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Baptist Association

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Hello Church,

Our Annual Meeting on October 18 is fast approaching, and I think it may be helpful to provide another reminder about associational messengers. In order to have messengers represent your church, they must be voted in as a messenger to the association during one of your business meetings before the Annual Meeting, and there must be a record of this vote. Additionally, your church must be a contributor to the association. In accordance with our by-laws, member status is defined as follows:

The membership of the association shall be composed of messengers elected by cooperating Baptist churches who contribute to the association. Each Church shall elect their pastor and, according to its own method, elect one messenger for the first 50 members and one additional messenger for each additional 50 resident members, not to exceed 10 messengers in total. These churches shall be known as "Association Members."

Your messenger list must be reported to Donna Fowler at the DeSoto-Tate Baptist Association office (662-429-5033) or donnaflower@desototate.org. Upon arriving at the meeting, the messengers will need to check in to receive a name tag.

If your messengers are NOT voted on by your congregation per your by-laws, and reported to us for a name tag, they will NOT be able to vote at the Annual Meeting.

I am available for questions about this process or to discuss/confirm the number of messengers your church can have. Please call me at 662-292-8084 or 662-429-5033.

The location for the Annual Meeting is Hernando Baptist Church, 11 E Center St, Hernando. The start time is 5:30 pm.

In Christ,
Bro Dennis Landrum
Associational Missions Strategist
John 10:10

A DAY TO EXPLORE AND DIVE INTO WHAT MISSIONS HAS TO DO WITH YOU

Fall Missions Conference

OCTOBER 31, 2026



Join us for a day to discover how you can interact with the call to Missions. We will worship the Lord through preaching and corporate worship, while also getting to hear from unique breakout speakers and discover different pathways for missions

Day of Details:

DATE: OCTOBER 31, 2026

TIME: 9AM - 3:00 P.M. (LUNCH INCLUDED)

PRICE: \$5 PER PERSON

LOCATION: IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
7423 NEW CRAFT RD.
OLIVE BRANCH, MS 38654

AGE GROUP: 6TH GRADE - COLLEGE

More Info:

Jake Simmons
615-818-6244
jsimmons@discoverjoy.com

Please RSVP by
October 17

Ministry Opportunity

easttate
baptistchurch

WE ARE

HIRING

Position :

Part-time Youth Leader

Requirements:

- Called to serve the Lord through leading youth in Bible study on Sundays and Wednesdays
- No experience required

For more information please contact:

Nathan Boyd 662-560-7189

Apply Now : easttatebaptist@gmail.com



Annual Meeting

when

October 18, 2026
5:30 pm

where

Hernando Baptist Church

11 E Center St • Hernando

REMINDER

Any of our church members may attend the Annual Meeting, but only those elected to be messengers of the Association will be able to vote. These messengers must have been voted into this role during a church business meeting, and there needs to be a record of this vote. Per our by-laws, "The membership of the association shall be composed of messengers elected by cooperating Baptist churches who contribute to the association. Each church shall elect their pastor and, according to its own method, elect one messenger for the first 50 members and one additional messenger for each additional 50 resident members, not to exceed 10 messengers in total."

A church's messenger list MUST be reported to our office at 662-429-5033 or donna.fowler@desototate.org by October 9. Upon arriving at the meeting, these messengers will be presented with a name badge. Without this registration/name badge, they will NOT be able to vote.

Financial Report

Compiled by: Donna Fowler, Ministry Assistant

Organization	Monthly Gifts	YTD Gifts	Organization	Monthly Gifts	YTD Gifts
A Path of Grace	0.00	0.00	Lifepoint Church	50.00	400.00
Arkabutla Baptist Church	500.00	1,000.00	Longview Heights Baptist Church	2,500.00	20,000.00
Bethel Baptist Church	74.78	571.95	Longview Point Baptist Church	2,583.54	25,063.17
Bett Baptist Church	0.00	0.00	Looxahoma Baptist Church	244.44	4,087.43
Boulevard Baptist Church	0.00	990.00	Macedonia Baptist Church	0.00	0.00
Broadway Baptist Church	250.00	2,000.00	Meadow Brook Baptist Church	2,600.38	21,599.62
Calvary Baptist Church	0.00	1,208.34	Mercy Hill	0.00	496.00
Carriage Hills Baptist Church	0.00	0.00	Mt. Manna Baptist Church	940.00	8,491.00
Cedar View Baptist Church	0.00	1,834.99	Mt. Zion - Hernando	0.00	0.00
Center Hill Baptist Church	0.00	600.00	Mt. Zion - Independence	225.00	1,800.00
Church Road Baptist Church	472.98	5,127.74	Nesbit FBC	656.97	6,744.22
Coldwater FBC	458.00	3,664.00	New Garden Baptist Church	0.00	0.00
Colonial Hills	166.67	1,499.99	New Hope Baptist Church	167.38	1,256.36
Community Point (Missions)	0.00	0.00	New Prospect Baptist Church	100.00	800.00
Days FBC	546.00	4,273.00	Oak Grove Baptist Church	40.00	320.00
Desoto Hills	3,702.09	27,833.64	Olive Branch FBC	600.00	1,350.00
Desoto Woods	0.00	0.00	Parkway Baptist Church	0.00	500.00
East Tate Baptist Church	0.00	1,443.40	Pleasant Hill Baptist Church	0.00	150.00
Eastpoint Baptist Church	100.00	800.00	Redeemer Baptist Church	0.00	2,360.00
Ebenezer Baptist Church	208.50	1,713.28	Riverbend	100.00	800.00
Eudora	0.00	500.00	Sarah Baptist Church	0.00	0.00
Evansville Baptist Church	182.99	1,656.76	Senatobia Bible (Missions)	113.31	912.16
Flag Lake Baptist Church	0.00	600.00	Senatobia FBC	450.00	3,600.00
Gracewood Baptist Church	630.00	4,700.52	Southaven FBC	448.14	5,061.20
Grays Creek Baptist Church	236.50	1,779.09	Strayhorn Baptist Church	215.00	1,738.00
Greenbrook Baptist Church	0.00	500.00	The Grove Baptist Church	125.00	1,000.00
Heartland	207.90	1,663.20	Trinity Baptist Church	112.50	762.66
Hernando Baptist Church	1,250.00	10,000.00	Twin Lakes Baptist Church	200.00	1,950.00
Highland Baptist Church	0.00	753.01	Tyro Baptist Church	355.00	2,530.00
Horn Lake FBC	219.13	2,261.87	Victory Baptist Church	0.00	100.00
Immanuel Baptist Church	1,000.00	8,000.00	Wyatte Baptist Church	0.00	3,333.36
LaBelle Haven	3,052.11	27,110.60			
			TOTALS	\$ 26,084.31	\$ 231,290.56

Totals include gifts to the Ervin Brown Training Center

AUGUST
2026

RECEIPTS	MTD	YTD	CHECKING BALANCE	\$ 67,561.97
GENERAL	\$ 24,843.15	\$ 221,754.81	CONTINGENCY FUND	54,148.76
EBTC	1,241.16	10,544.29	TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 121,710.73
OTHER	334.00	20,417.51		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 26,418.31	\$ 252,716.61		
BUDGET NEEDS	\$ 32,092.80	\$ 256,742.41		
BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$ 26,084.31	\$ 232,299.10		



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~ upcoming events ~

OCTOBER	
12	Columbus Day
13	Administrative Meeting 1:00 pm DTBA Office
15	Executive Meeting 11:00 am Trinity Baptist Church
16	National Boss' Day
18	DTBA Annual Meeting 5:30 pm Hernando Baptist Church
NOVEMBER	
11	Veteran's Day
17	Administrative Meeting 1:00 pm DTBA Office
26	Thanksgiving Day
DECEMBER	
24	Christmas Eve
25	Christmas Day
31	New Year's Eve