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Board to recommend \$13-million goal

Committee authorized to study TBSC relations, liabilities

In its mid-year meeting May 8, the Executive Board of the Tennessee Baptist Convention set the goal for the 1979 Golden State Missions offering at \$400,000; created a committee to study the relationship between the Tennessee Baptist Convention and the Tennessee Baptist Service Corporation; and voted to recommend a \$13-million 1979-80 Cooperative Program budget-goal with an additional \$2-million challenge goal to November's state convention.

The board met at the Baptist building in Brentwood.

The Executive Board also voted to permit employees to serve past the "normal retirement age of 65" with mandatory retirement at age 70; authorized the executive secretary to borrow up to \$96,000 toward the relocation and construction of a student center in Chattanooga; and heard a report from the Belmont Plaza committee. The committee was authorized by the called state convention April 5 to sell or to transfer the retirement center to another owner.

In approving a joint recommendation from its state missions committee and the Ex-

ecutive Board of Tennessee Woman's Missionary Union, the board set the goal for September's Golden State Missions Offering at \$400,000. This is a 10.2 percent increase above the 1978 goal of \$350,000.

The recommendation also allocated the gifts to the annual offering. (A breakdown of these allocations is printed on page 2).

The 99-member Executive Board voted to recommend a \$13-million Cooperative Program budget goal to the messengers at the 1979 TBC which will meet Nov. 13-15 at East Park Baptist Church in Memphis. For the first time in recent years, the budget-goal will also contain a challenge section, which will seek an additional \$2-million above the basic budget-goal. The challenge section would be distributed with 35 percent going to Southern Baptist Convention causes and 65 percent to Tennessee Baptist causes. The Tennessee share would be divided with 35 percent for educational institutions and 65 percent to Bold Mission Thrust projects within Tennessee.

The budget recommendation, which came from the board's Tennessee Baptist program

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Disaster relief van, team aid LaVergne flood victims

In Tennessee Baptists' first response to a local disaster, volunteers gathered in LaVergne last week to feed approximately 60 people and distribute groceries and health kits to several families.

Archie King, state brotherhood director, received the call for help on Monday, May 7, from Carl Scarlett, pastor of Miracle Baptist Church in LaVergne. Scarlett explained that a natural drain had flooded due to heavy rains, and many homes in the area had suffered extensive damage.

The brotherhood director notified a team from middle Tennessee who had been trained in disaster relief and then traveled to Murfreesboro to obtain food which would be distributed from the TBC disaster relief van.

The team decided that the best location for the van would be in Scarlett's yard since it was in the area of the flood damage. Water in the pastor's house had reached over a foot during the flooding.

Early Monday evening, the team, composed of Jim Cantrell, Woodmont Baptist Church, Nashville; Larry Duke, director of missions in Robertson Association, Lawrence Hadley, pastor of Oakland Baptist Church in Clarksville; Bob Johnson, a member of Two Rivers Baptist Church in Nashville; and King served supper to about 22 families. For many of the families, it was the first night they were able to return home.

That night, the disaster relief team spent the night in the van on Scarlett's property.

Clean-up efforts began the next day; and for the disaster relief team the efforts of locating families, distributing food, health

kits, and tracts began. Cantrell explained that Malone Hyde Wholesale Co., Nashville had given 14 boxes of groceries, valued at between \$75-100 each to the team to distribute to stricken families. The health kits, containing gospel tracts, came from Royal Ambassadors in Tennessee.

Others helped also. First Baptist Church in Smyrna and Stones River Baptist Church

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Belmont Plaza committee reports

About 15 different groups or individuals have expressed definite interest in taking over Belmont Plaza, Bill Coles, chairman of the Belmont Plaza Committee told the Executive Board last week.

The committee was authorized by a called special session of the Tennessee Baptist Convention April 5 to deal with the problems of the retirement center in Nashville, which was completed Feb. 1 but could not open because of the lack of operating funds.

The called TBC voted to sell or to transfer Belmont Plaza to another owner and to dispose of the liability of the Tennessee Baptist Service Corporation which had built the facility. A \$5-million bond issue was sold to finance the project.

Coles said the 13-member committee has had three meetings, and a local subcommittee had been meeting "almost daily."

"We appear to have three options," the committee chairman told the Executive Board:

(1) to sell the building outright and perhaps absorb up to \$2-million in losses;

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Cooperative Program said above goal after 6 months

Tennessee Southern Baptists reached the mid-point of the current budget year with mission gifts through the Cooperative Program running 1.1 percent ahead of the budget-goal, according to Tom J. Madden, executive secretary-treasurer of the Tennessee Baptist Convention.

Receipts for the six-month period (November 1978-April 1979) totaled \$5,966,647.97.

The Cooperative Program budget-goal adopted by messengers to the 1978 TBC was set at \$11.8-million. The mid-year goal would be \$5.9-million, meaning that receipts are \$66,647.97 above the pace needed to reach the goal.

Madden noted that receipts for the past six months were 10.8 percent higher than those received during the November 1977-April 1978 period, when \$5,384,951.62 was contributed. This is a gain of \$581,696.35, the executive secretary said.

April's Cooperative Program receipts were \$798,970.27 which was 18.7 percent above April 1978's receipts and 18.7 percent below the 1979 monthly goal.

The 1979 monthly goal would be \$983,333.33 (one-twelfth of \$11.8-million). April's gifts of

\$798,970.27 were \$184,363.06 below the monthly goal.

During April 1978 Tennessee Baptists gave \$672,822.33 to missions through the Cooperative Program. Last month's receipts were \$126,147.94 above the same month of 1978—an 18.7 percent increase.

"We are grateful for this gain, which is even more significant when it is realized the inclement weather of recent months has created genuine difficulty for many of our churches," Madden said.

The Tennessee executive secretary also noted that April's receipt period ended on Monday, April 30, which meant that receipts from churches which do not send in their gifts until after a month's last Sunday were not received in April.

"We pray that individuals and churches will maintain their commitment to world missions through the Cooperative Program during the coming months. Boldness in our mission calls for boldness in our giving," Madden observed.

A church-by-church listing of mission gifts through the Cooperative Program and designated gifts is printed in this issue of the Baptist and Reflector, beginning on page 7.

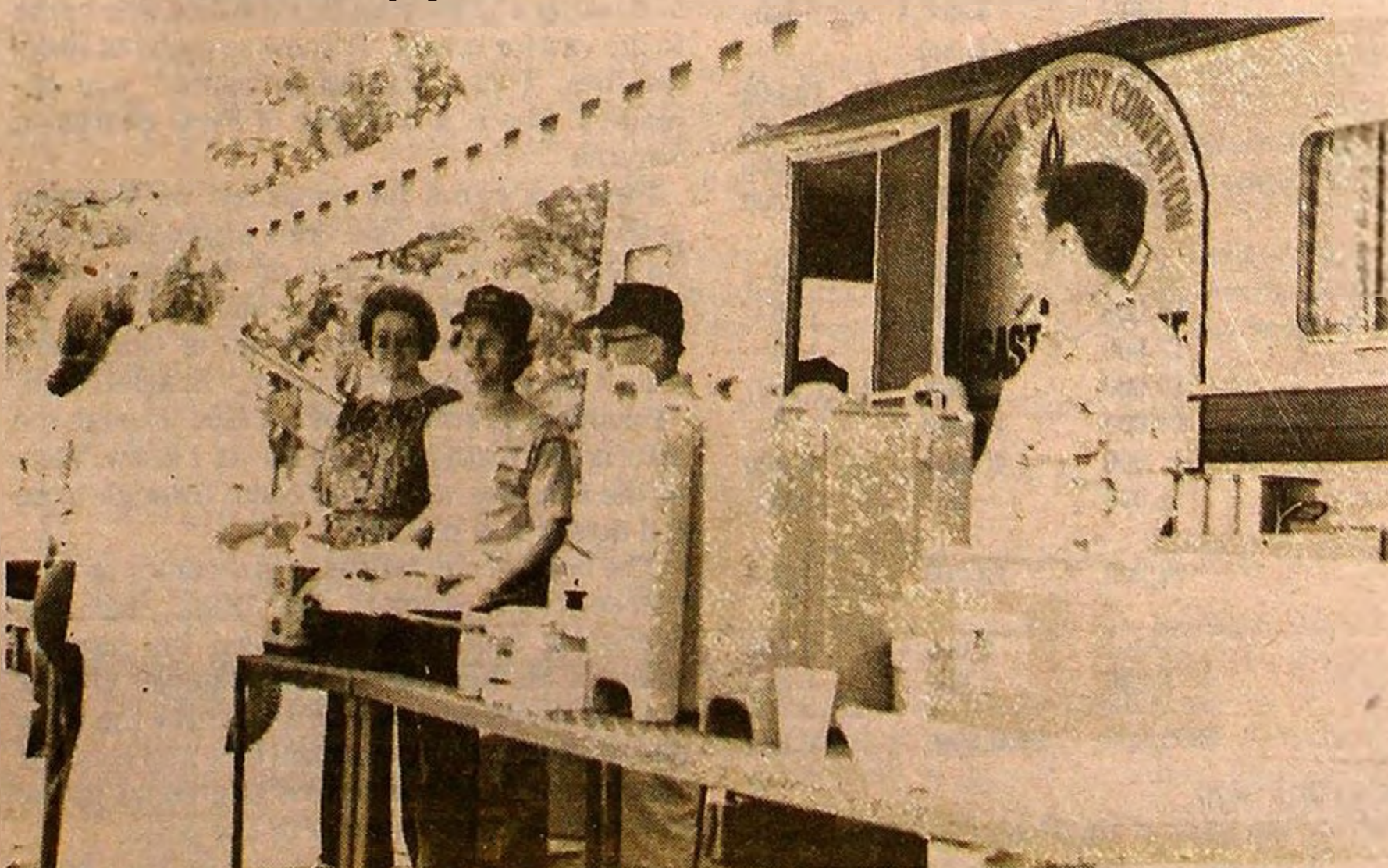
California trustees plan construction

MILL VALLEY, Calif. (BP)—Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary trustees adopted a 1979-80 budget of more than \$2 million, promoted faculty and staff members, voted to employ an architect for a new library, and approved construction of additional campus housing.

The group also elected Baker James Cauthen as the seminary's first Baker James Cauthen professor of missions. Cauthen, who will retire as executive director of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board in December, will join the seminary faculty for at least a year beginning in the fall of 1980.

The trustees viewed an artist's sketch for a proposed World Mission Center and chapel on the campus, a concept designed to take advantage of the strategic location of Golden Gate Seminary in the multi-ethnic Bay area.

Funds for the library have been authorized by the Southern Baptist Convention and construction of the \$2,985,000 facility will begin as soon as plans are complete.



RECEIVING FOOD—A LaVergne family, victims of a flood there last week, receive an evening meal from the Tennessee Baptist Convention disaster relief van. Many families had spent the day in clean-up efforts at their homes.

Board to recommend...

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committee, asked that a goal be established to increase the percentage of the basic budget-goal going to missions through the SBC Cooperative Program by "a minimum of one-half percent each year until 40 percent is reached." In the 1978-79 budget goal, 34.5 percent of Tennessee Cooperative Program gifts is shared with missions and ministries of the SBC Cooperative Program.

Fred Steelman, Chattanooga, made a motion which was passed by the Executive Board that the board's president, Gerald Stow, Cookeville, appoint a five-member committee to study the relationship of the state convention to the Tennessee Baptist Service Corporation. The committee would examine the administrative relationship and the TBSC's liabilities and report to the board's Sept. 11 meeting.

"Apparently there are some misgivings on the part of a lot of people on the way business has been conducted," Steelman said. "I think we could help these feelings if we studied it and presented our findings. I don't think we could stand another proposition like we have before us right now."

John Daley, Nashville, offered a substitute motion that the study be made by the board's Christian services committee, but the substitute motion was defeated, and the original motion passed without opposition.

Stelman's motion came following a brief plea for such a study by Jerry Oakley, Springfield. He had sent a letter to Stow, which was read to the board, and Oakley was granted five minutes to speak by the board members.

In other action, the Executive Board approved several changes in the employees' personnel manual.

One of the changes would institute an annual review of all employees to evaluate their service. This evaluation would be a basis for merit salary increases and for determining retirement dates.

The changes would permit employees to serve until a mandatory retirement age of 70, but the "normal retirement age" would still

be 65. After age 65 employee's service would be determined on performance and attitude, the board was told.

Other changes in employment relationships would provide for an increase in salaries and travel allowance.

The board voted to provide a 7 percent cost-of-living adjustment for all its employees in next year's budget, with an additional 2 percent increase permitted for merit increases. Also, the travel allowance was increased from 17 cents per mile to 19 cents per mile, effective immediately, and increased to 20 cents per mile in November.

On another matter, the Executive Board authorized the executive secretary to borrow up to \$96,000 to apply toward the purchase of a site and construction of a new Baptist student center in Chattanooga. The center would move from its present site at 722 Oak St. to 520 Vine St.

Proceeds from the sale of the present property would be applied toward the property and construction of the new student facility, with the remainder of the cost divided between the state convention (two-thirds) and Hamilton County Baptist Association (one-third).

In other action, the Executive Board voted to commend the Baptist and Reflector for reporting the matters concerning the Belmont Plaza problems and the special called state convention.

In reports from its various committees, the board was told that the Christian services committee, in its meeting April 27, had voted "to commend Wade Darby and the Tennessee Baptist Service Corporation for the cooperation they gave to the study committee and for the work they did during the times of difficulty that we've had."

The next scheduled meeting of the Executive board will be Sept. 11 at the Brentwood building. All meetings of the board are open to visitors.



CONVENTION STAFF HONORED—Staff members of the Tennessee Baptist Convention building honored in Brentwood last week include, front row, left to right: Betty Williams, Baptist and Reflector; Carol Growden, Sunday School department; and Mary Allen, church training. On the back row are: Hettie Gentry, program services; Bill Hazlewood, student worker; and Helen Kennedy, church training.

Executive Board members recognize employees' service to convention

Six employees of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, with tenures of service totaling 80 years, were honored by members of the state Executive Board at their spring meeting in Brentwood last week.

Helen Kennedy, director of children's work in the church training department, was honored for 25 years of service. Mrs. Kennedy began her work with the convention on a part-time basis when she was a student at Belmont College in Nashville. Following her graduation from that institution, she served as office secretary and director of junior work in the department.

Recognized for 20 years as bookkeeper for the Baptist and Reflector was Betty Williams.

Mary Allen, director of youth work, church training, received commendation for 15 years of service. She has served also as vocational guidance consultant in that area.

Bill Hazlewood, part-time Baptist Student Union director at Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, was honored for his 10th anniversary. Hazlewood is also director of missions in Cumberland Gap Association.

Two employees were recognized for five

years' work each. They are Carol Growden, assistant secretary in the Sunday school department; and Hettie Gentry, clerk in program services.

Belmont...

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(2) to transfer it to a group which would "wrap-around" the present bond indebtedness, take over the bond payments, and pay the TBC for rights to lease the facility;

(3) to transfer it to a group who would take over payments and lease and provide a surety bond to the TBC for the difference between the appraised value of the building and the TBC's indebtedness.

Coles said that committee members had met with representatives from two "sister Baptist institutions" in Nashville—Belmont College and Baptist Hospital.

The hospital is not interested in the project. The college has made two proposals to the committee. The committee offered a counter proposal to the college, Coles said, and the college was to come up with a third proposal by May 11.

"We are going to look very hard at what the building is going to be used for," the chairman said. "We feel we can't saddle a sister institution with something they don't have any need for, unless they have a definite need for that building for educational purposes."

Coles said that another possibility had surfaced the previous week. Several churches in the Nashville area are considering the formation of a non-profit corporation to take over and to operate the facility.

Coles, who is also a member of the Executive Board, made a motion on behalf of the Belmont Plaza Committee that "up to \$10,000 be granted from the general fund "for a reliable appraisal of the building's value to help expedite the sale or transfer of the facility. The motion was passed.

A second motion granted permission to the board's administrative committee to call a special meeting of the Executive Board to hear recommendations from the committee regarding the sale or transfer of the property "perhaps with as little as one week's notice."

Coles explained that Belmont Plaza is costing the convention about \$1,500 per day, so each day of delay is expensive. The next scheduled meeting of the board is Sept. 11.

According to the motion passed by messengers to the April 5 special TBC, the final disposition of Belmont Plaza will be "at the discretion of the Executive Board."

1979 Golden State Mission Offering allocation

Here are the allocations for the 1979 Golden State Missions Offering which will be received with the Week of Prayer for State Missions, Sept. 9-16. These allocations were approved by the TBC Executive Board at its May 8 meeting.

| Program of Work | 1978 Allocation | 1979 Proposed | Increase (Decrease) |
|--|------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Burney Love Gifts (Aid to children of Tennessee missionaries) | \$ 9,000 | \$ 9,500 | \$ 500 |
| Camps (Capital needs—new buildings, permanent improvement of existing buildings) | 100,000 | 127,750 ¹ | 27,750 |
| Church-related vocations Student Scholarship Fund | 2,000 | 2,000 | —0— |
| Disaster Relief Fund | 25,000 | 25,000 | —0— |
| Gifts to Missionaries (\$25 for each native Tennessee missionary at Christmas) | 4,500 | 5,250 | 750 |
| Graduate Scholarship Fund | 2,000 | 3,000 | 1,000 |
| International Student Ministries | 5,000 | 5,000 | —0— |
| Language Mission Ministries | 8,000 | 8,000 | —0— |
| Ministry to the Handicapped | 8,000 | 8,000 ¹ | —0— |
| Mission Center Ministries | 1,000 | —0— | (1,000) |
| Mission Lot and Building Fund | 50,000 | 50,000 | —0— |
| New Work Revolving Loan Fund | —0— | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| Black Baptist Student Work | 5,000 | 7,500 | 2,500 |
| Offering Promotion Expense | 9,000 | 12,500 | 3,500 |
| Resort Missions | 4,000 | 5,000 | 1,000 |
| Site Fund for Proposed Conference Center (yearly payment) | 8,500 | 8,500 | —0— |
| Special Rural and Mountain Missions | 15,000 | 15,000 | —0— |
| Student Scholarships | 17,500 | 17,500 ¹ | —0— |
| Student Summer Missions | 10,000 | 9,000 | (1,000) |
| Summer Preachers' Schools | 10,000 | 10,000 | —0— |
| United Tennessee League, Inc. | 41,000 | 45,000 | 4,000 |
| US-2 Supplement | 4,000 | —0— | (4,000) |
| WMU Budget Supplement (Metropolitan WMU Promotion) | 10,000 | 10,000 | —0— |
| WMU Budget Supplement (Rural WMU Promotion) | —0— | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| Contingency Fund | 1,500 | 1,500 | —0— |
| TOTAL | \$350,000 | \$400,000⁴ | \$50,000 |

¹ The last \$20,000 of the offering goal will go to this item.

² Includes \$1,000 for support of an interpreter for the deaf at Harrison-Chilhowee.

³ Scholarships are: Mary Northington, \$7,500; Harrison-Chilhowee Baptist Academy, \$3,500; Medical, \$500; Acteens Studiaact Scholarships, \$5,000; Scholarship at Large, \$1,000.

⁴ Any offering received above the \$400,000 goal will go to camps.

Disaster...

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brought cereal, juices, sausage, spaghetti, and peanut butter.

Elaine Morris, a mail carrier on the route which was flooded, volunteered her services in cooking and serving the families who came to the van for meals. "I know so many of these families, I just wanted to come," she explained. She is a member of First church in Smyrna.

Families came for breakfast on Tuesday until nearly 11:00. The crew also cooked and served lunch and supper on Tuesday, after family members worked at home.

"I have never felt the hand of God more than I have in this experience," Scarlett said. "People have seen the love of God through the efforts put forth here. As far as I know, none of the families who have come through to be fed attend any church."

The head of one family, a newcomer to Tennessee, told Scarlett and King that the preceding four days had been the hardest times of his life. He said he believed at first that he would not be able to survive the days ahead; but in witnessing the love and concern expressed by Christians he had come to see that his loss had been worth the price.

Another expressed: "When you don't have any income and nothing in reserve, it is really a good feeling to be able to count on a hot meal for yourself and your family."

Carson-Newman seniors told to seek the best choices

"History has been blessed or cursed by the choices people have made from the time of Adam's choice," Tom J. Madden, executive secretary of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, said in the commencement address last Friday night at Carson-Newman College, Jefferson City.

The Baptist college's 128th commencement service was held in Holt Fieldhouse on the campus.

Madden told the 291 graduates five options which he would encourage them to choose.

The first would be to "opt for a conviction in life to practice the presence of God." Madden said that this is more than a recognition of God, but is an awareness that He walks with us every step we take. "God is not present as a spy, but as a loving parent," he said.

Madden also urged the graduates "to opt for a real superlative in your life to always do you best. In every task, small or great, exercise fully the abilities God has given you."

The TBC executive secretary asked the graduates to choose to look beneath the surface. "Look deeply, intently beyond yourself," Madden pled. "God does not judge by external appearances."

Madden challenged the graduates "to opt for a worthy goal—a reachable, yet challenging goal—for you life. Don't settle for anything cheap."

In conclusion he asked them to live a life of

accountability. "Ultimately, we must answer to God as to whether or not we did our best," Madden observed.

During the commencement ceremony, Carson-Newman president Cordell Maddox presented honorary doctor degrees to Madden and to Earl B. Mills of Simpsonville, S.C. Mills, a Carson-Newman graduate, is president of Yeargin Construction Co.

New Stone courses give Bible training

Several pastors, church staff personnel, and church members have participated in a new training venture in Stone Association, according to Michael Prowse, director of missions there.

The "in-service training institute," which began earlier this spring, is aimed at providing educational and personal development through courses provided by the Southern Baptist Seminary Extension department.

Evening sessions are being held twice a week at First Baptist Church in Cookeville and have drawn over 20 persons from surrounding towns. The seven courses which are being taken include: Old Testament Survey, New Testament Survey, History of Christianity, Baptist History, How to Understand the Bible, and Fundamentals of Music, and Evangelism.

Prowse and other directors of missions have promoted the project in their associations. Each person may enroll for two courses, and college credit may be obtained.

Other possible courses scheduled for this coming fall include: principles of preaching, public worship, and Ephesians.

Funeral services held for Dana L. Bentley

Dana L. Bentley, 72, a minister in east Tennessee for 42 years, died April 29 following an apparent heart attack.

According to Henry Guy Jackson, director of missions in Holston Valley Association, Bentley served as a pastor at Big Creek, Choptack, Gills Chapel, Henards Chapel, Hickory Cove, Howes Chapel, Long Bend, Mooresburg, Mount Pleasant, Persia, Shady Grove, Tunnell Hill, and Bentley's Chapel Baptist Churches, all in Holston Valley Association. In Nolachucky Association, he led Cedar Creek, Calvue, Robertson Creek, and Mount Zion Baptist Churches. He was pastor of Barnards Grove Baptist Church in Grainger Association, and Fairview Baptist Church in Mulberry Gap Association.



Warren

Warren named B&R associate

Charlie Warren of Memphis has been named associate editor of the Baptist and Reflector by the state paper's Board of Directors at a meeting on May 7.

In joining the Baptist and Reflector's staff on July 15, he will fill a vacancy which has existed since October 1975 when David Keel resigned as circulation manager for the publication.

Warren is serving as associate editor of World Mission Journal, a monthly publication of the Southern Baptist Brotherhood Commission. Prior to assuming that position in February 1977, he served the SBC Foreign Mission Board as senior editor of press relations for four years. Earlier he was a news writer for the public relations office of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Warren is a native of Roanoke, Va., and a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Tex.

While in college he served as editor of the yearbook and on the staff of the campus newspaper.

Warren is a member of Hickory Ridge Baptist Church, Memphis, where he is a deacon.

Between college and seminary, he was a missionary journeyman under the Foreign Mission Board for two years, working as publications coordinator of the Baptist Publishing House in Lusaka, Zambia.

In 1976, he was named as one of the "Outstanding Young Men of America" by the Jaycee organization.

His writings and photography have received several awards from the Baptist Public Relations Association.

He is married to the former Sandra Hilton of Beaumont, Tex., and the Warren family includes two sons, Todd 6 and Brad 3.

In another Baptist and Reflector staff adjustment, Eura Lannom was shifted from assistant to the editor to a position of advertising and subscription manager. Mrs. Lannom has held various positions with the Tennessee state paper for 38 years, serving as acting editor from August 1974 to November 1976.

\$715,000 appropriated

FMB to aid Uganda, five other nations

RICHMOND, Va. (BP)—Moving quickly to meet needs on a large scale, the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board voted to send more than \$715,000 to finance relief work in six countries.

More than half the funds—over \$380,000—will go to Uganda, the East African nation where religious freedom is being restored in the wake of fighting that deposed President Idi Amin.

Another \$300,000 will finance a major community development project in India. The 3-to-5-year program will be administered by the Baptist Hospital in Bangalore.

The actions came at a meeting May 8 in which the board appointed 15 missionaries, employed three special project medical workers, and approved 12 Mission Service Corps personnel and six long-term volunteers. It also moved to open work in Transkei, a tribal homeland within the borders of South Africa. But Transkei will not be added officially to the 94 countries and territories where Southern Baptists have work until personnel are assigned there.

Relief appropriations were the largest since 1975, when \$729,194 was sent to Bangladesh to aid victims of the 1974 flood which left 15 million homeless and millions hungry.

The board also approved \$42,000 from other funds for projects related to the relief and rehabilitation work in Eastern Uganda. Of this amount, \$30,000 will be used to send a team of Swahili-speaking volunteers to help distribute aid in the area where Baptist work was strongest before Amin banned Baptists and 26 other religious groups in 1977.

The other \$12,000 will pay for printing of 100,000 posters emphasizing Christian themes that will be displayed in schools, government offices, and dispensaries.

The volunteer team includes two former East Africa missionaries—Jimmie D. Hooten and Charles A. Tope, now a member of the Foreign mission Board—and six college-age MKs (missionary kids), who also speak Swahili, the common language of many East African tribes.

The team will use a five-ton truck and three vans which will help distribute relief goods in the eastern sector. These vehicles will be purchased and operated through a \$140,000 appropriation approved by the board.

The truck will haul supplies from the Kenyan port of Mombasa to Jinja, an urban center in eastern Uganda. From that point the vans will take the supplies out to the villages. Unless fuel for such vehicles becomes

available in Uganda, it will be shipped in along with other supplies. Baptist churches will be distribution points for the relief items.

Two Southern Baptist missionary couples, Mr. and Mrs. G. Webster Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Rice, continued work in Uganda even after Baptist churches were banned and now are leading in the plans for the relief and rehabilitation projects.

Carroll, who went to Uganda only a year after the country gained independence from Britain, has worked closely with leaders of the new Ugandan government, including President Yussufu K. Lule, in developing the plans.

A large part of the relief appropriations, \$231,429, will help provide agricultural supplies to be distributed to villagers through the churches. The money will provide 10,000 hoes, 10,000 pangas (large knives used in clearing land), 5,000 slashers for cutting grass, 5,000 axes, 10,000 hand pumps for spraying crops, 2,000 bags of fertilizer and a variety of other agricultural supplies.

From general relief funds, \$10,000 was voted for repair and reconstruction of churches. Carroll said at least 12 churches were damaged or destroyed. The money will go primarily for roofing supplies. Village churches usually have walls made of native mud-construction and metal or thatch roofs.

Missionaries and Baptist workers from neighboring Kenya will join with Uganda missionaries and Baptist leaders helping to restore work in Uganda. The Kenya teams will take turns teaching in all five Baptist Bible schools where Ugandan church leaders are trained. The Ugandan missionaries also have requested eight more career missionaries and seven volunteers to take advantage of evangelistic opportunities.

Former missionary Hooten, now minister of outreach of First Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas, will accompany the six missionary kids to Uganda in June. Hooten will stay at least six weeks and the MKs for 10. Tope, pastor of Northwest Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, will go out later in the summer and stay at least a month.

Ariz. messengers affirm executive

PHOENIX, Ariz. (BP)—Jack Johnson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Ponca City, Okla., was elected executive director-treasurer of the Arizona Southern Baptist Convention in a special called session. He will take office in early June.

Messengers from Arizona Baptists' 287 churches and missions cast 90 percent of their ballots in favor of their executive board's earlier election of Johnson to succeed Roy F. Sutton, who retired Dec. 31, 1978. The Arizona convention's constitution requires affirmation for the chief executive by a two-thirds vote of the convention after election by the Executive Board.

A vote in a similar called convention in July 1978 failed by 11 votes to affirm the nomination of Mark Short for executive director-treasurer. Short, now church program consultant for the Louisiana Baptist Convention, was then a staff member of Houston's South Main Baptist Church.

Johnson has been at First Baptist since 1976 and is chairman of the administrative division of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma's Executive board.

A pastor in California for 19 years, he is former president of the Southern Baptist General Convention of California and chairman of the board of trustees for California Baptist College.

He is a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary, Mill Valley, Calif., and the California Graduate School of Theology.

Letter reveals news of work in China, Bibles needed

LONDON (BP)—The Baptist Missionary Society has received news of Christian work in China, according to European Baptist Press Service.

In a letter, addressed simply to "The BMS, London," a lay leader in Sian, recently wrote that the church is well and truly alive, although there is no public worship and Bibles are in desperately short supply.

The letter was intended for four former pastors in China, Cranston Bell, Arthur Elder, Ernest Madge and George Young. Madge, former overseas secretary for the BMS after serving in India and then in China for 16 years, read the letter to the society's general committee.

The letter begins: "Greetings to you all and your wives. It is good to be able to write a letter. I wish to know all about you."

"How is your health? How are your families? What jobs are you doing?"

"I and my family are well."

"As to the Sian situation—no church, no church building, no public worship. Only in our homes do we worship, with 30 more people present."

"Last year at Christmas, 200 people assembled for worship. We have no Bibles because the Cultural Revolution burned them."

There follows a brief note about a number of friends, and the letter ends:

"All believers in the Lord are well. There are many but there is no public worship."

After hearing the letter, the committee spent time in prayer for China, and made plans to approach the Baptist World Alliance to ask that the society might be represented if a delegation is sent to China in accordance with a recent BWA request to Chinese officials.

Sian is a district of Shensi where the BMS worked for 58 years.

Letters to the Editor...

Letters on any religion-related subject are welcomed. Letters of over 300 words will not be used. Other letters may be shortened at the discretion of the editor. No unsigned letters will be printed, but writer's name will be withheld for sufficient reason. Letters must contain complete address.

Questions lesson

Dear editor:

In the May 2 Baptist and Reflector Carolyn Blevins, writer for the Uniform Series for May 6, was at the brink of blasphemy and may well have committed the unpardonable sin.

Mrs. Blevins, trying to choose her words very carefully, wanted to leave us under the impression that tongues were totally "nonsense." She cites I Corinthians 14:2-6 as saying that "clearly, Paul believed tongues had no place in public worship." The writer has never read, then, the last 14 verses of chapter 14, in which Paul goes into great detail about how tongues is to be used in a public worship service.

Has Mrs. Blevins read I Corinthians 14:22? Evidently not.

We as Christians, I believe, ought to quit talking about "Granny's Word" or "old Aunt So-and-So's Word" for God's Word. We are rapidly becoming hearers and doers of someone else's "gospel." A little discernment on our part would be quite in order.

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Mrs. Blevins' statements seem to be consistent with the writing of Paul, who definitely preferred that tongues not be used (14:19, 23-24) and if no interpreter is present, to keep silent (14:28). To support Paul's declaration could hardly be called "blasphemy" or "the unpardonable sin." (editor)

BSSB's new business

Dear editor:

I find it difficult to understand why the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board has decided to get into competition with private business in the purchase of the A.J. Holman Co., for which it is paying \$2.2-million.

It is easy to justify the printing of Sunday School literature and materials for use by the churches, but to leave this field and take money generated by profits from the sale of literature and other materials and use it in this fashion is difficult for me to accept or understand.

Is the Sunday School Board going into the insurance business next? Or will it decide to buy a newspaper, since most of its members

read newspapers? Or will it raise the prices on literature and other materials, generate larger profits, and take that money and establish a bank? I can see a lot of money-making possibilities, if that is the direction the board is going!

The recent venture of Baptists into the field of providing retirement facilities should have slowed down some of our leaders and made them realize that the church's direction is not to engage in business, but to preach the gospel.

It really doesn't matter that the financial arrangements is "extraordinarily favorable to the Sunday School Board." If the board is making so much money, the answer is simple, reduce the price of literature or give more of it away to those who should be reached for Christ and can't afford to buy such materials.

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Under the charter of the Baptist Sunday School Board, which was approved by messengers to the Southern Baptist Convention, the agency is to provide books and Bibles for our Southern Baptist people. There is no mention in the charter of insurance, banking, or secular newspapers. The board's use of A.J. Holman Co., I am told, will be to publish only religious books and Bibles. (editor)

Former missionary, Sue Vernon, dies

Mrs. Sue Vernon, former Southern Baptist missionary to Brazil, died May 10 in a Nashville hospital. She had been in declining health since cancer was discovered last year.

Mrs. Vernon was 56.

Mrs. Vernon and her husband were appointed by the SBC Foreign Mission Board in 1946 and served in Brazil from 1946-1966 and 1968-1975. They were divorced in 1978.

She is survived by three sons: Richard H. Vernon, James P. Vernon, and John M. Vernon, all of Nashville, and two daughters: Rebecca Vernon of Nashville and Mrs. Susan Mikul of Birmingham, Ala.

At the time of her death she was a member of Brentwood Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held at Woodlawn Chapel, Nashville, on May 12 with William Wilson, pastor of Brentwood Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Scottsboro, Ala.

Editor's Note: May is Associational Missions Month. During this period we are presenting five articles on the role of the Baptist association in Baptist life. These are written by an SBC home missionary in Idaho. This is the fourth in the series.

The foreign missions movement

By Elliott Smith

It was at an association meeting that the modern missionary movement was thrust into history. William Carey struck the spark at a meeting of Particular Baptist in Nottingham, England. That momentous date was May 31, 1792.

Two years after Carey lit the torch in England, the flame had leapt the Atlantic.

Charleston Association was urging prayer for the "propagation and success of the gospel among the Heathen."

With the start of the nineteenth century, that new blaze of missions concern can be traced, as it continued to spread, in the minutes of the various associations.

By 1800, Philadelphia Association was discussing the "propriety of forming a plan for establishing a missionary society."

In the same year, one of the churches of Charleston Association was asking: "Is there not, at this time, a call in Providence for our churches to make the most serious exertions... to send the gospel among the heathen, or to such people who, though living in countries where the gospel revelation is known, do not enjoy a standing ministry, and the regular administration of divine ordinances among them?"

Philadelphia Association's circular letter of 1801 called attention to "the success of the brothers of our denomination in England" in their mission to "the idolatrous and far distant country of Hindostan."

While Charleston and Philadelphia associations were sorting out their thoughts concerning missions, Shaftsbury Association, which influenced Baptist life out of all proportion to its size and location, nestled as it was in the interior of rural Vermont, had the distinction of establishing an associational missions structure that would be copied by other Baptist bodies. The association's circular letter of 1802 detailed the plan for a board of missions which consisted of six ministers and six lay persons.

Within a year, that board was sending missionaries to Canada.

By 1810, Shaftsbury Association was urging all its people to pay six cents annually to missions.

In 1813, with raised sights, members were challenged "to lay by the small sum of one cent a week for the missionary fund." Of that same year, 1813, the editor of the association minutes said this: "The work of foreign missions began to be thought of in this body. The beloved Judson and his heroic wife had now been cast upon the American Baptists for support."

That was the catalyst Baptists of America had been awaiting. For, as Carey's commitment to India had sparked the missions movement among England's Baptists, so did the conversion of three Congregational missionaries to Baptist beliefs fan the already growing flames into a raging fire among America's Baptists.

The conversions of the Judsons and Luther Rice are known by most Baptists. From that time forward, foreign missions would receive top priority. However, the immediate result was that they were left without a sponsoring board and, consequently, without financial support.

While the Judsons remained in the Orient, Luther Rice returned home where he began an extensive tour. His first stop, after having met with the newly formed Boston Baptist Foreign Mission Society, was at the annual meeting of an association.

Minutes of the October 5, 1813, session of the association at Philadelphia tell the story: "Our brother, Luther Rice, a missionary lately from India, was affectionately invited to a seat with us."

The next day, he was asked to speak, and "communicated very acceptable and pleasing information that numbers of heathen now hear the gospel and chaunt the Saviour's name."

A tangible result was that The Philadelphia Baptist Society for Foreign Missions was organized to support the Judsons.

Five weeks later, Rice was before Charleston Association where Furman introduced Luther Rice, as a member of the church at Serampore, India. Charleston Association responded by suggesting a plan to the churches for establishing foreign mission societies.

The experience of Philadelphia and Charleston associations were frequently recurring ones. Association after association declared their support of the Judsons. So many societies were formed that, within nine months of Rice's return from India, thirty-three delegates gathered in Philadelphia on May 18, 1814, to found the Triennial Convention.

Luther Rice continued his dependence upon the associations even after the Triennial Convention was formed. From scanning two pages of his memoirs, one understands how extensive were his travels among the associations. Leaving Philadelphia one July 25, he rode horseback approximately three-thousand miles to meet with associations.

In a three month period, he had met with thirteen associations.

The Baptist association is still at the heart of missions concern and promotion. More than one-million people hear missionary speakers in more than 150 association-sponsored World Missions Conferences each year.

Baptist associations are still trying to convince Southern Baptists that, as Goshen Association's circular letter proclaimed in 1814: "The fairest opportunities now offer for a display of our zeal. Large fields are open before us.... The Word of Life is translated into many languages.... Let our substance be given up to honor the Lord."

Eastwood church calls Pat O'Kain as pastor

Eastwood Baptist Church, Nashville, called Pat O'Kain as pastor recently.

O'Kain comes to the post from Eastside Baptist Church in Burns where he served for four years. He also served Smyrna Baptist Church at Chapel Hill.

A native of Nashville, O'Kain is enrolled at Belmont College in the school of education.

The church membership is meeting at the facilities of Jere Baxter School on Gallatin Rd. until a new structure is completed on McGavock Pike. The old church building was destroyed by fire on Thanksgiving Day 1978.

Response to the Pivotal Event of History



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UNIFORM SERIES
Lesson for Sunday, May 20

Ministry of reconciliation

By Carolyn D. Blevins
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Basic Passage: 2 Corinthians 4:1-6:13
Focal Passage: 2 Corinthians 5:14-6:2

Pain is...a shattered relationship. Happiness is...restoring a shattered relationship. Most personal relationships suffer ups and downs. Parent-child, sister-brother, husband-wife, employer-employee, and friend-friend relationships endure various failures.

Paul's association with the Corinthians was a real roller-coaster with all kinds of ups and downs. They questioned not only his teachings but his apostleship. More than once Paul defended himself to the Corinthians. His defense was always more than a counter attack. It was another opportunity to share his beliefs and commitment.

The first part of 2 Corinthians expressed Paul's joy because his relationship with the Corinthians was restored. You can almost see his excitement jumping off the pages! He used the opportunity to share his concept of salvation as reconciliation.

Beginning again: 2 Cor. 5:14-17

The gospel in miniature is vividly seen in verses 14 and 15. Out of sheer love Christ gave all of us new life. We were dead because sin had alienated us from God. God had created man and woman for fellowship with Him. In their sin they broke the fellowship. With the gift of salvation God offered to restore the broken relationship. All this reconciliation was possible because Christ loved us so much. That was the good news!

The gospel was more than the gift of salvation however. The good news included demands. Paul reminded the Corinthians that Christ's death for them demanded they not live for themselves but for God. Love of Christ replaced selfish interests for Christians.

Salvation gave new direction and focus to Christians. More importantly, it gave new life. In Christ men were new creatures. Man could begin again. He was created again by God. His whole life was new. He had new goals, new standards, new motives, and a new loyalty. Paul was fond of referring to a Christian as a new creation. It was an appropriate concept. Life in Christ was indeed a new life. Salvation was beginning life again with God.

New life also meant new viewpoints. Paul was well acquainted with the radical change in viewpoint he had experienced. As a dedicated Pharisee Paul loathed Gentiles. He was actively trying to destroy Christianity. Then Paul encountered Christ on the Damascus road. The encounter changed his life. He was a new creation! His viewpoint took a 180 degree turn. He spent the remainder of his life ministering to the Gentiles he'd loathed. His passion to destroy Christianity became a passion to spread Christianity. Talk about new viewpoints!

New life issued in both beliefs and behavior for Paul. No longer did he judge men by man's standards. Now he saw men by God's standards. Paul knew his experience was not unique. Every person could experience the same rebirth. Every person could begin again if he accepted the new life God offered.

Gift and mission: 2 Cor. 5:18-6:2

God took the initiative in restoring His broken relationship with man. He sent Jesus to make reconciliation available. God expects man also to be active in the ministry of reconciliation. The Christian has a mandate to do all he can to bring any sinner back to his Creator. Those with new life have a mission to be active initiators of reconciliation for others. We have the gift of proper relationship with God. We have the demand or mission of

assisting others in discovering the same gift.

The ultimate insult to God's gift of grace is to spurn it (vv. 1 and 2). Paul challenged the Christians at Corinth to behave what they professed. To claim the gift of salvation without accepting the responsibility of salvation was to scoff at God's gift.

Behaving viewpoints

Paul's conversion was not merely a conversion of the mind, it was a conversion of behavior. Paul caught the essence of Jesus' teachings. Christianity is doing, behaving, relating.

New life means a new viewpoint. God's viewpoint isn't colored by race, wealth, education, or social status. The new viewpoint sees humanity worth and potential. Persons are valued because they are persons rather than what kind of person they are. True reconciliation with God expresses itself in our lives when we accept others regardless of who they are and that takes a new viewpoint.

Paul spoke eloquently but simply about reconciliation. He used five basic ideas: 1) God always initiates it (v. 18); 2) Man needs to be reconciled (vv. 18-19); 3) God restored the relationship through Christ (vv. 18-21); 4) Reconciliation is God accepting man in spite of his sins (v. 19); 5) Persons who experience reconciliation invite others to experience it (5:20-6:2). Saved persons become saving persons. New life issues in new behavior.

It is difficult for a person to be reconciled with God but unreconciled with his fellowman. Reconciliation then becomes not only a God-man activity but also a man-man activity. A genuine encounter with God affects our personal encounters as well.

During the writing of this lesson, I experienced the uneasiness of an alienated relationship. As I was going to the desk to write, I was delayed by a conversation with our older son. When I finally sat down to write, I had an unusually difficult time getting started. I kept remembering my earlier conversation. Just a little reflection made me realize that though my advice to him was perhaps wise, it was very poorly timed. At a time when I should have rejoiced, I had launched a "sermon" as he said. I left my writing, went to his room, apologized for my poor timing, and came back to my writing. An hour or so later it dawned on me what had happened. I was unable to write on reconciliation when I was the source of broken fellowship within my own home. Being reconciled has a beautiful way of affecting all our relationships if we dare to allow it.

New Orleans man named UT-Chatt. BSU director

James F. Moore, Baptist Student Union director at the University of New Orleans (La.) since 1973, has accepted the position of BSU director for the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, according to Tom Madden, executive secretary treasurer, Tennessee Baptist Convention.

Moore, who was elected by the state missions committee, TBC, will assume the new post sometime in June.

A graduate of Memphis State University, Memphis, Tenn., and New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, Moore was a chaplain at Southern Baptist Hospital in New Orleans before coming to his present post.

He held pastorates in Louisiana and at Chewalla and Millington, Tenn. He was ordained to the gospel ministry by Calvary Baptist Church in Memphis.



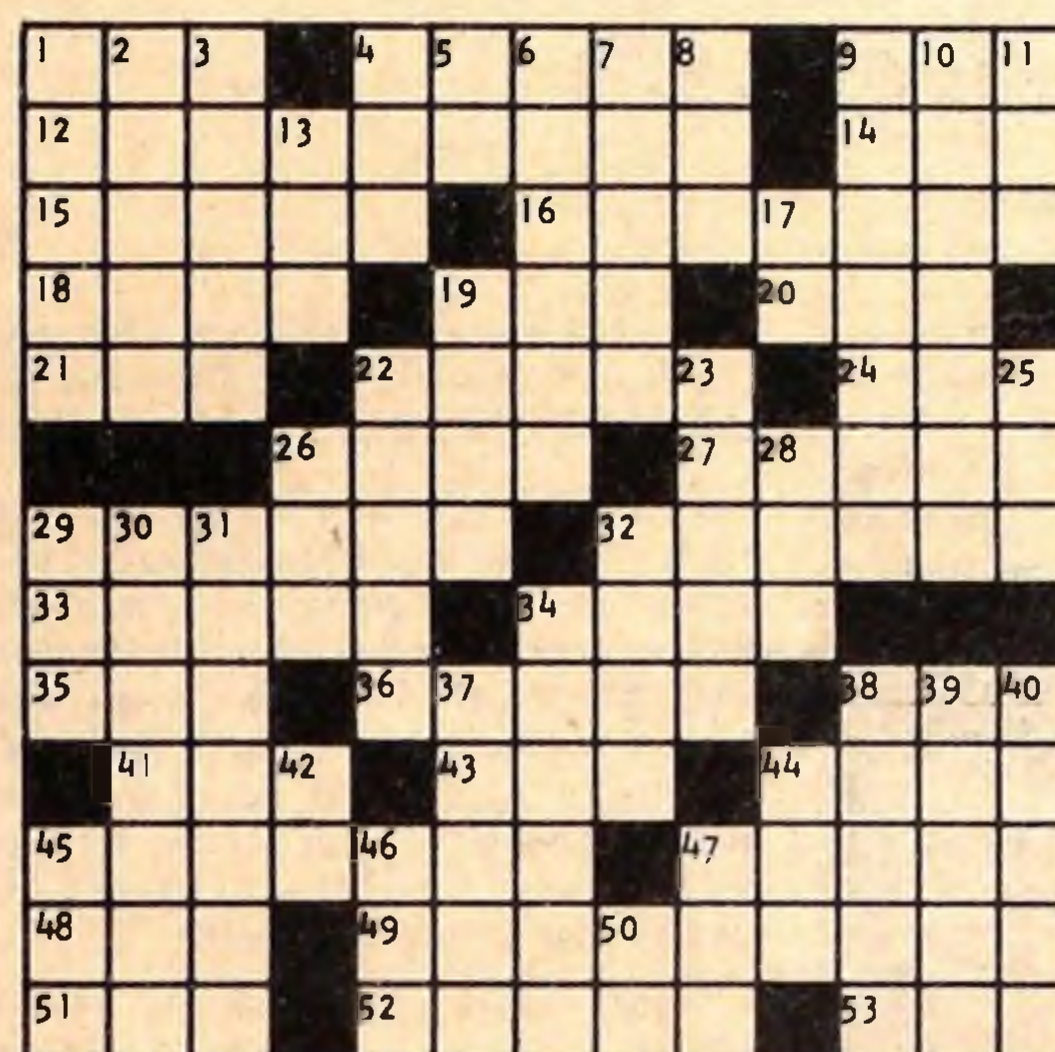
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Bible Puzzle

Answers on page 6



ACROSS

- 1 Suffix for Japan or Canton
- 4 "The — of the mountains" (Job 39)
- 9 "and in a — pasture" (Ezek. 34)
- 12 "an example of the —" (1 Tim. 4)
- 14 A Nigerian people
- 15 Portents
- 16 "buy and sell, and —" (Jas. 4)
- 18 French seaport
- 19 Diminutive of Rachel
- 20 Organization: abbr.
- 21 Youngest: abbr.
- 22 Cement for window glass
- 24 Gangster's gun
- 26 Herb
- 27 Colorless stroma of a red blood cell
- 29 They fed Elijah (1 Ki. 17:4)

- 32 "a — upon thy weapon" (Deut. 23)
- 33 "prepared as a —" (Rev. 21)
- 34 Russian news agency
- 35 Depot: abbr.
- 36 "from the — to the greatest" (Heb. 8)
- 38 Report: abbr.
- 41 Greek letter
- 43 Large letters: abbr.
- 44 "kingdom of his — Son" (Col. 1)
- 45 "as with —" (Psa. 109)
- 47 "King of —" (Heb. 7)
- 48 Sack
- 49 "the — of death" (2 Cor. 1:9; pl.)
- 51 Peer Gynt's wife
- 52 "lest ye — into temptation" (Mark 14)
- 53 Units of time: abbr.

DOWN

- 1 "horns of ivory and —" (Ezek. 27)
- 2 Some trucks
- 3 "faith of God's —" (Tit. 1)
- 4 Thing: law
- 5 Kind of tax: abbr.
- 6 Nullify
- 7 "— the friends" (3 John)
- 8 Time abbr.
- 9 "— —, and give glory" (Rev. 14)
- 10 Carmelites (1 Sam. 27:3)
- 11 Large weight
- 13 Suffix used to form adjectives
- 17 Christ's command (Matt. 28)
- 19 Carpets
- 22 Jury
- 23 Bread ingredient
- 25 DDD
- 26 Skin erythema dose: abbr.
- 28 Interest bearing deposits: abbr.
- 29 Some football players: abbr.
- 30 "send — unto thee" (Tit. 3)
- 31 "the — of the wicked" (Job 24)
- 32 Go by
- 34 Parable subject (Matt. 25:24)
- 37 Feminine name
- 38 "a measure to —" (2 Cor. 10)
- 39 Gaited horse
- 40 "I see men as —" (Mark 8)
- 42 Article
- 44 Lair
- 45 Arab garment
- 46 Half of a fly
- 47 Through
- 50 Tellurium: symbol

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Interpretation

Distractive people find golden text supportative

by Hershel H. Hobbs

"Casting all your care upon Him; for He careth for you." 1 Peter 5:7

I remember many years ago that Sunday School cards given to children always had a "Golden Verse" or "Text." When I read this verse from 1 Peter, I was reminded of this practice from by-gone days. It is the "Golden Text" for distracted people.

The word for "care" means the state of being divided in one's mind or being distracted. Jesus used the verb form in Matthew 6:25, 27-28, 31, 34 ("take no thought"). It may also read "being overly anxious." Psychologists speak of schizophrenia, defined by Webster's dictionary as "a type of psychosis characterized by a loss of contact with reality, a dual, or split personality." Etymologically, it means a divided mind. In this sense it is akin to the word for "care." So many people suffer from a schizophrenic condition.

Jesus' use of the verb in the Sermon on the Mount dealt with a divided mind between material and spiritual values (Matt. 6:25-26,

28-32a). Much distraction today stems from this conflict. But Jesus said that the Father knows that we need these things (v. 32b). Our first concern should be to endeavor to bring people into the kingdom of God (v. 33). Matthew 6:34 means that we should not be overly anxious about tomorrow. We have all we can handle today and should not borrow worry from tomorrow—about things which usually do not happen anyway.

Peter may well have had Jesus' words in mind when he dictated 1 Peter 5:7. We are to cast our divided minds upon God. "He careth" may better read, "It is a care to Him concerning you." This is not an invitation for irresponsible living, but for faith in God.

Concerning worry about a matter someone said, "if you can do something about it, do it. If you cannot do anything about it, worry will not help."

In Matthew 6:27 Jesus asked, "Which of you by taking thought (being overly anxious) can add one cubit to his stature?" You cannot grow even a few inches by worrying about it. "Stature" also means length of life. Worry will not lengthen your life the least bit. But it can shorten it. If you have ears to hear, then hear!

LIFE AND WORK SERIES

Lesson for Sunday, May 20

Encourage dependence on God

By Jack May, pastor
Broadmoor Baptist Church, Memphis

Basic Passage: II Kings 6:8 to 7:20
Focal Passage: II Kings 6:8-17

Many years ago an aged black man was driving his boss through the countryside one Sunday afternoon. All of a sudden a fierce thunderstorm broke upon them. Obviously, frightened the man turned to the driver and said: "Pray for God's protection upon us during this storm!" To which the other replied, "But sir, I prayed before the storm broke!"

That kind of faith which one needs to point another to God, or to be an encourager of dependence upon God, is one that is not only strong during the easy times of life, but also one which is strong in the difficult times. Elisha was able to encourage his servant to be dependent upon God because he himself had learned through experience that God was dependable.

Elisha had followed Elijah until God had taken him away, because he wanted to know that he would be successor to Elijah.

When Elisha asked for a double portion of the spirit, he was really asking for assurance that it was God's will for him to take his place. Having seen the translation, he never once doubted that God had called and would direct him. Because of his spiritual resources, Elisha was able to demonstrate God's magnificent power through his life, and yet is an encourager to us to remember that we can depend upon God.

Suppose that you were to wake up and see a mighty army of God's angels encamped around your house? What would be your reaction to the events of that day? Suppose that you discovered that this army was not a wild dream, but was real. In what way would you plan to use the protection you had?

The ability of Elisha: II Kings 6:8-13

Because Elisha had a faith that was equally strong in bad times as in good, God had given him a special ability to discern things. The real ability of Elisha, in my opinion, was not so much that he knew where the enemy would hide, but that he was able to help his servant to know that God was dependable. God has some great servants in the world who never preach, or teach, or get any recognition. I remember one day after a worship service I was somewhat despondent because there were no visible results. One of the deacons said something to me that made me know that even when we do not see the desired results that God is dependable and will not allow His word to return void.

I believe a real need today is for believers to realize that when they are thrown into some ordeal which would make them prone to ask "Why me, God?," the Lord, in all likelihood, is preparing them to be an encourager to someone else down the road. In our time of crisis on every hand, when all the news seems to be bad, and when the Ziggy complex seems to be the dominant one, God needs some of His people, like Elisha of old, to say: "Hey, remember God is not dead, and what He has promised He will do!"

How many opportunities have you had this week to encourage someone to depend upon God, that you did not take advantage of?

The answer from God: II Kings 6:14-17

It is not when the answers of God are obvious to all that one needs encouragement. When everything is going fine, the sun is shining, the kids are well, the relationship between the parents is great, all bills are paid, and money is in the bank, then it's easy to see God in every movement of nature. But when everything seems to go wrong, the walls tumble in around you, and every exit seems

blocked, then you feel as if you need someone like Elisha to say to you: "They that be with us are more than they that be with them!"

Barnabas in the New Testament is one of my favorite heroes. I like Barnabas because he was an encourager of his contemporaries. He encouraged the disciples to believe in Paul after his conversion. He is given the name, "son of encouragement" in the book of Acts because of his unselfish act of selling all he had and giving the return to the apostles. By his actions he was saying to the believers of his day that God is dependable.

God's answer is unmistakable! He opened the eyes of the servant, and he was able to see for the first time that God always has protection around His children. In the midst of seemingly hopeless situations of life, God has not forsaken us!

At this very moment a precious brother's wife is facing death. The faith with which he and his family face this situation is speaking louder than any sermon on the dependability of God. We are not hearing that God is dependable, we are seeing it demonstrated in the lives of this family. By their actions, they, like Elisha of old, are encouraging dependence upon God!

Union Univ. names first BSU leader

Union University in Jackson has employed Larry Joe Murphy, associate pastor at Poplar Heights Baptist Church in that city, as its first Baptist Student Union Director, according to Bob Agee, dean of religious affairs.

Murphy, a senior at Union, will assume the newly-created post on August 15.

"Our campus ministry has expanded to the extent that we felt we could no longer continue to grow in an organized manner without the help of a full-time BSU director," Agee said.

The new director will be directly involved in working with the college's BSU council in planning and coordinating the organization's campus ministry. Additionally, he will assist in the school's in-service guidance program, help in the staffing of revival teams, and participate in the placement of students into church staff positions.

A native of Trezevant, Murphy served as a summer missionary under the Tennessee Baptist Convention in 1976. He has also been Union's BSU vice-president and president.



Murphy

Southern trustees vote extension for seminary head Duke McCall

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (BP)—Trustees of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary extended the service of president Duke K. McCall, named a chief administrative officer for student services and elected three new faculty members during their annual meeting.

McCall, president of the seminary since 1951, was extended through July 31, 1981, in accordance with seminary policy which provides for extension of personnel beyond retirement. McCall will be 65 in September.

Elisabeth (Beth) E. Lambert was appointed assistant dean of students, effective May 1, 1979. A member of the seminary staff since 1975, Mrs. Lambert will be the chief administrative officer of the student services division, reporting directly to the president.

Effective Aug. 1, the trustees named Raymond H. Bailey as associate professor of communication and adjunct professor of Christian preaching; Carl Gerbrandt as associate professor of church music; and

Timothy George as assistant professor of church history.

They also promoted Walter B. Shurden to professor of church history; elected Ronald E. Boud, a faculty member since 1976, as associate professor of church music, and R. Alan Culpepper, on the faculty since 1974, as assistant professor of New Testament with tenure; granted tenure to professors J. Ralph Hardee and Bill J. Leonard; and extended the contract of Lucie Easley, assistant professor of church social work, through July 1982.

In other action the trustees authorized expenditure of \$150,000 to upgrade campus roads and provide additional parking.

George, who holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga and a master of divinity from Harvard Divinity School will receive the doctor of philosophy degree from Harvard in June. His primary areas of teaching competence are church history and historical theology.

Caney Ford church calls Miss. pastor

Martin Klinghard, pastor of Lizana Baptist Mission in Gulfport, Miss., was called as pastor of Caney Ford Baptist Church in Harriman.

He is a 1978 graduate of New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, La., where he earned the master of divinity degree. He earned his undergraduate degree from the University of North Alabama, Florence.

In addition to the Mississippi pastorate, he also did supply preaching in Orleans Parish area, was pastor of First Baptist Church of Clifton, Tenn.; pastor of Bethlehem Baptist Church, West Point, Tenn.; a chaplain for Wayne County General Hospital, Waynesboro, Tenn.; and a supply preacher in Florence, Ala. He was active in associational work while serving as a pastor in Alabama.



Klinghard

On Matters of

Family Living

By B. David Edens

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Kindness wins over virtue

A divorcing parent's "moral fitness" is no longer a decisive factor in whether a mother or father wins custody of the couple's child, according to the Uniform Marriage and Divorce Act adopted by most states. It is not necessary for parents to dry-clean their lives and sponge away their pasts when applying for custody.

"Under today's law, you can be a bad spouse and a bad citizen without being a bad parent. Your personal sins do not affect your ability to be a good parent so long as they do not affect your children," as Jose Schorr explains the Act in Family Weekly.

"The best interests of the child" are the guiding standard for the courts of 1979 reports Schorr, and most courts do not believe that kids' interests are necessarily linked to material wealth, occupational status or that mystic, mythic thing called "mother love." Father love has achieved equality in the eyes of the law.

The new sins

Tolerant as they are of human frailty, the courts judge harshly the parental traits that will interfere with a child's development. Using the child to hurt the other parent is considered dirty pool, and the parent who indulges in such cruel sport will not retain custody long. Attempts to diminish the youngster's love and respect for the other parent are regarded as serious signs of parental unfitness. Children's need for a sense of security and continuity is also given high priority in custody rulings. The custodial parent has to be able to make a youngster feel safe. Perfectionist parents and cleanliness or obedience freaks are not looked on with favor.

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Pulpit To Pew

by Jim N. Griffith

Not long ago I came across this interesting description of the clergy: "The Pastor—the Man Nobody Knows."

The minister is often misunderstood. Some think he only works on Sunday, but actually he is more often the community sponge who soaks in all the problems for miles around.

No simpleton, the pastor is sometimes the most aware person in his neighborhood—living with great books, earth-shaking thoughts, heaven-reaching faith, the Bible, and human heart-break.

As a man of courage, he does have a faraway look in his eye: he is marching to a different drummer and looking toward a better world.

Admittedly, the pastor may have something others don't have. Indeed, he has to have the heart of a lamb and the hide of a rhinoceros.

But in addition to his gospel gumption, the minister has something else that is even more important: a calling from God.

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| Designated & Reported | 3,490,555.29 | 3,714,978.34 | 224,423.05 |

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| Total Gifts | \$8,875,506.91 | \$9,681,626.31 | \$806,119.40 |
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The above represents a 10.8 per cent increase in Cooperative Program gifts and 6.43 per cent increase in Designated and Reported gifts.

Lottie Moon Offering—\$2,431,208.61
Annie Armstrong Offering—\$496,259.33

At this same time last year we had a 6.5 percent increase in cooperative program and 12.97 per cent increase in designated and reported gifts.

The first six months record of mission giving indicates Tennessee Baptists' deep desire to share Christ with every person in the world. The giving record is even more remarkable when it is remembered that many churches had to adjust services because of the frigid winter weather.

Should there be an error, please feel free to write or call. Thank you Tennessee Baptists for your marvelous stewardship.

Tom Madden, executive secretary-treasurer

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| ALPHA | | |
| Centerville, First..... | 1,105.00 | 2,265.70 |
| Cross Roads..... | 492.38 | 50.00 |
| Edgewood..... | 216.00 | 300.00 |
| Fairfield..... | 391.62 | 63.18 |
| Garrett..... | 5.00 | 7.32 |
| Highland..... | 346.63 | 249.97 |
| Hohenwald, First..... | 1,906.16 | 668.80 |
| Linden, First..... | 409.00 | 316.45 |
| Lobelville, First..... | 57.35 | 26.35 |
| Maple Valley..... | 171.50 | 67.09 |
| New Hope..... | 138.51 | .00 |
| Pine Grove..... | 84.90 | 54.11 |
| Piney..... | 99.94 | 68.62 |
| Toms Creek..... | 266.51 | 188.00 |
| Wrigley..... | 456.60 | 200.00 |
| Total..... | 6,147.10 | 4,525.59 |

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| BEECH RIVER | | |
| Bath Springs..... | 571.92 | 100.00 |
| Beacon, First..... | 25.00 | .00 |
| Bear Creek..... | 774.00 | 722.73 |
| Bible Hill..... | .00 | 425.55 |
| Bolens Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Bunches Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Calvary..... | 2,130.10 | 293.40 |
| Chapel Hill..... | 203.25 | 285.00 |
| Corinth..... | 126.55 | 150.82 |
| Cub Creek Hall..... | .00 | .00 |
| Darden..... | .00 | 250.70 |
| Decaturville, First..... | 300.00 | 340.00 |
| Flatwoods..... | .00 | 250.00 |
| Hinkle..... | .00 | .00 |
| Hopewell..... | .00 | .00 |
| Huron..... | 37.00 | .00 |
| Jacks Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Judson..... | .00 | .00 |
| Lexington, First..... | 11,000.00 | 9,872.86 |
| Lone Chestnut..... | .00 | .00 |
| Luray..... | .00 | 35.35 |
| Mount Ararat..... | 355.84 | 73.00 |
| Mount Gilead..... | 657.82 | 966.65 |
| Mount Zion..... | .00 | 102.10 |
| New Beech Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| New Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| New Hope..... | 200.00 | 150.00 |
| New Prospect..... | 47.25 | 145.03 |
| Parsons, First..... | 4,808.00 | 2,645.73 |
| Perryville, First..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pine Grove..... | 447.11 | 355.00 |
| Piney Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Ridge Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Rock Hill..... | 843.52 | 339.88 |
| Salem..... | .00 | 15.00 |
| Saltillo, First..... | 585.24 | 15.00 |
| Sand Ridge..... | 433.73 | 1,200.00 |
| Sardis..... | 193.00 | 107.00 |
| Sardis Ridge..... | .00 | .00 |
| Scotts Hill, First..... | 409.68 | 63.90 |
| Southside..... | .00 | .00 |
| Tomlin Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Union..... | 516.78 | 713.31 |
| Union Grove..... | 300.00 | 102.10 |
| Wildersville..... | 1,205.26 | 696.40 |
| Total..... | 26,171.05 | 20,416.51 |

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| BEULAH | | |
| Alamo..... | 220.04 | 297.97 |
| Aldridge..... | 146.79 | 50.00 |
| Bethel..... | 60.00 | 195.54 |
| Broadway..... | 288.40 | 250.00 |
| Calvary..... | 1,891.46 | 231.13 |
| Cottonwood..... | 400.91 | 163.33 |
| Cottonwood Grove..... | 356.53 | 1,058.00 |
| Cypress Creek..... | 50.00 | 100.00 |
| Fairview..... | 180.00 | 150.00 |
| Hornbeak..... | 260.00 | 292.00 |
| Johnsons Grove..... | 240.08 | 93.96 |
| Lakeview..... | 50.00 | .00 |
| Macedonia..... | 692.81 | 829.43 |
| Martin, First..... | 8,784.70 | 10,530.48 |
| McConnell..... | 452.38 | 395.87 |
| Mooring..... | 60.00 | 130.00 |
| Mount Moriah..... | 20.00 | 53.00 |
| Mount Olive..... | 1,200.38 | 366.97 |
| Mount Pella..... | 2,031.20 | 1,650.00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| New Concord..... | 87.00 | 179.28 |
| New Home..... | 484.00 | 606.00 |
| New Salem..... | 1,769.99 | 777.80 |
| Obion, First..... | 3,700.05 | 4,759.00 |
| Phillippy..... | 80.00 | .00 |
| Pleasant Hill #1..... | 980.00 | 1,282.51 |
| Pleasant Hill #2..... | 385.11 | 639.49 |
| Reelfoot..... | 250.00 | 900.00 |
| Ridgely, First..... | 9,710.08 | 9,245.12 |
| Samburg..... | 268.06 | .00 |
| South Fulton, First..... | 4,694.32 | 1,813.06 |
| Tiptonville, First..... | 1,135.44 | 1,777.57 |
| Troy, First..... | 2,024.13 | 1,873.74 |
| Union City, First..... | 16,746.76 | 10,020.06 |
| Union City, Second..... | 8,644.13 | 2,833.17 |
| Willingham Memorial..... | 760.03 | 200.00 |
| Woodland Mills, First..... | 3,367.81 | 1,489.17 |
| Wynnborg..... | 183.00 | 835.00 |
| Total..... | 72,655.59 | 56,268.65 |

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| BIG EMORY | | |
| Beech Park..... | 2,387.39 | 1,426.86 |
| Bethel..... | 105.00 | 251.70 |
| Big Emory..... | 1,629.81 | 226.97 |
| Calvary..... | 150.00 | 519.00 |
| Caney Ford..... | 750.00 | 1,017.00 |
| Cardiff..... | .00 | .00 |
| Cedar Grove..... | 3,000.00 | 20,000.00 |
| Central..... | 1,621.00 | 1,108.00 |
| Childs Memorial..... | 1,939.89 | .00 |
| Clax Gap..... | 235.00 | 25.00 |
| Clymersville..... | 1,508.15 | 289.25 |
| Coal Hill..... | 345.25 | 100.03 |
| Crab Orchard..... | 1,347.00 | 935.00 |
| Daysville..... | 280.49 | 468.00 |
| Deer Lodge, First..... | .00 | 149.65 |
| Dyllis..... | 704.17 | 154.03 |
| Eureka..... | 2,478.15 | 1,053.30 |
| Fairview..... | .00 | 238.88 |
| Kellytown..... | 771.64 | 771.64 |
| Kingston, First..... | 18,798.87 | 6,107.08 |
| Lakeview..... | 607.72 | 556.61 |
| Lee Village..... | 245.65 | 315.44 |
| Liberty..... | 2,435.24 | 1,955.34 |
| Middle Creek..... | 4,674.92 | 729.19 |
| Mossy Grove..... | 115.98 | 176.25 |
| Oakdale, First..... | 886.00 | 282.90 |
| Orchard View..... | .00 | 192.26 |
| Petros..... | 1,876.37 | 1,037.00 |
| Pine Orchard..... | 790.57 | 635.00 |
| Pine Ridge..... | 606.20 | 806.00 |
| Piney..... | 1,712.18 | 978.18 |
| Piney Grove..... | 391.12 | 57.39 |
| Pleasant Grove..... | 1,944.00 | 765.40 |
| Pond Grove..... | 1,757.97 | 393.26 |
| Riggs Chapel..... | .00 | 223.90 |
| Riverside..... | 2,225.56 | 632.86 |
| Rockwood, First..... | 22,250.19 | 3,975.73 |
| Rockwood, Second..... | .00 | 61.00 |
| Shiloh..... | 11,561.43 | 2,935.60 |
| South Harriman..... | 9,967.92 | 5,121.95 |
| Sunbright, First..... | 2,031.97 | 579.50 |
| Trenton Street..... | 18,369.22 | 2,843.75 |
| Union..... | 638.55 | 392.00 |
| Union Chapel..... | 302.53 | 271.30 |
| Walnut Hill..... | 735.12 | 798.55 |
| Wartburg, First..... | 860.00 | 1,449.21 |
| Whites Creek..... | 662.67 | 304.50 |
| Total..... | 123,700.89 | 63,311.46 |

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| BIG HATCHIE | | |
| Ashport..... | 280.55 | 97.37 |
| Beaver..... | 254.00 | 170.00 |
| Brighton..... | 16,052.36 | 5,430.12 |
| Charleston..... | 3,359.00 | 2,741.50 |
| Covington, First..... | 9,000.00 | 9,097.97 |
| Durhamville..... | 55.00 | 133.00 |
| Eastland..... | .00 | 818.00 |
| Elim..... | 116.08 | 25.00 |
| Faith..... | 1,170.00 | 1,582.04 |
| Fellowship..... | 1,645.00 | 1,087.27 |
| Fulton..... | 143.45 | 177.65 |
| Garland..... | 1,053.50 | 1,140.05 |
| Gold Dust..... | .00 | .00 |
| Grace..... | 1,902.68 | 2,530.75 |
| Henning..... | 586.89 | 1,313.00 |
| Keeling..... | 410.00 | 115.00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Liberty..... | 5,110.56 | 3,255.77 |
| Mason, First..... | .00 | 125.12 |
| Mount Lebanon..... | 519.55 | 497.90 |
| Munford..... | 1,857.94 | 755.76 |
| Oak Grove..... | 4,522.00 | 5,088.47 |
| Olive Branch..... | 286.54 | 306.80 |
| Pleasant Grove..... | 2,144.02 | 1,238.93 |
| Rialto..... | .00 | .00 |
| Ripley, First..... | 7,724.16 | 5,413.00 |
| Ripley, First Indian..... | .00 | .00 |
| Salem..... | 125.83 | 395.88 |
| Smyrna..... | 3,487.73 | 1,869.03 |
| Trinity..... | 1,510.16 | 546.62 |
| Walnut Grove..... | 513.45 | 301.36 |
| Western Valley..... | 577.77 | .00 |
| Woodlawn..... | 100.00 | 947.00 |
| Association..... | .00 | 18.50 |
| Total..... | 64,508.22 | 47,218.86 |

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| BLEDSOE | | |
| Antioch..... | 57.24 | .00 |
| Bledsoe Creek..... | 133.90 | 50.00 |
| Cherry Mound..... | 80.00 | 116.00 |
| Chestnut Grove..... | 126.49 | 20.00 |
| College Heights..... | 3,080.87 | 540.08 |
| Corum Hill..... | 80.00 | .00 |
| Cottontown..... | 375.00 | 614.25 |
| Dixon Creek..... | .00 | 350.00 |
| Fountain Head..... | .00 | .00 |
| Gallatin, First..... | 20,737.00 | 10,730.12 |
| Grace..... | 1,113.88 | 395.28 |
| Hartsville, First..... | 2,211.01 | 777.75 |
| Hillsdale..... | .00 | 74.14 |
| Immanuel..... | 515.00 | 125.50 |
| Indian Hills..... | 870.00 | 177.95 |
| La Fayette, First..... | 1,603.63 | 1,916.00 |
| Mitchellville..... | 560.82 | 138.50 |
| New Hope..... | 1,600.19 | 3,417.53 |
| Page Heights..... | 780.94 | 159.00 |
| Pleasant Valley..... | 200.00 | 106.11 |
| Portland, First..... | 7,760.00 | 3,337.90 |
| Red Bailings Spgs., First..... | 48.00 | 165.00 |
| Southside..... | .00 | 5,789.50 |
| Station Camp..... | 487.70 | 200.00 |
| Twin Hills..... | 406.77 | .00 |
| Westmoreland, First..... | 204.41 | 278.50 |
| Total..... | 43,032.85 | 29,479.11 |

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| BRADLEY COUNTY | | |
| Antioch..... | 1,099.69 | 324.41 |
| Beacon..... | .00 | 239.95 |
| Bellefonte..... | 1,915.16 | 1,645.59 |
| Bethel..... | 776.00 | 468.92 |
| Big Spring..... | 12,592.00 | 2,433.31 |
| Blue Springs..... | 2,503.68 | 1,434.50 |
| Brittsville..... | .00 | 183.65 |
| Calvary..... | 2,549.38 | 90.28 |
| Candies Creek..... | 1,102.50 | 297.14 |
| Center Point..... | 300.00 | .00 |
| Charity..... | .00 | .00 |
| Charleston, First..... | 2,000.00 | 2,784.61 |
| Chestuee..... | .00 | .00 |
| Cleveland, First..... | 20,561.66 | 17,350.01 |
| Clingan Ridge..... | 1,028.90 | 995.26 |
| Cloverleaf..... | 117.55 | .00 |
| Cohulla..... | .00 | .00 |
| Corinth..... | 666.91 | .00 |
| Council..... | .00 | 260.00 |
| East Cleveland..... | .00 | .00 |
| East View..... | .00 | 100.00 |
| Elkmont..... | .00 | .00 |
| Emmanuel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Fairview..... | 554.38 | 201.31 |
| Four Point..... | 670.19 | 100.00 |
| Galilee..... | 158.48 | .00 |
| Georgetown..... | 1,592.94 | 221.51 |
| Goodwill..... | .00 | 620.00 |
| Gum Spring..... | .00 | 172.10 |
| Hopewell..... | 5,377.45 | 2,832.00 |
| Lebanon..... | 61.88 | 601.72 |
| Macedonia..... | 1,055.16 | 1,662.31 |
| Maple Street..... | 1,073.89 | 548.47 |
| Michigan Avenue..... | 2,238.85 | 603.00 |
| Mount Carmel..... | 1,855.11 | 2,072.00 |
| New Friendship..... | 1,870.54 | 3,045.00 |
| New Hope Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| North Cleveland..... | 9,028.94 | 5,226.69 |
| Oak Grove..... | 345.62 | 147.25 |
| Parkway..... | 1,512.36 | 323.26 |
| Philippi..... | 1,022.40 | 200.00 |
| Ridgeview..... | 2.50 | .00 |
| Samples Memorial..... | 292.14 | 536.24 |
| Stuart Park..... | 1,663.73 | 815.33 |
| Tasso..... | 100.00 | .00 |
| Thompson Springs..... | 629.00 | 1,018.00 |
| Union..... | .00 | 271.34 |
| Valley View..... | 2,843.40 | 758.98 |
| Washington Avenue..... | 100.00 | .00 |
| Waterville..... | 615.00 | 5,824.78 |
| West Cleveland..... | 1,084.61 | 518.95 |
| Westwood..... | 16,182.36 | 8,360.35 |
| White Oak..... | .00 | 150.00 |
| Total..... | 99,144.36 | 65,438.22 |

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| CAMPBELL COUNTY | | |
| Alder Springs..... | 93.31 | .00 |
| Calvary..... | 164.69 | 100.00 |
| Caryville, First..... | 2,598.00 | 197.00 |
| Cedar Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Cedar Hill..... | 365.18 | 1,362.95 |
| Central..... | .00 | .00 |
| Clairfield..... | 232.70 | 116.00 |
| Collidge, First..... | 468.93 | 155.00 |
| Demory..... | 60.00 | 110.00 |
| Eagan..... | 57.01 | 72.00 |
| East Jacksboro..... | .00 | 380.19 |
| East La Follette..... | 366.00 | 519.45 |
| Elk Valley, First..... | 335.61 | .00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| Elm Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Glade Springs..... | 335.00 | 305.00 |
| High Street..... | .00 | .00 |
| Hillcrest..... | 63.50 | 55.05 |
| Indian Creek..... | .00 | 300.00 |
| Indiana Avenue..... | 1,294.09 | 200.00 |
| Jacksboro, First..... | 4,071.58 | 1,561.00 |
| Jellico, First..... | 2,580.66 | 1,281.25 |
| La Follette, First..... | 7,937.89 | 4,715.73 |
| Lake View..... | 90.00 | 150.00 |
| Little Cove Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Macedonia..... | .00 | .00 |
| Midway..... | 60.00 | 90.00 |
| Morley..... | 35.00 | .00 |
| New Liberty..... | .00 | .00 |
| Newcomb..... | 509.01 | 213.33 |
| Oak Grove..... | .00 | 178.00 |
| Pruden, First..... | .00 | 55.00 |
| Ridgeview..... | 10.00 | .00 |
| Round Rock..... | .00 | .00 |
| Royal Blue..... | .00 | .00 |
| Speedwell Academy..... | .00 | 150.84 |
| Victory..... | .00 | .00 |
| West La Follette..... | 868.32 | 645.89 |
| White Oak..... | .00 | .00 |
| Whitman..... | 244.00 | 200.00 |
| Total..... | 22,840.48 | 13,113.68 |

| CARROLL-BENTON | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Atwood, First..... | 997.39 | 746.00 |
| Bethel..... | 260.20 | .00 |
| Bruceton, First..... | 4,000.00 | 2,637.08 |
| Camden, First..... | 14,764.21 | 5,308.50 |
| Chalk Level..... | .00 | 1,250.00 |
| Concord..... | .00 | .00 |
| Eagle Creek..... | 174.00 | 98.00 |
| East Side..... | 1,312.82 | 180.25 |
| Enon..... | 280.02 | 349.00 |
| Eva..... | 373.34 | 504.00 |
| Fairview..... | .00 | 115.00 |
| Grace..... | 60.00 | .00 |
| Holladay Unity..... | 125.00 | 69.00 |
| Hopewell..... | .00 | 223.83 |
| Howse..... | 586.45 | 809.54 |
| Huntingdon, First..... | 7,655.10 | 6,392.73 |
| Liberty Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| McKenzie, First..... | 10,143.00 | 6,622.06 |
| McLemoresville..... | 765.01 | 286.52 |
| Missionary Grove..... | 1,545.72 | 667.00 |
| Mount Nebo..... | 607.05 | 976.93 |
| Natchez Trace..... | 560.31 | 630.34 |
| New Hope..... | 633.22 | 340.00 |
| Prospect..... | 3,295.00 | 1,815.82 |
| Republican Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Trezevant, First..... | 2,806.30 | 2,559.83 |
| Union Academy..... | 553.24 | 300.00 |
| Total..... | 51,497.38 | 32,881.43 |

Groups meet in 15 states to choose SBC president

By Toby Druin

DALLAS (BP)—Paige Patterson of Dallas has confirmed reports that meetings have been held in at least 15 states in recent months to encourage messengers to attend the Southern Baptist Convention in Houston, June 12-14, to elect a president committed to Biblical inerrancy.

Patterson, president of the Criswell Center for Biblical Studies operated by First Baptist Church, Dallas, acknowledged that he and Houston appeals court judge Paul Pressler have attended many of the meetings, according to a report in the May 9 issue of the Baptist Standard, Texas Baptist newspaper. Patterson has attended a half-dozen or more of the "spontaneous meetings" and Pressler at least three or four.

The Dallas preacher-educator denied that the meetings radically depart from the procedure usually followed in the electing of a convention president. They are "unique but not different," he told Baptist Standard Editor Presnall Wood, who said in a separate editorial in the May 9 issue: "It is fine for an

individual or group to meet as many times as they desire prior to a convention, but it is the wrong direction when an attempt is made to turn the Southern Baptist Convention into something like a national political demonstration for nominees."

The established practice over the years has been for friends of a particular nominee, with his encouragement or simple consent, to contact others and urge them to vote for him. Occasionally someone is nominated spontaneously. But most of the nominees know well ahead of time that letters are being written and calls made in their behalf. However, meetings to organize such an effort are believed to be new to the process.

Both Patterson and Pressler previously have been linked to the ultraconservative Baptist Faith and Message Fellowship, although Patterson said he had never been a member of it and that the organization, in his opinion, had exercised "poor judgment" in the past. The BFMF has sought to ferret so-called "liberals" in the SBC.

Pressler said he had been a member of the fellowship but had let his membership lapse several months ago.

The meetings, Patterson said, have had two priorities:

"1. To meet together with fellow Baptists who were greatly concerned about some things happening in the Southern Baptist Convention with a view to discussing how we could help those in leadership to know what we feel the majority viewpoint really is and especially as it concerns the reliability of the Scriptures.

"2. To discuss ways by which we might be able to secure the elected leadership of the convention from among those who we know are committed to Biblical inerrancy."

The meetings, he said, grew out of a concern over the fact that every resolution offered in recent years aimed at underscoring Southern Baptist belief in Biblical inerrancy "has come back toothless."

The president of the convention could be strategic in ferreting out so-called "liberals" through appointments, in conference with the vice-presidents, to the Committee on Committees, which could in turn appoint persons to other committees. The president also names the Committee on Resolutions in conference with the vice presidents.

Both Patterson and Pressler stressed they were pushing no particular person for president at the time, although Patterson said there were several men who would be acceptable—Jerry Vines, pastor of Dauphin Way Baptist Church, Mobile, Ala.; Bailey Smith, pastor of First Southern Baptist Church, Del City, Okla.; Richard Jackson, pastor of North Phoenix Baptist Church; Adrian Rogers, pastor of Bellevue Baptist Church, Memphis, Tenn.; Homer Lindsay Jr., pastor of First Baptist Church, Jacksonville, Fla.; and John Bisagno, pastor of First Baptist Church, Houston.

Smith told the Baptist Standard that he has not encouraged a nomination but that calls from "quite a few" people indicate "I may well be (nominated)." Vines said he would have to pray about it if someone asked permission to nominate him, and Rogers, Lindsay, and Bisagno have already ruled out their nomination, although Patterson said he feels Rogers is "draftable." Jackson could not be reached for comment.



Home Mission Board adds staff, appoints missionary personnel

ATLANTA (BP)—Directors of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board named Kathryn Lynn Wright to the board's personnel division staff and appointed missionary personnel during their May executive committee meeting. One missionary appointee is from Tennessee.

They also heard reports that the 1979 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for home missions is running more than \$600,000 behind last year and noted the absence of William G. Tanner, executive director-treasurer, who was in Berchtesgaden, Germany, for an annual retreat for chaplains and their spouses stationed in Europe.

The lag in Annie Armstrong giving was predictable, according to Leonard Irwin, planning section director, since Easter Sunday, when churches usually collect the offering, was three weeks later than last year.

The board named four career missionaries and a US-2 missionary for a two-year term and approved eight pastors for financial aid. The career missionaries are Frances Brown of Louisville, Ky.; Marta Clay of Harlingen, Texas, and Jonah and Doris Reynolds of Flora, Ill. The US-2 missionary is Jean Ann Stewart of Morristown, Tenn., appointed to service in Groton, Conn., after graduation from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Ms. Brown, a native of Morehead City, N.C., will serve as director of the Family

Counsel Resource Center in Columbia, Md. Prior to appointment she attended the Kent School of Social Work at the University of Louisville and was a counselor in pastoral and social work in the personal counseling service in Jeffersonville, Ind.

She served as chaplaincy intern for a year in Winter Haven, Fla., and has worked in children's and child care services for several churches. She holds a master of religious education degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, and was graduated from Campbell College in Buies Creek, N.C.

Mrs. Clay, whose husband serves on the faculty of the Valley Baptist Academy in Harlingen, joins her husband as an appointed home missionary.

The Reynolds, both Illinois natives, will serve the Antioch Baptist Association in Illinois where he will be director of associational missions. Prior to appointment he was pastor of the Oak Street Baptist Church, Flora, Ill., and has served bi-vocationally as a pastor while he taught school in Michigan and Missouri. He is a graduate of Southwest Baptist College and holds a masters degree in educational administration from Eastern Illinois University.

Ms. Wright, who will become associate director of personnel development services on June 1, holds a doctor of philosophy degree in clinical and child psychology and a master's degree from Florida State University and is a graduate at Duke University.

Noting that increasing use of psychological testing in personnel appointments and screening process has increased the work load, Hancock said, "One of the issues involved in being a home missionary is changing cultures and changing geographical areas. Children often pay a heavy price for these changes. And what we want to do is give these children more support."

Personal perspective

BY TOM MADDEN
TBC executive secretary

The use of the term, "white stone", in Revelation 2:17 intrigues me. When I examine the why of the usage it strengthens and encourages me.

In the first century when two friends were separating, it was not unusual for them to break in half a white stone with each friend taking a half. Although years might pass and circumstances alter their appearance and station in life, if, when they met, and proffered to each their half of the white stone, upon matching, their friendship was completely renewed and restored.

When we accept Christ as Savior He also becomes our friend and thereafter constantly holds out to us the white stone of friendship, waiting for us to match His.

Another use of the white stone was when a citizen performed an especially courageous act, the city of his citizenship gave him a white stone. Any event sponsored by his city was open to him, without charge, when he presented his white stone. By grace through faith we accept Christ, and He gives us a white stone, which makes available to us the riches of His kingdom.

Many masters gave to their trusted stewards a white stone with the master's name written on it. The steward could purchase merchandise by offering his master's white stone for payment. It is still a privilege to ask God's blessings on us in the name of the Christ.

"...I will give to him a white stone, and in the stone a new name written..."



Madden

Citizen's Corner

By Jerry M. Self
Public affairs and Christian life consultant

The senate has passed SB701 which "prohibits certain types of pinball machines used for gambling." This bill has passed the Senate in other years but not the House. At present the companion HB682 is in the House commerce committee where it will likely stay.

An alternate bill which has a better chance of final passage is SB1051 (in the House HB 1192). It has a better chance, but it is not a better bill. This bill would license and tax pinball gambling. If enacted, the effect would be the establishment of pinball gambling as a Tennessee institution. Removing pinball gambling from the state, already a difficult goal, would become virtually impossible.

The house has been recessed for a week waiting for the senate to catch up on a backlog of bills. At present the major interest of the General Assembly is the appropriation bill. Both the House and the Senate have passed versions of the bill, and it is now in a conference committee to work out the differences. When it finally goes back to each House for approval, the legislature will consider its work done and adjourn as soon as possible.

Adjournment may come about with several critical issues left hanging.



Self

Life's positives

By Matt Nevels

Positive: Active and effective in social or economic function rather than merely maintaining peace and order. Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary, 1976.

Life is far too short to be negative in one's approach to living. The Christian way is positive. Words and phrases such as "I can't, why it can't be done, why it is a bad idea, or how someone else tried it and failed, or how much it will cost," should instead be "I think I can, why it will work, try, try again, no matter what the cost."

The Apostle Paul was positive, "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." (Phil. 3:14) In all of his writings and exhortations, Paul was very "active and effective" in stating his position. He was a positive persecutor of Christians before his conversion, and he was a positive proponent of the Christian faith following his conversion.

Even in telling Christians things they shouldn't do, Paul was positive. For example, "I say therefore to the unmarried and widows, it is good for them if they abide even as I." (1 Cor. 7:8) Many today would say, "Don't get married because I'm not married."

Jesus was (is) positive. "Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid," Jesus said. (Matt. 5:14) He also said, "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect." (Matt. 5:48) and again, "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." (Matt. 6:33)

A few people have stated that Jesus was "merely maintaining peace and order," quite the contrary. Clearly, He was a functional positivist in word and deed.

Maintaining a daily positive attitude is important for the Christian. Norman Vincent Peale has written volumes on the subject. His writings continue to be available to all people every where simply by asking for them. Another current well-known positive thinker is Robert Schuller. By believing in himself, seeing the best in people, and trusting God to provide needs, Schuller started at ground level zero and built a multi-million dollar church campus with several thousand members.

We are what we choose to be. Will you choose to be "active and effective" or "merely maintaining peace and order?"



Nevels

Our People and Our Churches . . .

PEOPLE...

Joe Mitchell and Sam Nichols will be ordained as deacons at Pleasant Plains Baptist Church in Jackson in the near future.

Members of First Baptist Church in Erwin honored Pastor and Mrs. Melvin Faulkner at a reception observing his 20th anniversary as pastor of that congregation.

Volunteer Baptist Church, Bristol, ordained Gary Nash and Lynn Watson to the deacon ministry recently. Darryl Blair is pastor.

Howard Belew, Ralph Smith, Leroy Rushing, and R.C. Montgomery were ordained as deacons at First Baptist Church in Parsons last month. Bob Agee is interim pastor.

Union Baptist Church in Lexington elected four deacons who will be ordained. They are Ken Reed, Donald Frizzell, F.A. Fronabarger, and L.B. Fuller. David Walker is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ray, First Baptist Church, Cookeville, were honored at a reception on their 50th wedding anniversary, May 6. Gerald Stow is pastor at the Cookeville church.

Members of Forty-five Baptist Church, Moscow, honored deacon Ed Watkins last month for 40 years of service to that church. Watkins is 89 years old and is still active, according to Pastor Howard Calvert.

Robert Mulloy, director of the music business program at Belmont College in Nashville, was named as the outstanding professor of the year for 1978-79 for that institution. The recipient is selected annually by a committee of administrators and students. Mulloy is also director of the "Reasons," a public relations musical tour group from Belmont.

Eureka Baptist Church, Rockwood, ordained Rufe Brogdon as a deacon. Kenneth Clayton is interim pastor at Eureka.

Dave Ward observed his 15th year as associate minister at First Baptist Church in Knoxville recently. Douglas Watterson is pastor.

Ben Curtis and Dick Koonce are scheduled to be ordained as deacons at Immanuel Baptist Church in Nashville sometime this month. David George is pastor at Immanuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitfield, Pulaski, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary recently. They have been leaders in various phases of the work at First Baptist Church in that city for many years. Clarence K. Stewart is their pastor.

William Maitland was ordained as a deacon last month at Avondale Baptist Church in Humboldt. Paul Barkley delivered the ordination sermon.

West Side Baptist Church, Trenton, ordained David Duncan and James McComb as deacons last month.

First Baptist Church in Trenton licensed Charles Starnes to the gospel ministry recently.

Bill Damron was licensed to the gospel ministry by Gibson Baptist Church in Gibson.

CHURCHES...

Calvary Baptist Church, Lenoir City, voted recently to build a new sanctuary, fellowship hall, and office suite. A special kick-off day was held on April 29 with an emphasis on the building fund. The offering was \$15,212, the largest offering in the church's history, according to Pastor Milton Hicks.

Mount Olive Baptist Church, South, Knox-

ville, is scheduled to observe the church's 142nd anniversary on Saturday, May 19, beginning at 2 p.m. The day's activities will include a covered dish picnic. Raymond DeArmond is interim pastor.

Major remodeling was completed recently at Ivy Memorial Baptist Church in Nashville. Owens Construction Co. served as general contractor. Verlon W. Moore is pastor.

Construction is underway on an educational unit at Poplar Corner Baptist Church, Brownsville.

Third Baptist Church, Nashville, is scheduled to observe its 103rd anniversary on May 23. Homecoming is planned for May 20 with special services that day. Robert C. Carter is pastor.

Members of Ridgeview Baptist Church, Knoxville, observed the church's 50th anniversary on Sunday, May 6. The church was founded May 5, 1929. Pastor Jerry W. Taylor preached at the morning worship service, and former pastor George Gilbert spoke in the afternoon. Special recognition was given to former pastors and to Mrs. Grace Strange, the only surviving charter member.

Temple Baptist Church, Memphis, is observing the church's 70th anniversary this month. An anniversary revival was held May 6-9 with Jim Bain serving as evangelist. Many other activities are planned for the occasion, according to Pastor James Pardue.

Parran's Chapel Baptist Church, Bolivar, purchased 20 acres recently.

REVIVALS...

Red Bank Baptist Church in Chattanooga was led in revival services by Henry Linginfelter and Dick Barrett. Fred Steelman, pastor, reported 48 persons for baptism and 60 additions by letter and statement.

Double Springs Baptist Church, Athens, reported eight professions of faith and 12 additions by baptism following their revival last month. Ansell Baker, pastor of First Baptist Church in Athens, was the evangelist. Herman Jordan is pastor.

—There were eight for baptism and several rededications following revival services at Parran's Chapel Baptist Church in Bolivar recently. Nick Harris, pastor of Church Road Baptist Church in Horn Lake, Miss., served as evangelist.

Paul Williams, pastor of Englewood Baptist Church, Jackson, was the evangelist for

revival services at First Baptist Church, Whiteville recently. The church reported seven for baptism and several rededications.

Avondale Baptist Church, Chattanooga, held spring revival services with Ron McCary, pastor of Brainerd Hills Baptist Church in Chattanooga, serving as evangelist. Louie McDaniel, a member at Avondale, led the singing. There were 15 rededications and three professions of faith. — James H. Walker is pastor.

First Baptist Church, Bemis, held spring revival services with Bailey Smith, pastor of First Southern Baptist Church, Del City, Okla., serving as evangelist. Ronnie Wyatt, the church's minister of music, led the singing. Pat Kough, pastor, said that there were 10 for baptism, five by letter, and many rededications.

There were 17 professions of faith, five additions by letter, and numerous rededications during revival services at South Seminole Baptist Church in East Ridge. Services were led by Henry Linginfelter, Alcoa, and Dick Barrett, Bremen, Ga. Bill Delaney is pastor.

Revival services at First Baptist Church, McKenzie, resulted in 14 additions to the church, according to Pastor John Adams. There were seven additions by letter, five by baptism, and two by statement. Gayle Alexander, pastor of First Baptist Church in Alamo, was the evangelist. Ken Alexander, minister of music at McKenzie, led the singing.

Doyle Baptist Church, Doyle, reported one person for baptism and 28 rededications following their revival last month. James Lee was the evangelist.

LEADERSHIP...

Eureka Baptist Church, Rockwood, called Rhonda Smith as youth director for the summer. She is a junior at Carson-Newman College in Jefferson City. Kenneth Clayton is interim pastor.

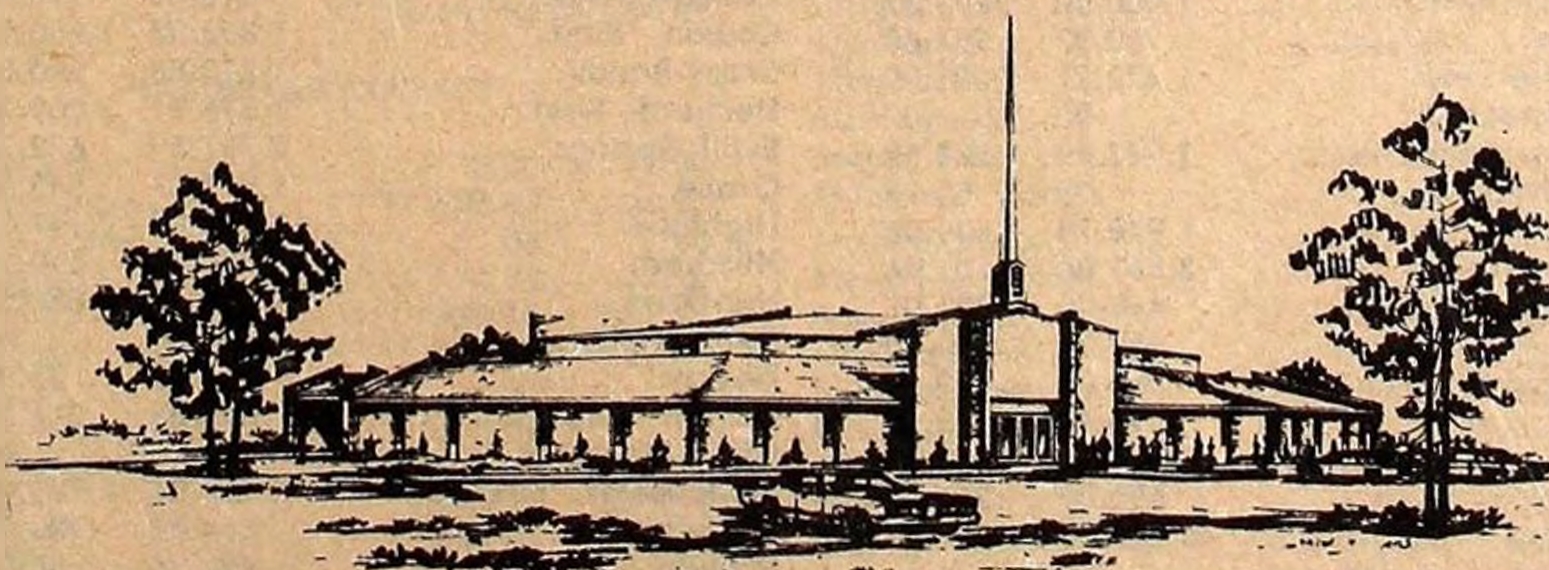
Joe Layman is serving as interim pastor at Fellowship Baptist Church, Milan.

Jeff Murdock is the new minister of youth at Lyons Creek Baptist Church in Strawberry Plains. Charles D. Earl is pastor.

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Georgian Hills Baptist Church in Memphis welcomed two new staff members recently. Victor Waits joined the staff last week as part-time youth director. Waits is the son of Sidney Waits, pastor of Hickory Hills Baptist Church in that city. The younger Waits was a member of Crestview Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon. He attended Union University in Jackson and Memphis State University. The church's new part-time minister of education is Bette Crocker. She is the wife of Gordon Crocker, director of missions for Shelby County Association. A graduate of Union University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Tex., Mrs. Crocker has served as director of children at Rugby Hills Baptist Church and education director at Range Hills Baptist Church. Both churches are in Shelby County. Paul Shell is pastor of the Georgian Hills church.

Mount Olive Baptist Church, South, Knoxville, called Raymond DeArmond as interim pastor. He came on the field May 6.

Dwight Forderhase has accepted the call as minister of education/administration at West Jackson Baptist Church, Jackson, effective June 1. He serves currently as minister of education at First Baptist Church, Lee's Summit, Mo. He attended Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Okla., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Tex., and Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Mo. A former Tennessee church staff member, he was minister of education at Audubon Park Baptist Church in Memphis. Additionally, he served churches in Oklahoma and Missouri. John Lee Taylor is pastor at West Jackson.

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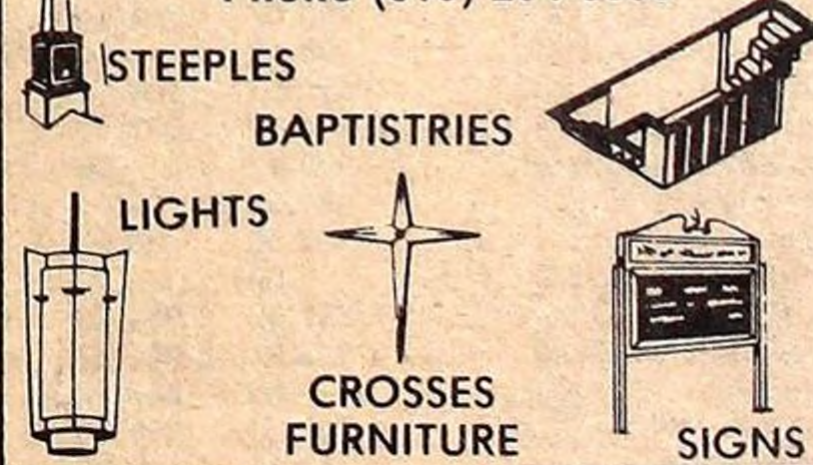
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| Louisville | .00 | .00 |
| Macedonia | .00 | 42.00 |
| Madison Avenue | 3,731.50 | 4,013.67 |
| Maple Grove | 229.81 | 1,227.66 |
| Maranatha | 1,152.06 | 318.79 |
| Marble Hill | 103.21 | .00 |
| Maryville, First | 45,758.97 | 15,799.77 |
| Meadowbrook | 145.80 | 199.61 |
| Midway | .00 | 390.00 |
| Millers Cove | 762.37 | 388.00 |
| Monte Vista | 22,982.23 | 5,846.46 |
| Mount Carmel | 540.00 | 441.68 |
| Mount Lebanon | 14,768.51 | 5,646.49 |
| Mount Zion | .00 | 752.39 |
| Niles Ferry | 5,016.85 | 1,662.23 |
| Oak Street | 1,187.19 | 1,062.78 |
| Oak View | 1,874.81 | 3,242.95 |
| Old Chilhowee | 169.35 | .00 |
| Old Piney Grove | 1,250.51 | 1,032.30 |
| Pilgrim | 671.00 | 1,215.67 |
| Piney Grove | 3,689.00 | 1,483.02 |
| Piney Level | 950.00 | 498.05 |
| Pleasant Grove | 7,914.61 | 5,173.67 |
| Prospect | 2,014.69 | 1,506.26 |
| Providence | 1,304.08 | 1,477.51 |
| Rockford | 1,173.26 | 873.46 |
| Rocky Branch | 1,207.29 | 767.90 |
| Salem | 786.78 | 1,507.56 |
| Seymour, First | 13,343.82 | 3,039.08 |
| Six Mile | 714.75 | 1,774.64 |
| Smoky View | 343.79 | 633.45 |
| Springview | 1,151.60 | 157.05 |
| Stock Creek | 9,670.03 | 3,178.05 |
| Trinity | .00 | .00 |
| Union Grove | .00 | 665.54 |
| Unity | 2,451.36 | 2,113.46 |
| Village Missionary | 1,099.39 | .00 |
| West Maryville | 738.20 | 782.80 |
| Wildwood | 1,754.46 | 695.59 |
| Zion Chapel | 845.45 | 548.35 |
| Association | .00 | 549.09 |
| Total | 272,789.21 | 133,650.94 |

CLINTON

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|-----------------------|------------|-----------|
| Andersonville, First | 4,238.02 | 1,272.64 |
| Batley | .00 | 784.00 |
| Beech Grove | 614.69 | 1,229.40 |
| Bethel | 2,400.00 | 73.50 |
| Black Oak | 4,092.64 | 1,272.57 |
| Blowing Springs | 278.00 | 258.00 |
| Briceville, First | 100.00 | 378.00 |
| Calvary, Heiskell | 1,137.79 | 1,302.35 |
| Calvary, Oak Ridge | 7,910.24 | 3,069.01 |
| Central | 25,971.87 | 13,726.65 |
| Clear Branch | 2,949.00 | 1,689.50 |
| Clinch River | 1,445.00 | 1,080.00 |
| Clinton, First | 19,993.32 | 8,163.10 |
| Clinton, Second | 7,379.00 | 3,436.67 |
| Dutch Valley, First | 45.00 | .00 |
| Edgemoor | 1,397.01 | 867.04 |
| Fairview | 2,557.73 | 408.25 |
| Farmers Grove | 432.00 | 839.00 |
| Frost Bottom | 191.40 | 255.20 |
| Glenwood | 2,261.04 | 3,016.80 |
| Graves Gap | 36.95 | .00 |
| Grace | .00 | .00 |
| Grave Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Guiding Star | .00 | 150.00 |
| Indian Bluff | 710.58 | .00 |
| Island Ford | 127.93 | .00 |
| Island Home | .00 | .00 |
| Jarnignas Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Lake City, First | 2,755.98 | 1,089.00 |
| Lakeview | 60.00 | .00 |
| Laurel Branch | 333.92 | .00 |
| Laurel Grove | 188.00 | 73.00 |
| Longfield | 864.52 | 64.49 |
| Main Street | 752.82 | 1,965.26 |
| Mineral Springs | 68.59 | .00 |
| Moran | 199.55 | 100.00 |
| Mount Pleasant | 1,754.89 | 367.95 |
| New Mountain View | 902.47 | .00 |
| New Salem | 1,689.34 | 3,909.16 |
| Norris, First | 462.00 | 20.00 |
| North Clinton | .00 | .00 |
| Oak Ridge, First | 7,557.53 | 3,954.83 |
| Oliver Springs, First | 4,924.81 | 3,398.47 |
| Pine Hill | .00 | 463.50 |
| Pleasant Hill | 1,708.23 | 898.00 |
| Pleasant View | 464.13 | 629.82 |
| Poplar Creek | 1,277.65 | 88.24 |
| Red Hill | .00 | 208.00 |
| Robertsville | 13,675.00 | 3,597.12 |
| Royce | 1,381.63 | 1,798.14 |
| South Clinton | 3,253.95 | 1,288.60 |
| Springhill | .00 | 72.85 |
| Tuppertown | 50.00 | .00 |
| Union Valley | .00 | 410.00 |
| Valley View | 205.50 | 405.50 |
| Waldens View | .00 | .00 |
| Willow Brook | .00 | 497.10 |
| Wolfe Valley | 888.26 | .00 |
| Woodland Park | 1,677.00 | 737.44 |
| Zion | 4,009.83 | 2,540.80 |
| Association | 30.00 | .00 |
| Total | 137,404.81 | 71,848.95 |

CONCORD

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Barfield | 1,208.00 | 355.50 |
| Belle Aire | 11,662.82 | 2,736.55 |
| Bradley's Creek | 312.40 | 200.00 |
| Christiana, First | 300.00 | 1,063.00 |
| Eagleview | .00 | 97.00 |
| Fellowship | 364.89 | 207.07 |
| Florence | 588.82 | 113.75 |
| Giles Creek | 792.94 | 353.53 |
| Grace | 750.00 | 434.55 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Green Hill | 496.41 | 84.32 |
| Hillview | 693.79 | 1,048.47 |
| Holly Grove | 311.35 | 241.91 |
| Immanuel | 1,215.00 | 585.15 |
| Lascassas | 1,694.88 | 580.84 |
| LaVergne, First | 1,188.25 | 683.75 |
| Maney Avenue | .00 | 104.00 |
| Midland | 201.14 | 85.00 |
| Milton | 567.00 | 182.00 |
| Miracle | 2,587.06 | 650.00 |
| Mount Carmel | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Hermon | 1,835.00 | 519.60 |
| Mount Pleasant | 264.07 | 913.00 |
| Mount View | 1,918.00 | 1,632.85 |
| Murfreesboro, First | 16,666.64 | 18,153.51 |
| Murfreesboro, Third | 4,789.64 | 1,247.08 |
| New Hope | 257.65 | 205.00 |
| Nolensville | 96.00 | 338.02 |
| Patterson | 249.64 | 72.00 |
| Powells Chapel | 3,397.08 | 1,613.47 |
| Rucker | 15.00 | .00 |
| Smyrna, First | 4,949.00 | 3,798.39 |
| Southeast | 4,373.03 | 5,100.50 |
| Stones River | 1,829.00 | 399.81 |
| Taylor's Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Walter Hill, First | 150.00 | .00 |
| Wards Grove | 1,286.35 | 274.51 |
| Wayside | .00 | .00 |
| Westgate | 672.00 | 484.21 |
| Woodbury Road | 1,692.00 | 406.08 |
| Total | 69,394.85 | 44,964.42 |

COPPER BASIN

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|---------------|----------|----------|
| Bethlehem | 100.00 | 50.00 |
| Coletown | 426.01 | 133.91 |
| Grassy Creek | .00 | 48.00 |
| Isabella | 341.13 | 293.56 |
| Maple Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Mine City | 5,832.09 | 3,230.55 |
| Mount Vernon | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Zion | 414.74 | 516.45 |
| New Zion | 150.00 | 305.00 |
| Pleasant Hill | .00 | 183.00 |
| Turtletown | 648.00 | 952.00 |
| Zion Hill | 941.82 | 754.10 |
| Total | 8,853.79 | 6,466.57 |

CROCKETT COUNTY

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Alamo, First | 7,250.00 | 5,230.10 |
| Barkers Chapel | 107.25 | 78.64 |
| Bells, First | 3,842.07 | 5,053.26 |
| Cairo | .00 | 215.00 |
| Cross Roads | 1,791.01 | 1,510.00 |
| Friendship | 1,885.00 | 1,108.53 |
| Gadsden | 985.00 | 1,227.25 |
| Johnson Grove | 200.00 | 139.35 |
| Maury City, First | 1,497.13 | 3,663.00 |
| Midway | .00 | .00 |
| Providence | .00 | 396.96 |
| South Fork | 246.95 | 485.00 |
| Three Way | .00 | 250.00 |
| Walnut Hill | 600.00 | 1,163.77 |
| Total | 18,404.41 | 20,520.86 |

CUMBERLAND

| | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Alva | .00 | 37.00 |
| Blooming Grove | 1,112.00 | 487.25 |
| Cannon, First | 472.00 | 319.25 |
| Charlotte, First | 610.59 | 30.00 |
| Clarksville, First | 11,357.51 | 8,663.94 |
| Cross Creek | 313.68 | .00 |
| Crossland Avenue | 622.70 | 170.89 |
| Cumberland City, First | 281.00 | 61.00 |
| Cumberland Drive | 2,969.18 | 391.24 |
| Dotsonville | 252.00 | .00 |
| Erin | 1,260.00 | 1,104.21 |
| Excell | 988.99 | 655.50 |
| Grace Avenue | 910.60 | 1,075.57 |
| Gum Springs | 711.41 | .00 |
| Harmony | 287.00 | 160.00 |
| Hillcrest | 1,575.50 | 453.77 |
| Hilldale | 3,056.51 | .00 |
| Immanuel | 164.04 | .00 |
| Kenwood | 1,172.14 | 372.41 |
| Kirkwood | 967.85 | 259.25 |
| Little Hope | 1,923.61 | 651.00 |
| Little West Fork | 1,000.00 | 771.37 |
| Memorial | 260.87 | 951.60 |
| Mount Herman | 1,472.21 | 1,029.99 |
| New Canaan | .00 | .00 |
| New Providence | 3,943.89 | 1,289.52 |
| Northside | .00 | 63.78 |
| Parkview | 1,948.78 | 1,029.08 |
| Pleasant View | 3,561.06 | 3,101.94 |
| St. Bethlehem, First | 448.00 | 222.91 |
| Slayden | 357.26 | 100.00 |
| Spring Creek | 966.00 | 653.55 |
| Trinity | 215.13 | 545.25 |
| Vanleer | 284.40 | 28.78 |
| Woodlawn | 699.09 | 214.00 |
| Total | 46,185.00 | 24,894.05 |

CUMBERLAND GAP

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|------------------------|--------|--------|
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| Bethel | .00 | .00 |
| Big Spring Union | .00 | 40.00 |
| Blairs Creek | .00 | .00 |
| Brooks Memorial | .00 | .00 |
| Calvary | .00 | .00 |
| Carrs Chapel | 28.61 | 554.02 |
| Cave Spring Missionary | .00 | 317.00 |
| Cedar Fork | .00 | 132.00 |
| Cedar Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Chadwell Station | 191.01 | 234.26 |
| Cumberland Gap, First | 150.00 | 334.05 |
| Duncan Chapel | .00 | 126.10 |
| East Hopewell | .00 | 891.83 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Fair View | 141.04 | 101.99 |
| Forge Ridge | 131.64 | 75.00 |
| Gap Creek | .00 | 1,166.06 |
| Gibson Station | .00 | .00 |
| Goins Chapel | .00 | 100.00 |
| Greers Chapel | .00 | 38.00 |
| Harragate, First | 2,097.19 | 2,306.44 |
| Haynes Flat | .00 | 636.90 |
| Head of Barren | .00 | .00 |
| Hope Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Hopewell | .00 | .00 |
| Howards Quarter | .00 | .00 |
| Indian Creek | .00 | .00 |
| Liberty Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Liberty Hill | 98.00 | .00 |
| Little Mulberry | 106.25 | 181.02 |
| Little Valley | .00 | .00 |
| Lone Hill Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Lone Holly | .00 | .00 |
| M C M | .00 | .00 |
| Midway Missionary | 287.58 | 607.00 |
| Mount Gilead | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Pleasant | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Zion | .00 | .00 |
| Mountain View | .00 | .00 |
| New Hope | .00 | .00 |
| New Salem | .00 | 141.10 |
| New Tazewell, First | 2,865.73 | 1,215.13 |
| Oak Grove | .00 | 200.00 |
| Peoples Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Pleasant View | 448.33 | 20.00 |
| Poplar Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Providence | .00 | 20.00 |
| Pump Hollow | .00 | .00 |
| Pump Springs | 1,626.13 | 793.75 |
| Raven Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Red Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Riley Memorial | .00 | .00 |
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| River View | .00 | 78.00 |
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| Springdale | .00 | 81.30 |
| Springfield Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Straight Creek | .00 | .00 |
| Sugar Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Summeys Bridge | .00 | .00 |
| Sunrise Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Tazewell | 390.20 | 333.00 |
| Town Creek | .00 | 100.00 |
| Underwood Grove | 660.00 | 394.31 |
| Union Chapel | .00 | 100.00 |
| Walnut Hill | .00 | 300.00 |
| Westside Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Wolfenbarger Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Association | .00 | 50.00 |
| Total | 10,282.41 | 12,473.26 |

CUMBERLAND PLATEAU

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|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Bethlehem | 1,098.88 | 378.50 |
| Calvary | 60.00 | .00 |
| Clear Creek | 109.92 | 38.30 |
| Crossville, First | 5,267.06 | 5,041.87 |
| Cumberland Homestead | 3,737.71 | 1,884.23 |
| Emmanuel | 400.00 | 422.50 |
| Fairfield Glade | 612.88 | .00 |
| Fairview | .00 | .00 |
| Fredonia | 1,278.11 | 270.00 |
| Haleys Grove | 887.53 | 605.46 |
| Isolene | 244.75 | 86.33 |
| Mayland | 468.65 | 50.00 |
| Memorial | 378.62 | 705.03 |
| Meridian | 20.00 | 10.00 |
| Mountain View | 524.08 | 207.25 |
| Oak Hill | 700.71 | 220.00 |
| Oaklawn | 533.13 | 83.00 |
| Ozone | 110.00 | 74.00 |
| Plateau | 101.16 | 25.00 |
| Pomona | 120.00 | 200.00 |
| Slate Spring | 23.50 | 18.50 |
| Westel | 370.25 | 570.00 |
| Total | 17,046.94 | 10,889.97 |

DUCK RIVER

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|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Air View | .00 | .00 |
| Altamont | .00 | .00 |
| Broadview | 1,228.01 | 684.20 |
| Center Grove | 1,000.75 | 420.00 |
| College Street | 318.41 | 119.00 |
| Cowan, First | 1,888.37 | 1,860.95 |
| Cross Roads | 1,313.86 | 200.00 |
| Decherd, First | 1,496.91 | 2,069.72 |
| Estill Springs | 2,761.59 | 673.16 |
| Grace | 1,217.77 | 843.06 |
| Highland | 2,775.08 | 2,167.00 |
| Hillsboro | 388.80 | 290.26 |
| Huntland | 1,136.68 | 880.00 |
| Keith Springs | 60.89 | .00 |
| Liberty | 1,055.55 | 25.00 |
| Lincoln Heights | 846.65 | 511.25 |
| Little Mountain | .00 | .00 |
| Manchester, First | 8,958.01 | 4,196.01 |
| Maxwell | 564.42 | 400.92 |
| Midway | 494.26 | 58.00 |
| Monteagle, First | 176.04 | 77.00 |
| Oaklawn | 909.96 | 1,040.93 |
| Paynes | .00 | .00 |
| Prairie Plains | 107.52 | 281.40 |
| Riva Lake | 755.60 | 50.00 |
| Rutledge Falls | 1,444.00 | 950.00 |
| Southside | 240.35 | 780.74 |
| Spring Creek | 658.26 | 262.43 |
| Summitville | 243.70 | 206.98 |
| Tracy City, First | 2,955.00 | .00 |
| Trinity | 3,080.74 | 2,704.00 |
| Tullahoma, First | 18,997.08 | 5,965.14 |
| Victory | 110.93 | 162.71 |
| Westwood | 292.00 | 183.48 |
| Winchester, First | 4,349.89 | 2,650.27 |
| Total | 61,827.08 | 30,713.61 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
| DYER | | |
| Beech Grove | .00 | 87.00 |
| Bogota | .00 | .00 |
| Calvary Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Calvary Hill | 1,502.00 | 73.75 |
| Curve | 2,240.45 | 1,416.00 |
| Dyersburg, First | 16,999.96 | 15,384.63 |
| Dyersburg, Second | 600.00 | 225.00 |
| Elon | 60.00 | .00 |
| Emmaus | 125.00 | 96.00 |
| Enon | 777.36 | 201.95 |
| Evansville | 55.00 | .00 |
| Fairview | 150.00 | 82.01 |
| Finley | 150.00 | 481.96 |
| Fort Hudson | 120.00 | 359.00 |
| Fowlkes | 2,818.38 | 278.50 |
| Gates | 642.54 | 274.13 |
| Halls, First | 6,500.00 | 8,189.99 |
| Halls Westside | 600.00 | 336.00 |
| Harmony | 588.05 | 411.75 |
| Hawthorne | 1,090.81 | 1,504.97 |
| Hillcrest Avenue | 7,642.45 | 3,021.17 |
| Lenox | 500.00 | 84.81 |
| Macedonia | 1,774.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Marys Chapel | 398.61 | 500.00 |
| McCulloughs Chapel | 105.00 | 178.05 |
| Miston | 75.00 | 25.00 |
| Mount Tirzah | 2,168.99 | 711.25 |
| Mount Vernon | 656.21 | 197.71 |
| New Mitchell Grove | 60.00 | 10.00 |
| Newbern First | 3,711.86 | 4,431.09 |
| Parrish Chapel | 336.00 | 47.47 |
| Ro Ellen | 200.00 | 215.30 |
| Southside | 4,292.67 | 2,497.78 |
| Springhill | 1,300.00 | 1,456.00 |
| Trimble | 4,532.79 | 1,841.25 |
| West Side | .00 | 110.00 |
| Willaims Chapel | 90.00 | 135.00 |
| Woodville | 605.73 | 68.00 |
| Zion Hill | 227.93 | 89.00 |
| Total | 63,696.79 | 46,021.52 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Chapel Hill | 957.23 | 205.00 |
| China Grove | 580.00 | 2,140.00 |
| Clear Creek | 560.31 | 116.14 |
| Dyer, First | 7,354.83 | 6,332.08 |
| Eldad | 480.00 | 277.32 |
| Emmanuel, Humboldt | 3,098.18 | 2,196.18 |
| Fellowship | 369.93 | 234.62 |
| Fruitland | 629.00 | 469.00 |
| Gibson | 444.04 | 1,134.00 |
| Hickory Grove | 1,282.31 | 779.25 |
| Humboldt, First | 9,569.78 | 8,571.40 |
| Idlewild | 1,519.00 | 585.50 |
| Immanuel, Trenton | .00 | .00 |
| Keely Mill | 346.06 | .00 |
| Kenton, First | 8,625.00 | 4,347.35 |
| Laneview, Kenton | 394.96 | 145.18 |
| Laneview, Trenton | 122.23 | 56.00 |
| Latham Chapel | 600.00 | 936.75 |
| Lavinia | 531.94 | 548.86 |
| Maranatha | 192.67 | .00 |
| Medina | 7,575.90 | 2,596.18 |
| Midway | 469.15 | 342.69 |
| Milan, First | 17,050.33 | 9,790.15 |
| Mount Pisgah | 497.14 | 131.42 |
| Mount Pleasant | 1,817.95 | 2,780.73 |
| New Bethlehem | 2,472.48 | 1,327.01 |
| New Hope | 554.30 | 1,604.00 |
| Northerns Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Northside | 2,737.97 | 3,665.24 |
| Oak Grove | 379.17 | 218.25 |
| Oakwood | 1,100.22 | 374.00 |
| Old Bethlehem | 278.72 | 180.57 |
| Poplar Grove | 1,765.68 | 952.69 |
| Poplar Springs | 2,046.00 | 790.00 |
| Rutherford, First | 2,767.50 | 1,151.25 |
| Salem | 1,730.20 | 901.71 |
| Southside | 449.26 | 81.88 |
| Springhill | 750.00 | 295.82 |
| Trenton, First | 8,426.27 | 7,817.47 |
| Walnut Grove | 500.00 | 536.75 |
| West Side | 150.00 | .00 |
| White Hall | 4,269.00 | 2,021.00 |
| Total | 106,603.41 | 73,880.40 |

GILES COUNTY

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|------------------|----------|----------|
| Bradshaw | .00 | 160.00 |
| Elkton | 1,180.52 | 213.00 |
| Hannah | .00 | .00 |
| Highland | 406.45 | .00 |
| Liberty Hill | 90.00 | 148.02 |
| Lynnville, First | 140.56 | .00 |
| Minnow Branch | .00 | .00 |
| Minor Hill | .00 | 146.65 |
| New Hope | 455.00 | 591.54 |
| New Zion | 166.69 | 432.76 |
| Oak Grove | 79.92 | 25.00 |
| Prospect | .00 | .00 |
| Pulaski, First | 5,325.61 | 1,201.50 |
| Rock Springs | 650.00 | 350.00 |
| Scotts Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Shores | 206.95 | 172.00 |
| Thompson Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Union Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Union Valley | .00 | .00 |
| Welcome Valley | .00 | .00 |
| Wheelerton | .00 | .00 |
| Association | 15.00 | .00 |
| Total | 8,716.70 | 3,440.47 |

GRAINGER COUNTY

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|---------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Adriel | .00 | .00 |
| Avondale | .00 | .00 |
| Barnards Grove | 366.62 | 412.35 |
| Bean Station, First | 277.40 | .00 |
| Block Springs | 727.00 | 900.00 |
| Blue Springs | 1,550.70 | 3,189.12 |
| Buffalo | 457.00 | 312.00 |
| Byrleys Chapel | .00 | 227.26 |
| Calvary | 130.00 | .00 |
| Central Point | 395.47 | 475.00 |
| Coffeys Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Fairview | .00 | .00 |
| Head of Richland | 194.90 | 37.54 |
| Helton Springs | 751.72 | 500.00 |
| Indian Ridge | 454.24 | 226.50 |
| Lea Springs | 1,159.01 | 548.25 |
| Locust Grove | 447.58 | 317.00 |
| Mitchell Springs | 103.77 | 53.60 |
| Mount Eager | 172.07 | 100.00 |
| Mouth of Richland | 3,537.92 | 3,285.65 |
| Narrow Valley | 163.48 | 125.00 |
| New Blackwell | 293.33 | 230.00 |
| New Corinth | 435.51 | 389.17 |
| New Prospect | 157.80 | 175.00 |
| Noeton | .00 | .00 |
| Oak Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Oakland | 1,674.08 | 1,183.92 |
| Powder Springs | 132.32 | 25.00 |
| Puncheon Camp | .00 | .00 |
| Red House | .00 | .00 |
| Riverview | .00 | .00 |
| Rutledge | 2,262.18 | 1,226.05 |
| Southside | .00 | .00 |
| Sunrise | 280.51 | 845.00 |
| Tampico | 73.50 | 198.29 |
| Washburn | 74.80 | 205.00 |
| Total | 16,272.91 | 15,186.70 |

HAMILTON COUNTY

| | | |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|
| Alpine | 1,157.53 | 149.94 |
| Apison | 3,323.71 | 2,355.24 |
| Avondale | 5,293.59 | 1,404.20 |
| Bartlebaugh | 630.00 | 581.91 |
| Bayside | 7,481.51 | 4,162.80 |
| Beacon | 242.49 | 113.00 |
| Birchwood | 2,523.95 | 853.25 |
| Brainerd | 54,313.51 | 31,093.27 |
| Brainerd Hills | 7,640.53 | 2,135.09 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|-----------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Cedar Hill | 2,721.95 | 2,479.49 |
| Central, Chattanooga | 44,179.92 | 12,696.01 |
| Central, Hixson | 21,203.62 | 11,690.26 |
| Chamberlain Avenue | 2,945.66 | 1,002.38 |
| Charity | .00 | .00 |
| Chattanooga, First | 36,402.09 | 72,012.71 |
| Chattanooga, Second | 1,358.00 | 1,516.00 |
| Clifton Hill | 1,798.84 | 407.00 |
| Community Missionary | 73.54 | .00 |
| Concord | 29,919.47 | 4,913.47 |
| Cross Roads | .00 | 500.00 |
| Daisy, First | 5,368.50 | 3,022.06 |
| Dalewood | .00 | .00 |
| Denny Hill | .00 | .00 |
| East Brainerd | 3,101.94 | 1,736.30 |
| East Chattanooga | 6,440.44 | 1,711.96 |
| East Lake | 11,396.02 | 5,848.80 |
| East Ridge | 12,983.55 | 5,114.06 |
| Eastwood | 3,940.53 | 911.91 |
| Edwards Point | .00 | .00 |
| Fairview | 933.58 | 119.00 |
| Falling Water | 1,942.97 | 532.00 |
| Falling Water Tab. | .00 | 370.45 |
| First Calvary | 201.09 | 22.00 |
| Frawley | 567.63 | 254.50 |
| Friendship | .00 | 193.51 |
| Grace Avenue | .00 | .00 |
| Greenwood | .00 | .00 |
| Guild, First | 60.00 | 200.00 |
| Harrison | .00 | 264.82 |
| Hickory Valley | 1,241.74 | 320.00 |
| High Point | 1,730.00 | 650.02 |
| Hilltop | .00 | 300.00 |
| Hixson, First | 12,824.32 | 6,054.28 |
| Hughes Avenue | 311.46 | 1,322.16 |
| Johns Memorial | 767.00 | .00 |
| Kings Point | 255.72 | 450.00 |
| Kingwood | 500.00 | 1,410.00 |
| Lakeway | .00 | .00 |
| Friendship Missionary | .00 | .00 |
| Lookout Mountain | 875.00 | 2,961.29 |
| Lookout Valley | 4,943.12 | 1,452.03 |
| Maple Grove | 3,356.72 | 3,225.08 |
| Maranatha | .00 | .00 |
| Meadowview | 768.26 | 577.00 |
| Memorial | 9,862.86 | 3,715.41 |
| Middle Valley | 6,101.18 | 1,887.61 |
| Morris Hill | 3,871.37 | 2,716.27 |
| Mount Carmel | 2,879.00 | 3,527.16 |
| Mountain Creek | 3,856.30 | 2,300.68 |
| Mountain View | 617.60 | .00 |
| New Bethel | 561.55 | .00 |
| New Liberty | 300.00 | .00 |
| New Salem | 3,894.85 | 547.15 |
| New Shepherd Hill | 401.12 | 810.78 |
| New Union | .00 | 635.05 |
| North Red Bank | .00 | 851.21 |
| Northside | 5,478.35 | 4,353.35 |
| Oak Grove | 1,591.00 | 1,414.50 |
| Oak Street | 2,496.84 | 729.99 |
| Oakwood | 15,125.00 | 5,538.08 |
| Ooltewah | 3,120.00 | 4,330.60 |
| Parkers Gap | 443.98 | 273.00 |
| Philadelphia | 50.00 | 756.68 |
| Pilgram Rest | .00 | .00 |
| Pleasant Grove | 3,642.82 | 1,280.16 |
| Pleasant Hill | .00 | .00 |
| Providence | 1,457.00 | 794.63 |
| Red Bank | 46,238.39 | 16,090.43 |
| Ridgecrest | 1,589.67 | 557.68 |
| Ridgedale | 28,222.63 | 6,412.10 |
| Ridgeview | 4,933.32 | 9,136.31 |
| Saint Elmo Avenue | 11,372.79 | 6,056.46 |
| Shepherd | .00 | 50.00 |
| Spring Valley | 739.68 | 413.00 |
| Signal Mountain | 15,365.99 | 5,717.91 |
| Silverdale | 10,183.33 | 4,861.06 |
| South Seminole | 9,851.44 | 5,543.32 |
| Spring Creek Road | 14,515.95 | 7,480.09 |
| Standifer Gap | .00 | .00 |
| Stanley Heights | .00 | .00 |
| Stuart Heights | 2,054.61 | 1,063.45 |
| Tremont | 686.10 | 936.11 |
| Tyner | 1,038.00 | 532.35 |
| Union Fork | 50.00 | 352.73 |
| White Oak | 28,457.05 | 12,966.37 |
| Whiteside | .00 | 66.42 |
| Woodland Heights | 827.70 | 155.00 |
| Woodland Park | 7,048.96 | 3,264.73 |
| Total | 546,645.93 | 307,206.88 |

HARDEMAN COUNTY

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|
| Bethlehem | 3.00 | 117.50 |
| Bolivar, First | 11,858.67 | 7,883.31 |
| Brints Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Cloverport | 110.88 | 75.00 |
| Dixie Hills | 909.95 | 847.27 |
| Ebenezer | 212.50 | 425.00 |
| Enon | .00 | .00 |
| Essary Springs | 403.52 | .00 |
| Grand Junction, First | 3,528.00 | 5,629.27 |
| Hatchie | 653.26 | 325.33 |
| Hebron | 489.90 | 451.39 |
| Hickory Valley | 900.00 | 1,305.90 |
| Hornsby | 2,055.45 | 1,698.00 |
| Middleburg | 100.00 | 150.00 |
| Middleton, First | 1,620.00 | 2,250.00 |
| Midway | 10.00 | 110.85 |
| New Bethel | 161.78 | 126.04 |
| New Union | 1,552.58 | 721.80 |
| Parrans Chapel | 2,933.65 | 634.70 |
| Piney Grove | 561.69 | .00 |
| Pleasant Grove | .00 | 100.00 |
| Pocahontas, First | 860.26 | 826.05 |
| Porters Creek | .00 | .00 |
| Rocky Springs | .00 | .00 |
| Saulsberry | 1,506.22 | 1,951.89 |
| Shandy | .00 | .00 |
| Silerton | 1,465.24 | 908.08 |
| Toone | 1,574.36 | 1,501.55 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|-------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Trinity | 80.00 | 39.25 |
| Walnut Grove | 335.00 | 115.97 |
| West Memorial | 514.25 | 732.05 |
| Whiteville, First | 4,448.07 | 3,660.43 |
| Total | 38,848.23 | 32,586.63 |

HAYWOOD

| | | |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Allen | 2,858.00 | 2,631.43 |
| Antioch | 238.62 | 250.00 |
| Brownsville | 19,999.98 | 16,716.12 |
| Calvary | 680.00 | 557.02 |
| Harmony | 2,981.91 | 2,008.60 |
| Holly Grove | 1,747.19 | 3,149.79 |
| Poplar Corner | 627.05 | 907.25 |
| Shaws Chapel | 89.75 | 100.00 |
| Stanton | 496.72 | 505.00 |
| Woodland | 1,260.00 | 300.00 |
| Zion | 2,291.89 | 1,524.53 |
| Total | 33,271.11 | 28,649.74 |

HIWASSEE

| | | |
|---------------|--------|----------|
| Chapman Grove | .00 | 1,372.54 |
| Concord | .00 | 244.20 |
| Paint Rock | .00 | 940.55 |
| Peakland | 70.00 | .00 |
| Pisgah | .00 | 613.00 |
| Ten Mile | 820.36 | 519.20 |
| Total | 890.36 | 3,689.49 |

HOLSTON

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Antioch | 3,090.88 | 350.00 |
| Baileytown, First | .00 | 285.37 |
| Bethany | 322.27 | 202.00 |
| Bethel View | 450.00 | 450.00 |
| Bethel, Bristol | .00 | .00 |
| Bethel, Johnson City | 128.84 | .00 |
| Beulah | 7,168.07 | 1,645.72 |
| Blountville, First | 5,815.75 | 2,548.03 |
| Bluff City | 2,231.05 | 200.00 |
| Bluff City, First | 11,919.07 | 4,241.94 |
| Boone Trail | 964.19 | 419.00 |
| Boones Creek | 755.97 | 1,473.00 |
| Bowmantown | 1,273.36 | 567.00 |
| Calvary, Bristol | 11,849.00 | 6,293.90 |
| Calvary, Erwin | 6,323.07 | 1,701.56 |
| Calvary, Greeneville | 300.00 | 345.00 |
| Calvary, Johnson City | 195.10 | 244.10 |
| Cedar Creek | .00 | 600.00 |
| Central, Erwin | 512.00 | 419.00 |
| Central, Johnson City | 26,550.00 | 23,120.02 |
| Cherokee | 1,476.01 | 1,445.54 |
| Cherokee Mountain | .00 | .00 |
| Cherry Grove | 797.18 | 729.16 |
| Chestoa | 60.00 | .00 |
| Chinquapin Grove | 5,473.00 | 3,036.91 |
| Clark Street | 870.00 | 1,006.18 |
| Clear Branch | 400.00 | 4,058.00 |
| Clifton View | 916.00 | 659.00 |
| Coffee Ridge | .00 | .00 |
| East Watauga Avenue | 562.89 | 100.00 |
| Eastern Gate | .00 | .00 |
| Embreeville Cove | .00 | .00 |
| Emmanuel | .00 | .00 |
| Enon | 1,047.25 | 100.00 |
| Erwin, First | 11,084.00 | 10,831.37 |
| Fall Branch, First | 2,792.46 | 925.26 |
| Fall Creek | 1,043.69 | 600.00 |
| Flag Pond | 434.61 | 182.50 |
| Fordtown | 3,223.56 | 1,159.88 |
| Fort Robinson | 11,464.13 | 4,755.35 |
| Grace | 1,813.60 | 621.51 |
| Gravelly | 840.00 | 150.00 |
| Green Pine | 127.00 | 96.00 |
| Greene Hills | 1,048.65 | 816.00 |
| Greenelawn | 210.00 | 107.51 |
| Greeneville, First | 26,594.95 | 3,576.58 |
| Greeneville, Second | 3,786.25 | 131.00 |
| Greenville | .00 | 667.67 |
| Greenwood | 696.65 | 215.00 |
| Harmony | 60.00 | 456.00 |
| Higgins Chapel | .00 | 215.71 |
| Holston Valley | .00 | .00 |
| Hulen | 1,214.09 | 209.28 |
| Johnson City, First | 1,944.55 | 1,214.85 |
| Jonesboro, First | 6,274.17 | 3,607.34 |
| Jonesboro, Second | 125.00 | 240.00 |
| King Springs | 259.91 | 51.52 |
| Lovelace | 596.00 | .00 |
| Midway | 812.70 | 563.00 |
| Mill Creek | .00 | 100.00 |
| Mount Zion | 500.91 | 60.00 |
| Mountain View | .00 | 600.00 |
| Muddy Creek | 395.22 | 736.75 |
| New Lebanon | 300.00 | 628.61 |
| New Salem | 627.12 | 415.00 |
| New Victory | 817.77 | 203.69 |
| Ninth Street | 11,550.73 | 2,163.72 |
| North Johnson City | 3,143.10 | 1,949.20 |
| Oak Dale | 346.00 | 150.00 |
| Oak Glen | 409.56 | 116.50 |
| Oak Grove | 2,870.00 | 2,258.21 |
| Oak Hill | 1,201.02 | 1,886.72 |
| Omega | 123.00 | .00 |
| Pinecrest | 2,857.85 | 1,437.30 |
| Piney Flats | 1,027.19 | 1,752.35 |
| Pleasant Grove | .00 | .00 |
| River Bend | 458.53 | 212.00 |
| Roan Hill | 779.97 | 236.30 |
| Shady Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Shallow Ford | 1,306.24 | 611.17 |
| Skyline Heights | 3,202.21 | 1,408.51 |
| Snow Memorial | 1,241.28 | 922.39 |
| Solomons Temple | .00 | 252.00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Holston Memorial..... | 1,285.33 | 750.27 | Mascot..... | 1,632.82 | 1,175.83 | Calvary, Lenoir City..... | 9,027.12 | 1,031.43 | Clover Creek..... | 1,183.42 | 249.88 |
| Jefferson City, First..... | 17,234.90 | 20,588.15 | McCalla Avenue..... | 8,324.98 | 12,880.97 | Calvary, Loudon..... | 1,184.10 | 43.60 | Cotton Grove..... | 927.23 | 411.60 |
| Mansfield Gap..... | 248.00 | 565.87 | Meadow View..... | 99.00 | 750.00 | Cave Creek..... | .00 | 90.00 | East Jackson..... | 60.00 | 389.05 |
| Mill Springs..... | 2,595.71 | 738.15 | Meridian..... | 17,170.41 | 8,502.59 | Corinth..... | 2,654.18 | 1,972.25 | East Laurel..... | 812.40 | 74.00 |
| Mountain View..... | .00 | 217.00 | Middlebrook Pike..... | 150.00 | 86.00 | Dixie Lee..... | 6,378.22 | 1,616.35 | East Union..... | 2,666.92 | 1,232.76 |
| Nances Grove..... | 1,056.09 | 927.00 | Midway..... | 18.00 | .00 | Dogwood..... | .00 | 76.82 | Englewood..... | 24,799.72 | 12,753.74 |
| New Hope..... | 722.00 | 452.91 | Miracle..... | .00 | .00 | East Hills..... | 400.66 | 100.00 | Enville..... | 203.84 | 267.00 |
| New Market..... | 2,052.07 | 1,000.32 | Moreland Heights..... | 70.00 | .00 | Everett Road..... | 243.68 | 330.00 | Friendship, B.B..... | 1,660.05 | 619.57 |
| Nina..... | .00 | .00 | Mount Carmel..... | 1,840.17 | 5,647.77 | Friendship..... | .00 | 1,736.48 | Friendship, Medina..... | 289.66 | .00 |
| Piedmont..... | 7,676.64 | 5,895.32 | Mount Harmony..... | 5,005.79 | 6,722.80 | Highland Park..... | .00 | 2,251.00 | Henderson, First..... | 1,690.00 | 3,765.00 |
| Pleasant Grove(N.M.)..... | 300.00 | 350.00 | Mount Olive..... | 11,445.64 | 6,738.65 | Kingston Pike..... | 1,277.86 | 215.47 | Highland Park..... | 2,117.11 | 2,059.63 |
| Pleasant Grove, Piney..... | 2,871.44 | 2,182.57 | Mount Olive, East..... | .00 | .00 | Lenoir City, First..... | 26,839.30 | 15,700.65 | Hillcrest..... | 979.96 | 2,008.17 |
| Rocky Valley..... | 244.67 | 209.00 | Mountain View..... | 797.79 | 230.00 | Lenoir City, Second..... | 482.00 | 100.06 | Jackson, First..... | 8,000.00 | 13,212.79 |
| Strawberry Pls., First..... | 1,083.31 | 1,373.33 | New Hope..... | .00 | .00 | Loudon, First..... | 3,696.47 | 1,332.45 | Liberty Grove..... | 4,279.58 | 2,045.99 |
| Swans Chapel..... | .00 | .00 | New Hopewell..... | 5,184.20 | 4,425.31 | Morganton..... | 452.55 | .00 | Madison..... | 2,243.79 | 1,359.54 |
| Talbott..... | 2,281.00 | 1,859.62 | New Salem..... | .00 | .00 | Mount Pleasant..... | 55.67 | 203.93 | Malesus..... | 7,685.76 | 475.50 |
| White Pine, First..... | 3,968.13 | 2,852.66 | North Acres..... | .00 | 377.09 | Mount Zion..... | 564.53 | 869.39 | Maple Springs..... | 577.47 | 4,888.16 |
| Total..... | 59,104.18 | 56,428.50 | North Hills..... | .00 | .00 | Mountain View..... | .00 | .00 | Mercer..... | 135.00 | .00 |
| JUDSON | | | North Knoxville..... | 9,376.89 | 3,454.55 | Nelson Street..... | .00 | 424.89 | Meridian..... | 600.00 | 516.70 |
| Cedar Hill..... | .00 | .00 | North Side..... | .00 | .00 | New Midway..... | 309.55 | 463.78 | Mifflin..... | 76.04 | 88.00 |
| Harmony..... | .00 | .00 | Northwest..... | 210.00 | 410.00 | New Providence..... | 3,418.00 | 1,072.00 | Mitchells Chapel..... | 32.00 | .00 |
| Liberty..... | .00 | .00 | Norwood..... | 500.00 | 1,163.25 | Oral..... | 1,002.00 | 1,705.97 | Nashway..... | 405.46 | 273.75 |
| Maple Grove..... | .00 | .00 | Oakwood..... | 4,666.69 | 3,261.21 | Philadelphia, First..... | 2,460.97 | 1,325.00 | North Jackson..... | 4,212.10 | 4,268.96 |
| Missionary Ridge..... | .00 | .00 | Parklane..... | 2,229.98 | 881.89 | Pine Grove..... | .00 | .00 | Oakfield..... | 576.14 | 521.25 |
| Mount Zion..... | .00 | .00 | Parkway..... | 3,758.86 | 3,464.86 | Pleasant Hill..... | 7,374.52 | 1,873.73 | Oaklawn..... | 580.50 | 935.23 |
| New Hope..... | 1,250.57 | 511.00 | Peoples Missionary..... | 120.75 | 100.00 | Prospect..... | 1,201.57 | 1,442.25 | Old Friendship..... | 210.75 | 409.36 |
| Old New Hope..... | .00 | 509.11 | Piney Grove..... | .00 | 1,089.32 | Riverview..... | 510.23 | 375.00 | Palentine..... | 419.05 | 226.00 |
| Parkers Creek..... | .00 | .00 | Powell, First..... | 6,500.00 | 1,343.68 | Silver Ridge..... | .00 | 349.87 | Parkburg..... | 2,876.01 | 1,310.42 |
| Pleasant Ridge..... | .00 | .00 | Ramsey Heights..... | .00 | .00 | South Holston..... | .00 | .00 | Parkview..... | 2,750.00 | 1,400.00 |
| Walnut Grove..... | .00 | 46.00 | Reunion..... | 208.61 | 17.65 | Stockton Valley..... | 318.00 | 490.00 | Pinson..... | .00 | 51.00 |
| Total..... | 1,250.57 | 1,066.11 | Ridgedale..... | 1,073.25 | 1,501.50 | Stoney Point..... | .00 | .00 | Pleasant Hill..... | 900.00 | 308.30 |
| KNOX COUNTY | | | Ridgeview..... | 1,735.93 | 2,709.66 | Union Fork Creek..... | 394.39 | 100.00 | Pleasant Plains..... | 460.20 | 875.27 |
| Alice Bell..... | 6,741.80 | 1,731.14 | Riverdale..... | 4,255.36 | 1,325.25 | Vaughns Chapel..... | 979.60 | 529.32 | Poplar Corner..... | 826.14 | 356.00 |
| Arlington..... | 10,523.92 | 10,226.45 | Riverview..... | 3,245.16 | 5,459.75 | West Broadway..... | .00 | 259.42 | Popular Heights..... | 6,619.07 | 4,763.52 |
| Atkins..... | 360.00 | 654.79 | Rocky Hill..... | 3,625.00 | 2,633.68 | Association..... | .00 | 1,100.00 | Sanford Hill..... | 820.00 | 1,272.00 |
| Ball Camp..... | 6,038.60 | 1,981.26 | Roseberry..... | 799.40 | 1,788.48 | Total..... | 75,728.51 | 44,518.35 | Southside..... | 910.00 | 333.17 |
| Basswood..... | .00 | 150.00 | Ruggles Ferry..... | .00 | .00 | MC MINN-MEIGS | | | Spring Creek..... | 1,249.00 | 1,283.00 |
| Bays Mountain..... | 643.22 | .00 | Salem..... | 6,771.00 | 5,034.78 | Antioch..... | 3,054.35 | 2,089.27 | Unity..... | 453.54 | 696.66 |
| Beaumont Avenue..... | 1,133.40 | 905.90 | Scottish Pike..... | .00 | .00 | Athens, First..... | 34,066.66 | 13,418.52 | Wards Grove..... | 1,291.29 | 336.07 |
| Beaver Dam..... | 6,745.44 | 6,124.83 | Seven Islands..... | .00 | 529.30 | Bethel Springs..... | .00 | .00 | West Jackson..... | 28,333.40 | 20,614.02 |
| Bell Avenue..... | 8,151.81 | 8,639.36 | Sevier Heights..... | 14,262.63 | 8,733.22 | Bethsadia..... | .00 | .00 | Westover..... | 2,526.54 | 2,010.62 |
| Belmont Heights..... | 1,093.29 | 1,139.92 | Sevier Home..... | 1,632.87 | 530.75 | Brookhill..... | 350.00 | .00 | Woodland..... | 5,323.32 | 2,932.06 |
| Bethany..... | .00 | .00 | Sharon..... | 3,666.68 | 4,890.80 | Calhoun, First..... | 5,844.12 | 1,815.50 | Total..... | 148,751.49 | 104,760.40 |
| Black Oak Heights..... | 14,498.63 | 1,500.00 | Smith Grove..... | .00 | .00 | Calvary, Decatur..... | .00 | 200.00 | MAURY | | |
| Blount Avenue..... | 160.00 | .00 | Smithwood..... | 9,000.00 | 14,752.80 | Calvary, Etowah..... | 60.00 | 354.66 | Allensville..... | 70.00 | .00 |
| Bon View..... | 399.96 | 79.60 | South Knoxville..... | 7,820.00 | 8,898.58 | Cambria..... | .00 | .00 | Calvary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Branville..... | .00 | .00 | Stoney Point..... | 315.00 | .00 | Central..... | 2,067.14 | 535.00 | Columbia, First..... | 14,288.88 | 15,369.02 |
| Broadway..... | 900.00 | 3,595.75 | Sunset Heights..... | .00 | 1,001.00 | Clay Hill..... | .00 | .00 | Cross Bridges..... | 444.06 | .00 |
| Buffat Heights..... | 904.16 | 852.51 | Sutherland Avenue..... | .00 | .00 | Clear Springs..... | .00 | 550.00 | Faith..... | .00 | .00 |
| Burnetts Creek..... | .00 | .00 | Tarklin Valley..... | .00 | 50.00 | Clearwater..... | 1,019.87 | 1,134.00 | Friendship..... | 1,369.32 | 1,492.43 |
| Callahan Road..... | .00 | 194.00 | Tennessee Avenue..... | 837.00 | 403.32 | Cog Hill..... | 791.56 | 497.40 | Highland Park..... | 8,057.27 | 3,845.86 |
| Calvary..... | 12,465.90 | 4,279.89 | Third Creek..... | 2,203.61 | 432.00 | Canasauga..... | .00 | .00 | House of Prayer..... | .00 | .00 |
| Cedar Bluff..... | 217.02 | .00 | Thorn Grove..... | 27.75 | 458.40 | Cottonport..... | .00 | 100.00 | Johnsons Chapel..... | 100.72 | .00 |
| Central, Bearden..... | 27,500.01 | 11,472.99 | Three Points..... | .00 | .00 | Decatur, First..... | 956.00 | 782.00 | Knob Creek..... | 361.86 | 191.00 |
| Central, Ftn. City..... | 42,008.34 | 27,178.54 | Timothy Street..... | 1,115.62 | 216.40 | Dixon Avenue..... | .00 | 230.40 | Lawrence Grove..... | .00 | 152.00 |
| Churchwell Avenue..... | 1,277.75 | 1,300.00 | Tower Heights..... | 120.00 | 246.20 | Double Springs..... | 1,460.88 | 2,128.24 | Mission Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| City View..... | 6,142.72 | 2,913.14 | Trinity..... | 2,354.58 | 335.55 | East Athens..... | 7,845.52 | 2,865.68 | Mooresville Pike..... | .00 | 151.74 |
| Clear Springs..... | 3,312.99 | 1,660.60 | Tuckahoe..... | .00 | .00 | East Niota..... | .00 | 546.50 | Mount Pleasant, First..... | 3,636.00 | 1,973.73 |
| Community..... | .00 | .00 | Tyson..... | .00 | .00 | East View..... | 190.00 | 379.00 | Northside..... | 947.94 | 660.58 |
| Concord, First..... | 25,833.33 | 19,869.71 | Union..... | 3,458.00 | 2,940.91 | Eastanalee..... | 9,053.01 | 2,287.15 | Pleasant Heights..... | 3,896.94 | 2,376.30 |
| Copper Ridge..... | .00 | 204.48 | Unity..... | .00 | 257.38 | Englewood, First..... | 2,800.00 | 1,300.00 | Riverview..... | 1,787.86 | 1,087.00 |
| Cornerstone..... | 335.00 | 428.00 | Valley Grove & B. C..... | .00 | 792.78 | Etowah, First..... | 4,800.00 | 4,212.25 | Rock Springs..... | 825.00 | 815.00 |
| Corryton..... | 3,000.00 | 2,324.82 | Valley Grove & S. Pk..... | 11,092.84 | 8,591.21 | Five Point..... | .00 | .00 | Santa Fe..... | 300.00 | 294.11 |
| Cumberland..... | 9,237.46 | 12,002.26 | Vestal..... | .00 | .00 | Friendship..... | .00 | .00 | Southside..... | 855.10 | 100.00 |
| East Sunnyview..... | .00 | .00 | Wallace Memorial..... | 51,567.26 | 26,454.73 | Good Hope..... | 342.49 | 1,379.00 | Spring Hill, First..... | 90.00 | 306.49 |
| Ebenezer..... | 838.61 | 377.10 | Washington Avenue..... | 993.27 | 519.28 | Good Springs..... | 2,856.11 | 3,254.92 | Swan Creek..... | 40.00 | 125.00 |
| Elm Street..... | 686.10 | .00 | Washington Pike..... | 6,553.67 | 4,731.20 | Hiwassee..... | .00 | 247.86 | Theta..... | 54.41 | 22.00 |
| Euclid Avenue..... | 3,666.97 | 1,880.60 | West End..... | 579.23 | .00 | Idlewild..... | .00 | .00 | Viola..... | 120.00 | 45.00 |
| Fairview..... | 2,198.96 | 1,472.87 | West Haven..... | 4,959.13 | 2,028.47 | Lakeview..... | 393.49 | 408.50 | Williamsport..... | 121.62 | 26.00 |
| Fair Havens..... | 1,152.49 | 1,333.27 | West Hills..... | 9,410.00 | 3,612.26 | Lamontville..... | 300.00 | 60.00 | Total..... | 37,366.98 | 29,033.26 |
| Faith and Hope..... | 464.02 | 271.20 | West Knoxville..... | 4,221.00 | 254.17 | Manilla Chapel..... | 25.00 | 10.00 | MIDLAND | | |
| Fellowship..... | 325.23 | 1,320.00 | West Lonsdale..... | 5,516.24 | 4,535.00 | Marshall Hill..... | .00 | 445.45 | Beaverdale..... | .00 | .00 |
| Fifth Avenue..... | 2,500.00 | 4,212.80 | West Side..... | .00 | 695.39 | McMahan Calvary..... | 1,048.11 | 527.15 | Bells Camp Ground..... | 766.00 | 1,415.00 |
| Flint Gap..... | .00 | .00 | Association..... | .00 | 500.00 | Mt. Harmony #1..... | 1,120.66 | 455.00 | Bethany..... | 130.50 | .00 |
| Fort Hill..... | 600.00 | 715.00 | Total..... | 570,302.55 | 429,502.74 | Mt. Harmony #2..... | 886.18 | 404.00 | Bethel, Corryton..... | 114.59 | .00 |
| Fort Sanders..... | .00 | 1,075.00 | LAWRENCE COUNTY | | | Mount Pisgah..... | 598.72 | 1,490.16 | Bethel..... | 382.63 | .00 |
| Fountain City, First..... | 1,621.96 | 1,673.21 | Barnesville..... | 30.00 | 19.70 | Mount Verd..... | 732.37 | 138.00 | Bishopville..... | 239.41 | 72.00 |
| Galilee..... | 2,024.37 | 4,203.43 | Beech Grove..... | .00 | .00 | New Bethel..... | .00 | 115.00 | Black Oak Ridge..... | .00 | 289.47 |
| Gallaher Memorial..... | 1,076.90 | 200.00 | Bethel..... | .00 | .00 | New Hopewell..... | .00 | 243.09 | Cedar Grove..... | .00 | 316.44 |
| Gayland Heights..... | 733.37 | 785.25 | Blooming Grove..... | 40.00 | 200.00 | New Zion..... | 457.70 | 18.00 | Central View..... | 119.06 | .00 |
| Gethsemane..... | .00 | 25.00 | Bonnertown..... | 400.00 | 445.25 | Niota, First..... | 840.00 | 1,409.10 | Clear Springs..... | .00 | 500.00 |
| Gillespie Avenue..... | 1,530.61 | 1,586.11 | Brace..... | 60.00 | 87.50 | North Athens..... | 6,728.20 | 3,078.29 | Deep Springs..... | 203.11 | .00 |
| Glenwood..... | 5,100.00 | 3,138.31 | Center Point..... | .00 | 469.00 | North Etowah..... | 8,859.96 | 5,397.70 | Hinds Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Grace..... | 11,890.56 | 7,112.24 | Deerfield..... | 397.98 | 181.50 | Oak Grove..... | 1,179.23 | 2,787.60 | Hines Creek Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Grassy Valley..... | 1,035.05 | 602.37 | Ethridge..... | 364.27 | 973.00 | Old Salem..... | 600.00 | .00 | Home Faith..... | .00 | .00 |
| Graveston..... | 1,125.61 | 326.87 | Evas Chapel..... | 201.88 | 50.00 | Parkway..... | 583.72 | 47.55 | Mount Harmony..... | .00 | .00 |
| Greenway..... | 2,327.04 | 433.31 | Faith..... | 400.00 | 402.47 | Pond Hill..... | 801.48 | 679.43 | Mount Zion..... | 404.54 | 130.00 |
| Grove City..... | .00 | 307.52 | Five Points..... | 90.00 | .00 | Pope Avenue..... | 594.00 | .00 | New Liberty..... | 213.50 | 40.00 |
| Grove Heights..... | .00 | .00 | Gum Springs..... | 1,148.15 | .00 | Riceville, First..... | 2,192.56 | 647.85 | New Pleasant Gap..... | 339.15 | .00 |
| Grove Hill..... | 616.55 | 1,350.02 | Highland Park..... | 3,885.11 | 4,919.36 | Rock View..... | .00 | .00 | Old Beverly..... | .00 | .00 |
| Highland..... | 1,308.34 | 143.66 | Immanuel..... | 1,478.34 | 497.00 | Rocky Mount..... | 103.88 | 36.00 | Pleasant Gap..... | 242.17 | 167.00 |
| Hill Crest..... | 163.06 | 86.00 | Iron City..... | .00 | .00 | Rogers Creek..... | 204.36 | .00 | Pleasant Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| Hines Valley..... | .00 | .00 | Lawrenceburg, First..... | 8,349.32 | 3,711.00 | Sanford..... | .00 | 56.21 | Riverview (A.C.)..... | 963.90 | 331.88 |
| Hoff Avenue..... | .00 | .00 | Leoma..... | 1,154.41 | 3,114.05 | Shiloh..... | 156.00 | 163.00 | Riverview (B.C.)..... | 291.12 | .00 |
| Hollywood Hills..... | 496.00 | 482.00 | Liberty Grove..... | .00 | .00 | Short Creek..... | 132.00 | 300.00 | Stonewall..... | .00 | .00 |
| Holston..... | 2,683.94 | 891.25 | Loretto..... | 1,044.79 | 214.00 | South Liberty..... | 838.63 | 200.00 | Texas Valley..... | .00 | .00 |
| House Mountain..... | .00 | .00 | Macedonia..... | .00 | .00 | Stephensville..... | .00 | .00 | Union..... | 1,110.23 | 1,137.00 |
| Immanuel..... | 3,618.64 | 2,128.27 | Mars Hill..... | 60.00 | 25.00 | Union Grove #1..... | .00 | .00 | Total..... | 5,519.91 | 4,398.79 |
| Inskip..... | 6,000.00 | 6,056.78 | Meadow View..... | 2,008.87 | 1,027.72 | Union Grove # | | | | | |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| Dry Valley..... | .00 | .00 |
| Fairview..... | .00 | .00 |
| Faith Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Flat Gap..... | .00 | .00 |
| Fox Branch..... | .00 | .00 |
| Friendlies Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Friendship..... | .00 | .00 |
| Gap Chapel..... | .00 | 60.55 |
| Grassy Springs..... | .00 | .00 |
| Grissoms Island..... | .00 | .00 |
| Huberts Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Idas Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Lake Shore..... | .00 | 23.69 |
| Liberty..... | .00 | .00 |
| Livesays Chapel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Midtown Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Pisgah..... | .00 | .00 |
| Mulberry Gap..... | 210.00 | 384.86 |
| New Bethel..... | .00 | .00 |
| New Hope..... | .00 | .00 |
| New Life..... | .00 | .00 |
| New Salem Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Northside Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Oak Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| Panther Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Paw Paw Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Piney Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pleasant Valley..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pleasant View..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pond Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| Power House..... | .00 | 156.61 |
| Providence..... | .00 | .00 |
| Richardson Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Rock Bridge..... | .00 | .00 |
| Rock Haven..... | .00 | .00 |
| Rocky Summit..... | .00 | .00 |
| Sandy Springs..... | .00 | .00 |
| Sartain Springs..... | .00 | .00 |
| Sharon Missionary..... | .00 | .00 |
| Solid Rock..... | .00 | .00 |
| Spruce Pine..... | .00 | .00 |
| Stoney Gap..... | .00 | .00 |
| Thorn Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| Trent Valley..... | 100.85 | 100.85 |
| Unici..... | .00 | .00 |
| Union..... | .00 | .00 |
| Walkers..... | .00 | .00 |
| Wallens Bend..... | .00 | .00 |
| Yellow Branch..... | .00 | .00 |
| Total..... | 330.85 | 751.56 |

NASHVILLE

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| Alta Loma..... | 2,160.00 | 1,346.27 |
| Antioch..... | 2,963.29 | 1,338.38 |
| Arrington, First..... | 1,152.02 | 155.80 |
| Ashland City, First..... | 3,377.61 | 2,424.43 |
| Bakers Grove..... | 927.91 | 397.00 |
| Bellevue..... | 3,704.65 | 1,083.00 |
| Belmont Heights..... | 40,166.85 | 33,710.48 |
| Ben Allen Road..... | 425.00 | .00 |
| Bending Chestnut..... | .00 | 26.50 |
| Berean..... | .00 | .00 |
| Berryville..... | 900.00 | 100.00 |
| Bluegrass..... | 14,493.51 | 2,736.50 |
| Bordeaux..... | 271.00 | .00 |
| Brentwood..... | 24,911.83 | 17,165.23 |
| Broadmoor..... | 2,124.81 | 665.22 |
| Brook Hollow..... | 11,749.98 | 8,280.93 |
| Brookside..... | 3,298.04 | 2,069.23 |
| Calvary..... | 1,373.59 | 598.90 |
| Centennial..... | 60.00 | 500.00 |
| Central..... | .00 | .00 |
| Charlotte Road..... | 3,955.17 | 1,000.25 |
| College Grove..... | 357.15 | 352.10 |
| Concord..... | 1,402.59 | 1,896.62 |
| Crievewood..... | 17,809.89 | 7,237.01 |
| Cross Keys..... | 355.39 | 243.59 |
| Dalemere..... | 201.39 | 101.50 |
| Dalewood..... | 12,791.49 | 10,716.26 |
| Dickerson Road..... | 4,883.98 | 2,672.14 |
| Dickson, First..... | 7,542.28 | 4,624.48 |
| Donelson View..... | 1,900.02 | 958.50 |
| Donelson, First..... | 29,071.38 | 9,255.66 |
| Eastland..... | 11,729.16 | 5,281.45 |
| Eastside..... | 242.61 | 315.60 |
| Eastwood..... | 428.00 | 162.00 |
| Edgefield..... | 6,035.58 | 5,072.34 |
| Elkins Ave..... | 606.08 | 151.60 |
| Ewing..... | 3,417.00 | 610.60 |
| Fairview..... | 1,482.00 | 459.14 |
| Fairview, First..... | 693.19 | 1,109.85 |
| Faith Temple..... | 433.25 | 233.00 |
| Fern Avenue..... | .00 | .00 |
| Forest Hills..... | 4,035.17 | 4,169.57 |
| Franklin, First..... | 8,280.90 | 2,593.61 |
| Freeland..... | .00 | 61.27 |
| Friendly Chapel..... | 82.99 | 100.42 |
| Gallatin Road..... | 1,806.15 | 3,713.92 |
| Glendale..... | 1,187.50 | 1,862.41 |
| Glenwood..... | 3,700.00 | 1,903.35 |
| Goodlettsville, First..... | 14,636.24 | 5,472.92 |
| Grace..... | 10,743.69 | 4,849.26 |
| Grandview..... | 11,587.45 | 4,360.27 |
| Grassland Heights..... | 1,537.03 | 1,361.09 |
| Grays Point..... | 240.35 | 131.92 |
| Green Hill..... | 3,975.05 | 3,467.87 |
| Harpeth Heights..... | 5,992.26 | 3,272.45 |
| Harsh Chapel..... | 1,975.87 | 1,189.05 |
| Haywood Hills..... | 15,713.74 | 6,492.08 |
| Hendersonville, First..... | 19,666.72 | 12,762.79 |
| Hermitage, First..... | 551.14 | 353.64 |
| Hermitage Hills..... | 6,450.00 | 2,656.48 |
| Hillcrest..... | 661.72 | 429.54 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| Hillhurst..... | 4,829.90 | 2,756.81 |
| Hillsboro..... | 78.24 | 72.00 |
| Holiday Heights..... | 2,856.49 | 617.09 |
| Immanuel..... | 16,817.00 | 13,966.56 |
| Inglewood..... | 19,104.81 | 9,488.86 |
| Ivy Memorial..... | 1,551.16 | 1,212.95 |
| Jaeton, First..... | 6,805.18 | 2,749.61 |
| Judson..... | 23,742.38 | 8,875.95 |
| Lakeview..... | 3,121.23 | 1,155.37 |
| Lakewood..... | 6,390.57 | 2,291.00 |
| Liberty..... | .00 | 15.00 |
| Lincaya Hills..... | 8,979.14 | 4,789.13 |
| Lockeland..... | 9,801.46 | 3,231.30 |
| Long Hollow..... | 2,248.87 | 826.58 |
| Lyle Lane..... | 613.35 | 50.00 |
| Madison Creek..... | 1,365.24 | 631.27 |
| Madison Heights..... | 5,039.55 | 2,617.05 |
| Madison, First..... | 10,649.94 | 3,775.87 |
| Mill Creek..... | 1,713.54 | 792.82 |
| Millersville, First..... | 116.20 | .00 |
| Nashville, First..... | 50,580.07 | 22,334.87 |
| Nashville, Third..... | 2,390.31 | 1,258.04 |
| Neelys Bend..... | 3,421.84 | 316.90 |
| New Hope..... | 2,845.82 | 1,071.75 |
| Old Hickory, First..... | 9,955.85 | 11,404.95 |
| Park Avenue..... | 7,500.00 | 5,111.80 |
| Parkway..... | 3,512.74 | 3,859.97 |
| Pegram, First..... | 940.75 | 253.80 |
| Peytonville..... | 478.69 | 81.15 |
| Pomona..... | 416.11 | 351.79 |
| Radford..... | .00 | 41.50 |
| Radnor..... | 426.96 | .00 |
| Rayon City..... | 1,046.70 | 426.25 |
| Richland..... | 1,376.63 | 550.00 |
| Riverside..... | 4,532.69 | 3,305.00 |
| Rosedale..... | 3,459.90 | 322.95 |
| Salem..... | .00 | 300.00 |
| Saturn Drive..... | 9,004.93 | 3,247.69 |
| Scottsboro..... | 541.50 | 206.39 |
| Shelby Avenue..... | 6,009.74 | 2,035.04 |
| Smith Springs..... | 700.00 | 1,290.00 |
| South Gate..... | 3,486.65 | 996.66 |
| Temple..... | 2,946.00 | 5,988.00 |
| Tulip Grove..... | 390.00 | 416.14 |
| Tusculum Hills..... | 8,080.44 | 2,977.28 |
| Two Rivers..... | 76,473.15 | 24,050.49 |
| Una..... | 6,250.02 | 3,973.86 |
| Union Hill..... | 3,092.75 | 1,262.91 |
| Valley View..... | 2,730.87 | 2,088.55 |
| Walker Memorial..... | 6,231.48 | 4,441.97 |
| West Nashville..... | 483.50 | 86.00 |
| West Trinity Lane..... | 346.05 | 125.99 |
| West View..... | 80.00 | 139.75 |
| Westwood..... | 3,750.00 | 2,030.58 |
| White Bluff, First..... | 1,077.13 | 270.65 |
| Whitsetts Chapel..... | 1,128.65 | 228.82 |
| Whitworth..... | .00 | .00 |
| Woodbine..... | 10,273.62 | 4,421.17 |
| Woodcock Memorial..... | 774.97 | 309.30 |
| Woodmont..... | 50,938.78 | 45,271.47 |
| Total..... | 745,721.20 | 403,020.12 |

NEW DUCK RIVER

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| Bell Buckle, First..... | 258.32 | 180.64 |
| Calvary..... | 2,285.08 | 460.47 |
| Charity..... | 161.69 | 27.00 |
| Cornersville, First..... | 2,618.63 | 1,535.12 |
| Eastview..... | 615.45 | 125.00 |
| East Commerce..... | 4,280.23 | 2,040.41 |
| Edgemont..... | 2,140.12 | 1,161.28 |
| El Bethel..... | 1,641.99 | 2,802.60 |
| Fosterville..... | 200.00 | 64.14 |
| Friendship..... | 208.35 | 110.10 |
| Hannahs Gap..... | 503.00 | 100.00 |
| Hickory Hill..... | 299.72 | 41.50 |
| Holts Corner..... | 349.83 | 249.00 |
| Hurricane Grove..... | 90.00 | .00 |
| Immanuel..... | 190.85 | 236.85 |
| Lewisburg, First..... | 7,599.64 | 5,113.60 |
| Longview..... | 425.44 | 559.92 |
| Mars Hill..... | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Lebanon..... | 146.00 | 51.20 |
| New Bethel..... | 716.44 | 236.00 |
| New Hope..... | 115.00 | 400.00 |
| North Fork..... | 1,733.18 | 404.25 |
| Parkview..... | 1,664.64 | 273.90 |
| Rover..... | 874.23 | 517.00 |
| Shelbyville, First..... | 12,102.28 | 5,191.25 |
| Shelbyville Mills..... | 4,987.89 | 2,696.92 |
| Short Creek..... | 75.00 | 100.00 |
| Smyrna..... | 238.99 | 34.94 |
| Southside..... | 1,370.77 | 396.03 |
| Wartrace..... | 897.76 | 375.17 |
| Total..... | 48,790.52 | 25,484.29 |

NEW RIVER

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| Antioch..... | .00 | .00 |
| Bethlehem, Oneida..... | 3,860.31 | 1,617.03 |
| Black Creek Cross Rds..... | .00 | .00 |
| Calvary..... | 590.11 | 75.00 |
| Capital Hill..... | 453.00 | .00 |
| Elizabeth..... | 110.32 | .00 |
| Emmanuel..... | .00 | .00 |
| Fairview..... | .00 | .00 |
| Glen Mary Missionary..... | 27.28 | .00 |
| Huntsville, First..... | 600.00 | 1,070.00 |
| Ivy Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Lone Mountain..... | .00 | .00 |
| Low Gap..... | 291.96 | 75.00 |
| Mill Branch..... | .00 | 50.00 |
| Mount Pleasant..... | .00 | .00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
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| Mountain View..... | 130.28 | .00 |
| New Haven..... | 639.66 | 556.65 |
| New River..... | 286.61 | 209.84 |
| Nicks Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Norma..... | .00 | .00 |
| Oneida, First..... | 6,995.32 | 3,251.40 |
| Robbins, First..... | 542.09 | 91.68 |
| Slick Rock..... | .00 | .00 |
| Smokey Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Smokey Junction..... | 7.05 | .00 |
| West Robbins..... | .00 | .00 |
| Winfield..... | .00 | .00 |
| Total..... | 14,533.99 | 6,996.60 |

NEW SALEM

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|
| Brush Creek..... | 537.48 | 532.00 |
| Carthage, First..... | 3,450.00 | 4,902.44 |
| Gordonsville, First..... | 470.00 | 383.00 |
| Grant..... | .00 | 75.00 |
| Hickman..... | 1,214.00 | 1,620.00 |
| Jared..... | 90.00 | 69.00 |
| Lancaster..... | .00 | 60.00 |
| New Middleton..... | 846.57 | 311.00 |
| Peytons Creek..... | 134.00 | 317.00 |
| Rawls Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| Riddleton..... | 240.35 | 131.50 |
| Rome..... | 541.53 | 288.68 |
| Total..... | 7,523.93 | 8,689.62 |

NOLACHUCKY

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| Alpha..... | 4,424.40 | 3,021.93 |
| Bethel..... | 2,698.83 | 3,575.51 |
| Beulah..... | 733.86 | 957.65 |
| Bibles Chapel..... | 487.44 | 1,764.25 |
| Briar Thicket..... | .00 | .00 |
| Brown Springs..... | 1,034.50 | 472.25 |
| Buffalo Trail..... | 3,872.48 | 2,223.40 |
| Bulls Gap..... | 1,788.87 | 680.44 |
| Calvary..... | 500.00 | 3,250.00 |
| Calvue..... | .00 | .00 |
| Catherine Nenny..... | 373.49 | 613.83 |
| Cedar Creek..... | .00 | 1,710.00 |
| Cedar Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Central..... | .00 | .00 |
| Cherokee Hills..... | .00 | .00 |
| Concord..... | 458.65 | 221.50 |
| Country Church..... | .00 | .00 |
| Enterprise..... | 731.54 | 1,040.00 |
| Fairfield..... | .00 | 223.67 |
| Fairview..... | 1,874.62 | 900.00 |
| Fernwood..... | 60.00 | 700.00 |
| Friendly View..... | .00 | .00 |
| Grace..... | 2,784.75 | 1,845.55 |
| Highland..... | 171.50 | 108.88 |
| Hillcrest..... | 5,333.30 | 1,804.15 |
| Holts..... | .00 | 300.00 |
| Kidwells Ridge..... | .00 | 1,000.00 |
| Leadvale..... | 1,144.07 | 1,706.04 |
| Lebanon..... | 1,192.15 | 754.13 |
| Macedonia..... | .00 | .00 |
| Magna View..... | 852.00 | 225.02 |
| Manley..... | 13,721.55 | 9,865.84 |
| Montvue..... | 1,606.77 | 1,352.22 |
| Morning Side..... | .00 | 1,426.18 |
| Morristown, First..... | 40,885.26 | 17,392.67 |
| Mount Zion..... | 240.00 | 1,224.00 |
| Mountain Valley..... | .00 | .00 |
| Parkway..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pleasant Ridge..... | 1,158.00 | 400.00 |
| Pleasant View..... | 1,200.00 | 1,429.66 |
| Robertson Creek..... | .00 | 100.00 |
| Rocky Point..... | 825.80 | 1,015.05 |
| Roe Junction..... | .00 | 25.00 |
| Russellville..... | 145.06 | 2,116.53 |
| Staten Gap..... | .00 | .00 |
| Sunrise..... | 244.45 | 386.24 |
| Thankful..... | .00 | .00 |
| Three Springs..... | .00 | 100.00 |
| Valley View..... | .00 | 200.00 |
| Warrensburg..... | 786.03 | 759.00 |
| Westview..... | .00 | 250.00 |
| White Oak Grove..... | 694.64 | 520.00 |
| Whitesburg..... | 544.27 | 453.00 |
| Witt..... | 1,242.44 | 150.00 |
| Total..... | 93,810.72 | 68,263.59 |

NORTHERN

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|----------|
| Alder Springs..... | .00 | .00 |
| Blue Springs..... | 94.00 | 306.00 |
| Carrs Branch..... | .00 | 311.29 |
| Cedar Ford..... | 815.91 | 1,480.25 |
| Clear Branch..... | 301.87 | 515.01 |
| Hickory Valley..... | .00 | .00 |
| Hubbs Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Leatherwood..... | .00 | 25.00 |
| Lily Grove..... | .00 | 100.00 |
| Lone Mountain..... | .00 | 25.00 |
| Maynardville..... | 971.55 | 536.20 |
| Nave Hill..... | 50.00 | .00 |
| New Friendship..... | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Taylor's Grove..... | .00 | 50.00 |
| Warwicks Chapel..... | 259.53 | 193.20 |
| Willow Springs..... | 125.00 | .00 |
| Total..... | 2,817.86 | 3,741.95 |

POLK COUNTY

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|------------------------|--------|--------|
| Antioch..... | 285.16 | 187.00 |
| Ball Play..... | .00 | .00 |
| Beech Springs..... | 481.54 | 200.00 |
| Benton Station..... | 260.90 | 397.68 |
| Benton, First..... | 600.00 | 825.00 |
| Blue Ridge Temple..... | 517.20 | 120.00 |
| Boanerges..... | 335.41 | .00 |
| Cedar Springs..... | 596.36 | 716.00 |
| Chesnee..... | 315.71 | 58.10 |
| Conasauga River..... | .00 | 55.34 |
| Cookson Creek..... | .00 | 56.45 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Desig- nated |
|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Delano | 639.26 | 581.30 |
| Fairview | .00 | .00 |
| Friendship | 127.32 | 423.06 |
| Greasy Creek | .00 | 25.00 |
| Hiwassee Union | .00 | 580.21 |
| Covenant | 238.00 | .00 |
| Mountain Springs | 464.00 | .00 |
| Mountain View | .00 | .00 |
| Oak Grove | 878.12 | 272.45 |
| Old Ocoee | .00 | 58.00 |
| Pine Ridge | 150.00 | .00 |
| Pleasant Grove | 125.00 | .00 |
| Shiloh | 795.24 | 213.04 |
| Smyrna | 1,106.04 | 1,243.00 |
| Springtown | .00 | .00 |
| Towee | .00 | .00 |
| Victory | .00 | .00 |
| Welcome Valley | .00 | .00 |
| Wetmore | 180.00 | 195.00 |
| Zion | 1,611.52 | 2,896.40 |
| Total | 9,706.78 | 9,103.03 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated | Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|-------------------------|---------------------|------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|----------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| East Valley..... | .00 | .00 | Emmanuel..... | 186.00 | .00 | Southside..... | 545.28 | 550.00 | Mount Pleasant..... | .00 | 133.33 |
| Ebenezer..... | 1,216.65 | 515.35 | Eudora..... | 15,333.36 | 6,367.11 | Trinity..... | 50.00 | 115.74 | Mount Vernon..... | .00 | .00 |
| Ewtonville..... | 1,697.45 | 660.00 | Fairlawn..... | 344.69 | 2,471.63 | Turkey Creek..... | 510.78 | 941.53 | Mount Zion..... | 289.15 | 150.00 |
| Flat Mountain..... | 478.15 | 530.18 | Fellowship..... | 662.36 | .00 | West Shiloh..... | 900.00 | 837.00 | Murrays..... | .00 | 113.00 |
| Grace..... | 211.12 | .00 | Fisherville, First..... | 999.96 | 1,150.23 | Total..... | 27,867.47 | 24,684.63 | New Bethany..... | .00 | 372.00 |
| Jasper, First..... | 5,971.45 | 2,615.99 | Forest Hill..... | 796.58 | 1,337.02 | STEWART COUNTY | | | | | |
| Kimball..... | 894.00 | 502.06 | Frayser..... | 11,029.19 | 3,910.13 | Bear Springs..... | 102.50 | 95.00 | New Macedonia..... | .00 | 1,500.00 |
| Laager..... | 55.00 | 250.00 | Georgian Hills..... | 7,420.15 | 3,875.90 | Big Rock..... | 498.00 | 410.00 | New Providence..... | .00 | .00 |
| Lees Station..... | 60.08 | .00 | Germantown..... | 23,573.90 | 9,346.77 | Carlisle..... | .00 | .00 | North Sweetwater..... | .00 | 1,275.00 |
| Little Hopewell..... | .00 | .00 | Glen Park..... | 1,300.00 | 621.38 | Corinth..... | .00 | 306.70 | Notchey Creek..... | 300.00 | 354.75 |
| Midway..... | 172.26 | .00 | Graceland..... | 10,657.96 | 6,461.09 | Dover, First..... | 2,647.23 | 1,042.10 | Oak Grove..... | 197.34 | 90.00 |
| Mineral Springs..... | 45.00 | 220.75 | Graham Heights..... | .00 | 1,147.88 | Fairview..... | 166.00 | 49.45 | Oakland..... | 333.00 | .00 |
| Mount Calvary..... | 225.44 | 550.00 | Greenhills..... | 4,731.53 | 3,360.54 | Hurricane Creek..... | 182.30 | .00 | Old Sweetwater..... | .00 | 60.00 |
| Palmer, First..... | 157.75 | .00 | Greenlaw..... | .00 | 1,662.76 | Lakeview..... | 212.69 | 139.55 | Piney Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Pikeville, 1st So..... | 2,215.85 | 510.00 | Havenview..... | 128.52 | .00 | Midway..... | 136.00 | .00 | Poplar Bluff..... | .00 | 1,572.31 |
| Richard City, First..... | 210.00 | 300.00 | Hickory Hills..... | 7,280.62 | 2,766.43 | Mount Sinai..... | 5.00 | 5.00 | Reed Springs..... | 150.00 | 727.37 |
| Sequatchie, First..... | 541.19 | 37.82 | Hickory Ridge..... | 6,290.55 | 1,362.88 | New Haven..... | 50.00 | 35.00 | Rocky Springs..... | 270.00 | 1,542.00 |
| S. Pittsburg, First..... | 8,983.27 | 5,052.31 | Highland Heights..... | 27,708.31 | 11,679.22 | Pleasant Grove..... | .00 | 38.42 | Rural Vale..... | .00 | .00 |
| South Whitwell..... | 710.48 | 184.00 | Hollywood..... | 2,253.00 | 1,376.88 | Pugh Flat..... | .00 | .00 | Shady Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Whitewell, First..... | 2,119.55 | 2,031.58 | Holmes Street..... | 300.00 | 358.00 | Walnut Grove..... | .00 | 50.00 | Sheltons Grove..... | .00 | .00 |
| Total..... | 31,343.81 | 15,574.84 | Kensington..... | 5,473.90 | 2,908.56 | Total..... | 3,999.72 | 2,171.22 | Shoal Creek..... | .00 | .00 |
| SEVIER COUNTY | | | La Belle Haven..... | 5,352.77 | 6,188.42 | STONE | | | | | |
| Alder Branch..... | 2,474.46 | 1,890.50 | La Belle Place..... | 7,697.31 | 1,616.59 | Algood, First..... | .00 | .00 | South Madisonville..... | 175.93 | 527.79 |
| Antioch..... | 1,025.81 | 700.70 | Lakeshores..... | 1,250.00 | 475.00 | Bangham Heights..... | 1,007.77 | 395.00 | Sweetwater, First..... | 16,170.48 | 5,351.77 |
| Banner..... | 519.45 | 165.50 | Lamar Heights..... | 6,076.87 | 5,716.93 | Baxter, First..... | 128.31 | 100.00 | Tallico..... | .00 | .00 |
| Beech Springs..... | 324.00 | 1,062.12 | Leaclair..... | 10,761.03 | 2,072.41 | Bear Creek..... | .00 | .00 | Tallico Plains, First..... | 2,390.52 | 741.03 |
| Bethel..... | 799.10 | 867.50 | Leawood..... | 23,799.88 | 6,953.36 | Brotherton..... | 382.68 | 286.81 | Tewis Springs..... | 72.00 | 502.19 |
| Blowing Cave..... | 15.00 | .00 | Longcrest..... | 673.92 | 1,050.31 | Cane Creek..... | 42.00 | 223.00 | Towee Falls..... | .00 | .00 |
| Boys Creek..... | 1,118.15 | 572.00 | Lucy..... | 979.97 | 1,520.89 | Caney Fork..... | 880.72 | 1,085.00 | Trinity..... | .00 | .00 |
| Bradleys Chapel..... | .00 | .00 | Macon Road..... | .00 | 180.00 | Cedar Hill..... | 424.74 | 416.57 | Unicoi..... | 12.00 | .00 |
| Calvary..... | .00 | .00 | Mallory Heights..... | .00 | .00 | Central Emmanuel..... | 99.00 | .00 | Union Grove..... | 20.00 | .00 |
| Covemont..... | 28.00 | .00 | Mc Lean..... | 250.00 | 2,997.35 | Cookeville, First..... | 18,135.86 | 18,440.59 | Union Hall..... | .00 | .00 |
| Dripping Springs..... | 209.16 | .00 | Memphis, First..... | 46,226.05 | 41,646.19 | Dillard's Creek..... | 36.69 | .00 | Vonore..... | 1,158.50 | 854.39 |
| Dupont..... | 935.40 | 886.00 | Memphis, Second..... | 8,017.36 | 12,377.95 | Dodson Branch..... | 314.85 | .00 | Watson Chapel..... | 30.00 | 15.00 |
| French Broad Valley..... | 75.00 | .00 | Merton Avenue..... | 6,704.94 | 8,075.36 | Eastwood..... | 528.58 | 905.78 | Westside..... | 52.50 | 202.00 |
| Friendship..... | .00 | .00 | Millington, First..... | 14,771.48 | 4,326.05 | Gainesboro, First..... | 251.17 | 311.98 | Williamsburg..... | .00 | .00 |
| Garlinburg, First..... | 4,631.00 | 3,227.39 | Millington, Second..... | 390.00 | 60.00 | Hampton Cross Roads..... | 739.38 | 718.44 | Total..... | 36,953.31 | 31,127.46 |
| Gists Creek..... | 456.78 | .00 | Mountain Terrace..... | 6,460.00 | 2,271.00 | Johnson..... | .00 | .00 | TENNESSEE VALLEY | | |
| Gum Stand..... | .00 | .00 | Mullins Station..... | 2,751.63 | 3,097.85 | Macedonia..... | 15.00 | 15.00 | Bethel..... | 224.25 | 400.00 |
| Henderson Chapel..... | .00 | 271.20 | National Avenue..... | 9,267.71 | 993.74 | Midway..... | 1,004.04 | 70.00 | Central..... | 2,517.00 | 446.00 |
| Hills Creek..... | 166.48 | 109.64 | New Allen Road..... | 860.44 | 405.43 | Mill Creek..... | .00 | 205.00 | Clear Creek..... | .00 | 93.48 |
| Howards View..... | .00 | .00 | North Frayser..... | 240.00 | 654.37 | Monterey, First..... | 7,149.97 | 686.10 | Cranmore Cove..... | 53.28 | 82.00 |
| Hurst Chapel..... | .00 | .00 | Northview..... | 7,153.64 | 1,727.91 | Nash Grove..... | 443.00 | 256.90 | Dayton, First..... | 4,813.75 | 3,989.71 |
| Jones Chapel..... | 196.00 | 600.00 | Oakhaven..... | 9,414.26 | 3,197.62 | New Home..... | 1,540.00 | 1,355.10 | Garrison..... | .00 | 613.20 |
| Knob Creek..... | 342.72 | 1,253.29 | Oaklawn..... | 3,569.68 | 1,265.00 | Poplar Grove..... | 804.39 | 470.43 | Grandview..... | 450.00 | 100.00 |
| Laurel Branch..... | 48.56 | .00 | Oakville Memo..... | 6,648.14 | 2,919.16 | Poplar Springs..... | 290.12 | .00 | Graysville..... | .00 | .00 |
| Laruel Grove..... | 68.89 | .00 | Orchi..... | 1,872.59 | 525.10 | Rocky Point..... | 89.34 | 114.00 | High Point..... | 153.94 | 85.69 |
| Lebanon..... | .00 | 273.85 | Park Ave..... | 11,933.67 | 6,743.56 | Sand Springs..... | * 769.78 | .00 | Lake Drive..... | 254.00 | 635.77 |
| Little Cove..... | .00 | .00 | Parkway Village..... | 13,364.56 | 2,428.08 | Shiloh..... | 11.42 | .00 | Mount Vernon..... | .00 | 1,030.00 |
| Maples Branch..... | 60.00 | 34.46 | Peabody..... | 780.00 | 2,053.58 | Silver Point..... | 438.88 | 635.00 | Mount Zion..... | 398.29 | 585.77 |
| Millican Grove..... | 323.42 | 814.00 | Poplar Avenue..... | 461.66 | 642.60 | Stevens Street..... | 856.97 | 877.75 | New Union..... | 3,543.98 | 1,023.76 |
| Mount Zion..... | 256.25 | 400.00 | Prescott Memorial..... | .00 | 1,265.75 | Verble..... | 50.00 | 50.00 | Ogden..... | .00 | 3,420.78 |
| Mountain View..... | 565.64 | 300.00 | Raleigh..... | 20,876.66 | 14,515.44 | Washington Ave..... | 2,597.00 | 674.46 | Pennine..... | .00 | 1,438.16 |
| New Era..... | 331.81 | 740.81 | Raleigh Heights..... | .00 | .00 | West View..... | 852.00 | 1,324.73 | Saint Clair..... | .00 | 314.00 |
| New Salem..... | 360.00 | 68.42 | Raleigh North..... | 1,390.06 | 628.00 | Wilhite..... | .00 | 130.20 | Sale Creek..... | 330.81 | 116.26 |
| Oak City..... | 640.59 | 1,693.00 | Range Hills..... | 3,847.75 | 1,369.01 | Woodcliff..... | 55.46 | 217.12 | Salem..... | 996.90 | 756.76 |
| Old Fashioned..... | .00 | .00 | Richland..... | 1,230.13 | 1,217.23 | Total..... | 39,739.12 | 29,964.96 | Smyrna..... | 1,028.48 | 732.00 |
| Oldhams Creek..... | 50.83 | 139.35 | Ridgecrest..... | 1,151.12 | 1,085.29 | SULLIVAN | | | Spring City, First..... | 9,074.44 | 3,162.97 |
| Paw Paw Hollow..... | .00 | 100.00 | Ridgeview..... | 15,999.98 | 24,688.74 | Bloomingdale..... | 950.00 | 3,940.60 | Walden Ridge..... | 1,06 | |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Little Mountain | 515.91 | 67.00 |
| Lynn Valley | 515.37 | 600.00 |
| Meadow View | .00 | 260.00 |
| Mountain City, First | 4,960.00 | 2,761.85 |
| North Side | 654.17 | 97.00 |
| Oak Street | 2,751.35 | 1,524.84 |
| Pine Grove | .00 | 470.00 |
| Pleasant Grove | 3,839.27 | 2,719.30 |
| Pleasant Home | .00 | .00 |
| Poplar Grove | 39.50 | 183.77 |
| Powder Branch | .00 | 607.50 |
| Rittertown | 1,952.26 | 1,037.96 |
| Riverview | 316.35 | 56.06 |
| Roan Creek | 550.00 | 142.00 |
| Roan Mountain, First | 742.53 | 664.45 |
| Roan Park | 421.20 | 235.00 |
| Rock Springs | .00 | 100.00 |
| Shady Valley | .00 | 100.00 |
| Siam | 9,502.94 | 3,069.55 |
| Sink Valley | 765.10 | 319.36 |
| Sinking Creek | 1,499.94 | 680.25 |
| State Line | 948.01 | 161.00 |
| Stoney Creek | .00 | 1,025.00 |
| Sugar Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Unaka | 2,182.58 | 1,167.00 |
| Union | 1,569.35 | 1,068.25 |
| Watauga, First | 589.59 | 491.06 |
| Willow Springs | .00 | .00 |
| Zion | 574.48 | 800.00 |
| Total | 86,580.44 | 46,513.02 |

WEAKLEY COUNTY

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|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Adams Chapel | 685.00 | 822.00 |
| Beech Springs | .00 | 30.00 |
| Bethel | 4,984.00 | 4,111.00 |
| Bethlehem | .00 | 1,578.61 |
| Bible Union | 160.00 | 186.05 |
| Calvary | 242.90 | 101.45 |
| Central | 5,034.34 | 4,204.80 |
| Corinth | 205.00 | 675.00 |
| Davis Memorial | .00 | .00 |
| Dresden, First | 3,162.50 | 3,338.85 |
| Fellowship | 112.67 | 543.34 |
| Gearins Chapel | 270.20 | 338.39 |
| Gleason, First | 1,892.27 | 2,114.61 |
| Greenfield, First | 6,559.32 | 2,575.00 |
| Hodges Chapel | .00 | .00 |
| Jolley Springs | 1,330.37 | 867.00 |
| Liberty | 115.59 | .00 |
| Macks Grove | 45.00 | 500.00 |
| Maranatha | .00 | 1,054.41 |
| Moore's Chapel | 50.00 | 33.00 |
| New Hope | 400.00 | 582.10 |
| New Prospect | 367.94 | 100.00 |
| New Salem | 280.80 | 57.25 |
| Northwestern | 1,047.32 | 500.00 |
| Oak Grove No. 1 | 300.00 | 874.23 |
| Oak Grove No. 2 | .00 | .00 |
| Old Bethel | 154.72 | 137.00 |
| Palmer'sville | 711.24 | 139.30 |
| Pleasant Grove | .00 | 756.30 |
| Pleasant View | 158.56 | 439.62 |
| Public Wells | .00 | 347.55 |
| Ralston | 904.42 | 443.85 |
| Ruthville | 30.00 | .00 |
| Sand Hill | .00 | 245.00 |
| Sharon, First | 1,286.50 | 945.50 |
| Sidonia | 150.00 | 135.14 |
| Southside | 4,338.48 | 2,529.18 |
| Thompson Creek | 160.00 | 501.00 |
| Tumbling Creek | 249.00 | 215.00 |
| Union Grove | 30.00 | 100.00 |
| West Union | 390.00 | 642.00 |
| Total | 35,808.14 | 32,763.53 |

WESTERN DISTRICT

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|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Bethlehem | 360.00 | 851.64 |
| Big Sandy, First | 1,213.00 | 900.55 |
| Birds Creek | 155.77 | 148.00 |
| Central Point | .00 | 85.00 |
| Cottage Grove | 1,568.94 | 865.00 |
| Fairview | 1,797.03 | 625.00 |
| Friendship | 244.80 | 35.81 |
| Henry | 300.00 | 240.00 |
| Jones Chapel | 450.00 | 309.00 |
| Mansfield | 844.96 | 303.81 |
| Maplewood | 5,173.00 | 2,845.47 |
| McDavids Grove | .00 | .00 |
| Mount Sinai | 299.65 | 33.00 |
| New Bethel | .00 | 45.00 |
| New Hope | 50.00 | .00 |
| North Fork | 803.84 | 400.00 |
| Oak Hill | .00 | 175.00 |
| Paris, First | 25,002.43 | 12,671.31 |
| Point Pleasant | 1,115.64 | 417.20 |
| Puryear | 5,672.52 | 3,015.60 |
| Ramble Creek | 36.00 | 100.00 |
| Shady Grove | 70.00 | 41.00 |
| Spring Creek | 100.00 | 67.90 |
| Spring Hill | 985.45 | 216.80 |
| Springville | 370.50 | 110.00 |
| Temple | 8,639.09 | 2,337.06 |
| Union Friendship | 586.51 | 840.10 |
| West Paris | 10,509.79 | 1,265.00 |
| Total | 66,348.92 | 28,944.25 |

WILLIAM CAREY

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|---------------------|-----------|----------|
| Ardmore, First | .00 | 88.50 |
| Brogan Avenue | 533.10 | 268.86 |
| Calvary | 25.00 | .00 |
| Cash Point | 1,603.00 | 1,232.15 |
| Donaldson Grove | 954.92 | .00 |
| Elora | 60.00 | 250.00 |
| Fayetteville, First | 11,260.17 | 5,264.12 |
| Flintville, First | 2,133.10 | 1,739.50 |
| Hickory Grove | .00 | 103.00 |
| Hilldale | .00 | 200.00 |
| Howell, First | .00 | .00 |

| Church | Cooperative Program | Designated |
|-------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Kelley's Creek | 60.00 | 52.00 |
| Kirkland | 687.30 | 160.00 |
| Lexie Cross Road | 289.47 | .00 |
| Lincoln | 1,444.72 | 298.25 |
| Macedonia | 758.99 | 231.58 |
| Molina | .00 | .00 |
| Mulberry | 30.00 | .00 |
| New Grove | 90.00 | 521.74 |
| New Hope | .00 | 71.75 |
| Oak Grove | 79.78 | .00 |
| Oak Hill | 730.00 | 401.28 |
| Parks City | 3,480.00 | 1,200.14 |
| Petersburg, First | 249.95 | 164.58 |
| Pleasant Grove | 25.00 | 483.68 |
| Pleasant Hill | 733.57 | .00 |
| Pleasant Ridge | 143.82 | 57.52 |
| Prospect | 260.00 | 1,224.33 |
| Stewart's Chapel | 67.13 | 34.27 |
| Taft, First | .00 | 112.39 |
| West End | 1,738.72 | 611.40 |
| Total | 27,437.74 | 14,771.04 |

WILSON COUNTY

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|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Alexandria | 2,836.32 | 1,291.86 |
| Bartons Creek | .00 | 648.00 |
| Bellwood | 311.24 | 65.22 |
| Calvary | 624.91 | .00 |
| Cedar Creek | 1,476.67 | 926.18 |
| Cedar Grove | 593.27 | 112.26 |
| Chandler | 141.13 | 31.00 |
| Fairview | 4,737.55 | 3,907.31 |
| Fall Creek | 3,432.42 | 1,880.01 |
| Gladeville | 2,219.62 | 1,025.30 |
| Greenville | 130.09 | .00 |
| Hillcrest | 2,982.51 | 665.43 |
| Hurricane | 430.56 | 936.00 |
| Immanuel | 13,650.95 | 5,974.68 |
| La Guardo | 4,173.13 | 835.35 |
| Lebanon, First | 16,449.88 | 8,488.98 |
| Linwood | 60.66 | .00 |
| Macedonia | 589.92 | 1,076.00 |
| Martha | 315.08 | 100.00 |
| Mount Juliet | 15,488.79 | 6,996.62 |
| Mount Olivet | 1,012.74 | 726.00 |
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| Mount Harmony | .00 | 100.00 |
| Mount Holston | .00 | 137.00 |
| New Beverly | .00 | 100.00 |
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| Paw Paw Plains | .00 | 1,266.57 |
| Seventeenth Ave. Tab. | .00 | 25.00 |
| St. Johns | .00 | 50.00 |
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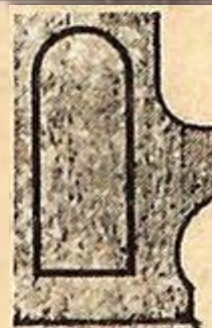
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Houston church raises \$1-million in 40 days

By Debbie Stewart

HOUSTON, Texas (BP)—Sagemont Baptist Church raised more than a million dollars between March 18 and April 29 because 300 families gave their total income for those 40 days to a building fund.

John D. Morgan, pastor of the Houston church, told the congregation at 10 p.m. on April 29 in an extended Sunday service, that they had contributed \$1,077,469 in 40 days toward their new sanctuary. The pastor said the sum is primarily cash but that some other commitments such as stock will be converted to cash.

Sagemont members, including the pastor and his family, pulled out all stops for 40 days. They gave salaries, painted fences, and cut expenses by eating vegetable soup together at the church to come up with the money because "we pay cash for everything." The "cash only" policy applies to the church itself, and many of its families, the pastor said.

A man made a profession of faith in Jesus Christ and was baptized because of the witness of Sagemont men who painted his home to make extra money for the building fund. The man at first could not believe they would work like that for their church.

Sagemont's effort didn't happen overnight.

The stamina to give the church "as much as we could earn with our talents and energies in 40 days" was developed during the past two years. Morgan said the Sagemont experience can happen anywhere a church becomes as important to people as their boats, hunting leases, vacations, and second cars.

Sagemont Baptist Church began as a mission 12 years ago with 16 members led by Morgan. He was a mission starter paid \$125 monthly from the Mary Hill Davis state missions offering of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Sagemont, which now has 3,000 members, gave \$4,640 to the state missions offering last year, and \$11,673 to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for home missions this

spring.

Offerings of Sagemont members during the 40 days first provided contributions of 37 percent of normal budget to the Southern Baptist Cooperative Program budget and other missions, then to staff salaries and utilities, and the balance to the sanctuary building fund. Offerings in visitors' envelopes followed Sagemont's custom of going to state, home, or foreign missions of the denomination.

Most of the 300 families and individuals who gave all their income during the 40 days have become free of major debts after completing "Financial Freedom Seminars" led by their pastor.

About 500 more families were involved in raising a million dollars in 40 days through their prayers. "These are members still in the process of recovering from debt. They have told me they expect the Lord will use them on paying the balance of the sanctuary costs," Morgan said.

Sagemont's new sanctuary is expected to cost \$2.5-million. It will accommodate a growing and a giving church. The church presently has two Sunday schools, two worship services, and four children's services on Sunday mornings because of limited space.

Members' contributions included checks of \$10,000 and more, and a town home. The average gift of individual or family income for the 40 days was between two and five thousand dollars but also included such gifts as \$20 raised by young boys who mowed lawns and a penny taped to a peppermint and put in the offering plate by a six-year-old.

Like other men and women of the church, Morgan and his wife Beth took on extra jobs during the 40 days to boost their gift of income to the church. Like most parents who gave their total income, the Morgans delayed such purchases as blue jeans for their boys. Mrs. Morgan worked as an interior decorator, although she usually is a full-time homemaker and church leader.

The 40-day period was selected because "several places in Scripture, the Lord chose 40 days in which to accomplish a certain work," Morgan said. The Sagemont pastor secured 300 families to volunteer their incomes, comparing his "army" with the army of Gideon in the Old Testament.

Morgan has told the congregation for several years that "when the Lord is ready, Sagemont will give 40 days of the total income that the Lord blesses us with back to him."

The pastor became convinced several years ago that people free of major debt can give more to their church, and want to give more through a church whose offerings help missions instead of pay great interest on debt.

In the Financial Freedom Seminars, Morgan advised his people to sell depreciating items they could live without, such as boats, second cars, and televisions. A few families paid off their homes.

"As our people gave the Lord their desire to be free of debt, they received raises, bonuses, and income tax returns," Morgan said. "They used the extra income to pay debts instead of make new purchases."

Some families had garage sales together and applied profits to pay bills.

Several hundred families were prepared when the church decided that the time had come this spring to give a million dollars to start the new sanctuary. Most of the families, who gave their total incomes, paid bills a month in advance of the 40 days. "They set aside enough to live on during the 40 days, spent only what was necessary, and loved it," Morgan said. "I don't know of anybody who lost a pound because they gave their money to the church."

The congregation seemed to thrive on the "warm fellowship" generated in the intensive effort of raising a million dollars. About 200 families bought groceries cooperatively to save money during the 40 days. They bought enough to feed a family of five with fruits and vegetables for seven dollars a week. Some members plan to continue buying groceries in groups of 10 to 12 families.

HISTORICALLY FROM THE FILES

50 YEARS AGO

C.E. Wauford resigned the work as pastor of the church at Jonesboro to become pastor of Smithwood Baptist Church in Knox County.

J.E. Bell accepted the call of Sand Hill Baptist Church near Gleason. He formerly served as pastor of Eudora Baptist Church, Memphis.

25 YEARS AGO

Gene Kidd of Albany, Ga. was elected administrator of Baptist Hospital, Nashville. He was expected to begin his new work around June 15 and would succeed Robert Murphy. Murphy who had served as administrator of the hospital since it came into Baptist possession had resigned to become administrator of a hospital in Lima, Ohio.

East Maryville Church, Maryville, entered its new building. It was constructed during the past year at a cost of more than \$100,000, and the total indebtedness was \$20,000. O.H. Hunter was pastor.

10 YEARS AGO

Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly was celebrating its 60th year of ministry to Southern Baptists when it opened its 1969 assembly session. The first worship service was conducted from an improvised porch built on an old log cabin across the road from Ridgecrest Baptist Church. B.W. Spilman, Ridgecrest's founder, preached the first sermon.

Plans for a \$1,671,940 building program for the Franklin branch of the Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes was approved by the Executive Board of the Tennessee Baptist Convention during its May meeting. A highlight of the two-day committee and board sessions was the laying of the cornerstone for the new Executive Board building in Brentwood. George E. Capps Jr. was chairman of the building committee.

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By Jonas L. Stewart

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