

## Newsletter of Mt. Zion Baptist Association 2460 Sunny Meadow Dr. Jonesboro 72404

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Dear Mt. Zion Baptists,

I am excited for our upcoming annual meeting. I hope you will plan to join us for a great evening of fellowship, worship, and celebration of what the Lord has done throughout our association this past year! There will be some necessary business to take care of, but this will be only a brief part of the program.

This year's meeting will be held at North Main Baptist Church in Jonesboro on Monday, October 16 with supper being served at 5:30 p.m. and the meeting begins at 6:15 p.m. Jarrid McGrew will be leading our worship and Dr. Rex Horne (current interim executive director of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, former pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church in Little Rock, and former president of Ouachita Baptist University) will bring our sermon. We will also hear exciting testimonies from mission trips, a church plant, and information about our new mission partnership in Oklahoma.

Please send messengers from your church! Each church is entitled to three messengers for the first fifty resident members, and an additional messenger for each additional fifty resident members, with a maximum of ten messengers per church. All messengers will be allowed to vote on business matters and eat supper.

Beyond that, everyone is invited to the evening session. Please encourage your church members to attend. It's going to be a great time of worship and celebration!

It is an honor to serve as your associational missionary! Thank you for allowing me to serve in this role! If there is ever any way that I may serve you or your church, please do not hesitate to call on me. Sincerely,

Ed Gillham

## Mt. Zion Baptist Association

## One Hundred Seventieth Annual Meeting October 16, 2023 North Main Baptist Church, Jonesboro

Messengers are asked to bring a dessert.

5:00 – 5:30 p.m.	Registration	
5:30 p.m.	Dinner	
6:15 p.m.	Congregational Singing	Jarrid McGrew
6:25 p.m.	Welcome	
	Scripture and Prayer	Jarrid McGrew
6:30 p.m.	Call to Order	Elmer Ash
6:35 p.m.	Reports	
	Associational Missionary	Dr. Ed Gillham
	Mission Development Team	Jackie James
	Mt. Zion Camp	Rodney Manley
	(Additional reports are printed in Book of Reports	)
7:00 p.m.	Acts 1:8 Celebration	Dr. Ed Gillham
	On Mission Testimonies:	
	Nicaragua	Skylar Goad
	Oklahoma Indian Church	David Gibson
	Word En Espanol	Jamar Andrews
		Marco Palafox
7:20 p.m.	Business Session	
	Nominating Committee	Dr. Ed Gillham
	Financial Reports	Don Miller
	Budget for 2023-2024	Don Miller
	Unscheduled (new) Business	
7:35 p.m.	Congregational Singing	Jarrid McGrew
	Special Music	
	Annual Sermon	Dr. Rex Horne
8:15 p.m.	Benediction	

Church	Camp	General Fund
Alsup	\$326.56	\$873.04
Bay First	\$3,296.66	\$6,593.34
Bethabara	\$1,463.00	\$1,463.00
Bowman	\$0.00	\$3,221.00
Brookland	\$599.13	\$4,792.96
<b>Buffalo Chapel</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
Caraway First	\$10,375.95	\$12,451.14
Cash	\$0.00	\$0.00
Central	\$4,730.00	\$18,920.00
Cornerstone	\$0.00	\$6,178.92
Dixie	\$0.00	\$0.00
Family Fellowship	\$7,294.53	\$21,883.57
Friendly Hope	\$3,285.30	\$3,285.30
<b>Higher Trails Cowboy</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
Highland Dr	\$550.00	\$1,833.33
Huntington Ave.	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
Iglesia Agape Mission	\$0.00	\$51.00
Jbr Chinese Church	\$0.00	\$1,200.00
Jonesboro First	\$1,296.08	\$8,050.00
Journey	\$0.00	\$1,250.00
Lake City	\$1,742.86	\$3,839.73
Lunsford	\$2,417.32	\$3,440.03
Monette First	\$1,074.21	\$9,626.64
Mt Pisgah	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mt Zion	\$7,948.00	\$15,896.00
Needham	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
Nettleton	\$3,916.65	\$3,916.65
New Antioch	\$1,473.52	\$4,420.54
New Hope BO	\$2,447.67	\$3,654.45
New Hope Jbr	\$786.00	\$1,295.00
North Main	\$1,116.92	\$2,400.86
Philadelphia	\$100.00	\$1,100.00
Rowes Chapel	\$0.00	\$0.00
Salvos por Gracia	\$0.00	\$0.00
South Caraway	\$0.00	\$0.00
Strawfloor	\$556.01	\$556.01
Valley Ridge	\$1,324.47	\$1,954.20
Walnut St	\$4,583.37	\$15,931.08
Windover	\$350.47	\$2,102.67
Word	\$250.00	\$1,750.00
Church Gift Totals	\$64,304.68	\$166,930.46



- 2 ACP Paper copies due in Mt Zion office
- 7 One Day Acts 1:8; Monticello
- 16 Annual Meeting; North Main; 5:30
- 22 24 State ABSC Annual Meeting: Walnut Street

Cooperative Program Emphasis Month



- 05 Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church
- 12 Orphans & Widows Sunday
- 23-24 Office Closed Thanksgiving

National Adoption Awareness Month



03-10 Week of Prayer for International Missions: Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 22-1 Office Closes



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