The objective of this association shall be to promote harmonious activity in carrying out the Great Commission of our Lord within the programs, agencies, and institutions of the Florida Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Section 2. This body shall exercise no legislative or judicial authority over any church, nor shall it have ecclesiastical power over the internal affairs of any church. It shall, however, offer fraternal counsel to any church requesting such assistance.

#### **ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS**

Moderator

Section 1. The general officers of this association shall be a Director of Missions when employed by the Association, Vice-Moderator. Clerk and Treasurer.

Section 2. The duties of these general officers shall be described and defined in Article IV of the By-Laws of this Association.

Section 3. Election of these officers, except the Director of Missions, shall be annually. Such election and terms of service shall be in accord with Article III of the By-Laws of this Association.

#### **ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES**

Section 1. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Association which shall be responsible for conducting the business of the Association between the regular meeting of the Association.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the pastor of each church, one other member elected annually by his church, the Associational officers listed in Article IV, Section 1, the Director of Missions, the Directors of each organization of the Association and Chairpersons of all standing committees. It shall function in accord with Article V, Section 1 of the By-Laws of the Association.

Section 3. All standing and special committees shall be authorized by the Association and shall be subject to the ratification and revision by the messengers in the annual session or by the Executive Committee.

Section 4. These committees shall function in accord with Article V of the By-Laws of this Association.

#### **ARTICLE VI- ANNUAL REPORTS**

Section 1. The churches affiliated with this Association shall furnish annually to this body the information requested by the uniform church letter to the Association.

Section 2. The Director of Missions, Clerk of the Association, and any person authorized to act as agent for the Association shall submit an annual report to the Association, setting forth such facts about his work as will clearly indicate the activity of the employee or agent.

#### ARTICLE VII - MEETINGS

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually in October at such time and place as it may have selected at the preceding fall meeting. The purpose of this meeting shall be to dispense with matters of business related to the Association, to receive reports and recommendations from state convention agencies and associational organizations, committees and staff.

Section 2. The Association shall also meet in a one-session Semi-Annual meeting on the first Monday in April at such place as it may have selected at the preceding fall meeting. The purpose of this meeting shall be primarily for inspiration, for electing officers for the ensuing denominational year, and for any other business deemed necessary by the Association.

Section 3. The Moderator, in consultation with the Executive Committee, may call special meetings of the Association and, in consultation with the Committee on time, place, and preacher, make necessary changes in date or place of the annual and semi-annual meetings. In such cases, the Clerk shall notify the churches in writing of the time and purpose of special meetings and of the reasons for changes at least two Sundays prior to the meeting.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION**

This constitution may be amended at the final session of any regular meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of messengers present and voting, provided that notice of such change shall have been presented to the Executive Committee at least thirty days prior to the Associational meeting and that such notice be given to the Association at the first session of such meeting.

#### **ARTICLE IX**

This constitution shall become effective upon the favorable vote of two-thirds of those present and voting at the final session of the Associational Meeting October 20, 1981, providing that written notice shall have been made to all churches, at least thirty (30) days prior to the meeting.

# BY-LAWS OF THE MIDDLE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

#### ARTICLE I - RULES OF DECORUM

Section 1. Each session of the general Association Meeting shall be opened and closed with prayer.

Section 2. This body shall use "Robert's Rules of Order Revised" as its guide for business procedure.

Section 3. At the beginning of each general meeting of this body and the Executive Committee, the Moderator may appoint a parliamentarian who shall give guidance regarding parliamentary procedure.

#### ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Each cooperating church shall be entitled to four messengers, of whom one shall be the Pastor, and one additional messenger for each fifty members or fraction thereof. However, no church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers.

Section 2. If any church shall fail to have messengers present at any four consecutive general associational meetings (exclusive of meetings of organizations) (two years), a credentials committee shall be appointed by the Moderator to inquire into the state and intentions of the church. This committee shall make recommendations to the Association regarding the church.

Section 3. The association reserves the right to reject messengers from any church which is not in accord with the doctrines, policies, and practices of the Association. Prior to such rejection, the Moderator shall appoint a credentials committee to inquire into the state and intentions of the church. This committee shall make recommendations to the Association, in a regular or called meeting regarding the church.

Section 4. Any church desiring affiliation with this body shall petition the Association, in writing on a form approved by the Executive Committee no later than forty-five days prior to the October meeting.

The Moderator shall thereupon appoint a petitionary letter committee which shall receive the petition, confer with the petitioning church, and report their recommendation to the Executive Committee which shall present the recommendation to the

Association at the October meeting.

A church, which as a mission was under the sponsorship of an affiliated church, may be accepted at the October meeting in which recommendation was made. Others shall come under the watchcare of the Association for at least one year before being presented for affiliation. The Credentials Committee, Moderator, and Director of Missions shall offer assistance and guidance during the watchcare period.

Churches under watchcare shall have all privileges except voting.

Section 5. Any messenger may be refused membership in the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Committee and upon a two-thirds vote of the messengers present and voting, at the annual meeting of the Association, for any of the following reasons:

- (1) Any member church willfully and/or habitually performing such practices as may be out of harmony with the doctrines and principles of the cooperating churches of the Association.
- (2) Any member church failing to give some financial expression of its desire to participate in our World Missions Program for a period of three consecutive years.
- (3) Any member church failing to present a church letter to the Association for three consecutive years.

Any church which feels that it cannot continue to cooperate in the fellowship and activities of the Association may discontinue its membership by written notice.

Churches desiring to transfer membership to another like Association and desiring a letter of recommendation should present in writing a notice of such intention at least thirty (30) days prior to the annual meeting of Middle Florida Association.

#### **ARTICLE III - ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Section 1. The Association shall, as it deems wise and appropriate, employ a Director of Missions as a salaried worker. This person shall be a general officer of the Association and an ex officio member of all associational committees.

In the event of a vacancy in this position, the Moderator shall appoint a personnel committee, who shall prayerfully seek out and present to the Executive Committee for approval, the person for the position. The Personnel Committee shall function in accord with Article V, Section 7 (2) of these By-Laws.

Section 2. The general officers, except the Director of Missions,

shall be selected by the Nominating Committee and presented for election at the April meeting of the Association. Nominations from the floor shall be received for these positions, if there be such. Those officers thus elected by the Association shall begin their terms of service at the close of the October meeting of the Association following their election. Should the Moderator-elect be unable to assume office at the October meeting, the Vice-Moderator shall become Moderator and a new Vice-Moderator elected at the October meeting in the manner described above. In the absence of the Moderator for any reason, the Vice-Moderator shall assume those duties. The Moderator and Vice-Moderator may be eligible to succeed himself only once.

Section 3. In addition to those general officers, the Associational Nominating Committee shall present for election at the April meeting the following directors and their associates: Sunday School, Church Training, Evangelism Chairman, Stewardship Chariman, E. C. Tyner Youth Camp; (Woman's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Youth Rally and Music, which shall submit their slate of officers to the Nominating Committee).

Section 4. Vacancies in all positions, except the Director of Missions, occuring between the October and April meetings of the Association shall be filled by the Nominating Committee working in conjunction with the Executive Committee.

Section 5. No more than two persons from any church shall be permitted to hold positions as general officers and/or organization directors in this Association simultaneously. No person shall serve simultaneously on two standing committees or as a general officer and an organizational director. This provision excludes those who are serving in places of responsibility at the time of the adoption of these By-Laws, and shall become effective as these persons shall terminate their services.

#### ARTICLE IV - DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. The Director of Missions shall be available to the churches of the Middle Florida Association, limited only by his time and schedule, in the following capacities:

- Associational Promotion He shall promote the activities of the Middle Florida Association on invitation from the local churches.
- Teaching and Preaching He may be available to the local church for:

- (a) Teaching in church study courses, January Bible Study; Studies for Pastors; Sunday School; Church Training; Woman's Missionary Union; Brotherhood and Music Departments.
- (b) Pulpit supply, not to exceed two (2) consecutive Sundays, for which he may be remunerated by the local church.
- (c) Revivals
- Conferences and Counseling He shall be available for some conferences and counseling as follows:
  - (a) With pulpit committees (at their request).
  - (b) With Pastors.
  - (c) With others as needed and requested.
- 4. Materials and Equipment He will be responsible for storing, maintaining and making available audio visual aids, tracts, brochures, etc. as may be needed and requested.
- 5. Special Services He may be available for ordinations, dedications, etc., upon invitation by the local church.

With regards to missions and denominational activities, the Director of Missions shall:

- 1. Promote the Denominational program; keep before the people and the churches the World Mission Program of Southern Baptist; promote the Cooperative Program.
- 2. Assist in locating new missions sites and lend help in starting new missions.
- Lead in the promotion and planning of simultaneous efforts such as World Missions Conferences, Evangelism Campaigns, Stewardship Revivals, Forward Program of Church Finance Clinics.
- 4. Keep Denominational leadership posted on changes in Associational, Organizational and Church Leadership.

The Director of Missions shall:

- 1. Have general supervision of the Association Office and shall supervise any secretarial work in the office.
- 2. Work with all Associational Department Directors in the planning and promotion of their work and in coordination with calendar of activities.
- 3. Work with all Associational Committees in their area of assigned responsibilities.
- 4. It shall be the responsibility of the Director of Missions to promote special days and emphasize conventions and other denominational meetings to the Association, to inform the Baptist Witness and other news media of items in the

Association. He shall endeavor to visit all the churches during a church function at least once a year in order to maintain and promote the Associational program, and shall do all within his power to promote unity, goodwill and cooperation among churches, pastors and church leaders.

#### Section 2. The Moderator

- 1. The Moderator shall preside at all general meetings of the Association.
- 2. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise provided for.
- 3. He shall serve as chairman of the Executive Committee and shall submit a written report of the work of this committee to the October meeting of the Association.
- 4. He shall serve as chairman of the Program Committee.
- He shall be an ex-officio member of all associational committees.

#### Section 3. The Vice-Moderator

- 1. The Vice-Moderator shall assist the Moderator and shall preside in his absence or at his request.
- 2. He shall serve as Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee.
- 3. He shall serve as chairman of the Committee on Committees. Section 4. The Clerk
- The Clerk shall make, correct, and supervise the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association and shall serve as Secretary of the Executive Committee.
- 2. He shall be responsible for all associational correspondence.
- 3. He shall notify in writing, immediately upon their election or appointment, all persons elected to office or appointed to committees.

#### Section 5. The Treasurer

The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds and hold title, as Trustee to all properties of this association, and hold same, subject to the order of this body. He shall disburse funds as directed by this body or its Executive Committee, or as directed by the donors, and shall make an annual report of all receipts and expenditures, and such other reports as may be requested by the Executive Committee.

#### Section 6. Other Officers

- 1. The officers of the various organizations of the Association shall perform the functions usual to their office, following the plans outlined in their respective denominational publications.
- 2. The Director of each organization shall present a written report to the Executive Committee and a written annual

report to the Association in the October meeting.

- 3. The Music Director shall represent the Church Music program on the Associational Council; serve as chairman of the Associational Music Council; Report on work of the Associational Music program to the Association; lead in enlisting and training associational music officers; counsel with church leaders on administering their music programs; lead in providing music personnel for the annual business sessions of the association and other general types of associational meetings; and provide inspiration, training, and information to assist local church leaders in planning, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music programs.
- 4. The Stewardship Chairman shall seek to expand: (a) Church leadership's understanding of biblical stewardship. (b) Understanding and use of the proposed church stewardship organization. (c) Knowledge of church leaders related to available stewardship materials. (d) Church participation in stewardship activity based on available material. He will seek to create an atmosphere of importance and urgency for the entire subject of stewardship. He will serve as THE responsible person in the association for developing Christian stewards. He will encourage a wholesome, positive attitude toward stewardship, mission support, and the Foundation and Annuity programs.
- 5. The Evangelism Chairman shall promote a concern for winning the lost throughout all churches by working with Pastors, Sunday School Directors, and outreach leaders. He will, with resources available, assist church leaders in understanding and building Spiritual foundations for Evangelism and helping in developing practical skills for practical witnessing. He will plan and conduct programs designed to inform
  - He will plan and conduct programs designed to inform Baptists about evangelistic opportunities and to inspire in them zeal for this task.
- 6. All organizational directors shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee to the Executive Committee for their consideration, approval and endorsement at the Semi-Annual Meeting.
- 7. All organizational directors shall submit their respective budget requests to the Budget Committee no later than July 1 of each year for inclusion in the proposed budget for the ensuing church year to be presented to the Executive Committee.

@ amended 8-1-83 to read: "It shall meet regularly the first Monday of even months or at such time as is necessary to avoid conflicts in scheduling."

#### **ARTICLE V - DUTIES OF COMMITTEES**

Section 1. Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall transact all business of the Association between the regular meetings of the Association.

(2) It shall meet regularly the first Monday of even months at such time as it shall deem appropriate.

It shall meet in special session as the Associational Council and Moderator may deem necessary providing the members of the Committee shall have been notified at least one week in advance.

Section 2. Committee on Committees

The Committee on Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator at the October meeting of the Association. They shall recommend at the Semi-Annual (April) Meeting the names of persons who shall serve on the Standing Committees of the Association for the ensuing associational year.

Section 3. Membership

Membership on each of the Standing Committees excluding the Executive Committee, shall be on a rotating basis, with the terms of one-third of the members expiring each year, after the respective members have served for three years.

Section 4. Standing Committees

Standing Committees

The Standing Committees of this Association shall include: Nominating Committee, Missions Committee, Evangelism Committee, United Christian Action Committee, and Youth Activities Committee, Their duties shall be as follows:

- 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three members and shall seek out and recommend persons to serve as general officers and as organization directors of the Association in accord with Article III, Sections 2-5 of these By-Laws. It shall also, recommend to the Association, which shall convey such recommendations to the Florida Baptist Convention Board of Missions a person to serve on the Board, when a vacancy occurs.
- 2. The Budget Committee shall be composed of five members and shall prepare a budget for the Association based upon the needs and requests of the various organizations and programs and the ability of the churches to provide. The proposed budget shall be presented to the Executive Committee for review and approval at its August meeting. It shall then be presented to the Association for adoption at the October meeting for the ensuing Church year.
  - 3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of five members

and shall provide and interpret information on mission needs in the Associational territory to the churches in the Association. It shall train church missions committees for their work and assist the churches in doing mission work. It shall encourage churches and associational organizations to conduct mission work and when necessary, it shall conduct mission work not being done.

- 4. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members and shall cooperate with departments of evangelism of the Florida Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board in promoting evangelism in the churches of this Association. It shall provide and interpret information and inspiration regarding evangelism through an annual associational evangelism conference and/or rally.
- 5. The Youth Activities Committee shall be composed of four members (Pastor-Advisor, President, Vice-President, Secretary/ Treasurer) which will be nominated by the Youth Rally at their March meeting and submitted to the Associational Nominating Committee for submittal to the Association at its Semi-Annual meeting. This Committee shall plan and implement associational activities designed to promote inspiration, harmony, and cooperation among the youth of the churches.
- 6. The United Christian Action Committee shall be composed of three members, which shall aggressively oppose the evils of alcohol, pornographic literature, gambling, the illicit use of drugs, and similar problems that have a detrimental effect upon society. This committee shall promote legislation and law enforcement related thereto. It shall make full use of all resources available through the United Christian Action Office in Jacksonville, Florida, and shall encourage our churches to give financial support to said organization.

#### Section 5. Association Council

The Association Council shall be composed of the Director of Missions, who shall serve as chairman, the Moderator, the Directors of the Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood, and Music organizations, and the Chairman of standing committees. The Council shall meet on the first Sunday of odd months. They shall serve as a primary planning group for the Associational activities and shall formulate the Associational calendar of activities and shall serve as the program committee to prepare the program for the April and October general meetings of the Association (in association with committees of Section 6, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4).

#### Section 6. Temporary Committees

The Temporary Committees of the Association shall be appointed by the Moderator at the April meeting. They shall function in accord with the following guidelines, and shall terminate at the close of the following April meeting.

- 1. The Time, Place, and Preacher Committee, composed of three members, shall recommend to the Association dates, places, and speakers for the major addresses for the October and April meetings of the Association during the ensuing year.
- 2. The Resolutions Committee, composed of three members, shall receive all resolutions properly introduced in accord with Article 6; Section 3, of these By-Laws and shall bring the Association such other resolutions or recommendations as it may deem appropriate.
- The Memorial Committee, composed of three members shall lead the Association in a suitable memorial service in honor of all deceased members of the churches affiliated with the Association.
- 4. The Committee on Committees (Article V, Section 2)

Section 7. Special Committees

Special Committees shall be appointed by the Moderator with the advice and consent of the Executive Committee, for specific functions as the needs may arise. They shall terminate upon the completion of their duties as herein described.

- 1. The Petitionary Letters Committee composed of five members, shall receive petitionary letters from churches desiring affiliation in the Association. It shall make full investigation to determine if such churches are qualified for affiliation in accord with the Constitution and these By-Laws of the Association. They shall recommend the disposition of all such petitionary letters. (Note: The Petitionary letters should include items such as (1) Date and result of church vote to request association membership; (2) After watchcare relationship of nine months, a vote reaffirming the desire to be a member should be taken and recorded; (3) a statement of intention to participate and cooperate; (4) Constitution, By-Laws and Covenant; (5) Evidence of cooperation given.)
- 2. The Personnel Committee, composed of three members, shall seek out and present to the Executive Committee persons to fill salaried positions approved by the Association or Executive Committee, according to qualifications and descriptions approved by the Association or Executive Committee.

#### **ARTICLE VI - GENERAL**

Section 1. No organizations, committee, or officer of this Association shall create an obligation or debt involving Associational funds unless duly authorized by the Association or Executive Committee.

Section 2. These By-Laws may be amended at any October session by a two-thirds vote of the members present, provided, however, that thirty (30) days advance notice, in writing, stating clearly the proposed change and reason for making same be made to all churches.

Section 3. All resolutions shall be submitted in writing, and shall be automatically referred to the Resolutions Committee. All resolutions thus referred shall be reported back to the Association by the committee with recommendations. No resolution shall be presented during the closing meeting of any session of the Association, or at any one session meeting except by the Resolutions Committee.

#### **ARTICLE VII - ENABLING CLAUSE**

These By-Laws shall become effective upon the favorable vote of two-thirds of those present and voting at the final session of the Associational Meeting October 20, 1981, providing that written notice shall have been made to all churches at least thirty (30) days prior to the Meeting.

#### MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

- BETHEL CREEK: None Listed
- BEULAH: Gladys Hicks, Geraldine Stokes
- BREWER LAKE: Mrs. Cartalee Ward, Nonie Mae Bell, Joan Corn, Mozeta Buchanan, Evelyn Buchanan, Kenneth Buchanan, Ernest Horton.
- CENTRAL: Mr. & Mrs. Charles Comer, Blanche Clark, Mrs. E. C. Schierhorst, Rev. Walter Chapman. Alternates; Mrs. Walter Chapman, E. C. McKown, E.C. Schierhorst.
- CHERRY LAKE: Mr. & Mrs. Albert Gentry, Mr. & Mrs. V. A. Genton, Rev. & Mrs. W. C. Owens, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. Strawder, Mr. & Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Gracie Collins.
- ELIZABETH: Dr. & Mrs. Mark McCoy, Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Demott, Ollie Kinsey, Inez Demott, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Hartsfield, Kenneth & Sherry Bass.
- ERIDU: Rev. L. C. Hicks, Delorise Lewis, Allie Mae Lewis
- FAITH: Mr. & Mrs. Finley Day, Buster Bass, Debbie Bass, Paula Adams, James Walters, Audrey Wood, Gertrude Robertson.
- GREENVILLE: Mrs. Joe Reams, Sr., Mrs. Ruth Reams, Mrs. F. H. Reams, Mrs. Jewel Barfield, Mrs. Bernice Entzminger.
- HOPEWELL: Mr. & Mrs. Bill Lamb, Rev. & Mrs. Jack Lamb, Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Bass, Eustace Kelley.
- LAMONT: Rodney Boland, Vivian Reams, Virginia Reams, Mamie Capps, Ada Bell Davis, Rev. Verner Wheeler.
- LEE FIRST: Rev. I. T. Carter, Ronnie Payne, David Butler, J. L. Pate, Gordon Henderson, J. H. Phillips, Joe Miller.
- MACEDONIA: Rev. & Mrs. Dozier Sapp, Johnnie Davis, Robert Bellflower.
- MADISON FIRST: Mr. & Mrs. Broadus Willoughby, Rev. B. E. Humes, Mr. & Mrs. Hazel Woodard, Mr. & Mrs. Johnnie Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Messer, Mrs. Aline Woodard, Mr. & Mrs. David Smith, Lark Daughtry, Bill Grant, Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Jesse, Mr. & Mrs. Lex Webb.
- MAYO: Dr. & Mrs. Roy Saint, Harvey Croft, Clifton Shiver.
- MIDWAY: Mr. & Mrs. Gus Phillips, Gracie Webb, Mr. & Mrs. Joe Barnette, Chloe Jordan.
- MOSELEY HALL: Henry Roberts, Leon Andrews, Mrs. Lucille Cruce, Sonya Webb, Mrs. Owen Taylor, Ollie Banks.
- MT. OLIVE: Rev. & Mrs. B. P. Koelle, Annie B. Thomas, Ethel Clark, NEW HOME: Jack Pickles, Mertis Odom, Mr. & Mrs. Al Holley, Sim
- Andrews, Henri Tuten.

NEW HOPEFUL: Mr. & Mrs. George Schierkolk

NEW MACEDONIA: Rev. & Mrs. Carl Loughary, Annie B. Shackelford, Harold Buchanan, Mrs. Matt Henderson, Mae Bell Barclay, Jean Wright, Tommy Barclay.

PINE GROVE: Mr. & Mrs. Ed Kelly, Mr. & Mrs. Albert Law, Mr. & Mrs. Joe Washington, Virginia Adams, Rev. & Mrs. Bobby Register.

PINETTA FIRST: Rev. & Mrs. Ray Turner, Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Crafton, Mr. & Mrs. Ervin Gaylard, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Walker.

PLEASANT GROVE (L): A. F. Buchanan, Gertie Buchanan, Beulah Mae Sessions, E. P. Sessions, Henry Folsom, Clara Folsom, Dovie Folsom.

PLEASANT GROVE (T): Mr. & Mrs. Ira Smith, Horace Knowles, Mary Lee Knowles, Alternates; Fred Harrison, Clara White, Franklin Aman, Reba Aman.

RIVERSIDE: Sarah Lyons, Faye Thacker

SIRMANS: None listed

ST. JOHNS: Mary Ellen Letchworth, Agnes Blount, Ralph Blount (Alt.), Essie Barnett (Alt.).

#### 1981-82 CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

#### OCTOBER, 1981

- 2-3 Brotherhood Leadership Conference, Lake Yale
  - 4 HIGH ATTENDANCE DAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL, CHURCH TRAINING
- 5-7 Bible Study & Enrichment Conference for Ministers/ Wives, Lake Yale
- 9-10 Brotherhood Leadership Conference, Blue Springs GA Mother/Daughter Overnight, Lake Yale
  - 13 WMU Rally Pinetta 7:00 P.M.
  - 15 Associational Brotherhood, Faith, 7 P.M.
- 16-18 Acteens Cometogether, Lake Yale
  - 17 Youth Rally 8 P.M. Brewer Lake
- 19-20 ANNUAL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING, MAYO & HOPEWELL, 3:30 P.M.
- 23-24 Deacons Retreat, Pickett Lake
  Leadership Conference for Smaller Churches, B.B.I.
  - 26 Sunday School Leadership Night
- 27-30 Witness Training Institute, Lake Yale
- 30-31 West Florida Bible Conference & Teaching Clinic, Blue Springs.

#### 30-Nov. 1 - State Baptist Campus Ministry Convention, Lake Yale

#### NOVEMBER, 1981

- 1 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 1-7 Royal Ambassador Week
  - 2 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
  - 3 Election Day
- 9-11 Annual Meeting of Florida Baptist State Convention, Sheraton-Twin Towers, Orlando
- 13-14 Youth Leaders Bible Conference, Lake Yale
  - 16 Evangelism Growth Trend Briefing, Faith, 7:30 P.M.
- 15-18 Foreign Mission Graded Series
  - 17 "M" Night, Pleasant Grove (T), 7:30 P.M.
- 20-21 State Pastor/Deacon Retreat, Lake Yale State Vocational Guidance Conference, Jacksonville
  - 21 Youth Rally Faith 7 P.M.
  - 26 THANKSGIVING DAY
- 29 Dec. 6 Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions & Lottie Moon Offering.

#### DECEMBER, 1981

- 7 Executive Committee Meeting, Faith, 7:30 P.M.
- 8-10 Directors of Associational Missions/Florida Baptist Convention Staff Retreat, Blue Springs
  - 16 CarolSing in Every Church
  - 19 Youth Rally Cherry Lake 7 P.M.
  - 25 CHRISTMAS DAY.
  - 31 Watch Night

#### JANUARY, 1982

- 3 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 10 Witnessing Commitment Day
- 11-13 State Evangelism Conference, Jacksonville
  - 12 WMU Rally Elizabeth 7:00 P.M.
- 15-16 Adult Choir Member Retreat, Blue Springs
  - 16 Youth Rally 7 P.M.
  - 21 Associational Brotherhood, Mayo 7 P.M.
- 22-23 Prayer Retreat for Women, Blue Springs
- 25-26 Pastor/Church Staff Retirement Planning Conference, Blue Springs
- 26-29 Florida Baptist Convention/Director of Mission Planning Retreat, Blue Springs.

#### FEBRUARY, 1982

- 1 Executive Committee Meeting, Faith, 7:30 P.M.
- 2 Associational Evangelism Thrust
- 5-6 Pastor/Deacon Retreat, Blue Springs
  - 6 Associational Music Festival, Madison First Children 6 P.M., Youth & Adults 7 P.M.
- 8-9 Associational Training School, Sunday School
- 8-12 Metro Disciple Youth Consultation, Tallahassee
- 11-12 ABC's of Church Administration, Ocala
- 14-20 WMU Focus Week
- 19-20 Music & Method Clinic, Blue Springs
  - 20 Youth Rally 7 P.M.
- 22-24 Conference on Preaching, Lake Yale
- 26-27 Baptist Young Women Retreat, Lake Yale

#### MARCH, 1982

- 5 Associational Bible Drill & Speakers Tournament, 7:30 PM
- 5-6 State Young Musicians Festival, Lake Yale Baptist Men's Rally. Blue Springs
- 5-7 Renewal Retreat for Couples, Lake Yale
  - 7 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 7-14 Week of Prayer for Home Missions & Annie Armstrong Offering
- 9-10 State Vacation Bible School Clinic, Blue Springs
- 11-12 State Vacation Bible School Clinic, Lake Yale
- 12-13 Baptist Young Women Retreat, Blue Springs Young Musicians Festival, Lake Yale
- 12-14 Renewal Retreat for Couples, Lake Yale
- 14-21 Youth Week
  - 20 Youth Rally 7 P.M.
  - 26 Regional Church Training Convention, Trenton
- 26-27 Pastor/Deacon Retreat, Lake Yale State Instrumental Festival, Blue Springs

#### **APRIL, 1982**

- 3 State Bible Drill & Speakers Tournament, Lake Yale
- 5 SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING
- 9-10 RA Congress, Lake Yale State Children's Bible Drill, Blue Springs
  - 13 Associational Vacation Bible School Clinic WMU Rally New Home 7 P.M.

#### APRIL, 1982 (Continued)

- 15 Associational Brotherhood, Brewer Lake, 7 P.M.
- 16-17 GA Mother/Daughter Overnight, Lake Yale
  - 17 Choir Workshop, Pleasant Grove (T)2 P.M. Choir EVERYONE: 5:30 P.M. Supper; 6:30 P.M. Choir

Youth Rally, 7:00 P.M.

- 18 COOPERATIVE PROGRAM DAY
- 19-23 Baptist Doctrine Week
- 23-24 Acteens Celebration, Blue Springs
- 29-30 Celebration of World Missions, Curtis Hixon Convention Center, Tampa
  - 30 PraisFest 82, Curtis Hixon, Tampa

#### MAY. 1982

- 2 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 3-5 Lay Evangelism School
  - 9 Mother's Day
- 15 Youth Rally
- 17-23 ASSOCIATIONAL EMPHASIS WEEK
- 20-21 Associational Leadership Planning Conference, Lake Yale

#### JUNE, 1982

- 7 Executive Committee Meeting, Faith, 7:30 P.M.
- 14-19 GA Camp, Lake Yale RA Camp, Lake Yale
- 15-17 Southern Baptist Convention, New Orleans
  - 19 Youth Rally, 8 P.M.
- 21-26 GA Camp, Lake Yale RA Camp, Lake Yale
- 28 July 3 RA Camp, Lake Yale GA Camp, Lake Yale

#### JULY, 1982

- 1-2 Youth Evangelism & Missions Conference, Tampa
  - 4 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 5-10 GA/Acteens Camp, Lake Yale RA Camp, Lake Yale
- 10-16 Church Training Leadership & Youth Conference, Ridgecrest
- 12-15 Sunday School Leadership Assembly, Lake Yale
- 12-17 Acteens Camp, Lake Yale

#### JULY, 1982 (Continued)

- 12-17 Youth Music Camp, Lake Yale
  - 15 Joint WMU & Brotherhood Meeting, Madison First, 7 P.M.
- 16-17 Sunday School Leadership Mini-Conference, Lake Yale
  - 17 Youth Rally, 8 P.M.
  - 18 FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS SUNDAY
- 19-24 GA Camp, Lake Yale Young Musicians Camp, Lake Yale
- 22-24 M & M Clinic, Lake Yale
- 26-31 GA/Acteens Camp, Lake Yale
- 29-31 Smaller Church Conference, Blue Springs

#### **AUGUST. 1982**

- 2 Executive Committee Meeting, Faith, 7:30 P.M.
- 2-6 Associational Youth Camp, Pickett Lake
- 2-7 Church Training Youth Assembly, Lake Yale
- 5-7 Church Training Associational Officers Training, Lake Yale
- 15-22 Church Music Week
- 16-18 WMU Leadership Conference, Lake Yale
  - 18 WMU Drive-In Day, Lake Yale
- 20-21 Sunday School Leadership Mini-Conference, Blue Springs and Lake Yale
  - 21 Youth Rally 8 P.M.
- 23-25 Church Growth Institute, Lake Yale
- 26-28 Church Growth Institute, Blue Springs
- 27-28 Sunday School Leadership Mini-Conference, Lake Yale

#### SEPTEMBER, 1982

- 4-6 Baptist Women Conference, Lake Yale
  - 5 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 9-11 Church Training Leadership Retreat, Blue Springs
- 10-11 Adult Choir Member Retreat, Lake Yale
  - 11 WMU Leaders Conference, Lake Yale
- 12-18 Season of Prayer & Special State Mission Offering
- 17-18 Adult Choir Member Retreat, Lake Yale Sunday School Leadership Mini-Conference, Blue Springs
  - 18 Youth Rally 8 P.M.
  - 23 Adult Choir Director's Workshop, Tallahassee
- 24-25 WMU Leaders Conference, Blue Springs

#### OCTOBER, 1982

1-2 Brotherhood Leadership Conference, Lake Yale

#### OCTOBER, 1982 (Continued)

- 4-6 Bible Study & Enrichment Conference for Ministers/ Wives, Lake Yale
- 8-9 Brotherhood Leadership Conference, Blue Springs GA Mother/Daughter Overnight, Lake Yale
- 12 WMU Rally 7 P.M.
- 15-17 Acteens Cometogether, Lake Yale
  - 16 Youth Rally 8 P.M.
- 18-19 EIGHTY-THIRD SESSION OF MIDDLE FLORIDA ASSOCIATION, Faith & Brewer Lake 3:30 P.M.
  - 21 Associational Brotherhood, 7 P.M.
- 22-23 Acteens Cometogether, Blue Springs
  Leadership Conference for Smaller Churches, Blue Springs
- 25-28 Disciple Youth Training Institute, Lake Yale
- 29-30 Bible Conference & Teaching Clinic, Blue Springs

#### NOVEMBER, 1982

- 2 Election Day
- 5-6 Pastor/Deacon & Wives Retreat, Lake Yale
  - 7 Associational Council, Madison First, 2:30 P.M.
- 12-13 WMU Associational Leadership Retreat, Blue Springs
- 15-17 Florida Baptist State Convention, Tampa
- 19-20 Youth Leaders Bible Conference, Lake Yale
  - 22 "M" Night Greenville 7:30 P.M.
- 28 Dec. 5 Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions & Lottie Moon Offering.
- 30 Dec. 2 Director of Missions Retreat, Lake Yale

#### DECEMBER, 1982

- 6 Executive Committee Meeting, Fatih, 7:30 P.M.
- 15 CarolSing in EVERY Church
- 18 Youth Rally
- 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
- 31 Watch Night

#### MIDDLE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING April 6, 1981

Cherry Lake, First Baptist

- 1. The Fellowship Supper was served by the host church at 6:30 P.M.
- 2. Moderator Lex Webb called the Meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.
- 3. Linda Demott, Associational Music Director led the Congregation in singing "He Lives", accompanied by Lorraine Owens.
- 4. I. T. Carter, Pastor of Lee, gave the opening prayer.
- 5. Brother Albert Gentry welcomed the messengers and visitors to Cherry Lake.
- 6. The Response was given by Pleasant Vause, Pastor of St. Johns.
- 7. The Moderator asked for and received a Motion to approve the written reports.
- 8. Eddie Humes, Pastor of Madison First, substituting for Charles Knight, presented the Nominating Committee Report. SUNDAY SCHOOL, John Dorman; CHURCH TRAINING, Vivian Reams; BROTHERHOOD, Shunny Goodwin; MUSIC DIRECTOR, Linda Demott; W.M.U. DIRECTOR, Mrs. I. T. Carter; EVANGELISM, Howard Money; STEWARDSHIP, Lamar Anderson; MISSIONS COMMITTEE, Malcolm Tomkins (5 years), Gene Stokes (4 years), Robert Bellflower (3 years), I.F. Day (2 years), Lex Webb (1 year). There were no nominations from the floor. A motion was made and seconded to accept the Report of Nominations.
- 9. The following Associational Officers were nominated from the floor and elected to serve 1981-82: MODERATOR, Lex D. Webb; VICE-MODERATOR, L.C. Hicks; CLERK, Geraldine Stokes; TREASURER, W.T. Coody.
- 10. Carl Loughary, Pastor of New Macedonia, gave the Prayer for newly-elected officers.
- 11. Gene Stokes, Chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, reported that a proposed new Constitution and By-Laws would be given to each person and stressed the need of Pastors setting aside a time to study them. Any suggestions should be directed to the Executive Committee. The new Constitution and By-Laws will be voted on during the Annual Meeting on October 20.
- 12. Carlton Owens, Director of Missions, introduced three new Pastors: Walter Chapman, Central; Pleasant Vause, St. Johns; Dozier Sapp, Interim of Macedonia. He reported that eighteen

- (18) Pastors were present. Brother Owens encouraged all leaders to attend the Associational Leadership Planning Conference, May 14-15 at Lake Yale.
- 13. Linda Demott led the Congregation in singing, "Victory in Jesus".
- 14. Eddie Humes, Pastor of Madison First, introduced the Guest Speaker, Francis Cruce, Retired/Director of Missions for Beulah and Suwannee Associations.
- 15. Special Music was given by The Ladies Ensemble of Cherry Lake, singing "He is So Precious" accompanied by Lorraine Owens.
- 16. Brother Francis Cruce challenged all with a message taken from Joshua 13:1, "There remaineth yet very much land to be possessed", emphasizing the Main Task of the Association, which is Church Assistance.
- 17. Linda Demott led the congregation in singing, "The Bond of Love".
- 18. The Benediction was given by Dude Phelan of Madison First.

Respectfully Submitted, Geraldine Stokes, Clerk Lex D. Webb, Moderator

# MINUTES OF THE EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION OF THE MIDDLE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION Met with Mayo Baptist Church October 19, 1981

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1. The Eighty-Second Annual Session of the Middle Florida Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator Lex Webb at 3:30 P.M., Monday afternoon, October 19, 1981, in the Mayo Baptist Church.
- 2. Judy S. Saint, Music Director, Mayo led the Association in singing, "We're Marching to Zion", accompanied by Marie Winburn, pianist and Vicky Colson, organist.
- 3. Ray Turner, Pastor of Pinetta, gave the Devotional reading Psalm 126 and leading in prayer.
- 4. Clifton Shiver, Mayo, welcomed the messengers and visitors to Mayo and expressed the pleasure of the church in hosting this annual meeting.

- 5. The Response was given by Eddie Humes, Pastor of Madison First
- 6. Clerk, Geraldine Stokes, moved "That all messengers now registered, and will register, constitute the active body of this Association, and that the printed program (with needed changes) become the order of business." The motion was seconded by Eddie Humes and carried.
- 7. The Moderator appointed John Dorman, Pastor of New Home and Eddie Humes, Pastor of Madison First to serve on the Time-Place-Speaker Committee, with John Dorman, chairman.
- 8. Fred Harrison, Pastor of Pleasant Grove (T), was appointed by the Moderator to serve on the Resolutions Committee.
- 9. Committee Reports were as follows:
- 10. Geraldine Stokes, Clerk, reported for the Executive Committee encouraging the participation of each church in sending a lay representative along with the Pastor to each meeting. The report was adopted after a second by Eddie Humes.
- 11. In absence of Walter Chapman, Pastor of Central, Moderator Lex Webb spoke forcefully for the Florida Baptist Witness Report. Charles Knight, Pastor of Cherry Lake First, moved the adoption of the report, seconded by L.C. Hicks and carried.
- 12. John Dorman, Director, reported an increase of 73 in Sunday School enrollment over the last year. He also stated four new classes from three churches were started and were awarded Certificates of Recognition. Brother Dorman moved the adoption of the report, seconded by I.T. Carter, Pastor of Lee First and approved.
- 13. The Brotherhood Report was given by Curtis Goodwin, present director, who stated that Mayo and Brewer Lake did volunteer mission work in Honduras last year. Brother Goodwin moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Charles Knight, and approved.
- 14. William Tyre, of the Lafayette Association, reported for Annuity and Retirement, and moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Ray Turner, and adopted.
- 15. Judy S. Saint led the Association in singing "All Hail the Power".
- 16. Charles Knight led in requested prayer for Ray Williams, Jr.
- 17. Moderator Lex Webb relinquished his duties to the Vice-Moderator, L.C. Hicks for the completion of the afternoon session.
- 18. The Children's Home Report was given by Audrey Wood, Faith and she moved the adoption of the report, seconded by I.T.

- Carter, and carried.
- 19. Deanie Webb, past director, assisted by Mrs. I. T. Carter, present director, reported for the Woman's Missionary Union. Deanie moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Ray Turner and adopted.
- 20. In absence of John Page, Eddie Humes moved the adoption of the printed Youth Rally Report, seconded by Charles Knight and approved. The time change to 7 P.M. was announced.
- 21. The Evangelism Report was adopted after a motion by Eddie Humes, seconded by I. T. Carter.
- 22. Moderator Lex Webb called for the Miscellaneous Business and Announcements. There were no announcements.
- 23. Eddie Humes brought three motions to the Association, seconded by I. T. Carter, The Motions are:
  - (1) "That the Association requests the Budget Committee to reconsider the amount placed in the budget for the Salary and Expense of our Director of Missions... and add \$600 to the present budgeted amount... or \$50 per month."
  - (2) "That we also budget \$300 for Convention Expense for our Director of Missions this year... and budget be amended to show the increase. And, that this be a Budget Item each year with the amount to be decided each year by the Budget Committee."
  - (3) "That the Secretary's salary be raised from \$3.50 to \$3.75 per hour. The motions carried unanimously.
- 24. Eddie Humes moved, "that our Moderator be instructed to appoint a three-member committee to work out the details of possibly cooperating with an adjoining Association in obtaining the services of a "full-time" Director of Missions." The motion carried after a second by Lamar Anderson, Pastor of Brewer Lake.
- 25. Edward Sapp, President, spoke with enthusiasm to the Baptist Campus Ministry Report and moved its adoption, seconded by Ray Turner and approved.
- 26. Judy S. Saint led the Association in singing, "To Worship, Work and Witness".
- 27. The Special Music, "My House Is Full But My Field Is Empty" was given by Judy S. Saint, Mayo.
- 28. Charles Knight, Pastor of Cherry Lake, gave an inspiring Doctrinal message on "The Doctrine of the Church" using Matthew 16:13-18 along with other Scriptures, emphasizing the importance of letting the Holy Spirit control the church.

- 29. The adjournment prayer and blessing was given by Harvey Croft, Mayo.
- 30. The Fellowship supper was served by the host church, Mayo.

#### **EVENING SESSION**

- 31. Judy S. Saint led the Association in singing "Why Do I Sing About Jesus" and "He Keeps Me Singing".
- 32. Mark McCoy, Pastor of Elizabeth, gave the Devotional expounding from Psalm 12 and leading in prayer.
- 33. Moderator Lex Webb expressed regrets that Carlton Owens, Director of Missions was unable to attend due to a job-related seminar in Athens, Georgia.
- 34. New Pastors were recognized by the Moderator. They are: Glenn Tillman, Bethel Creek; L. C. Hicks, Beulah; Walter Chapman, Central; Dozier Sapp, Macedonia; Clarence Parker, Midway; Rick Koelle, Mt. Olive; Marvin Day, New Hopeful; Bobby Register, Pine Grove; and Ray Turner, Pinetta.
- 35. Moderator Lex Webb appointed a committee to work on obtaining a "full-time" Director of Missions. The committee members are: John Dorman, Chairman, Gene Stokes, Ray Turner, with Lex Webb as an ex officio member.
- 36. The Moderator reported that he and the clerk had signed an endorsement for Marc Pargo, former Pastor of New Hopeful, to attend Baptist Bible Institute and would like approval of the Association. The Endorsement was approved after a motion by Mark McCoy, seconded by I. T. Carter.
- 37. Howard Money, Chairman of Evangelism, challenged each Church to reach out to the lost, stating seven churches reported no baptisms last year.
- 38. Vivian Reams, director gave the Church Training Report, and moved its adoption, seconded by Mark McCoy and approved. Vivian announced "M" Night on November 17, 7:30 P.M. at Pleasant Grove (T).
- 39. W. T. Coody, Treasurer, presented the 1981-82 Budget and then moved the adoption of the Budget.
- 40. Eddie Humes amended the motion to increase the salary of Treasurer to \$120, seconded by Mark McCoy. The amended Budget was adopted.
- 41. The 1980-81 Treasurer's Report was given by W. T. Coody, who moved the adoption of the report. The report was approved after a second by Eddie Humes.

- 42. Lewis Tucker, Madison First, gave the Colleges & Seminaries Report stating the report reflects only three of the six Southern Baptist Colleges & Seminaries. The report was approved.
- 43. Eddie Humes, Pastor, Madison First, introduced the State Speaker, Bill Carmichael, an associate in the Church Training Department, Florida Baptist Convention.
- 44. Bill Carmichael spoke on Florida's Growth and the Importance of Church Training. Florida is the fastest growing state numerically. He stated the Success of Church Training is to Visualize, Verbalize and Vitalize.
- 45. The Stewardship Report was given by Lamar Anderson, Chairman and Pastor of Brewer Lake. He stated that an increase in Cooperative Program and Associational Missions Giving. Brother Anderson moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Ray Turner and approved.
- 46. Judy S. Saint led the Association in singing "Since Jesus Came into My Heart".
- 47. Roy Saint, Pastor of Mayo, introduced Tess and Dale Richter, who rendered Special Music. They sang, "Born Again" and "Jesus is Precious".
- 48. The Inspirational Speaker, Bill Carmichael, gave an inspiring message on "The Family of God" reading Ephesians 2:19-22; 3:14-25.
- 49. The Association sang "The Bond of Love", led by Judy S. Saint.
- 50. The adjournment prayer was given by Roy Saint, Pastor of Mayo.

### Recess until 3:30 P.M., Tuesday, October 20 Hopewell Baptist Church

## HOPEWELL BAPTIST CHURCH TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

- 51. Moderator Lex Webb opened the meeting and called it to order.
- 52. Linda Demott, Associational Music Director, led the Association in singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" accompanied by Lorraine Owens.
- 53. The Devotional was given by B.P. (Rick) Koelle, Pastor of Mt. Olive using Joshua 24:14-21, entitled "Now is the Time". I.T.

Carter led in prayer.

- 54. Marvin Bass, Hopewell, welcomed the messengers and visitors to Hopewell, and announced their upcoming Revival beginning October 25.
- 55. The Response was given by Albert Gentry of Cherry Lake First.
- 56. Committee Reports are as follows:
- 57. Mark McCoy, director, reported on the Elbert C. Tyner Youth Camp and moved its adoption. The report was approved.
- 58. Mark McCoy, Vacation Bible School Director, reported that \$79.10 was received from literature sales at last year's clinic and would be applied to purchase an Early Bird VBS Kit to use at Blue Springs on March 9-10.
- 59. The report on Nominations was given by Eddie Humes. The committee recommended Dozier Sapp, Missions Committee, 5 years; replacing Malcolm Tompkins who has moved out of the Association. Charles Knight and Mark McCoy were recommended to the Middle Florida Assembly. Brother Humes moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Thad Entzminger and approved.
- 60. Mrs. 1. T. Carter, Lee First, reported on the American Bible Society and moved its adoption. The report was adopted.
- 61. Moderator Lex Webb spoke forcefully for the Historical Report stressing the importance of preserving the history of the church. Thad Entzminger moved adoption of the report, seconded by I.T. Carter, and approved.
- 62. Pat Reams, reporting for Our Departed Loved Ones, asked Eddie Humes to speak to the report as a tribute to E. B. Browning, Sr. Brother Humes encouraged each church to elect a historian, write their church history and have a Pictorial Directory made. The report was adopted after a second by I.T. Carter.
- 63. Bill Grant, Madison First, reported for United Christian Action and moved its adoption. The report was approved after a second by Roy Saint.
- 64. Linda Demott asked the Music Committee to come forward and assist with the Music Report. The committee consisting of Judy Saint, Clara White, Lorraine Owens and June Guthrie is available to assist churches if called. Linda moved the adoption of the report, seconded by Mark McCoy and approved.
- 65. Linda Demott led the Association in singing "Jesus Paid It All" and "At the Cross".

- 66. In absence of Carlton Owens, the Director of Missions Report was given by Charles Knight, Pastor of Cherry Lake First, who moved its adoption, seconded by Thad Entzminger and approved.
- 67. The Digest of Letters was given by Geraldine Stokes, Clerk, stating increases in all departments except letters and music. Geraldine recognized and expressed appreciation to each church clerk for the good work on the Uniform Church Letters. The report was approved after a second by Mark McCov.
- 68. Roy Saint gave the Baptist Foundation Report encouraging the establishment of trust funds through the making of wills. Dr. Saint moved the adoption of the report, seconded by J. H. Phillips and approved.
- 69. Ray Turner moved the adoption of the Radio & Television Report as printed, seconded by i.T. Carter, and approved.
- 70. Gene Stokes, Chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, presented the proposed Constitution and By-Laws and recommended the adoption, seconded by Charles Knight, and opened for discussion.
- 71. Thad Entzminger, Pastor of Greenville, amended the motion to omit paragraph one (Section 5, Article II of the By-Laws) seconded by Fred Harrison.
- 72. John Dorman, Pastor of New Home, moved to amend the amendment to change the wording of paragraph 2 (Section 5, Article II of the By-Laws) to read, "Any messenger may be refused membership in the Association. . .", seconded by Rick Koelle. The amendment to the amendment passed.
- 73. The amendment to delete paragraph one (Section 5, Article II of the By-Laws), was called by the Moderator. The amendment carried
- 74. The motion to accept the report of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, as amended was presented by the Moderator. The motion carried.
- 75. The adjournment prayer and blessing was given by L. C. Hicks, Vice-Moderator and Pastor of Beulah and Eridu.

### **EVENING SESSION**

- 76. Linda Demott led the Association in singing "I Will Sing of My Redeemer".
- 77. Ronnie Combass, Pastor, Pleasant Grove (L.), gave the Devotional entitled, "What Is In a Name" taken from Isaiah 9:6 and led in prayer.

- 78. Committee Reports are as follows:
- 79. I. T. Carter gave a slide presentation of Middle Florida Assembly reporting the interest of Delmer Sapps, who have given so freely to the Assembly.
- 80. Fred Harrison, Pastor of Pleasant Grove (T) reported for the Committee on Resolutions and moved its adoption. The report was adopted after a second by Mark McCoy.
- 81. John Dorman, Chairman of the Time-Place-Speaker Committee reported that the Eighty-Third Annual Session would meet with Faith and Brewer Lake on October 18 & 19, 1982. The report was approved.
- 82. Eddie Humes, Pastor of Madison First, presented the Associational Officers: Moderator, Lex D. Webb; Vice-Moderator, L.C. Hicks; Clerk, Geraldine Stokes; and W. T. Coody, Treasurer. Brother Humes offered prayer for the officers.
- 83. The report on Foreign, Home and State Missions was given by Joe Miller, who moved its adoption, seconded by Roy Saint and adopted.
- 84. Linda Demott led the Association in singing "Amazing Grace".
- 85. The Special Music was given by the Associational Choir, representing thirteen (13) churches, under the direction of Linda Demott, accompanied by Lorraine Owens. They sang "Reach Out To Jesus" and "My Jesus Is With Me All The Time".
- 86. Roy Saint, Pastor of Mayo, challenged each with the Missionary Sermon based on John 4:35: 8:32: 4:36.
- 87. Jack Lamb, Pastor of Hopewell gave the benediction and the Eighty-Second Annual Session of Middle Florida Baptist Association was adjourned.
- 88. There were twenty-six churches represented at the Sessions with 184 messengers and visitors registered the first day and 179 registered the second day. Nineteen (19) Pastors attended the sessions,

Respectfully Submitted, Geraldine Stokes, Clerk Lex D. Webb, Moderator

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT**

The Middle Florida Baptist Association Executive Committee meets on First Monday evenings of even months (December, February, June and August) at Faith Baptist Church to conduct business of the Association between the Sessions (Semi-Annual and Annual). The Executive Committee is composed of the Pastor and one elected member from each church, the Associational Officers, Director of Missions, all Department Heads and Chairpersons of Standing Committees. The Executive Committee promotes work in the Association and hears reports from Council Members.

#### HIGHLIGHTS OF MEETINGS:

- December Voted to give honorarium of \$50 plus twenty cents per mile to guest speakers. Voted to purchase a 16 millimeter projector from Rev. R. B. Reynolds.
- February The Associational Music Festival was promoted during the Meeting. Vivian Reams was elected Church Training Director.
- June The Smaller Church Conference at Blue Springs Baptist Assembly, July 24-25 was promoted during the Meeting. Brothers Mark McCoy and John Dorman attended an Associational Meeting in Zephryhills and presented a plaque to Rev. Elbert C. Tyner in appreciation for his dedication to the Youth Camp while in our Association. Rev. Charles Knight, Pastor of Cherry Lake, was recom
  - mended to the State Board of Missions. Pastors were encouraged to elect officers early and enlist them to attend the Church Leadership Workshop on August 31.
- July The Church Leadership Workshop on August 31 and the Youth Rally Tent Revival on August 17-21 were promoted throughout the Meetng. Approved a loan of \$6,000 for Mt. Olive from the Florida Baptist Convention. Approved the proposed Constitution and By-Laws and will recommend it to the Annual Session on October 20.

The Associational Year 1980-81 has been a good year. With God's guidance and direction, great things await Middle Florida Baptist in the days and years ahead.

Respectfully Submitted, Geraldine Stokes, Clerk

#### FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS

The circulation of the WITNESS continues to climb upward with many of our churches sending the State Paper to their church families. Churches are encouraged to place the FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS in the budget along with other church literature including every family on the subscription list.

Subscription prices for the WITNESS are very reasonable. Individual subscription price is \$4.75. Club groups (five or more) can obtain the WITNESS for \$3.75 per year. Churches on the budget plan sending the paper to every resident family can get the paper for \$3.50 per subscription per year.

THE FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS is also offered free to newly-constituted churches. The offer is for one year on the basis that the church agrees to include the WITNESS in the budget the following year for each family. This plan is made possible through the joint efforts of the FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS and the Mission Division of the Florida Baptist Convention. A new congregation has the opportunity to enjoy the WITNESS for two years for the price of one.

Information on any promotional plans and services can be obtained by calling (904) 396-2351 or writing the FLORIDA BAPTIST WITNESS at 1230 Hendricks Avenue, Jacksonville, Floirda 32207.

The WITNESS is ready to serve when a church is ready to be served

Respectfully Submitted, Rev. Walter Chapman, Sr.

## FLORIDA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

The Florida Baptist Foundation, an agency of the Florida Baptist State Convention, serves Florida Baptist by assisting individuals and their attorneys in preparing wills favoring Florida Baptist causes, and in establishing trusts where the earnings go to Baptist causes.

The executive secretary-treasurer of the Foundation, George R. Borders, is available to the associations, churches, groups of Baptists and individual Baptists to disseminate information and give assistance in this field.

Recent major accomplishments include:

1. Received and invested \$77,630.48 in new permanent money for Baptist causes during the period from October 1, 1980, to August 1, 1981. Established five new trusts during this

- period. Handled all existing trusts in accordance with the agreements or terms of wills.
- 2. Managed the investments with a view to security, earnings and appreciation.
- 3. Worked with many individuals and their attorneys in the preparation of new wills favoring Baptist causes. Five wills are now in probate with an estimated amount of several hundred thousand dollars going to Baptist causes.
- 4. Assisted in settling estates favoring Baptist churches and other Baptist causes where the funds went directly to these causes without coming to the Foundation.

The executive secretary-treasurer of the Foundation wishes to express his appreciation to Baptists in Florida for their cooperation.

Respectfully Submitted, Dr. Roy Saint

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

SUNDAY SCHOOL is the cutting edge of our outreach and it must be well organized, well maintained and well staffed to do it's best work. It is the role of the Associational Sunday School Department to ASSIST you in that work. The following events were sponsored and carried out by your Associational Sunday School in the past church year:

In October, there was a pastor's and directors fellowship supper held at Midway, the program included a fine meal, prepared by the host church and a materials presentation by Frank Delrose from the State Office

In January, the Bible Study in the book of Philippians was well attended across our association with at least three hundred sixty-three persons receiving study course credit in that area alone. (We had eight hundred twenty seven total credits in all areas, which shows a healthy attitude towards preparation and Bible study).

In March, our Vacation Bible School Team, led by Dr. Mark McCoy, and made up of nine other volunteers traveled to Lake Yale to attend the State V.B.S. Clinic and prepared themselves to conduct a training clinic here in our own association in April.

From the reports that have come in, we can expect an excellent year in Middle Florida in V.B.S. work. Several of our churches have reported growth in the number of teaching units of their Sunday Schools and have received recognition from the Association and the State Office.

We are thankful to God for the growth and the advances that are being made through our Sunday Schools. Stay in tune with SUN-DAY SCHOOL and stay in touch with GROWTH.

Respectfully Submitted, Rev. John Dorman

#### ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

According to Dr. Darold H. Morgan, President of the Southern Baptist Convention's Annuity Board, "Nineteen hundred eighty has been a year of unprecedented growth and startling change".

A total of \$21,059,479 in retirement benefits were paid while the premiums income totaled \$87,939,590.

Our Director of the Florida Annuity Program, Richard M. Barber says that the "Churches of the Florida Baptist Convention are continuing to raise the level of retirement benefits provided their Church staff personnel". 477 churches in Florida upgraded their benefits in 1981.

The Annuity Office stands ready to assist any church, pastor or other staff member. Plans for 1981-82 have been completed. There will be 27 Associational meetings and one retirement planning conference.

Brethren, it is more important than ever that we plan for the future. The high cost of inflation has proven that no one plan of retirement is sufficient within itself. It is going to take your participation in the Annuity Program of our denomination and your participation in the Social Security — and then some.

Respectfully Submitted, William W. Tyre

## FLORIDA BAPTIST RETIREMENT CENTER

This year the Florida Baptist Retirement Center celebrates twenty years of service. Its original intention was to provide adequate Christian care in a homelike atmosphere for the aging residents, with such care resulting in a happy experience during their last years. We feel that this mission is being accomplished.

There is a growing interest in the ministry of the Retirement Center. At present, there is such a list of applicants that a two-to

three year waiting period is not unusual.

The Center facilities, on 23 acres of beautiful Indian River property, include 14 duplex apartments, 5 efficiency apartments, 23 single bedroom units and a 24 bed skilled nursing home. The Center has a maximum capacity of 85 residents. It is dedicated to the physical, mental and spiritual well-being of each resident.

Applicants must be residents of the State of Florida and mem-

Applicants must be residents of the State of Florida and members in good standing with a Baptist church cooperating with the Florida Baptist Convention for at least 12 months prior to application. The minimum age is 62.

Persons seeking residency must be interviewed by the resident manager, William H. Lord, Sr. Applicants must complete required form and send in a non-refundable application fee of \$25 along with a letter of recommendation from their pastor.

The ministry of the Florida Baptist Retirement Center is made possible by the support of Cooperative Program gifts and the prayers of the people of this state.

Anyone who would like more information regarding the Center or an appointment to visit the Center may do so by contacting the Center at P.O. Box 460, Vero Beach, Florida 32960.

Respectfully Submitted, William W. Tyre

## FLORIDA BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME REPORT

Brother Walter Delamarter continues to do an excellent job as our Children's Home State Executive Director.

Our Lakeland campus has had much improvement during the past year. Richard Phillips serving as our area administrator reports that the "Emergency" shelter that was converted to a "Secure" shelter in 1979 has surely paid off having ministered to over 175 children during this year.

The number of churches contributing to the Children's Home on Mother's Day in 1981 exceeds the previous year by far. The Middle Florida Association last year reported only eighteen (18) churches contributing on Mother's Day 1981. We have four (4) more giving making a total of 22.

Our Miami Branch Children's Home at 7748 S.W. 95th Terrace, under the capable administration of James D. Soles is progressing nicely. He and his dedicated staff are doing a great work there with our children. Let us just praise the Lord for all these dedicated

servants of the Lord.

Now let me tell you about our Tallahassee Campus which continues to grow and be more productive each year. The most recent addition has been the enlargement of the office building. Office space has been added for the additional staff that has been gradually added and a new conference room is now available for board meetings, etc.

At the September Board meeting plans were confirmed to start construction on the third residence. Construction has started as of October 1st. This will enable the campus to serve ten more children, making a total of thirty-two (32) children on the Tallahassee Campus.

Jerry Edwards, Area Administrator, and Bunette Peeler, child care worker lead a workshop in Orlando this summer for the Florida Group Child Care Association on the Religious Needs of Children. This was a state-wide meeting and well attended by child care workers all over the State.

One of the residents who had lived in the Children's Home for eight years completed a nurse-tech training course and went out on her own at the age of eighteen (18). She is employed in a local hospital and plans to attend school for further training this fall.

The campus continues to grow in size and quality trained workers. The campus ministry continues to reach out and serve children and families in our area. The Tallahassee Campus has served a total of 50 families during the year 1980-81. We are continuing to cultivate our growth and development in North/Northwest Florida, and have opened an area office in Ft. Walton Beach. Our ministry is meeting the needs of many children and encouraging family unity in which we believe.

Respectfully Submitted, Audrey Wood

#### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

Woman's Missionary Union emphasis for 1980-81 was Life-Changing Commitments. The 1980-81 W.M.U. watchword, "Commit thy way unto the Lord, trust also in Him, and He shall bring it to pass" (Psalm 37:5), and the 1980-81 hymn, "Take My Life and Let It Be", went hand-in hand. New commitments and changed lifestyles were evident in members of Florida Woman's Missionary Union.

The denominational emphasis, BOLD MISSION THRUST, provided these goals: Bold Growing, Bold Going, Bold Giving. As Woman's Missionary Union strengthened its ongoing tasks of mission study, mission support, mission action and direct evangelism, W.M.U. members were involved in BOLD MISSION THRUST.

Five W.M.U. Leaders' Conferences were held-providing training for Associational and Church W.M.U. leadership.

The 87th Annual Session of Florida Woman's Missionary Union was held on April 21-22, 1981, at First Baptist Church, Gainesville, with 1,050 registered.

Ten weeks of Girls in Action and Acteen Camps were held at Lake Yale Baptist Assembly and West Florida Baptist Assembly.

Florida Woman's Missionary Union launched an Enlargement Plan as part of the National W.M.U. Enlargement Plan. Last year Florida W.M.U. increased by 4% and it is the goal of W.M.U. to have missions education in EVERY church and mission by 1983. Five women have been selected to serve as Florida Starteam members. These Starteam members will assist associational leaders in a personal visit to each church reporting no mission education. Middle Florida Association Starteam member is Mrs. Roger C. Smith, from Tallahassee, Florida.

Middle Florida Association has eight (8) churches reporting no W.M.U. organization.

Middle Florida Association W.M.U. held four rallies and participated in the joint Brotherhood-W.M.U. meeting in July.

	1980-81	W.M.U. Rallies	
DATE	CHURCH	PROGRAM	SPEAKER
Oct. 14, 1980	Central	The Association	Dr. Mark McCoy
		Churches on Missic	ns
Jan. 13, 1981	Cherry Lake	Festival of Sharing	Participation
			by members
April 14, 1981	Brewer Lake	B.Y.W. Emphasis	Frances Shaw
July 14, 1981	Faith	The Seasons of	Deanie Webb
		Missions	

Middle Florida Association has 20 churches involved in Missions education, mission action and direct evangelism. In this church year, the Cherry Lake Baptist Church has organized a Baptist Young Women's group.

Respectfully Submitted, Deanie P. Webb

#### YOUTH BALLY REPORT

"The Love of God is greater far Than tongue or pen can ever tell It goes beyond the highest star And reaches to the lowest hell."

(F. M. Lehman)

My pen nor my tongue can tell of the love that God has bestowed upon me while serving as Youth Rally President this past year. This love was demonstrated by the many individuals who prayed with me through many hours of arduous tasks and were there to reap the fruits of our labour. There would have been no way for our Rally to stand if it was not for Vice-President, Mike Waller; Secretary/Treasurer, Cindy Ragans; Music Director, Edward Sapp; and Pianist Andy Daughtry. These fine Christian individuals were the backbone of our rally and the support that I needed.

The Rally has been the most active organization in our Association with meetings every third Saturday of the month and an average attendance of 158 for the year.

Even though the average attendance is the highest in the history of the Youth Rally, only eight to ten churches participated. But, the more devastating fact is that only four pastors attend our monthly meetings. It is a disgrace that only eight of our twenty-eight churches participate and a shame that our pastors don't come. If the youth are to become the church of tomorrow then we need to train them today. From one preacher to another, "I BESEECH you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God," to bring your youth to our rallies for a spiritual blessing. They need it in this day and time.

To report on a more pleasant subject, the rally surprised many people this past August. We sponsored a tent revival during the week of August 17-22. Never before have I seen scores of people making decisions for Christ. Our attendance consisted of all ages from many denominations across the Middle Florida area.

My prayer is that the Youth Rally will continue to grow and bring up a group of soldiers that will shine God's light in the churches, homes and school campuses across Middle Florida.

Please pray for the up-coming year as President, Jody Read; Vice-President, Mike Waller; Secretary/Treasurer, Sheri Stokes; Music Director, Brenda Miller; Pianist, Andy Daughtry; and Pastor Advisor, Rev. Bobby McCray with alternate Rev. Dozier Sapp, take the reins

of leadership.

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Ghost, be with you all. Amen."

Respectfully Submitted, John P. Page, President

## **COLLEGES AND SEMINARIES**

WAKE FOREST, N.C. - Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary has just completed its 30th year with an enrollment of more than 1,400 students studying under a competent faculty of more than 55 men and women in 6 degree programs.

During commencement exercises in May, diplomas were granted to 285, bringing to 4,407 the number of alumni since the first graduation in 1954.

Development activities during the current year have focused on Southeastern's "Equipping for Bold Mission" campaign. Gifts and pledges have now passed the \$3,000,000 mark with the goal of \$3,500,000 expected to be met by the December 31, 1981 deadline.

Southern Baptist Convention support and control of Southeastern Seminary is maintained throught the Cooperative Program and a 30-member Board of Trustees.

During the 1980-81 year, the Cooperative Program will provide \$2,510,000 or 70.88% of the operating budget. The strong financial support of the Convention makes it possible for the fees for students to remain at \$200. A surcharge is levied for non-Southern Baptist students.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS - Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, largest of six such institutions owned and operated by the convention, continues to provide major contributions to Bold Mission Thrust through leadership training for local churches and world-wide missionary efforts of Southern Baptists.

During the 1980-81 academic year, a record 4,412 students were enrolled in ministry training. This was the 14th consecutive record annual enrollment and represented almost a 2 per cent increase over the previous year. The total included 3,587 men and a record 770 women. Of these, 1,011 were mission volunteers and 1,324 were first-time students.

The seminary's budget was a record \$8,6 million. More than onehalf of the budget was provided by the SBC Cooperative Program. Endowment topped \$15 million, and assets totaled more than \$47 million at the close of the fiscal year.

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY — God has blessed Southern Seminary and given it a place of responsibility and strategic importance as it prepares ministers for Bold Mission Thrust.

Established in 1859 in Greenville, South Carolina and moved to Louisville in 1877, Southern Seminary today is engaged in missions and evangelism in a dramatic way.

Located just four miles from the Bold Mission Thrust target region of the Great Lakes states, Southern Seminary spearheads week-end witnessing and preaching ministries to one of America's largest and most challenging mission fields. Students serve in hundreds of new-church situations in Indiana, Ohio, Michigan and Illinois

During Southern Seminary's 122-year history of training men and women for Christian ministry, more than 15,000 graduates have scattered throughout the world—laboring in the Lord's vineyard as pastors, ministers of education, ministers of music, teachers, chaplains, counselors and missionaries. The seminary presently prepares God-called individuals for more than two dozen ministerial roles in the service of Christ and His church.

Respectfully Submitted, Lewis Tucker

#### **BROTHERHOOD**

The Brotherhood of the Middle Florida Baptist Association conducted four meetings during the year with an average attendance of 72 men. We currently have 14 churches with an active Brotherhood.

Brewer Lake Baptist Church sent 7 men to Honduras for one week to help in construction of a church building. While there, they witnessed and helped bring Christ to the local people. The men from First Baptist of Lee had men go to Pickett Lake and help construct a conference building and repair the administration building which had burned. We had reports from churches in our association that had mission ministries in rest homes, and for the aged or handicapped of their church.

Volunteerism is presently both a challenge and a problem. The two mission boards have the opportunities but do not have an organization for the churches. The Brotherhood Commission has volunteered to be the coordinating agency, using State Brotherhood Office and church organizations.

The State Brotherhood has welcomed Howard and Jean Girard as Mission Service Corps Volunteers to promote and coordinate volunteer mission work. The State Brotherhood has conducted leadership conferences, at Lake Yale Baptist Assembly, with 487 adult leaders present. Conducted Royal Ambassador Counselors Campcraft Clinics. Royal Ambassador Congress, and seven weeks of State Royal Ambassador Camps with 767 Christian decisions made.

The objective of the Brotherhood is "Helping churches involve men and boys in mission." Everything that your church Brotherhood does should be weighed on the scale of this statement. Brotherhood is to reach the world for Christ through missions.

Respectfully Submitted, Bob Guthrie

#### **EVANGELISM**

In the year 1979-80 the Baptist of Middle Florida baptized 155 people in 28 churches. Five churches baptized over ten, six baptized 5 to 10, thirteen baptized less than five and three churches reported NO SOULS LED TO JESUS. When you consider the total membership of Middle Florida this is a ratio of 1 to 24; meaning it took 24 people to lead one person to Christ. The fields are white to harvest but somehow the spiritual crops lay dying in the fields. If each adult (about 1/2 the population of Middle Florida Baptists) could lead just one (1) person to Christ this year it would mean 1,825 souls for Jesus, will you take the challenge?

Some goals reached this year were: a Lay Evangelism School for the Middle Florida Baptist Association to teach laymen to share their witness for Jesus and, a youth led Associational Tent Revival seeing many souls won to Jesus and others motivated to a higher plane. The year ahead presents many challenges and great appointments for Jesus! Let's take advantage of them for His Glory!

Respectfully Submitted, Howard Money Evangelism Chairman

#### CHURCH TRAINING

Our Associational Church Training Program has a significant part in Bold Mission Thrust. We have the responsibility of helping each church to organize, improve and enlarge its program of discipleship development through Church Training. Our theme is "Bold Growth in Discipleship."

Some other things Middle Florida Associational Church Training has done and will do to help the churches with their training opportunities are:

- 1. 1980 Associational "M" Night Attendance was 186. (Statewide was 16.025).
- 2. Youth Week was observed March 8-15 this year in a few of our churches, 1982 Youth Week will be March 14-21, 1982.
- 3. Associational Children's Bible Drill, Youth Bible Drill and Speakers' Tournament was held March 20, 1981 with these participating: Youth Bible Drill 2; Youth Speakers' Tournament 1; Churches represented 2. 1982 Associational Drills and Tournaments will be held on March 5, 1982 at 7:30 P.M.
- 4. Associational Church Training Director attended Associational Leadership Planning Conference at Lake Yale on May 14-15, 1981, and the Church Training Leadership Retreat at Blue Springs, September 11-12, 1981.
- 5. In the first 9 months of 1980-81, a total of 1,002 churches in Florida requested 42,516 awards in the Church Study Course. Florida led all states in Church Training Leadership awards. During this same period, 19 churches in our association earned 827 awards. Again this year, three special awards will be presented from the State Church Training Department at "M" Night. These will go to the churches with (1) the largest total number of awards, (2) the largest number of awards in Church Training Leadership, and (3) the largest percentage of total awards compared to total church membership.
- 6. "M" Night, 1981, will be held November 17, 1981 at Pleasant Grove (Taylor), 7:30 P.M.
- 7. A Regional Church Training Convention, including Children's and Youth Bible Drills and Youth Speakers' Tournament, will be conducted in our area by our State Church Training Department at Trenton on March 26, 1982, afternoon and evening.

As we strive to be more like Christ in our lives, let us remember: CHURCH - THE SUNDAY NIGHT PLACE FOR DEVELOPING DISCIPLES.

Respectfully Submitted, Vivian Reams Church Training Director

# ASSOCIATIONAL BUDGET 1981-82

Item	Budget Amount	Expended Amount	Recommended Amount
Corsage \$	10.00	\$ .00	\$ 10.00
Expense-Clerk	65.00	65.00	65.00
Evangelism	<sup>-</sup> 425.00	673.60	500.00
Brotherhood & RA	1,000.00	470.00	1,010.00
Training Union	200.00	231.44	450.00
Sunday School	600.00	87.42	600,00
Music Department	315.00	180.40	375.00
W.M.U.	500,00		500.00
Aid to Churches Entertaini	ng		
Association	300.00	300.00	300.00
Aid to Church Entertaining	1		
Mid-Year Meeting	150.00	150.00	150.00
Printing Assoc. Minutes	935.40	554.60	750.00
Clerk's Salary	250.00	250.00	250.00
Treasurer's Salary/Expense	100.00	100.00	120.00
Middle Florida Assembly	200.00	200.00	200.00
NFJC			
Baptist Campus Ministry	100.00	100.00	100.00
Associational Office	750.00	703.30	750.00
Assoc. Secretary	1,000.00	1,295.00	1,600.00
Director of Missions Salary	,		
Retirement/Expense	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,600.00
Director of Missions			- 4 - 0 0
Convention Expense			300.00
American Bible Society	100.00	100.00	
Stewardship	75.00		75.00
Miscellaneous	150.00	88.10	
Florida Director of Mission	ns 25.00	25.00 	25.00
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TOTALS	13,250.40	\$11,573.86	\$14,980.00

Respectfully Submitted, W. T. Coody, Chairman

## TREASURER'S REPORT 1980-81

CHURCH or MEMBER			PAID IN
Bethel Creek Beulah Brewer Lake Brewer Lake Central	PICKETT LAKE - Gen. Fund	\$	.00 222.52 450.00 900.00 359.00
Cherry Lake First Elizabeth Elizabeth Eridu Faith	PICKETT LAKE - Gen. Fund		747.68 538.30 291.98 20.00 908.89
Faith	Evangelism		516.00
Faith	PICKETT LAKE		160.00
Greenville			300,00
Hopewell			100.00
Lamont			419.00
Lee First			887.49
Macedonia Madison First			245.00
Mayo		1	.,441.40
Midway			200,00
Moseley Hall			570.72
Moseley Hall	DICKETT LAKE OF T		321.56
Moseley Hall	PICKETT LAKE - Gen. Fund		129.75
Mount Olive	PICKETT LAKE - Landscaping		115.00
New Home			.00
New Hopeful			635.00
New Macedonia	·		50.00
Pine Grove			.00
Pinetta First			.00 492.77
Pleasant Grove (L)			94.90
Pleasant Grove (T)			376.99
Riverside `´			100.00
St. Johns			201.94
Brotherhood			230.95
Florida Baptist Co	nvention	1	,800.00
Miscellaneous		٠.,	.00
PICKETT LAKE (	Designated Conference Room) Cash		177.10
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Fred V. Harrison Mrs. Johnnie A. Smith Audrey Wood Clara White W. Carlton Owens Mrs. G. A. Barnett Lamar Harris Mrs. I. T. Carter Geraldine Stokes W. M. U. Assoc. Brotherhood Assoc.	PICKETT LA	KE KE KE KE KE KE		25.00 5.00 10.00 10.00 25.00 5.00 10.00 5.00 250.00 146.25
TOTAL PAID IN YEAR	1980-81			\$14,505.19
TOTAL PAID OUT YEA	R 1980-81			13,970.59
BALANCE as of 10-1-80				3,365.92
BALANCE as of 10-1-81				\$ 3,900.52
BALANCE - GENERAL BALANCE - PICKETT L	. +	\$	10.00 953.35	
TOTAL DESIGNATED		\$	963.35	

Respectfully Submitted, W. T. Coody, Treasurer

### **BAPTIST CAMPUS MINISTRY**

The 1980-81 Baptist Campus Ministry at North Florida Junior College was one of the most active ever. The BCM not only ministered to the needs of students on campus, but also ministered to churches in the area. The churches were gracious enough to give us time to tell what the Lord was doing with and through us at N.F.J.C. Churches that we ministered to were: Corinth, New Hope, Faith, Rocky Sink, Cherry Lake, St. Johns, Mt. Olive, First Baptist in Perry, First Baptist in Madison, and Midway. The Lord really used us in a ministry to the people of this area.

This year, we have begun with renewed enthusiasm. Already we have attended and sang in revival services in the area. Our group is larger, and growing stronger in the Lord. We have also been blessed already this year by the Florida BCM Intermission Team. This Team, consisting of four college students is traveling the state helping start new BCM's and encourage existing ones like ours. Two of the Team's members, Kim Newman and Patti Judah are from our own Association. This Team perfomed for us and gave ideas to strengthen our fellowship.

Our new sponsor, Gwen Faulkner of Perry, has shown a tremendous willingness to work for the Lord. She is making us very proud. We need your prayers and support as we live for Christ on the N.F.J.C. campus.

Respectfully Submitted, Edward Sapp, President

#### STEWARDSHIP

The Christian steward is to live the responsible life. He begins with acknowledging that God is Lord and owner of all. He then acts on the assurance that his God is gracious to provide and to guide. The Christian steward approaches life from a Christ-centered view.

During the year 1980-81, Middle Florida churches gave \$75,386 through the Cooperative Program, and \$10,545 for Associational Missions. Twenty-seven of our twenty-eight churches gave something through the Cooperative Program, which was 9.4 percent of the total receipts. Twenty-two churches gave to Associational Missions. A total of \$139,068 was given to all mission efforts in Middle Florida Association.

BOLD MISSION THRUST began as a dream for Southern Baptist 1976-77—a bold dream of greater mission support and church growth. Middle Florida has experienced both as all departments reported an increase in membership last year. Let's continue our commitment to BOLD MISSION THRUST and take specific actions as individuals and churches.

Each church in Middle Florida Association is encouraged to:

- 1. Give something through the Cooperative Program.
- 2. Increase the percentage of its total budget income given through the Cooperative Program.
- 3. Increase the percentage of total budget income for the support of associational missions.

LET EVERY CHURCH in the Middle Florida Association demonstrate its genuine concern for and commitment to world missions through BOLD LIVING and BOLD GIVING.

Respectfully Submitted, Rev. Lamar Anderson

#### **ELBERT C. TYNER YOUTH CAMP REPORT**

More than 90 campers enjoyed the E.C. Tyner Youth Camp this year. We had 22 staff workers which included a summer missionary in music.

The Camp was not without its problems. We had three of our preachers who canceled out at the last minute because of unforeseen problems. We want to thank Brother Howard Money who stepped in at the last minute to help us. Also, the teenagers this year were just outstanding. They conducted themselves like mature adults and were able to handle very unusual circumstances. One of these was that we were hit by a stomach virus the first night of camp. The virus spread from one child to another. Thank the Lord, it only lasted about 24 hours, but we had about 10 campers down with it at all times. Even our nurse had it one night.

One camper was so excited about the camp that she just talked and talked about it with her family on Friday night at the supper table. Her older sister after hearing about the virus going from camper to camper, finally took all she could, and said, "I'm sick of hearing "Camp Puke-a-monya". That's a very good description of how things were this year. We pray that it will never happen that way again.

Next year The Camp is scheduled the last week of July 26-30 and we hope that you will place these days on your church calendar. We will endeavor to hold the fee again to \$25. With the way inflation still grows, I don't know how much longer we can continue to hold it to \$25.

The Camp Staff consisted of: Dr. Mark E. McCoy, Director, Rev. John Dorman - Assistant Director & Canteen Director, Mr. Doil Burnett - Sanitation Engineer, Rev. Howard Money — Teacher Group 1 (9) (21), Rev. John Dorman - Teacher Group 2 (10-11) (30), Mr. Terry Bennett - Teacher Group 3 (12) (15), Miss Becky Mathis - Teacher Group 5 (Mixed), Mrs. Sarah McCoy - Nurse, Rev. Lamar Anderson - Camp Pastor & Athletic Director, Mr. Ray Wesson - Life Guard & Boys Dorm. Counselor, Mr. William Green - Life Guard and

Boys Dorm. Counselor, Mr. Andy Daughtry - Pianist, Miss Sheri Stokes - Assistant Pianist, Miss Becky Mathis - Music Director and Girls Dorm. Counselor, Miss Kim Newman - Assistant Music Director and Girls Dorm. Counselor, Mr. Ream Stokley - Assistant Boys Dorm. Counselor, Miss Linda Loughary - Girls Dorm. Counselor.

CHEFS for the week were: Miss Sally Wilson, Head Chef; Mr. Albert Gentry, Assistant; Mrs. Gertrude Gentry, Assistant; Mrs. Sarah McCoy, Assistant; Mr. Doil Burnett, Assistant; and Mrs. Sharon Fletcher, Assistant.

Respectfully Submitted Dr. Mark E. McCoy

#### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society, founded 165 years ago in 1816, continues to pursue the only purpose for which it was established: the translation, production and distribution of God's Word without doctrinal note or comment, and without profit.

Many advances were made for the Bible cause during 1980. Millions of people learned about our Lord Jesus Christ through the pages of Scripture. ABS would like to express its sincere thanks to the churches and agencies of the Southern Baptist Convention for their share in these successful programs of Scripture evangelism. The denomination's support for each of the past four years has averaged about two cents per member, or a total of \$293,000.

During 1980 the Bible Society of Brazil produced for the first time the Illustrated New Testament in Today's Portuguese. In addition, work is continuing on the complete Bible in this version. This translation is expected to attain the same popularity in Brazil as the Spanish Version Popular Bible received throughout Latin America.

In Nigeria, new translations have been completed to meet the growing needs of Nigerian Christians who are becoming increasingly eager to have the Scriptures in their own languages. For the first time ever the translation in the languages of Angas and Yala were completed. Those who speak these languages will now have a chance to experience a new life in Christ as revealed through His message of love and forgiveness.

To help aid the ABS in its worldwide effort to serve the church and its global ministries, and to strengthen the indispensable partnership between the churches and the ABS, an Advisory Council was held last year. Representing the Southern Baptist Convention were Dr. Harold C. Bennett, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention and Dr. Porter Routh, his predecessor, both members of the ABS Board of Managers.

At the Advisory Council meeting, of special significance is the adoption of the resolution encouraging "...greater financial support from churches and the total Christian community, especially when viewed in light of U.S. and world inflation..." and urging "...the churches to set a goal of at least ten per cent annual growth in financial support to the work of the American Bible Society."

We should increase our gifts in order to assist ABS for the world-wide Bible cause and goals in the future.

Respectfully Submitted, Mrs. I. T. Carter

#### HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

This report is in loving memory of Edwin B. Browning, Sr. We will certainly miss his leadership and guidance in preserving the rich. Baptist History in this area.

The Florida Baptist Historical Society has published in the annual report a year of busy activities.

- 1. Installed Historical Display Materials in the new building at Lake Yale.
- 2. Provided research assistance to local churches.
- Met with several organizations to promote work of the Society.
- In cooperation with Charles Peterson wrote an article for Florida Baptist Witness about the sketch by Seber Fowler of Clifton Mansion where the Convention was organized in 1854.
- 5. Indexed the 1980 Florida Baptist Convention Annual.
- Began an extensive project of photographing and preparing slides of historic documents for use in illustrating Florida Baptist History.

In conclusion, we hope that each church in Middle Florida Association has appointed a Historian and/or a History Committee and has a safe place to store items that could be used in the future in writing the church's history.

If your church is interested in preserving the church records and

recording the history, there are several pamphlets available.

"Suggestions for History Committee" written by Norman W. Cox and Judson B. Allen,

"How to Observe and Write Church Anniversaries and History" written by Norman W. Cox.

> Respectfully Submitted. The History Committee

## **OUR DEPARTED LOVED ONES**

"O how blessed is the promise When our spirit is set free: To be absent from the body Means to live, O Lord, with thee" If to live means Grace, to Die means Glory.

As we remember these loved ones, let us become aware of the comforting spirit of Christ.

BETHEL CREEK Mrs. Ola Bell

BREWER LAKE Mr. Knox Ward Mr. Johnnie Lemon Rev. C. B. Goodwin Mr. Colin Bell

> Mr. Bob Adamson Mr. Gregory Prine

Mr. Wilson Buchanan

Mrs. Beulah Snipes

CENTRAL Mr. Arthur Finklea

CHERRY LAKE Mr. David Pinkard Mrs. Mattie Carter Mr. Ted Humphrey FAITH Mrs. Lillie Mickler

GREENVILLE Mr. C. C. Green Mr. Billy Cruce

HOPEWELL Mr. Grover Kelley

LAMONT Mr. G. W. McDaniel, Deacon

LEE FIRST Miss Eunice Williams Mr. Fred Carter Mr. Dewey Moore, Deacon Mrs. Rosa Lamb Mr. Roscoe Bennett

#### **MACEDONIA**

Mr. Zack Andrews

# NEW MACEDONIA

Mr. James Odom

#### MADISON FIRST

Mr. Dick Bryan, Deacon

Mr. E. B. Browning, Sr., Deacon

Mr. Sam Lamb

Mr. LaVaughn Haskell

Mr. E. C. Davis

Mrs. Hattie Kelley

# PINETTA FIRST

PINE GROVE

Mrs. Allene Hill Mrs. Lora Everett

Mr. Charlie Hancock

Mr. William Downing

Miss Betty Blair

#### MAYO

Mrs. Doris Hooper

Mrs. Verdie Land

Mr. J. W. Winburn, Jr.

Mr. Albert Winburn

Mrs. Lola C. Perry

Mrs. Janie Hutcheson

# PLEASANT GROVE (L.) Mr. Sam Buchanan

Mr. Sam Buchanai Mrs. Abbie Cates

PLEASANT GROVE (T)

Mrs. Josephine Knowles

#### MIDWAY

Mr. Ellis Thomas, Deacon

Mrs. Sarah McClamma

Mr. Joe Spivey

# RIVERSIDE

Mr. James Willis

Mr. Lex Lyons, Deacon

Mr. John Hurst

Mr. Gilbert Shiver

Mrs. Lomie Frier

## MOSELEY HALL

Mr. Harry Bass

Mrs. Bessie Hudson

### ST. JOHNS

Mr. Alvin Day

Mr. Robert Lee King

### MOUNT OLIVE

Mr. Walter Albritton

Mr. Fred Dasher

Mrs. Pearl Head

Respectfully Submitted, Pat Reams

# MIDDLE FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

I am extremely delighted to make this fine report of the progress made on our Assembly Grounds during this year. Our first detail was to rework the sewer system in the two block dorms. We completed that job, and the camp manager said that it is working nicely. Next in line was completion of the Conference Building. Thus far, we have the building complete with all electrical, heating and air conditioning, and plumbing and fixtures installed. The sewer system, including a 1,000-gallon tank was installed, also. As of September 16, 1981 the only work to be completed includes the paint job and installation of the floor covering. (The contractor has already been with the material for the floor.)

Our Administration Building was burned by lightning during the summer. The insurance company sent an adjuster to estimate the damage incurred. Her estimate was \$24,050.00 to repair the structure, the amount of the check which the insurance company sent us. I am proud to announce that the building has been renovated, and is now ready for use. We installed new wiring and electrical fixtures, new plumbing and fixtures, new air-conditioning, a very beautiful floor covering, and brick veneered the building. We did all of this with some special labor from Lee First Baptist Church, and others, and had a balance left from our insurance. We plan to move equipment into the offices next week.

There is much more work to be done here. We need to do some work on the two wooden dorms. That takes money. One man has offered to donate at lease 25% of material and labor if we will go to work and prove that we mean business.

COME ON, BAPTISTS, LET'S GET THE JOB DONE.

Your President, I. T. Carter

## UNITED CHRISTIAN ACTION

United Christian Action continues to reach out across Florida in opposition to pornography, alcohol, narcotics and gambling, prostitution, loan-sharking, child abuse, broken homes and dozens more gross sins, while at the same time attempting to bring about changed lives of those involved or tempted.

We are alarmed to learn that more junior high school boys and girls are alcoholics than ever before in the history of our country, and more high school young people are becoming alcoholics than ever before in history, too. The use of other drugs has not abated. We are made to think that young people have transferred their affections to alcohol from quaaludes, cocaine, barbiturates and marijuana, but such is not the case. Instead they are now combining the two, making their use even more deadly.

Persuading legislators concerning good and bad bills which affect the lives of the citizens of our state has never been more important. We must systematically encourage our legislators to vote for morally sound legislation and compliment them when they do.

The support given to United Christian Action by the State Missions Offering of the Florida Baptist Convention is the source of our existence. United Christian Action urges local churches to supplement their State Missions Offering by placing UCA in the local church budget.

Respectfully Submitted, Bill Grant

#### TIME-PLACE-SPEAKER COMMITTEE REPORT

The Middle Florida Baptist Association has been graciously invited to share the hospitality of two of our great sister churches for our Eighty-Third Annual Session in 1982.

The Faith Baptist Church of Madison has invited us to meet with them on October 18, 1982 with sessions beginning at 3:30 P.M.

The Brewer Lake Baptist Church of Day has invited us to meet with them on the second day, October 19, 1982 with sessions also beginning at 3:30 P.M.

The following men have been selected to preach to the Association. The Doctrinal Sermon will be delivered by Rev. Fred Harrison, Pastor of the Pleasant Grove Baptist Chruch of Taylor County. In the event that Rev. Harrison cannot be present to deliver the message, his alternate will be Rev. Carl Loughary, Pastor of New Macedonia Baptist Church. The Missionary Message will be delivered by Rev. Ray Turner, Pastor of Pinetta First Baptist Church and in the event that he cannot be present to deliver that message, his alternate will be Rev. B. P. Koelle, Pastor of the Mount Olive Baptist Church.

Respectfully Submitted, Rev. John Dorman Rev. Eddie Humes

#### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

WHEREAS, the Middle Florida Baptist Association has met in its Eighty-Second Annual Session, and

WHEREAS, the messengers were recipients of much gracious hospitality, delicious food and fellowship

Therefore be it Resolved, that the Middle Florida Baptist Association express appreciation to the members of Mayo Baptist Church and the members of Hopewell Baptist Church for their hospitality and reception.

Be it further Resolved, that we express our appreciation to our Moderator, Lex Webb, for his outstanding leadership during this past year.

Be it further Resolved, that we as messengers pledge the continued support of our churches to the cause of Christ through the Middle Florida Baptist Association.

WHEREAS, the Constitution and By-Laws Committee having been faithful and dedicated to the work of their report.

Be it further Resolved, that we express our appreciation to them for their report.

WHEREAS, Rev. Carlton Owens, who is about to complete four years of service as Director of Associational Missions for the Middle Florida Baptist Association and,

WHEREAS, he has labored diligently and effectively in the cause of Christ through this office,

Be it therefore Resolved, that the Middle Florida Baptist Association express its sincere and deep appreciation to him for his faithfulness and commitment to the work of this Association and.

Be it further Resolved, that we pledge our continued support of his ministry, and the total work of the Association.

Respectfully Submitted, Fred V. Harrison

#### MUSIC REPORT

Church Music in Florida is still growing under the capable leadership of Paul Bobbitt and his associate Jim Morrell. While we thank God for the increase, we have to remind ourselves of the tremendous flocks of people coming to Florida every day and the challenge we have.

In Middle Florida, we had 100% of our churches reporting their

music enrollment even if it was only 1 (the pianist) thanks to the efforts of our dedicated clerk and music committee. Our attendance at our Music Festival was 300 with 8 churches represented. We had 14 youth attend Lake Yale Youth Music Camp representing Elizabeth, Beulah, Cherry Lake, Lee First and we adopted two youth from First Monticello. All the youth came back more excited about telling the story of Jesus through song. At the Lake Yale M & M Clinic for leaders, we had Pleasant Grove (Taylor), Mayo and Elizabeth represented with a total of five people attending.

At PraisFest '81 at Stetson last April, we had our largest group from Middle Florida attending with approximately 42 youth from Madison First, Central, Elizabeth, and First Monticello. What a great blessing to join voices with over 2000 other Youth in Florida singing gorgeous songs under Buryl Red's direction.

Another plus for our association was having a summer music missionary at our Middle Florida Youth Camp.

What about this year 1981-82? I truly believe Middle Florida has caught the fire of evangelism and Bold Mission Spirit. In the summer, our music council met and made plans for this year. We have an outstanding committee of committed men and women who stand ready to help any of our churches. We were grateful to have 14 present at our Associational Church Leadership Workshop at Faith with ten (10) churches represented. The talent and commitment I saw in this group after being multiplied by God promises much fruit this year!!

Important dates this year are February 6, Saturday — Associational Music Festival at Madison First, Children at 6 P.M. — Youth and Adult Choirs at 7 P.M. Saturday, April 17 — Associational Choir Workship with Paul Bobbitt, Music Director of Florida Baptist Convention leading, Pleasant Grove (Taylor) from 2 P.M. - 9 P.M. (\$5 registration pays for packet of music and supper). April 30 — Prais-Fest '82 for Youth Choirs, Curtis Hixon Hall, Tampa — Celebration of World Missions. We are praying for a lot of people from Middle Florida Association to experience these blessings.

Remember to check the calendar for the Music Camp dates at Lake Yale and send your youth. Your church will receive a blessing!!

Respectfully Submitted, Linda Demott

#### DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

I am grateful for the opportunity of serving as your Director of Missions. I appreciate the way I have been received in the churches and am always happy for an opportunity to be helpful.

This has been a year of change in many of our churches. Nine churches have had a change in pastoral leadership this year. The high inflation rate continues to put pressure on our church budgets, and if we are not careful, we will be doing less and less at a time when we should be doing more.

I have visited in all the churches this year except two and also attended the Florida Baptist Convention meeting in Panama City, the Associational Leadership Planning meeting and the Directors of Misssions meeting at Lake Yale.

The Lord has opened the door and I have moved to Madison County. I will continue working with the State of Georgia in Valdosta. However, I will be living in the Association and can be available and be more involved in the Association especially during the week for night meetings. This will also cut down on the amount of travel necessary in working with churches.

These are some goals that I believe the Association should work toward.

- 1. Establish an Associational Office where we can keep records, equipment and materials. This would strengthen our work and enable us to be more helpful to the churches.
- Explore the possibility of developing a joint program with a neighboring association so that we can share a full time Director of Missions and build a stronger program.
- 3. Increase the support of the Association by the churches. This needs to be done by more involvement in the Association and by increased financial support of the Association. I believe a strong Associational program will help undergird our total Southern Baptist Mission program. There has been an increase in Associational Mission support every year that I have been involved. Some of our churches have raised their gifts to 3% of their budgets but we need all of our churches.

Respectfully Submitted, W. Carlton Owens Director of Missions

#### RADIO AND TELEVISION REPORT

The Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission — the denomination's broadcast arm — is moving "with all deliberate speed" to seize a telecommunications opportunity that will mean a giant leap forward in Bold Mission Thrust communication.

The opportunity — low-power television — is a result of the Federal Communications Commissions' decision to enter into a year of rulemaking on low-power television stations and to accept applications for those stations to be granted during this process.

"This opened up a whole new possibility for a television delivery system to the nation," said Dr. Jimmy R. Allen, Commission president.

Allen said some steps had to be taken immediately to secure the opportunity for the future. "This process is being worked out with care as well as commitment," he said. "We are convinced the day will come when Baptist will have access to virtually every home in America." This access would enable Baptist to share the gospel, represent the denomination, provide entertainment and preevangelism communication, and help strengthen family units.

Additionally, consultations with the Foreign and Home Mission Boards about media strategies have produced new efforts to use Spanish-language television across both this country and other Spanish speaking places in the world.

The Southern Baptist Video Network also has created new opportunities to help state conventions and other agencies communicate their message by providing adequate video productions for their use.

The radio ministry continues to expand, Allen reported. The Commission's seven major radio programs are aired 5,186 times weekly on 3,502 stations.

As the Radio and Television Commission's outreach grows, the number of letters from listeners seeking spiritual help also increases, he noted. Mail response to Baptist-produced programming during the past year includes an increase in the number of counseling letters and the number of decisions registered.

Last year 11,007 counseling letters were received. More than 1,000 persons who heard and responded in some way to Commission programs said they had either accepted Christ as Saviour or had rededicated their lives to His cause.

Respectfully Submitted, Rev. Ray Turner

# FOREIGN, HOME & STATE MISSIONS

Eighty-four (84) persons (69 career missionaries and 15 missionary associates) were added to the missionary staff July 21 in the largest appointment service in Foreign mission Board history. This addition brings our missionary force to 3093.

The new missionaries include pastors, church musicians, business managers, farmers, teachers, nurses and a fertilizer salesman. They came from 34 states and ranged in age from mid-20's to late 50's.

The 1980 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering of \$44,700,339 equaled 99.3 percent of the goal. This total was \$4.1 million above the 1979 contributions, although it was \$300,000 below the 1980 goal.

According to R. Keith Parks, President of the Foreign Mission Board, Southern Baptist must take specific actions if we are to accomplish the goal of BOLD MISSION THRUST. Dr. Parks supports the appointment of at least one missionary couple a year per association and an additional ten minutes of prayer for churches, associations, missions, and the convention. He also challenged missions giving to increase at twice the inflation rate.

HOME MISSIONS: As Christians our commission is to tell the world about Jesus Christ. Every disciple has a missionary responsibility where he or she lives. But some are called for special places of service. Southern Baptist have a plan called "Mission Service Corps" which is to enlist 5,000 adult mission volunteers who provide their own living expenses and who serve full time for one or two years. Volunteers are needed to accomplish the Southern Baptist BOLD MISSION THRUST goal of telling everyone in the nation about Jesus Christ.

Southern Baptist exceeded the \$17.25 million goal for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for Home Missions in July, the second earliest the goal has been reached in the past decade. Total contributions reached \$17,274,088 on July 27. If giving continues for the remaining months, the total offerings by the end of 1981 may exceed \$18.5 million, predicted Leonard Irwin, Home Mission Board vice-president for planning.

STATE MISSIONS: In a recent census data release, Florida was predicted to become the fourth largest state by 1990, accounting for one-half the population growth in the South in the next ten years.

The major priority of the Special State Missions Offering is

sponsoring new churches and missions. This Offering also supports United Christian Action, Palm Beach Atlantic College and the Baptist Home for Children in Jacksonville.

The theme, "Building Florida's Tomorrow" can only be accomplished by the use of tools — prayer and money.

Let's BOLDLY PRAY AND BOLDLY GIVE as we prepare for the growth of our state of Florida.

Respectfully Submitted, J. T. Miller

# RECOGNITION OF CHURCH CLERKS ORDER OF RECEIPT OF UNIFORM CHURCH LETTER

DATE	CHURCH	CLERK
Sept. 25 Sept. 30	Moseley Hall Beulah	Desmer Bass Geraldine Stokes
Oct. 1	Macedonia	Cordie V. Welch
Oct. 2	Brewer Lake	Evelyn Buchanan
Oct. 2	Pleasant Grove (L)	Dorothy Hart
Oct. 2	Sirmans	Joyce Bass
Oct. 2	Hopewell	Emma Gianino
Oct. 3	Mt. Olive	Diane Wells
Oct. 3	Pine Grove	Mrs. M. C. Herring
Oct. 3	Pinetta, First	Wanda Fields
Oct. 5	Lee First	Edgar Barrs
Oct. 6	Eridu	Delorise Lewis
Oct. 6	New Hopeful	Ethel Bodenstein
Oct. 7	Riverside	Faye Thacker
Oct. 7	Madison First	Mary Kay Smith, Secretary
Oct. 8	Lamont	Ada Bell Davis
Oct. 8	Mayo	Marenda Goodwin
Oct. 8	New Macedonia	Ellen Andrews
Oct. 9	Central	Dorothy Lewis
Oct. 10	Midway	Eddie Hale
Oct. 10	St. Johns	Minnie Mae King
Oct. 12	Faith	Doris Bishop
Oct. 13	New Home	Edna Hollie
Oct. 13	Pleasant Grove (T)	Mable Knowles
Oct. 14.	Bethel Creek	Beverly Platt
Oct. 15.	Elizabeth	Roy Faglie

Oct. 15 Greenville
Oct. 15 Cherry Lake

Shirley Hutto Juanita Burnett

A "hearty", deep-felt thanks to those who met the deadline of October 5, 1981. To those who were a little later, a special "thanks". I appreciate all you had to do to get this material in. There was much improvement in the UCL's from last year. Let's keep up the good work as we serve the Lord through our local church and Middle Florida Association.

Geraldine Stokes Associational Clerk

# HISTORICAL EVENTS OF THE PAST YEAR

CENTRAL: Completion of Sunday School room with

attached kitchen including furnishings.

ELIZABETH: Began a complete renovation of church building.

FAITH: Completion of Baptistry. Trailer module

completed for additional space.

LAMONT: Addition of the Steeple.

MIDWAY: Completed new pastorium. Ordained Brother

Gus Phillips as Deacon.

MOSELEY HALL: Dennett Cruce ordained for the Ministry on

July 5, 1981.



#### A TRIBUTE TO

E. B. Browning, Sr. July 20, 1904 January 12, 1981

As David said of Abner at the time of Abner's death, so I can say of E. B. Browning, Sr., ". . . Know ye not that there is a prince and a great man which has passed on."

Few men could egual "Brother Booze" (as he was affectionately known) "speaker" on any subiect or on any level. Although History was his forte, he could easily and effectively express, expound, and exhort in areas of Religion, Politics, or temperance.

As a co-laborer in the Kingdom, he was a "Prince" and a "great man". He served faithfully as a Deacon for half a century. For ten years he served as Moderator of this Association. . . and another ten years as Vice-Moderator. He served as Historian for both his church (Madison First Baptist) and this Association for several years. He gave counsel and guidance to other Associational officers and leaders for a period spanning more than fifty years. And, as a "Lay-Preacher" it was said of him. "he could shell the corn!"

It is with deep sense of loss that we now pay tribute to E.B. Browning, Sr. — a dedicated Christian and outstanding Layman.

By: Rev. B. E. Humes, (His Pastor for more than five years) —71—

## IN MEMORY OF KNOX WARD

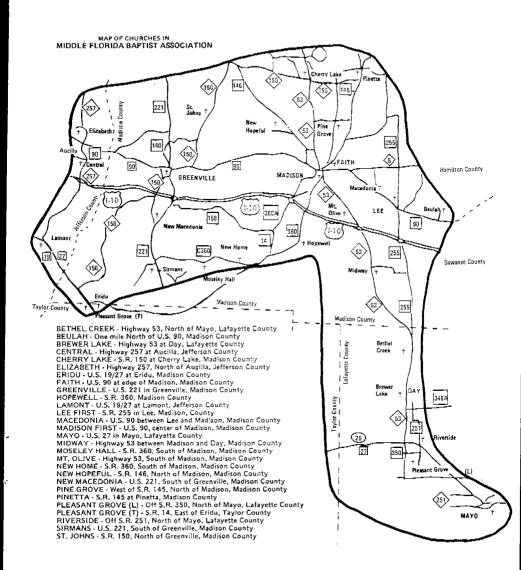
Date of Birth: — February 23, 1906 Deceased: — November 8, 1980



Brother Knox Ward was a member of Brewer Lake Baptist Church for many years, serving as teacher of the Men's Bible Class for thirteen years. He was also a member and strong supporter of the choir for many years. He supported Vacation Bible School by furnishing transportation to children that needed a ride to church.

While serving his local church, Brother Ward was very supportive to the Middle Florida Baptist Association. He was faithful in attending the Annual Associational Meetings and served as Executive Committeeman for nine years, as well as serving on various committees.

"Laborers Together With God"



## HISTORICAL SUMMATION OF THE MIDDLE FLORIDA MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

DATE OF MEETING	CHURCH	MODERATOR	CLERK
Nov. 9, 10, 11, 1900	Macedonia	Rev. J. T. Farnel!	Rev. J. L. Rutherford
Oct. 18, 19, 20, 1901	Live Oak	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 14, 15, 16, 1902	Pleasant Grove (T)	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 14, 15, 16, 1903	Pine Grove	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 19, 20, 21, 1904	Pleasant Grove (T)	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 18, 19, 20, 1905	Midway	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 24, 25, 26, 1906	New Hopeful	Rev. S. R. Clements	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 23, 24, 25, 1907	Greenville	Rev. S. R. Clements	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 21, 22, 1908	Lamont	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 20, 21, 22, 1909	Brewer Lake	Rev. J. T. Farnell	Rev. H. B. Gibson
Oct. 6, 7, 1910	Hopewell	W. B. Davis	Ardis Warren
Nov. 8, 9, 1911	Beulah	W. B. Davis	Ardis Warren
Nov. 6, 7, 1912	Central	Rev. S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 5, 6, 7, 1913	San Pedro	Rev, S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 3, 4, 5, 1914	Mayo	Rev. S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 9, 10, 11, 1915	Madison	Rev. S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 14, 15, 16, 1916	Perry	Rev. S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 13, 14, 1917	Midway	Rev. S. B. Cole	Ardis Warren
Nov. 26, 1918	Riverside	Rev. S. B. Cole	Theo Leslie
Oct. 14, 15 1919	Lec	Rev. S. B. Cole	Theo Lestie
Oct. 12, 13, 1920	Elizabeth	Rev. S. B. Cole	Theo Lestie
Oct. 10, 11, 1921	Pleasant Grove (L)	Rev. S. B. Cole	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 10, 11, 1922	Greenville	Rev. S. B. Cole	J. Vickers
Oct. 23, 24, 1923	Brewer Lake	Rev. S. B. Cole	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 21, 22, 1924	Central	W. L. Weaver	Carl W. Burnett
Ост. 20, 21, 1925	Midway	Rev. A. J. Preston	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 19, 20, 1926	Macedonia	Judge W. B. Davis	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 18, 19, 1927	New Macedonia	Judge W. B. Davis	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 23, 24, 1928	Perry	Judge W. B. Davis	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 22, 23, 1929	Madison	Judge W. B. Davis	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 28, 29, 1930	Elizabeth	Jno. F. McCall	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 27, 28, 1931 Oct. 25, 26, 1932	Macedonia Macedonia	Jno, F. McCall	Carl W. Burnett J. J. Farnell
Oct. 24, 25, 1933	Brewer Lake	Jno. F. McCall Rev. Ray Smith	J. J. Farnell
Oct. 30, 31, 1934	Greenville	Rev. A. M. Parker	J. J. Farne!!
Oct. 29, 30, 1935	Macedonia	Rev. W. G. Stracener	J. J. Farnell
Ост. 27, 28, 1936	Lamont	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 26, 27, 1937	Burton	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Car! W. Burnett
Oct 25, 26, 1938	Elizabeth	Dr. A. F. Q'Kelly	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 24, 25, 1939	Madison	Rev. A H. Townsend	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 29, 30, 1940	San Pedro	Rev. A. H. Townsend	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 7, 8, 1941	Pleasant Grove (L)	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 6, 7, 1942	Pine Grove	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 5, 6, 1943	Macedonia	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 3, 4, 1944	Lamont	T. P. McLeod, Jr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 9, 10, 1945	Pleasant Grove (L)	T. P. McLeod, Jr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 8, 9, 1946	Macedonia	T. P. McLeod, Jr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 8, 9, 1947	Midway	Rev, John R. Collins	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 13, 14, 1948	Madison	Rev. John R. Collins	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 13, 14, 1949	Perry & New Home (T)	Rev. John R. Collins	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 12, 13, 1950	Brewer Lake & Riverside	Rev. Alva Horton	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 11, 12, 1951	Athena and Lee	Rev. Alva Horton	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 9, 10, 1952	San Pedro & Cherry Lake	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 8, 9, 1953	Pinetta & New Home (M)	Rev. W. L. Rollins	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 7, 8, 1954	Hopewell & Macedonia	Rev. John R. Collins	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 6, 7, 1955	Greenville & Elizabeth	Rov. Dewey Mann	Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 4, 5, 1956	Midway & Pleasant Grove (L) Athena & Pleasant Grove (T)	Rev. Julian T. Maddox James T. Barber	Carl W. Burnett Carl W. Burnett
Oct. 17, 19, 1957	Muletia or Frequent Otoke (1)	Janua I. Darber	Call W. DUTNETT

Date of Meeting	CHURCH	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER GIVING ANNUAL SERMON
Oct. 21, 22, 1958	Madison First Mt. Olive	Rev. James T. Barber	Carl W. Burnett	
Oct. 15, 16, 1959	Lamont Mayo	Rev. James T. Barber	Carl W. Burnett	
Oct. 13, 14, 1960	Elizabeth Macedonia	Rev. Lorace Cothran	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. John Collins
Oct. 12, 13, 1961	Lee Brewer Lake	Rev. I. T. Carter	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. J. D. Young
Oct. 18, 19, 1962	Greenville New Home	Rev. I. T. Carter	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. Lorace Cothran
Oct. 17, 18, 1963	Riverside Moseley Hall	Rev. Carl A. Webb	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. J. T. Maddox
Oct. 15, 16, 1964	Macedonia Pleasant Grove (L)	Rev. W. W. Tyre	Çarl W. Burnett	Rev. Ted Jones
Oct. 14, 15, 1965	Cherry Lake Madison	Rev. W. W. Tyre	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. Jim Ellis
Oct. 13, 14, 1966	Greenville Elizabeth	Rev. W. W. Tyre	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. I, T, Carter
Oct. 13, 14, 1967	Mayo Macedonia	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. Clyde McLain
Oct. 17, 18, 1968	Lee Pine Grove	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. Rex Brookins
Oct. 16, 17, 1969	Faith Midway	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. W. P. McElroy
Oct. 15, 16, 1970	Greenville Brewer Lake	Edwin B. Browning, Sr.	Carl W. Burnett	Rev. Elbert C. Tyner
Oct. 14, 15, 1971	Lee Moseley Hall	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Bellflower	Rev. Richard Miley
Oct. 19, 20, 1972	Mayo St. Johns	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Beliflower	Rev. J. T. Entzminger
Oct. 18, 19, 1973	Pinetta New Home	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Bellflower	Rev. Lamar Anderson
Oct. 17, 18, 1974	Cherry Lake Pleasant Grove (L) Macedonia	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Beliflower	Rev. Douglas Mitchell
Oct. 16, 17, 1975 Oct. 14, 15, 1976	Greenville Brewer Lake	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Beliflower	Rev. R. B. Reynolds
Oct. 13, 14, 1977	Lee Elizabeth	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Beliflower  Robert Beliflower	Rev. Thomas E. Poole
Oct. 19, 20, 1978	Lamont Madison First	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Bellflower	Rev. B. E. Humes  Rev. Layton Daughtry
Oct. 18,19, 1979	Midway Pleasant Grove (T)	Rev. I. T. Carter	Robert Beliflower	Rev. John Dorman
Oct. 16,17, 1980	Cherry Lake Macedonia	Lex Webb	Robert Beliflower	Rev. Lamar Anderson
Oct. 19,20, 1981	Greenville Mayo	Lex Webb	Geraldine Stokes	Rev. Charles Knight
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	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIF CODE)		County	Year organi as a church	Lacation		fotal Baptism	temen temen	Members death, st	sent	Present	Grand total	No. members received non-Baptist Churchés	No. members lost to noo Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home owned by the church	falue of church property actuding paster's home	Tetal church debt a
CHURCHES			+			4	<del></del>						$\rightarrow$	$\rightarrow$			<u>, 23</u>
ethel Creek eulah	Rev. Glenn Tillman, P.O. Box 26, Olustee, Rev. L. C. Hicks, P.O. Box 4, Lee	32072 32059	Lalayette Madison	1949 1902	1 Y	1	0	0'	1 4	43 38	8 10	51 4B	0 1	0	0	4,000 1 38,000	
rewer Lake	Rev. Lamar Anderson, P.O. Box 595, Day	32033	Lafayette	1888	2 Y		5	2	12	216	85	301	ŭ	3	30,000	110,000	
entral	Rev. Walter Chapman, Sr., Route 1, Monticello	32344	Jefferson	1907	2 Y		ő	3	3	69	41	110	ا م	ō	30,000	72,000	
Therry Lake	Rev. Charles Knight, Rt. 3 Box 1280, Madison	32340	Madison	1937	iγ		21	20	11	188	140	328	Q.	1	35, <b>0</b> 00	84,000	9,13
lizabeth	Dr. Mark McCoy, Rt. 1 Box 222-B, Monticello	32344	Jefferson	1831	1 Y	7	5	19	1B	153	73	226	0	0	40,000	235,000	
ridu	Rev. L. C. Hicks, P.O. Box 4, Lee	32059	Madison	1928	1	N	0	0	0	20	3	23	0	0	0	5,000	İ
aith	Rev. Howard Money, 1505 E. Base St., Madison	32340	Madison	1964	4 Y		28	20	15	269	36	305	4	4	40,000	115,000	37,4
reen vi <b>lle</b>	Rev. Thad Enterninger, P.O. Box 6, Greenville	32331	Madison	1859	3 Y	l	6	4	35	168	43	211	1	0	65,000	225,000	60,0
opewell	Rev. Jack Lamb, Rt. 1 Box 145, Madison	32340	Madison	1877	1 Y		2	4	5	60	20	80	1	0	30,000	60,000	
emont	Rev. Verner Wheeler, Rt. 1 Box 59, Lamont	32336	Jefferson	1,896	2 Y	П	1	3	9	109	56	165	0	0	45,000	75,000	
ee First	Rev. I, T. Carter, Rt. 3 Box 275, Jasper	32052	Madison	1904	2 Y		4	5	16	199	71	270	0	0	0	275,000	
lacadonia	Rev. Dozier Sapp, Rt. 1 Box 935, Madiosn	32340	Madison	1865	1 Y	į	1	2	8	124	40	164	0	1	10,000	50,000	79.03
fadison First	Rev. B. E. Humes, P.O. Box 307, Medison	32340	Madison	1835 1894	4 Y		20	24 19	21 14	530 162	412 84	942 246	0 5	0	80,000 40,600	960,000 200,000	78,03
tayo	Dr. Roy Saint, P.O. Box 87, Mayo	32066	Lafayette	1834		_	3	19	14	102	84	Z4D	3		40,000	200,000	
lidway	NONE		Madison	1856	1 Y		0	3	8	181	62	243	0	0	44,000	84,000	7,00
oseley Hall	Rev. Bobby Hall, Rt. 2 Box 176, Greenville	32331	Madison	1901	1 Y 1 Y		2	1	4	64	20	84	0	2	0	35,000	18,50
ount Olive	Rev. B. P. Koelle, Rt. 1 Box 3365, Madison	32340	Madison	, 1899 1921			3	4	7	137 124	24 25	161 149	0	0	15,000 30,000	75,000 70,000	2.0
ew Hame	Rev. John Corman, Rt. 1 Box 115, Madison	32340 32331	Madison Madison	1876			ان	Ó	5	24	20	24	0	ő	30,000	60,000	2,0
ew Hapeful	Rev. Marvin Day (I) Second Street, Greenville	32331	Wattishii			4							$\vdash$	$\dashv$			
ew Macedonia	Rev. Carl Loughary, Rt. 2 Box 218-A, Greenville	32331	Madison	1873	1 Y		26	6	10	73	44	117	0	0	38,000	50,000	2
ine Grove	Rev. Sobby Register, Rt. 3 Box 11-A, Madison	32340	Madison	1856	1 Y		3	0	1	130	42	172	0	0	52,400	102,400	
inetta First	Rev. Ray Turner, P.O. Box 117, Pinetta	32350	Madison	1918	2 Y 1 Y		18	11	8	176	133	309	1 1	0	30,000	90,000	l
leasant Grove (L)	Rev. Ronnie Combass, Route 1 8ox 207, Lee	32059	Lalayette	1874 1879			2	2 3 i	4	137 75	19 43	156 118	0	0	0	100,000 53,000	3.9
leasant Grove (T)	Rev. Fred Harrison, Route 9 Lax 182, Tallahassee	32303	Taylor	1919	' '	$\downarrow$	- "		_ ′	/5	4.5	170	, u	- <sup>1</sup>	U	33,000	3,3
Liverside	Rev. Bobby McCray, P.O. Box 325, Mayo	32068	Lafayatte	1902	1 Y		2	6	8	79	23	102	0	0	0	44,000	1
irmans	flev. Wiley T. Saddler, Ht. 4 Box 469, Perry	32347	Medison	1909	2 Y		14	3	2	84	37	121	0	미	0	10,000	
t. Johns	NONE		Medison	1946	1 Y		0	2	10	132	9	141	0	0	15,000	72,500	
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TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL	YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981	ļ	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64_	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73
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Bethel Creek	James Warner, Rt. 1, Mayo	32066	8	0	В	6	0	0	4	0	D	0	0	0	26	D	a	0	0	0	0	0
Beulah	Mason Linton, P.O. Box 183, Lea	32059	0	4	1	2	0	4	10	2	0	Q	1	0	24	17	] 0	0	24	0	0	0
Brewer Lake	Marvin Buchanan, Rt. 1 Box 111, Mayo	32066	0	36	26	17	9	15	37	30	0	9	4	0	183	101	0	0	0	143	0	143
Central		32344	2	6	14	8	[ 1 ,	1	7	- 11	0	0	2	0	52	29	0	0	29	10	0	10
Cherry Lake	Ronnie Hart, 1006 E. Woodlawn Dr., Madison	32340	0	20	24	31	0	25	29	23	0	a	3	0	155	90	0	0	155	BI	٥.	81
Elizabeth	Henry Werren, Rt. 1 Box 207, Monticello	32344	8	11	16	18	23	0	27	14	0	0	3	0	120	60	0	D	0	86	0	86
Eridu	None	0	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	J. V. Cason, Jr., Rt. 3 Box 8, Madison	32340	0	24	35	28	16	0	60	0	0	12	4	Ð	179	140	0	0	179	146	0	146
Greenville	M.C. Burnett, N. U.S. 221, Greenvilla	32331	0	19	15	16	5	12	33	0	0	8	4	0	122	76	0	0	122	82	0	82
Hopewell	Franklin McClamma, Rt. 1 Box 97-C, Madison	32340	4	6	6	5	5	9	17	0	0	,D	2	0	48	40	0	0	1 0	0	0	0
Lamont	Radney Baland, Rt. 1 Box 69, Lamont	32336	0	7	10	- 13	5	0	13	0	0	0	2	a	50	30	0	0	50	46	0	46
Lee First		32059	ō	9	17	19	17	19	15	35	a .	0	0	D	131	82	0	0	0	120	0	120
Macedonia	Robert Stokes, Rt. 4 Box 1935, Madison	32340	0	0	16	7	lo	6	14	0	0	0	3	0	46	35	0	0	0	48	l o	4B
Madison First	David B. Smith, Rt. 1 Box 311-A, Madison	32340	4	24	44	54	12	17	B4	122	0	0	10	0	371	190	0	9	371	125	0	125
Маур	Marvin D. Sulfivan, P.O. Box 81, Mayo	32066	0	19	10	15	6	29	28	15	0	0	3	0	125	81	0	0	125	87	0	87
Midway	Van Kelley, Rt. 1 Box 271, Madison	32340	0	21	21	19	0	5	16	30	0	0	2	Q	114	57	0	0	114	83	0	83
Moseley Hall		32331	0	1	3	2	1 1	0	8	15	0	0	8	0	39	28	0	Û	39	56	0	56
Mount Olive	Gene Merritt, Rt. 1 Box 248-B, Madison	32340	4	9	11	15	8	0	9	20	0	0	3	0	79	49	0	0	79	50	0	50
New Home .	Wayne Bass, Rt. 1 Box 850, Madison	32340	0	8	16	17	24	18	25	10	0	0	3	0	121	51	0	0	0	65,	0	65
New Hopeful	George Henderson, 908 S. Range, Madison	32340	0	0	0	4	0	1	5	6	0	0	2	0	18	12	0	0	18	0	0	0
New Macedonia	Harold Buchanan, Rt. 1 Box 273-A, Greenville	32331	0	2	14	12	0	0	10	13	0	0	2	0	53	38	0	0	0	Ð	0	0
Pine Grove		32340	0	10	10	0	6	31	10	2	0	0	2	0	71	40	0	0	D	0	0	l o
Pinetta	Ervin Gaylord, Rt. 3 Box 113, Madison	32340	3	12	24	20	0	16	16	31	0	0	3	0	125	82	0	0	125	81	0	81
Pleasant Grove (L)	Owen Thomas, Rt. 1 Box 85, Mayo	32066	6	7	14	8	0	9	16	14	ا و	0	1	0	75	47	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Grove (T)	Auley Rowell, P.O. Box 646, Shedy Grove	32357	0	6	10	12	5	6	9	9_	0	0	9	0	66	43	0	0	66	50	0	50
Hiverside	Bill Lamb, P.O. Box Mayo	32066	0	12	15	13	†5	0	23	0	0	Ð	0	0	78	46	0	a	0	0	D	0
Sirmens		32331	0	8	В	10	12	0	32	0	0	0	3	0	73	50	0	0	0	0	. 0	0
St. Johns		32331	G	4	4	8	2	3	26	14	0	0	0	0	61	36	0	0	0	69	0	69
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Bethel Creek	None		0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	
leulah	Gene Stakes, At. 1 Bax 154, Lee	32059	2	1	2	В	o o	0	Q	0	0	1		14	
Brewer Lake	Jimmy Prine, Rt. 1 Box 151, Mayo	32066	21	12	25	62	0	0	0	0	Ò	3	1 0	123	i
Central	None		0	0	Ð	0	0	. 0		0	0	0	0	0	1
Cherry Lake	Reba Watson, Rt. 3 Box 84, Madison	32340	10	13	20	65	0	0	0	0	C	3	0	111	1
Rizabeth	Kenneth Bass, Monticello	32344	4	g	17	16	0	0	7	0		2	0	55	
ridu	None		0	0	0	0	D	0	0	o	0	0	0	0	
aith	Marvin Horne, Rt. 4 Box 980, Madison	32340	15	36	31	50	a	0	10	10	0	4	0	140	
Greenville	None		0	11	14	16	1 :	e		1	0	2	0	43	1
Hopewell	Bill Lamb, 506 S. E. Oak Drive, Madison	32340	10	0	5	19	G	0	0	0		2	0	26	<u>L.</u> .
amon i	Vivian Reams, 2301 Old Bainbridge Rd., Tallahassee	32303	3	4	9	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	38	
Lee First	Edgar Barrs, Jr., Rt. 1 Box 194, Lee	32059	6	19	18	45	0	0		0	0	0	0	88	
Macedonia '	Robert Bellflower, Rt. 1 Box 148, Lee	32059	) 4 )	5	6	20	0	0		0	0	0	0	38	
Madison First	Lark Daughtry, P.O. Box 396, Madison	32340	0	0	0	B5	Đ	0	0	0	0	0	0	85	
Мауо	Audrey King, P.O. Box 243, Mayo	32066	4	8	17	9	_	0		0		2	0	40	
lidway	Eddie Hale, P.O. Box 175, Lee	32059	2	7	4	22	0.	0	Œ	a	0	į .	0	36	
Moseley Hall	Diane Bass, Rt. 1 Box 119, Madison	32340	1 1	5	1	15	0	D	0	0	0	5	0	27	1
Mount Olive	Greg Ragans, Rt. 1 Box 307-A, Madison	32340	5	9	15	9	0	0		0	0	7	0	3B	
Yew Hame	Donnie Toten, Rt. 1 Box 630, Madison	32340	. 6	13	22	34	0	0		0	0	3	0	78	
ew Hapelul	George Schierkolk, Rt. 3 Box 255, Madison	32340	0	0	3	10	0	0	0	O.		1	0	14	<u></u>
lew Macedonia	Dean Buchanan, Rt. 1 Box 273-A, Greenville	32331	2	12	12	15	0	0		0	0	2	0	43	
ine Grove	Mrs. Afvin Jones, 212 S. Range St., Madison	32340	0	0 1	0	11	D	0		이	0	1	0	12	1
Pinella	Calvin Buchanan, Rt. 1, Pinetta	3235D	5	23	20	30	G:	0	0	멬	0	3	0	81	1
Pleasant Grove (L)	Thomas Johnson, At. 1 Box 95-M, Mayo	32066	4	3	4	21	0	0	1 1	0	0	!	2	35	1
Pleasant Grove (T)	Wayne Yates, Rt. 1, Greenville	32331	5	8	17	26	0,	0	0	0		0	0	56	L
Riverside	Nane		0	0	Ð	a	0	0		0	0	a	0	D	1
Sirmans	Franki Carroll, Rt. 2 Box 270, Greenville	32331	8	8	10	12	0	0		32	0	] 3	0	73	1
St. Johns	Norman Newman, Rt. 3 Box 93, Greenville	32331	2	3	5	23	נו	0	0	0		4	0	37	
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CHURCHES Bethel C	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP COD		Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	Children enrolment (6-8 yrs or grades 1-3)	Children enrolment (9-11 yrs or grades 4-6)	Youth enrolment (12-14 yrs or grades 7-9)	Youth (15:17	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Handbell I enrolment	Vocal ensembles enrolment	Instrumental ensembles enrolment	General music leaders enrolment	Enrolment of r	Total o
Bethel Creek Beufah Brewer Lake Central Cherry Lake	None L. C. Hicks, P.O. Box 4, Ler Jonathon Underwood, P.O. Box 653, Mayo Mrs. Troy Alderman, P.O. Box 149, Monticello Mrs. W. C. Owens, Rt. 1 Box 195, Lee	32059 32066 32344 32059	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 12	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 25	0 0 20 0 25	0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	1 2 3 2 1	0 0 0 0	23 23 2 73
Elizabeth Eridu Faith Greenville Hopswell	Linda Demott, Rt. 1 Box 197-A, Monticello None Clinton Harris, Rt. 4 Box 135, Madiotn None Eustace Kally, Rt. 1 Box 197-C, Madison	32344 32340 32340	6 0 0 0	8 0 25 0	8 0 12 0	9 0 9 14 0	9 0 9 0	12 0 30 16 20	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	5 1 5 5	0 0 0 0	60 I 90 35 22
Lamont Lee First Macedonia Madison First Mayo	Franklin Purvis, Rt. I Box 182, Lamont June Guthrie, Rt. 1 Box 132A, Lee Robert Stokes, Rt. 4 Box 1835, Medison Kenny Robinson, 529 W. Base, Madison Judy Saint, P.O. Box 87, Mayo	32336 32059 32340 32340 32066	3 0 0 13 4	0 0 5 22 8	0 6 2 16 4	0 0 1 0 8	0 0 0 25 5	10 28 12 16 18	<b>0</b> 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	2 0 1 8 3	0 0 0 0	15 34 21 100 50
Midway Moseley Hall L Mount Ofive New Home New Hopeful	Johnny Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 278, Madison Juanita Cruce, Rt. 1, Madison Rert Sevor, Rt. 1 Box 318-F, Madison Dewilt Andrews, Rt. 1 Box 695, Madison Dawson Rutherford, 603 N. E. Livingston, Madison	32340 32340 32340 32340 32340	0 0 6 0	0 0 0	0 6 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	15 17 20 14	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 1	0 0 0 0	6 2 2 3 - 2	0 0 0 0	21 25 26 18
New Macedonia Pina Grove Pinatta First Pleasant Grove [L) Pleasant Grove (T)	Dwayne Buthanen, Rt. 1 Box 273-A, Greenville Alvin Jones, 212 S. Range, Madison Edsel McHargue, P.O. Box 43, Pinetta Thomas Johnson, Rt. 1 Box 95-M, Meyo Clara White, 5133 Williams Rd., Tallahassee	32340 32350 32066 32301	0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 15 0	0 12 15 0 27	0 0 0 0	0 3 0	0 0 0 5	2 2 3 2 4	0 0 0 0	2 14 36 7 31
Riverside Sirmans St. Johns	James Hunter, At. 1, Mayo Johnny Caroll, Rt. 2 Box 21 v. Greenville Marcus Oay, Rt. 3 Box 82, Greenville	32066 32331 32331	0 0	0 0 0	0	0	4 D Đ	10 0 0	0	0 0 0	0	. 4 2 2	0	18 2 2
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Midway Moseley Hall Mount Olive New Home New Hopeful	Johnny Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 278, Madison   323   Henry Roberts, Rt. 2, Greenville   323   Ann Sapp, Rt. 1 Box 156, Madison   323   Sandra Bass, Rt. 1 Box 850, Madison   323   George Schierkolk, Rt. 3 Box 255, Madison   323	31 40 40	35 5 18 30 15	6 10 7 12 0	1.5 3	x x			x	>	×	25,514 14,346 21,400 24,260 7,439	60 0 0 0 3,482	25,574 14,346 21,400 24,260 10,921	0 6,000 3,500 • <b>6</b>	11,046 5,941 9,195 11,500 3,909	6,867 1,494 0 0 3,482	3,270 0 2,061 1,402 0	873 809 1,366 1,133 269	4,435 1,800 6,871 10,752 2,193	26,491 10,044 19,493 24,787 9,853
New Macentonia Pine Grave Pinetta First Pleasant Grove (L) Pleasant Grove (T)	Mrs. Lois St. John, P.D. Box 392, Greenville         323           Arthur Cruce, Rt. 2 Box 698, Madison         323           Henry P. Graves, Rt. 1, Pinetia         323           Florida Ezell, Rt. 1 Box 67, Mayo         320           Margaret Vonn, Rt. 1 Box 105, Greenville         323	40 50 66	15 25 25 18 14	10 10 10 0 11	0 0 2 0 1.4						X X X X	18,210 22,992 25,065 19,533 28,863	0 0 53 0 171	18,210 22,992 25,119 19,533 29,034	0 0 0 0	6,250 9,918 11,417 9,400 11,200	0 0 0 0 1,122	1,59U 0 0 0 1,972	1,221 686 2,279 573 708	7,976 5,874 3,817 9,437 7,706	17,036 16,478 17,513 19,410 23,952
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Lamont Lee First Macedonia Madison First Mayo	Ada Bell Davis, P.O. Bux 56, Lamont Edgar Baris, P.O. Box 33, Lei Cordie V. Welch, At. 2 Box 1178, Madison Edwin B. Browning, Jr., P.O. Box 652, Madison Merenda Gnodwin, P.O. Box 251, Mayo	32336 32059 32340 32340 32066	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	D 0 10 0	2,376 11,312 1,560 11,037 8,226	198 887 245 1,624 200	0 121 80 996 157	698 390 50 763 451	901 680 50 1,701	0 0 0 1,000	150 512 40 610 110	0 0 0	() () () ()	0 1,436 0 150 2,923	1,947 3,987 465 6,845 4,350	4,322 15,299 2,025 17,883 12,577
Midway Moseley Haff Mount Olive New Home New Yopelut	Eddie Hale, P.O. Box 175, Lee Desiner Bass, Rt. 1 Box 115, Madison Diane Wells, Rt. 4 Box 995, Madison Edna G. Hollie, Rt. 1 Box 820, Madison Ethel Bodenstein, Rt. 2 Box 675, Madison	32059 32340 32340 32340 32340	0 0 0	0 1,200 0 0	0 1,200 0 0	1,142 1,324 1,213 1,906 50	571 115 210 641 50	90 0 192 0	235 50 351 150 30	402 0 706 150 50	60 0	213 60 33 200	0 0 0	0 0 0 0	399 0 0 0 2,315 0	1,970 215 1,492 3,456 130	3,112 2,739 2,705 5,362 180
New Macedonia Pine Grove Pinetla First Pleasant Grove (L) Pleasant Grove (T)	Mrs. Roscoe Andrews, Rt. 1 Box 268, Greenwile Mrs. Leonard Wafker, Rt. 2 Box , Madison Mrs. M. C. Woodard, P.O. Box 4, Pinetla Dorothy Hart, Rt. 1 Box 76, Mayo Madie Knowles, Rt. 4 Box 383, Perry	32331 32340 32350 32066 32347	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 125 300	0 0 0 125 300	1,833 1,412 2,365 300 2,008	0 0 458 88 4 <b>0</b> 1	0 0 113 0	207 136 425 108 42	300 136 500 119 36	0 0 0 0	300 225 181 70	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 1,100 1,360 0	0 1,597 3,036 385 537	2,640 3,009 5,401 810 2,845
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