



August 2024

*Serving the churches of Bethel Baptist Association
as we strive to reach the World for Jesus!*

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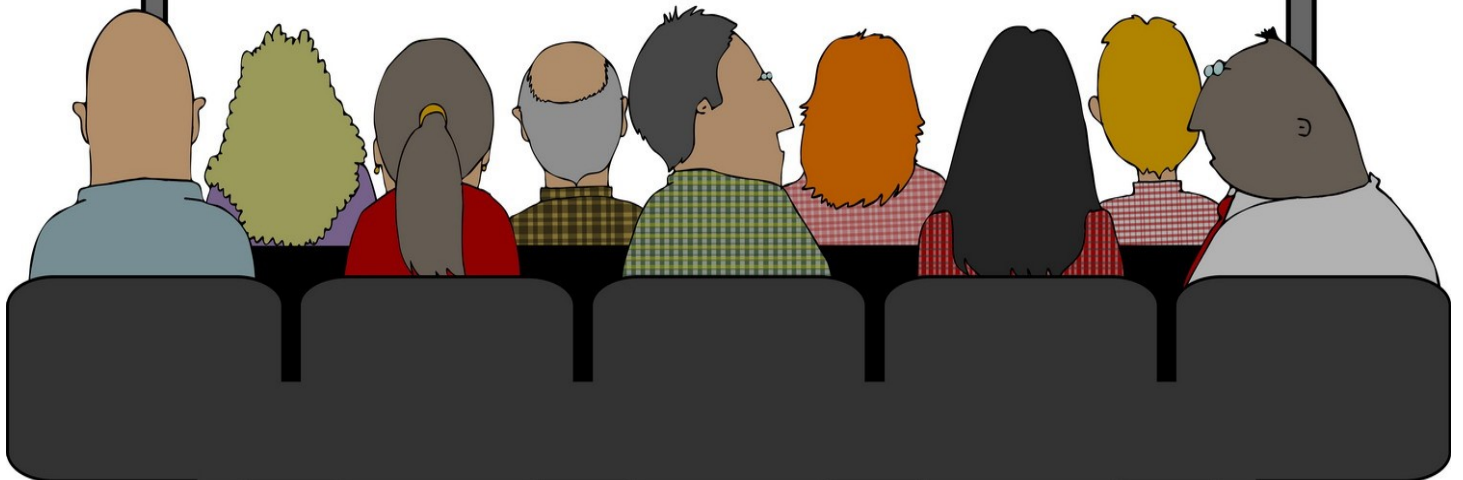
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, August 12th @ 6:30 pm

The Executive Committee shall consist of the following: (1) general officers of THE ASSOCIATION; (2) leadership specialists; (3) ministry team leaders; (4) chairpersons of all standing committees; (5) pastors of affiliated churches; and (6) two other members elected by each church, one of whom must be a layperson.

The Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer of THE ASSOCIATION shall also serve as the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer of the Executive Committee respectively.

Article XV BBA BY-LAWS



Dear Bethel Baptist Brothers and Sisters,

Let me begin by telling you that you are appreciated for all you do for the glory of God in His Kingdom work. I know that we are a diverse and geographically scattered association of churches, but we can accomplish more together than on our own. I challenge you to come together so we can strengthen one another as churches and pastors. In Philippians 4:1-5 ESV we are challenged with these Words: *“So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus. Unity is essential for Joy! We have the encouragement for unity in Christ”*. We are told we have the same love – the love that we have in Christ. We are challenged to be humble. We are encouraged to be like minded and of one accord. We are challenged to look out for the interests of others, not only our own. Even though we live in the buckle of the Bible belt we are surrounded by vast numbers of people that are lost and headed for hell. Let each of us come together in unity and joy to make a difference in Bethel Baptist Association community. I shudder to think of the souls that could end up in eternal torment because of our lack of unity, joy and love. I truly believe if we cooperate together in a unity we will see God do some amazing things within our midst! We do need two additional people to serve on the BBA nominating team for the 2024-2025 year. Please let us know if you would serve. There is only 2 meetings needed to complete the tasks.

Please do not forget the Annual Church Profiles have been mailed to each church to be completed. They can be filed online, or you can complete the paper report and the BBA office will submit it for you. Last year we were 100% and I encourage you to make it unanimous this year. If you have questions or need assistance – please feel free to call me.

With Joy,

Bro Jim Weaver

229-403-1034

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, August 5th @ 6:30 pm
BBA Office

Please contact Bro. Jim if you cannot make it.

~ Thank You ~



Truck Loading at the BBA Fall Meeting on Sunday,
Oct. 13th 3:00 pm
The Meeting starts at 5:00 pm
Faith Baptist Church in Cuthbert
A list of items needed for the home will be out soon.
Gift cards are a great way to donate.

<https://www.georgiachildren.org/>

Please continue to pray that God would meet the needs of the **Welcome Home building project**, a new ministry of **Rehoboth Ranch Ministries**. Welcome Home will be home to local foster kids in need of a loving family environment and will be located on two acres at the Rehoboth Ranch Property, which is on Country Club Rd. Edison GA.



CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS
June 27, - July 25 2024

Total to Date
Dec. 27, 2023 -
July 25, 2024

Arlington	738.00	5,419.00
Bethel	110.68	1,120.30
Beulah	123.30	884.21
Blakely FBC	4,133.11	18,388.65
Bluffton	740.15	4,992.26
Carnegie		
Coleman		
Colomokee	304.56	2,491.35
Cuthbert FBC	600.00	4,200.00
Damascus (E)		1,200.00
Damascus (R)	711.70	5,040.39
Edison	83.20	629.44
Enterprise	1,021.02	3,876.27
Faith	2,500.00	2,500.00
Fort Gaines	895.51	6,871.00
Georgetown		1,249.98
Leary	113.20	803.72
Milford		6,790.00
Morgan		4,000.00
Morris		2,705.00
Mt. Gilead	76.06	410.69
Mt. Hebron	250.00	1,750.00
Mt. Vernon	242.07	1,013.43
New Bethel		
New Hope	176.10	1,186.86
New Zion		
Rehoboth		
Salem		176.23
Shellman FBC	250.00	1,750.00
Shiloh	706.00	4,038.00
Southside	300.00	2,100.00
Sowhattee		1,713.28
Springvale	100.00	500.00
Vilulah	50.00	300.00
Individuals	50.00	400.00
GA Baptist Convention		700.00
TOTAL	14,274.66	88,700.06
Balances July 25		
General Fund		166,232.09
Designated Fund		29,180.97
New Work Fund		7,899.81

Sunday, Aug. 18
4:00 - 8:15 pm Register now!

SPARK
CONFERENCE
Columbus, GA
Wynnbrook BC

Only \$15

We are collecting Sunday School Literature, Bibles, Study Books, etc... that you are not using anymore to send to Missionaries.

You may drop off boxes on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays between 9 am & 5 pm at the BBA . Thank You!

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August

- 5 Stewardship Comm. Mtg. 6:30 pm, BBA Office
- 12 BBA Executive Committee Mtg. 6:30 pm

September

- 17 SPEEDERS - Senior Adult Lunch & Games 11am, BBA Office

October

- 13 BBA Fall Meeting, 5:00 pm Faith Baptist Church
Children's Home Truck Loading 3:00 pm