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Reverend Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator July 2012 - July 2013



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MAXIMUM IMPACT: UNDERSTANDING OUR MISSION "For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost" Luke 19:10 (NIV)

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Winter Session – Gravel Hill Baptist Church – Smithfield, VA
Spring Session – Morning Star Baptist Church – Spring Grove, VA
Annual Session – Mt. Nebo Baptist Church – Surry, VA



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Surry, Virginia

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# 130TH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



# HOST: MT. NEBO BAPTIST CHURCH – SURRY, VA Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore, Host Pastor

### SESSION SCHEDULE

### TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2013

5:45 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. - Registration 6:00 p.m. - Session Officially Opens 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Choir 7:00 p.m. - Worship Service Begins

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2013

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - Registration 5:30 p.m. Session - Special Interest Groups 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. – Youth & Adult Activities

YOUTH SESSION (5-12 YEARS) "RESPECT" - 5:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

TEEN & ADULT SESSIONS

"THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT" - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.

(AKA "Obamacare")

"THE SOCIAL MEDIA" - 7:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, PUSH, KICK, etc.)
"The Good, the Bad, & the Ugly"

# THURSDAY, JULY 18, 2013

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Session - LVBA Missions Program
6:35 p.m. - 6:55 p.m. - Business Session
7:00 p.m. - Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund Banquet

# **MODERATOR'S MESSAGE**

As Moderator of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies, it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the 130<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies.

This year brings an end to a wonderful two terms, totaling four years of working with the greatest staff of executive officers, committees, pastors, churches, and members that I could've ever imagined. Let me say that "I am indebted to all of you for your outstanding support."

To the Poplar Lawn Church Family, "I am again thankful to God for you. You have allowed me the freedom of operation in these four years of physical responsibility by bearing some of the

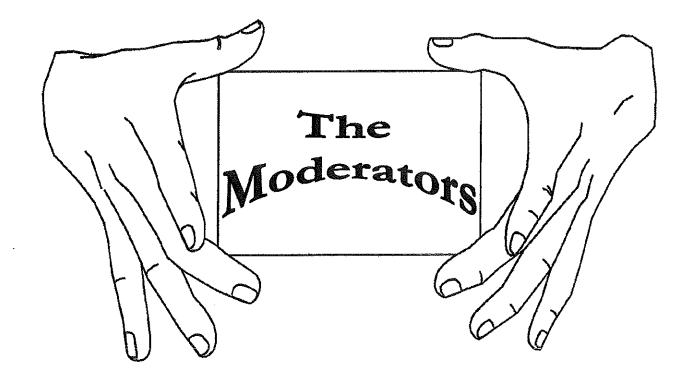


financial expenses of the Association." These past four years have also brought me to give thanks to two Hospitality presidents at Poplar Lawn, Ms. Delores Holloway, the past president, and Mrs. Geraldine Blount, the current president, along with the many co-laborers who have worked with them to serve breakfast at our Saturday Planning Sessions. "I can not thank you enough for your time and dedication."

To my co-laborer brothers in the Lord and the churches they pastor, I want to say, "Thank you for the appropriation dollars above and beyond, and your extra support of the Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund." To our host pastor, Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo church family, "Many thanks to you, as well. Your leadership and generosity has made it possible for the Association to maintain the present level of scholarships awarded to our high school graduates who enroll in college and meet our criteria for scholarship eligibility."

In closing, words cannot express my gratitude to my Executive Secretary, Mrs. Perlene P. Montgomery. "For every sacrifice that you have made these past four years for the Moderator and the Association, I express my sincerest thanks." To the Association, "My thanks to you for allowing me to serve as your Moderator."

Yours in Christ,
Bruce E. Childs
Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION & ALLIED BODIES

### THE MODERATORS



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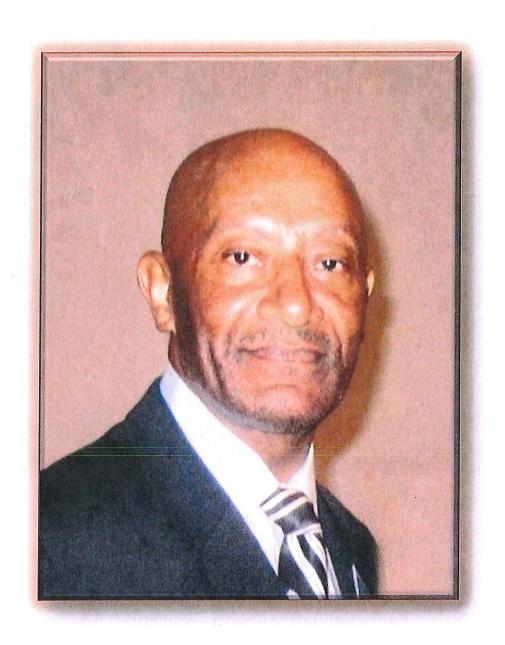
Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator Poplar Lawn Baptist Church, Surry, VA

Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III - 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-Moderator Emmanuel Baptist Church – Smithfield, VA

Rev. Dr. Douglas Adams, Jr. - 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Moderator Jerusalem Baptist Church - Carsley, VA (Retired 12/2012)

# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION & ALLIED BODIES

# THE MODERATOR SEPTEMBER 2008 – JULY 2013



THE REVEREND DR. BRUCE E. CHILDS PASTOR POPLAR LAWN BAPTIST CHURCH - SURRY, VA

# BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF THE REVEREND DR. BRUCE E. CHILDS

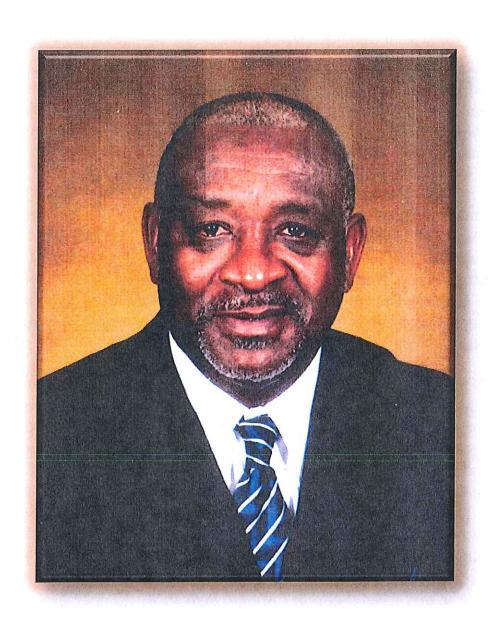
The Reverend Dr. Bruce E. Childs is the son of the late the late Dr. James E. Childs and the late Mrs. Della V. Childs Lindsey. He is married to the former Gwendolyn Duncan. They have two children, Edward Wesley Childs and Donna Dione Fobbs; two grandsons, Darius Tevan Childs and Princeton Tyler Childs; a daughter-in-law, Sonyia Childs and a son-in-law, Alton Fobbs.

A native of Portsmouth, Virginia, Pastor Childs is a member of the Noble Street Baptist Church of Portsmouth, VA, where the pastor is the Reverend Henry P. Jones. Dr. Childs received his early schooling at the I.C. Norcum High School. His educational affiliations include Norfolk State University, Evans Smith Leadership Training Institute, Old Dominion University Institute of Labor, and Tidewater Correspondence Bible School. Pastor Childs has a Master of Divinity degree and a Doctor of Ministry degree from the Richmond Virginia Seminary. He also has an Honorary Doctor of Sacred Theology degree.

Dr. Childs has pastored the Poplar Lawn Baptist Church since September of 1992. Along with his ongoing 2<sup>nd</sup> term as Moderator of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies, he is in his first term as President of the Tidewater Metro Baptist Ministers' Conference of Virginia. Some of his others ministerial affiliations include the Interdenominational Ministers Forum of Portsmouth Virginia and Vicinity, and the Interdenominational Ministers' Conference. Dr. Childs is also a faculty instructor for the Norfolk Theological Seminary and College; however, more importantly than any of his degrees and other acclaims, the one thing that he would have you know about him is that he is a "man of God" and has no problem preaching the gospel--in season, out of season, when people want to hear it, and when they don't want to hear it!"

# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION & ALLIED BODIES

1<sup>st</sup> VICE-MODERATOR SEPTEMBER 2008 – JULY 2013



THE REVEREND DR. ELDRIDGE LUCAS, III PASTOR EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH - SMITHFIELD, VA

# BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF THE REVEREND DR. ELDRIDGE LUCAS, III

Reverend Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III is a resident of Prince George County, Virginia. He is the eldest son of the late Mr. Eldridge Lucas, Jr. and Mrs. Doris P. Lucas of Waverly, Virginia. He is a member of the graduating class of 1969 of the Central High School in Sussex, Virginia. Additionally, he is the recipient of a Bachelor of Theology Degree from the Trinity Bible College, a Master of Divinity Degree and the Doctor of Ministry Degree from the Virginia University of Lynchburg in Lynchburg, Virginia. Dr. Lucas has completed the requirements to receive a degree in Psychology from Ashworth University in Norcross, Georgia.

Dr. Lucas is a former member of the Supervisors of Sussex County, serving for a period of six years, serving two years of those as Vice-Chairman. He is also a former member of the Crater Disabilities Service Board of Southside Virginia.

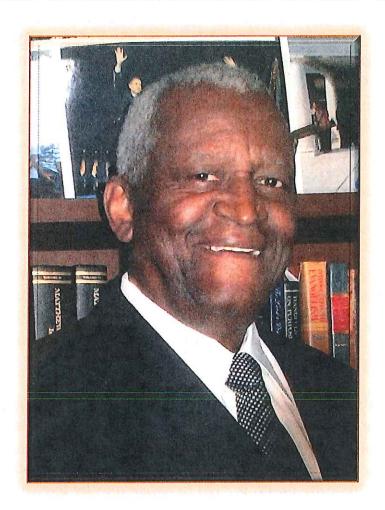
Dr. Lucas is a member of the Interdenominational Ministers' Conference, the Hampton Ministers' Conference, and the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies, of which he now holds the position of First Vice-Moderator. In addition, he is a former adjunct professor at the Suffolk Teaching site of the Virginia University of Lynchburg.

Dr. Lucas is the Pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Smithfield, Virginia, having served now for a period of 17 years. He is married to Mrs. Hester N. Lucas of Waverly, Virginia and they are the parents of five children and grandparents of four. Rev. Lucas likes to be known simply as a man of God trying to do his Master's will. His favorite motto is "Go in peace and let the Spirit of God be with you".

# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION & ALLIED BODIES

# 2<sup>nd</sup> VICE-MODERATOR SEPTEMBER 2008 – RETIRED DECEMBER 2012

# THE REVEREND DR. DOUGLAS F. ADAMS, JR. PASTOR EMERITUS JERUSALEM BAPTIST CHURCH - CARSLEY, VA



To Dr. Adams, and Mrs. Adams, as well,

"As Moderator of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association, I believe that I can speak for ALL when I say that 'your departure is keenly felt.' We appreciate all of your service to the Association, the church, and the community at large—even your service to our country. We are blessed to have served alongside you in this local capacity. May God continue to bless you and Mrs. Adams as you take this much deserved time for yourselves. We love you both!"

Moderator Dr. Bruce E. Childs

# BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF THE REVEREND DR. DOUGLAS F. ADAMS, JR.

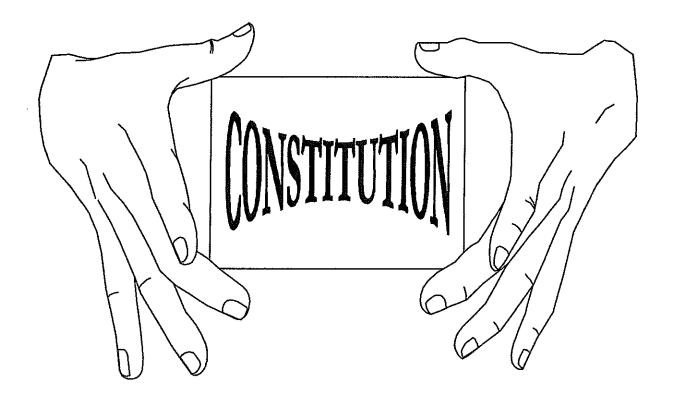
Dr. Douglas F. Adams, Jr. a native of East Orange, N.J., Dr. Adams, as a young adult, felt the inspiration to serve in church leadership. Dr. Adams' seminary education began with a three year ongoing biblical education comprised of studies in the art pedagogy, homiletics, and theological research at the Bible Seminary Institute (DBI) of the Evangelistic Centers, Inc., Newark, N.J.. As an Institute graduate, he shortly received ministerial licensure. He entered the ministry through field evangelism, traveling extensively in the U.S.. When he would accept a Junior Pastorship of the headquarter churches of Evangelistic Centers, Inc. in Brooklyn (NY) and Newark (NJ), he continued in this capacity until he took a sabbatical from full-time ministry to respond to a draft advisory to serve an active tour with the military.

After sabbatical, Dr. Adams shortly received Ecclesiastical Ordination in 1970 and relocated to central New Jersey to serve as Pastor of the congregants of Plainfield Evangelistic Center, Inc.. He concurrently served in the role of dual pastorship as he served the congregational needs of Community Missions Alliance Church in the neighboring town of Metuchen, N.J.. He founded and became national chartered president of 501©3 non profit charity, an inter-denominational organization of helping ministries, Evangelic Tabernacle, Inc., for which he is pastor-emeritus.

Dr. Adams' seminary training was further augmented with ministerial undergraduate education as he studied at the Northeastern Bible College (a.k.a. The King's College-Columbia, NY), and thereafter, at Bloomfield College where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with concentrations in Quantitative Methods/Operations Research, Personnel and Marketing. With earned Honors of the Graduation Class Scholastic Honor Key Recipient, he scholarly pursued graduate education on a MBA track at Fairleigh Dickinson University's Graduate School-N.J. and, in subsequent years was bestowed the Doctorate of Divinity from Masters Graduate School of Divinity. As the graduate of several military leadership academies in New Jersey, Maryland, Georgia, including US Army Sergeants Major Academy, Texas, he has received numerous awards include: Meritorious Service Medal-Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Commendation-Two Oak Leaf Cluster(s) and the Republic of Vietnam Cpgn Medal. Dr. Adams managerially worked for Corporate America before retiring to Virginia. He is trained "Classroom Facilitator" by the Intl. Atlantic Group, presented the Xerox Corporation Leadership Award, "The Black Achiever of Business Award" for Corporate and Community Mentorship in suburban high schools by PSEG Corporation. As a civic leader, he serves as the President of Surry County VA Chapter of the NAACP and has philanthropic interests.

Dr. Adams is married to the former Vergena Rose Carter, his wife of 37 years. They have two adult children; Douglas, III and DeAnna Lynette.

During his residence in Virginia, until 2006, Dr. Adams was Associate Minister of the Lebanon Baptist Church in Surry, Virginia. He was later called to pastor the Jerusalem Baptist Church of Carsley, Virginia. While serving as pastor of the Jerusalem Baptist Church, he was elected as the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Moderator of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies. He served in the latter two capacities until retirement in December 2012.



### CONSTITUTION

of

### THE LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

and

### **ALLIED BODIES**

Adopted June 23, 2012 thru April 13, 2013 (Revisions are in red and Deletions are lined through)

### **PREAMBLE**

We, the officers and members of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association, The South James River Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Convention and The Women's Missionary and Educational Circle, in order to form a more unified thrust in our Christian life decided to merge and become one organization in 1991. The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association had existed for one hundred and eight years, The South James River Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Convention had existed one hundred and three years and the Women's Missionary and Educational Circle has existed for seventy years.

Realizing that the Christian Front should be united in love and brotherhood to promote the general welfare, and secure the blessing of God to ourselves, and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies.

### ARTICLE I Name

This body shall be known as The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies.

# ARTICLE II Membership

### Section I

This association shall be composed of Baptist Churches which are approved by the Association, Sunday School Unions, Ministries, Laymen and Life Members who

are Baptists and remain Baptist and pay the required sums of monies as required by the Association.

- (a) Churches, Sunday School Unions, Ministers and Laymen who are 0Baptist may become members by request and acceptance of the Association and by paying the required fees and paying the minimum sum of money for appropriations. Fees and appropriations may be changed from time to time by the Association while in session.
- (b) Ministers and Laymen may become members by paying a joining fee and an annual fee. These fees shall be determined by the Association.

### THIS IS A REVISION

- (b) In order to serve as an officer of the Association, an individual must be a member in good standing of one of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies churches.
- (c) Every church in the Association shall be entitled to representation in the Association; five (5) delegates and the Pastor shall be admitted from each Church for voting purposes.

### THIS IS AN ADDENDUM

(d) Each church shall send a list of no more than five (5) delegates (The list shall be signed by the pastor or the church's designated representative, in the absence of the pastor). Form is included in the Annual Journal forms section. Churches shall assign one person to pick up their church's journals.

### **Section II**

The Association shall have five (5) Divisions whose general duties will be to bring forth programs, seminars or workshops for both adults and youths. These programs, etc., will be presented or facilitated at the sessions of the Association by persons knowledgeable in the field or topic(s) being presented. Duties of each division shall also be as needed or requested by the Moderator.

(a)The Division of Clergy

Duties to be added

### (b) The Division of Christian Education

Duties: To support the LVBA in carrying out its objectives, to provide training which shall enhance Christian growth, to promote support to churches of the LVBA in their Christian Education development, and to perform any other duties specified by the Moderator.

### (c) The Division of Missions

Duties: To provide leadership to the Missions' body, to keep members abreast of all activities of the Association pertaining to missions, beneficial in making the Missions' Division more effective, to attend meetings as necessary, to perform any other duties specified by the Moderator

### (d) The Division of Laymen

Duties: To exalt the Savior, equip the saints, evangelize the sinner, The laity is the mighty army in every church, capable of reaching people in church, capable of reaching people in their own church and area for Christ. Lay people and pastors work together. The church is built up and the mighty work of God is accomplished.

## (c) The Division of Youth

Duties: To promote fellowship and collaboration with other youth ministries within the LVBA, to provide educational experiences that will enhance the growth and development of our youth through program development, workshops, seminars, activities, and field trips that will lead to Christian maturity.

### **Section III**

All churches and/or organizations who wish to leave the Association to join another body are requested to notify the Association in writing.

### Section IV

The Association and its Allied Bodies shall reserve the right to withdraw the Hand of Fellowship from Churches and Organizations who shall cherish principles contrary to the Gospel of Christ.

# ARTICLE III Objectives

### **Section I**

The Objectives of the Association and its Allied Bodies shall be:

- (a) To spread the Redeemer's Kingdom (Jesus Christ) upon the earth by doing all in their power to support the Chartered Foster Homes and Foreign Missions, viz. (that is to say), Lott Cary Foreign Mission
- (b) To support certain educational institutions and colleges viz. (that is to say), Virginia Union, Virginia Seminary and College (current name is Virginia University of Lynchburg), and the United Negro College Fund
- (c) To support the Children's Home of Virginia Baptist, Inc.
- (d) To provide scholarships through the Bolden Bradby Memorial Scholarship Fund for worthy students from member churches. Satisfaction of the approved criteria shall determine the scholarship recipients. (See "Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund Criteria for Eligibility")
- (e) To provide training which shall enhance the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ
- (f) To provide a Relief Fund for Ministers and Deacons

### ARTICLE IV Officers

### Section I

The Officers of the Association shall be: Moderator, First Vice-Moderator, Second-Vice Moderator, Recording Secretary, Assistant Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Executive Secretary, and five Division Presidents.

(a) The Moderator shall serve one term (two years) and may succeed himself one term (total of four years).

### THIS IS IS AN ADDENDUM

If for any reason the offices of Moderator, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-Moderator, or 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Moderator becomes vacant, the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Moderator, or 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Moderator will move forward to the uppermost office. The Moderator or Executive Council will have the discretion of filling the vacant position for that particular term. This will not affect the term that is already in session.

- (b) Officers shall be elected bi-annually and shall remain in office until others are elected in their place
- (c) The duties of the Officers shall be such as are common to such offices
- (d) The Treasurer shall be bonded for such amounts as the Association may deem necessary.
- (e) The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies "Committee Training Manual—Revised" shall guide the committee in their duties. The duties of the committees may be changed from time to time to meet the needs of the Association
- (f) The Committees shall be: Budget and Finance-Civie, Condolence, Hospitality, New Bodies, Public Relations and Editing, Registration, Temperance, Bolden Bradby Scholarship, Nominating, History, Music, Banquet and Awards, Time and Place, Ministers and Deacons Relief.
- (g) The Moderator may appoint committees as needed to further the work of the Association.

### **Section II**

There shall be an Executive Council. The Executive Council shall be composed of the Moderator, First Vice-Moderator, Second Vice-Moderator, Executive Secretary, and the Presidents of the Five Divisions - a total of nine (9) members.

### ARTICLE V Meetings

### Section I

The Association shall meet the following dates:

- (a) The Annual Session shall be held on the week following the second Lord's Day in July, beginning on Tuesday and ending on Friday.
- (b) The Fall Session shall be held on the Saturday following the second Lord's Day in October.
- (c) The Winter Session shall be held on the Saturday following the first Lord's Day in January.
- (d) The Spring Session shall be held on the Saturday following the first Lord's Day in April.

### ARTICLE VI Membership Fees

### THIS IS AN AMENDMENT

Any entity of the Lebanon Baptist Association and Allied Bodies that requires a amount change for membership shall have the membership fee pre-approval of the Moderator and Executive Council in order to become effective (Example: Deacons and Ministers Relief Fee increase).

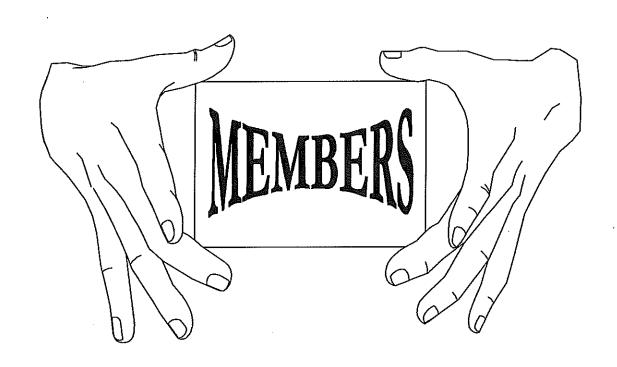
# ARTICLE VII Dean

The honor of "Dean" shall be bestowed upon a member. The title of Dean shall be appointed by the Moderator when it becomes vacant.

# ARTICLE VIII Amendment

#### THIS IS AN AMENDMENT

The Constitution may be amended or addendums added at a meeting of the Moderator's choosing prior to any session, provided that proper notice is given to each eligible member church. Notifications will be sent out at least two weeks prior to the meeting.



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

CHURCH NAME	PHONE NO.	<u>PASTOR</u>
Cypress Baptist Church	(804) 530-4649	Rev. Dr. Millard F. Boone, III (Pastor Elect)
T = =	` '	Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III
-	` '	Rev. Anthony Washington
<u>=</u>	• •	Rev. Alexander Bracey, III
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Lebanon Baptist Church Disputanta	.(804) 541-6651	Rev. Dr. James Barnes
Lebanon Baptist Church Surry	. (757) 294-3551	Rev. Terence Davis, Sr.
-		Rev. Dr. Melvin T. Blackwell
Main Street Baptist Church	(757) 357-2604	Rev. Dr. James Harrison
Morning Star Baptist Church	. (757) 866-8512	Rev. Dr. Robert L. Elliott
Mount Nebo Baptist Church	(757) 294-3342	Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore
Mount Sinai Baptist Church	. (757) 357-2671	Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr.
New Jones Grove Baptist Church	.(757) 357-7480	Rev. Alvin E. Pierce
Poplar Lawn Baptist Church	(757) 294-3839	Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs
Rising Star Baptist Church	. (757) 357-7173	Rev. James D. Rich
Sandy Mount Baptist Church	. (804) 520-0578	Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor
Swan's Point Baptist Church	(804) 874-9206	Rev. O.R. Ball, III
Union Baptist Church	. (804) 834-3255	Vacant Pulpit

Burrowsville Sunday School Union First Division Tidewater Sunday School Union Second Division Tidewater Sunday School Union Surry County Sunday School Union



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



# OFFICERS/COMMITTEE CHAIRS FOR 2012 - 2013

Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs
Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III
Rev. Dr. Douglas F. Adams, Jr. (Retired 12/31/2012) 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Moderator (Vacant)
Sis. Perlene Montgomery Executive Secretary
Sis. Gloria Wilson Recording Secretary
Sis. Joyce Hendrick Assistant Recording Secretary
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones Financial Secretary
Sis. Angelia Cosby Treasurer
Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount
Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore Pres. Div. of Clergy
Dea. Joseph Anderson Pres. Div. of Laymen
Sis. Lillie White Pres. Div. of Missions
Sis. Sheila Moton Vice-Pres. Div. of Missions
Rev. Robert Palmer Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Joyce Hendrick Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Eunice Gay Pres. Div. of Youth
Sis. Rhea Ruffin Vice-Pres. Div. of Youth
Dea. Carl Smith Chair Finance Committee
Sis. Angela Williams Chair Registration Committee
Dea. Edward Jones Chair Time & Place Committee
Dea. Raymond Parson Acting Chair Ministers & Deacon Relief
Sis. Clara Jones Chair Banquet & Awards Committee
Sis. Janice Dobbs
Bro. Dalton Batten
Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr Chair Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee
Sis. Sylvia Flood
Dea. Edward Jones Historian
Sis. A. Jane Ellis Chair Hospitality Committee
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones Financial Secretary
Dea. Ellen L. Jones Association Mother
Rev. P.D. Wells
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones
Dea. Carl Smith

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# OFFICERS/COMMITTEE CHAIRS FOR 2013 - 2015

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Rev. Dr. Robert L. Elliott, Jr	
Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Moderator)
Rev. Sylvia Flood	Executive Secretary
Sis. Gloria Wilson	Recording Secretary
* Sis. Perlene Montgomery (Proposed)	Assistant Recording Secretary
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary
Sis. Angelia Cosby	Treasurer
Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount	Musician
	osed) Assistant Musician
Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore	Pres. Div. of Clergy
Dea. Joseph Anderson	Pres. Div. of Laymen
Sis. Lillie White	Pres. Div. of Missions
Sis. Dorothy Bailey	Vice-Pres. Div. of Missions
Rev. Robert Palmer	Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Joyce Hendrick	Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Eunice Gay	Pres. Div. of Youth
Vacant	Vice-Pres. Div. of Youth
Dea. Carl Smith	Chair Finance Committee
Sis. Angela Williams	Chair Registration Committee
Dea. Edward Jones	Chair Time & Place Committee
Dea. Raymond Parson	Chair Ministers & Deacon Relief
Sis. Janice Dobbs	Chair Nominating Committee
* Sis. Lorraine Williams (Proposed)	. Assistant Chair Nominating Committee
Bro. Dalton Batten	Chair Condolence Committee
Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr Cha	ir Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee
Sis. Jacqueline Clarke	Chair New Bodies Committee
	Historian
Sis. A. Jane Ellis	Chair Hospitality Committee
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary
Dea. Ellen L. Jones	Association Mother
Rev. P.D. Wells	Association Dean
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	Chair Ad-Hoc Committee
Dea. Carl Smith	Chair Website Committee



### ORDAINED MINISTERS

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Rev. O.R. Ball, III 687 Swan's Point Road Spring Grove. VA 23881

Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore 727 Rocky Bottom Road Spring Grove, VA 23883

Rev. James L. Barnes 31195 Walters Highway Franklin. VA 23851

Rev. Dr. Lawrence L. Beale 2694 Colonial Trail East Surry, VA 23883

Rev. Dr. Melvin T. Blackwell 9496 Old Stage Road Smithfield VA 23430

Rev. Dr. Millard F. Boone, III P.O. Box 1267 Hopewell, VA 23860

Rev. Alexander Bracey, III 5230 Old Stage Hwy Smithfield, VA 23430

Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs 5201 Rockport Landing Suffolk, VA 23435-3531

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Rev. Dr. Robert Elliott, Jr. P. O. Box 190 Claremont, VA 23889

Rev. Lucy Grain 129 Canaan View Lane Surry, Virginia 23883 Rev. Dr. James Harrison 517 Main Street Smithfield, VA 23430

Rev. William L. Jackson 9496 Old Stage Road Smithfield, VA 23430

Rev. Marian J. Johnson 14169 Waterworks Road Smithfield, VA 23430

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Rev. George Lyttle 5937 Otterdam Road Waverly, VA 23890

Rev. Alvin Pierce 365 Airport Road Richmond, VA

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Rev. Lucy Robertson 6381 Robertson Lane Smithfield, VA 23430

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Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr. 14154 Wells-King Lane Smithfield, VA 23430

Rev. Willie Williams 1719 N. Carolina Avenue Windsor, VA 23487



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES

### FALL PLANNING SESSION

Saturday, September 15, 2012

Poplar Lawn Baptist Church - Surry, Virginia

### **DEVOTIONS**

Moderator Childs called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m. Scripture was taken from Psalm 150 followed by prayer from the Moderator.

**AGENDA:** Moderator Childs presented the agenda. There were no questions or additions at this time, however Moderator Childs stated that we will be flexible if needed.

### PAST BUSINESS

### Critique of 129th Annual Session - July 10-12, 2012

The following comments were made in critiquing the Annual Session: The concert and the sermon were both very well received, dinner was excellent. The Bible Bowl went well and was greatly improved from last year. It was stated that there was not enough time to study of the Bible Bowl contest. Moderator Childs expressed his gratitude to Pastor Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church. He stated that everything was well organized. He thanked Rev. Robert Palmer for the beautiful certificates that he prepared and framed.

### PRESENT BUSINESS

### Committee(s) Reports

### Treasurer's Report

The reported balance in the checking account is \$37,995.06

The reported balance in the savings account is \$15,313.08

Appropriations (Amount to be updated)1,130.Banquet Tickets2,710.Scholarship Fund (\$225.00 plus offering)2,285.Deacons & Ministers Relief Fund665.Daily Offering (Annual Session)1,106.	.00 .00 .00
Total Income       18,086.         Total Expenses       4,153.	

Per Sis. Angelia Cosby, this amount will change. Other monies have been received since the Annual Session, however, a complete report is not available today.

### **Bolden Bradby Scholarship Report**

No report for the Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund is available today. Because the Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee is not a fundraising committee, the Association will continue to ask each

member church to contribute \$225.00 toward the fund. We are thankful to our host pastor, Dr. Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church for their support in this endeavor.

It was suggested that we should ask former scholarship recipients to come back to the Annual Sessions and report what they have been able to accomplish with the help of the Bolden Bradby scholarship dollars. It was also suggested that some of these students could come back and facilitate a workshop for the Association.

### **Ad Hoc Committee Report**

The Ad Hoc Committee asked that: (1) the new request for information forms in the back of the 2012 Annual Journal be completed and submitted to the Executive Secretary so that this information can be available when needed by the Association (2) Asked that the Proposal to delete the Public Relations Committee be dismissed; that we find out who the Committee persons are because there is work for them to do. This will take some of the workload off the Executive Secretary, who according to the Training Manual, is the Chairperson of the Public Relations Committee.

### **Budget**

Moderator Childs stated that we are still operating under the same budget from three (3) years ago. He stated that he cut his own stipend by \$300.00, later finding out that there are lot of expenses that the Moderator has (e.g. meetings, funerals, etc) that he had not taken into consideration.

### Discussion/Presentation of Proposed LVBA Website

Dea. Carl Smith was tasked by Rev. Spurlock, the past Moderator, with spearheading a website for the Association. Dea. Smith gave a brief presentation on what would be on the website and presented a contract with various cost options. Two meetings will be planned with the delegates to vote on this proposal. It was suggested that the website would be a great cost savings with information on-line being more accessible and more cost effective than having to print a hundred or more journals.

#### **FUTURE BUSINESS**

### **Fall Session**

The Fall Session will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 8:00 a.m. The place is to be determined. The Division of Youth is in charge of this session. The seminar planned for the adults is "Insurance Does Matter." The seminar planned for the Teens is "Calling All Teens." The seminar planned for the younger youths is "How Safe Are Our Children?"

#### **Upcoming Delegate Meeting**

Moderator Childs will schedule a meeting after the Fall Session for the Executives and the Delegates to vote on the Ad Hoc proposals for the Training Manual. The date will be announced at the Fall Session and also included in a letter.

# EDIFICATION AND MINISTRY SHARING FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION

Dr. Douglas Adams, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Moderator, asked the Poplar Lawn Hospitality persons to come into the meeting. He thanked them for the delicious breakfast they prepared. He then presented them with the love offering that had been collected from the members for them.

### **ADJOURNMENT/BENEDICTION**

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m. by 1st Vice Moderator, Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas with a closing prayer.

### **SUBMITTED BY**

パーション と とんばん) Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

Sis. Perlene P. Montgomery, Executive Secretary

### **MEMBERS PRESENT (SEPTEMBER 15, 2012)**

- 1. Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator
- 2. Rev. Eldridge Lucas, III
- 3. Rev. Dr. Douglas Adams, Jr.
- 4. Sis. Perlene Montgomery
- 5. Dea. Joseph Anderson
- 6. Dea. Carl Smith
- 7. Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones
- 8. Sis. Gloria Wilson
- 9. Sis. Angelia Cosby
- 10.Dea. Edward Jones
- 11.Sis. Angela Williams
- 12.Sis. Eunice Gay
- 13.Sis. Sylvia Flood



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES WINTER PLANNING SESSION

# Saturday, November 17, 2012

Poplar Lawn Baptist Church - Surry, Virginia

#### **DEVOTIONS**

The Winter Planning Session was called to order with Moderator Dr. Bruce E. Childs presiding. The opening hymn was "What a Fellowship" followed by scripture taken from Proverbs 4:1-15, followed by prayer.

### PAST BUSINESS

#### Review of Fall Session

Positive feedback was received from the Fall Session held by the Division of Youth. It was stated that the information for the adults and children was very revealing. It was also stated that we need more youth involvement and that parents need to encourage youth participation. Information on seminars is sent to each church in the Association.

#### PRESENT BUSINESS

### Website Presentation by Mr. Cory Howell

The website shell is ready. Some of the links that it contains or will contain are: Officers, Membership Pages, Affiliations, Financial, Calendar, Forms, Pamphlets, Programs, Committees, Social Media, etc. The setup cost is \$400.00. The Maintenance Package options are: Standard at \$35.00 hourly, Silver at \$50.00 monthly for up to 5 hours, Gold at \$82.00 for up to 10 hours monthly, and Platinum at \$100 month for unlimited. Moderator Childs stated that we need two (2) additional persons to work with the Website Designer, Mr. Cory Howell, Dea. Carl Smith, the Website Coordinator, Sis. Perlene Montgomery, the Executive Secretary. Pictures of the Moderator, the 1st Moderator, and the 2nd Moderator will be needed for the website.

The following motions were seconded and approved:

- Re-instate the Public Relations Committee functions
- Remove Temperance Committee
- Remove Banquet Committee
- Move the heading "Other Committees" to the end of the list in the Training Manual

### Committee(s) Report

#### **Bolden Bradby Scholarship Report**

Per Sis. Janice Dobbs, the Bolden Bradby Scholarship report will be presented at the next session. Delegates are asked to encourage graduating students to get completed applications in to the Scholarship Committee by May 1<sup>st</sup>. Applicants must be members in good standing of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies churches, who are also in good standing.

### **Deacons & Ministers Relief Report**

No Report was given.

### Treasurer's Report

Checking Account September 28, 2012

Ending Balance = \$37,745.06

### Non-Profit Money Market Account

Ending Balance = \$15,315.78 2012 Interest Paid = \$31.89

Checking Account October 31/2012-2013

\$180.00 = October Offering \$600.00 = Lebanon Baptist Church Disputanta Appropriations for 2013 Ending Balance = \$37,765.06

### **Non-Profit Money Market Account**

Ending Balance = \$15,317.74 2012 Interest Paid = \$33.85

Moderator Childs reminded everyone that the membership assessment is \$600 a year for churches.

### **FUTURE BUSINESS**

#### Winter Session

The Winter Session will be held on Saturday, January 12, 2013 at 8:00 a.m. at the First Gravel Hill Baptist Church in Rushmere, where the Reverend Alexander Bracey, III is pastor. In case of inclement weather, it will be held on January 19, 2013. The Division of Christian Education is in charge of this session. Sis. Joyce Hendrick presented the tentative agenda for the Winter Session. The workshops planned for the adults will highlight "*Identity Thief*". She is seeking a facilitator. The Youth seminar will focus on "*Jobs*". The proposed facilitator will be the Reverend Lucy Robertson Associate Minister of First Gravel Hill Baptist Church.

#### EDIFICATION AND MINISTRY SHARING FOR THE GOOD OF THEASSOCIATION

#### BENEDICTION

### Submitted by

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Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

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Sis. Gloria Wilson, Recording Secretary

### **MEMBERS PRESENT (NOVEMER 17, 2012)**

Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

Rev. Dr. Douglas S. Adams

Sis. Angela Williams

Dea. Alex Harris

Rev. Jean Johnson

Sis. HesterLucas

Sis. Lillie B. White

Rev. Alexander Bracey, III

Sis. Delores Thomas

Sis. Gloria E. Wilson

Rev. Robert C. Palmer, Sr.

Sis. Bernice R. McDaniels

Dea, Edward Jones

Sis, Addie Richardson

Bro. Dalton L. Batten

Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor

Rev. Thomasine P. Wrenn

Sis. Evelyn Harris

Bro. Clarence Blizzard

Sis. Josephine Blizzard

Dea. Carl T. Smith

Sis. Clara R. Jones

Sis. Elsie Turner

Sis. Helena Urquhart

Sis. Mildred Holloway

Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones

Sis. Joyce Hunt Hendrick

Dea. Ellen Jones

Sis. Angelia Cosby

Sis. Janice Dobbs



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES FINANCE COMMITTEE CALL MEETING Thursday, January 10, 2013

Poplar Lawn Baptist Church – Surry, Virginia

### **DEVOTIONS**

Moderator Childs opened the meeting around 10:00 a.m.

### PURPOSE OF THIS CALL MEETING

The purpose of this call meeting is to review the revisions and addendums to the Budget and Finance section of the LVBA Constitution and Training Manual that the Ad Hoc Committee has completed and submitted.

### TREASURY REPORT

A brief Treasury Report was given by Sis. Angelia Cosby.

### **DUTIES OF FINANCIAL OFFICERS**

The duties of the financial officers were spelled out by the Ad Hoc Committee and approved by a meeting of the Executive Committee and the Delegates. The duties are as stated.

- 1. Budget & Finance (duties are in accordance with standard practice (i.e. business or corp.)
  - a. Explicit duties of the Treasurer

The Treasurer shall be responsible for making bank deposits, paying bills, reconciling the bank account, making other disbursements when approved by the Moderator and/or Executive Committee, and when properly verified by the person incurring the indebtedness. Disbursements shall be made in accordance with the approved budget as authorized by the Moderator and/or Executive Committee. Such disbursements shall be made by check and countersigned by the Financial Secretary and/or Chairman of the Finance Committee.

The Treasurer shall be responsible for giving balance reports and disbursements to the Financial Secretary monthly (along with copy of bank statement. The Treasurer shall present a (verbal) financial statement at every session or meeting and at other times when requested by the Moderator and/or Executive Committee.

b. Explicit duties of the Financial Secretary

The Financial Secretary shall give a summary of receipts immediately to the Treasurer, and shall keep a record of all monies belonging to the Association. The Financial Secretary shall make a full written report to the Moderator and Executive Committee at each quarterly session. The Financial Secretary shall perform such duties as necessary to support the work of the Treasurer.

### **BONDING OF OFFICERS**

It was suggested that the following positions be bonded: Finance Chairperson, Financial Secretary, and Treasurer. It was suggested that countersignature of a check be required by at least two (2) of the financial officers listed above. It was also suggested that an audit take place after the Annual Session and when or before a new incoming Moderator takes office, or at least once every four (4) years.

There is no readily available information on when the last audit was done or who performed it. It was suggested that we ask Bro. Theodore Lunsford if he would take on the task of Auditor for the Association. We would also ask him to educate us on whatever other actions we might need to take regarding our accounting. It was suggested that our bank accounts be reconciled by someone else other than and in addition to the Treasurer.

It was suggested that the primary contact for bonding issues should be the Moderator at his church address.

### **OTHER**

To take the guess work out and make the accounting more clear and concise during the Annual Session transactions (e.g. Appropriations, Bolden Bradby Scholarship Donations, Banquet tickets, etc.) the Executive Secretary will send a form to the churches that they can fill out to show how they want their check to be allocated.

### ADJOURNMENT AND BENEDICTION

The meeting adjourned with prayer by Dr. Childs.

### **SUBMITTED BY**

Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

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Mrs. Perlene P. Montgomery, Executive Secretary

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### **MEMBERS PRESENT (JANUARY 10, 2013)**

- 1. Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator
- 2. Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III
- 3. Sis. Perlene Montgomery
- 4. Sis. Angelia Cosby
- 5. Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES SPRING PLANNING SESSION

Saturday, February 16, 2013 Poplar Lawn Baptist Church – Surry, Virginia

### **DEVOTIONS**

Moderator Dr. Bruce Childs opened the meeting at 10:03 a.m. with scriptural reading of Psalm 34:1-8 followed by prayer.

### **AGENDA**

Moderator Childs went over the agenda for the meeting.

### PAST BUSINESS

### **Review Winter Session**

The overall comments was that the session was very good and very informative. Much information was shared on identity thief and what to do to protect yourself from becoming a victim and what to do if you should become a victim. The Youth Division and the Christian Ed Division presidents were disappointed with the youth attendance for the workshop that was planned for them.

### PRESENT BUSINESS

### Committee(s) Report

The Registration Committee revised the Registration Report to be more clear and concise. The new form was approved for future use.

The New Bodies Committee President, Sis. Sarah Flood, is not present at today's meeting due to illness, however, she sent a message that she has been trying to work with the Olive Branch Baptist Church of Suffolk. One of their Administrative staff expressed an interest in membership for Olive Branch, however, Sis. Flood has not heard back from the pastor.

It was noted that the LVBA Constitution - Article II - Membership (b) states that Ministers and Laymen may join the Association (without being a "church") by paying a joining fee. A discussion was held on the vagueness of this statement and the pros, cons, or consequences that could arise from its vagueness.

### **Bolden Bradby Scholarship Report**

Sis. Janice Dobbs reported that five (5) applicants qualified for the Bolden Bradby Scholarship, but so far only three (3) have requested the stipend. The report that she gave was received as read.

### **Deacons and Ministers Relief Report**

Sis. Angelia Cosby reported that \$150.00 was paid to Dea. Albert Elliott's widow from the Deacons & Ministers Relief Fund. Dea. Elliott, who was President of this Committee, passed in December

2012 after a lengthy illness. His death has left a void in our Association. No other available reporting was given for this committee today, due to Bro. Raymond Parson's absence. Bro. Parson has been functioning in dual capacities, as Treasurer and as President.

### Treasurer's Report

Sis. Angelia Cosby reported as follows:

Total Expenses = \$10,578 Checking Account Balance = \$ 33,178.16

Money Market (Non-Profit) = 15,323.38

It was noted that for "Catechism" pay, if a member of the LVBA Church goes outside of the Association to be catechized, the Association is not to pay a stipend, or any other associated fees or expenses.

It was also noted that no bill has been received from Dr. Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church for the Annual Session banquet.

### Website for the LVBA

There was no record or recollection of voting on the Website Proposal during the Winter Planning Session with the delegates in November 2012. We will have the delegates ready to vote on the website at our Spring Session. This note will be included in the Spring Session letters to the churches, along with a flyer to be announced and posted.

### FUTURE BUSINESS

### **Spring Session**

The Division of Clergy and the Division of Laymen will present the Spring Session. This session will be held on Saturday, April 13, 2013 at 8:00 a.m. at the Morning Star Baptist Church in Spring Grove, where the Reverend Dr. Robert Elliott is pastor. Dea. Joseph Anderson of the Division of Laymen, will communicate the proposed agenda with the Executive Secretary in the upcoming days once he and Dr. Baltimore of the Division of Clergy have had a chance to finalize their plans..

### **Missions Division**

No report given today for the Mission Division. The Division President, Sis. Lillie White had to leave early because she was not feeling well.

### **Bonding**

Dea. Carl Smith reported that Bro. Theodore Lunsford declined the offer to become the LVBA Auditor. Bro. Tim Edwards, owner of Edward's Tax Service in Smithfield has accepted the offer. The Association will be bonding its three (3) financial officers, Dea. Carl Smith, Sis. Angelia Cosby, and Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones.

### EDIFICATION AND MINISTRY SHARING FOR THE GOOD OF THEASSOCIATION

1<sup>st</sup> Vice Moderator, Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas III reported that two (2) of his flock, Dea. Barbara Parker and Dea. Sylvia Flood have reported their "call" into the ministry of preaching. Dea. Flood will be licensed on the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) Sunday in May and Dea. Parker will be licensed on the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) Sunday in June.

Dr. Lucas called the Hospitality Committee out and thanked them for the delicious breakfast they prepared. He then presented them with the love offering that was collected for them.

### BENEDICTION

The meeting adjourned at 11:38 a.m. with prayer by 1st Vice Moderator Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III.

### SUBMITTED BY

Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

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Sis. Perlene P. Montgomery, Executive Secretary,

### **MEMBERS PRESENT (FEBRUARY 16, 2013)**

- 1. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator
- 2. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III
- 3. Sis. Perlene Montgomery
- 4. Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones
- 5. Sis. Lillie White
- 6. Sis. Gloria Wilson
- 7. Sis. Henrietta Tullis
- 8. Sis. Delores Thomas
- 9. Sis. Addie Mae Richardson
- 10. Dea. Ellen Jones
- 11. Sis. Joyce Hendrick
- 12. Sis. Angela Williams
- 13. Rev. Robert C. Palmer, Sr.
- 14. Sis. Janice Dobbs
- 15. Dea. Carl Smith
- 16. Sis. Angelia Cosby
- 17. Dea. Edward Jones
- 18. Dea. Joseph Anderson



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES CALL MEETING

### Saturday, April 13, 2013

### Morning Star Baptist Church - Spring Grove, Virginia

The Executives and Delegates held a brief business meeting while the Spring Session was taking place. The purpose of the meeting was twofold: (1) To vote on a website contract and (2) Take care of a Constitutional concern (Article II – Membership, Section 1b.), which reads as follows: (b) Ministers and Laymen may become members by paying a joining fee and an annual fee. These fees shall be determined by the Association.

### **Proposed Website Contracts:**

Standard - \$35 for 1 hour maintenance Silver - \$50 month for 5 hours or \$600 a year Gold - \$82 month or \$984 a year Platinum — Unlimited \$100 month or \$1200 a year

It was properly motioned and seconded that we take the silver package (5 hours or \$600 a year), with a stipulation that we have the right to void the contract if the webmaster's work is not favored by the Association.

Constitutional Concern (Article II - Membership, Section 1b.)

It was properly motioned and seconded that Article II, Section 1b be completely removed from the Constitution.

### MEMBERS PRESENT

- 1. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator
- 2. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III
- 3. Sis. Perlene Montgomery
- 4. Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones
- 5. Sis. Gloria Wilson
- 6. Sis. Henrietta Tullis
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- 12. Dea. Carl Smith
- 13. Sis. Angelia Cosby
- 14. Dea. Edward Jones
- 15. Rev. Millard F. Boone, III
- 16. Sis. Eunice P. Gay
- 17. Sis. Lillian Newby-Brooks
- 18. Sis. Hester Lucas
- Bro. Braxton Williams

Bruce E. Childs

Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

- 20. Dea, Raymond Robinson
- 21. Sis. A. Jane Ellis
- 22. Sis. Bernice R. McDaniel
- 23. Sis. Elsie Turner
- 24. Sis. Clara Jones
- 25. Sis. Paulette Scott
- 26. Rev. Robert Elliott
- 27. Sis. Frances Taliaferro
- 28. Sis. Iola Pierre
- 29. Sis. Virginia Branch
- 30. Sis. Judy Lyttle
- 31 Bro. Thomas Whitley
- 32. Bro. Dalton Batten
- 33. Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor
- 34. Bro. Reginald Tynes
- 35. Rev. O.R. Ball, III
- 36. Bro. Alonzo Howell
- 37. Bro. Clarence Blizzard
- 38. Sis. Josephine Blizzard

Sis. Perlene P. Montgomery, Exec. Secretary



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES ANNUALPLANNING SESSION Saturday, May 18, 2013

Poplar Lawn Baptist Church – Surry, Virginia

### **DEVOTIONS**

Moderator Dr. Bruce Childs opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. with scriptural reading from Ephesians 4 followed by prayer.

### **AGENDA**

Moderator Childs went over the agenda for the meeting.

### PAST BUSINESS

### Review Spring Session (Division of Laymen and Division of Clergy)

An overall good report was given for all aspects of the Spring Session chaired by the Division of Laymen (Dea. Joseph Anderson) and the Division of Clergy (Dr. Daniel Baltimore). The youth facilitators, twins Brittany and Whitney Johnson, did an excellent job talking to the youth and relating to them. Whitney and Brittany are outstanding college students. The adult facilitator, Sis. Judy Anderson, did an excellent job with the information she delivered on the importance of early detection of colon cancer and the importance of colonoscopy screening. The younger youth facilitator, Sis. Jennie Stevenson, showed her class how to make edible rag doll salads using mostly healthy items (lettuce, tomatoes, baby carrots (and shredded), black olives, pimentos, peppercorn, mayo, and chicken salad. This was a real hit with the children.

### **Mission Outing**

It was noted that this was a very good trip with about 50 people attending. The following churches participated: Sandy Mt., Main St., Mt. Nebo, Morning Star, Mt. Sinai, Poplar Lawn, and Emmanuel. Members who did not drive their own vehicles, were transported by church bus and van.

## **Election of Pastor at Lebanon Baptist Church**

The Reverend Terrence Davis, Sr. was elected as pastor of the Lebanon Baptist Church by about 85 percent votes. He will be installed on June 1, 2013 at 3:00 p.m., at which time he will be welcomed into the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies.

### PRESENT BUSINESS

### Committee(s) Report

Moderator Childs called for Committee Reports and whatever reports were needed for the Annual Journal and the website. All committees had been asked to make their reports and turn in their material today. A new deadline of June 10<sup>th</sup> was set today.

### Ad Hoc Committee

Any item requested by the Ad Hoc Committee must be submitted to Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones by June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Website

Website information is requested to be submitted to Dea. Carl Smith by June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### **New Bodies Committee**

Sis. Sylvia Flood, Chairperson of the New Bodies Committee reported that she has already submitted information to Olive Branch Baptist Church of Suffolk, who expressed an interest in the Association. She has not heard anything back from them.

### **Condolence Report Committee**

Bro. Dalton Batten stated that he has requested information from certain churches and plan to submit his report by June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Ministers and Deacon Relief Committee

No Report due to Deacon Raymond Parson's absence.

### Registration Committee

Sis. Angela Williams will ask attendees to sign in each night so that she can have an accurate count for the 3 days of the Annual Session.

### Time and Place Committee

Dea. Edward Jones did not have a report, however, he asked that churches who want to host the sessions for the next term to call him with their information and he will submit it to the Executive Secretary. Pastor Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church have hosted the Annual Session for the last 4 years, but stated that he would not be offended if it is held somewhere else.

### **Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee**

Sis. Janice Dobbs stated that out of 5 applicants, only 4 requested the scholarship award for 2012-2013. It was noted that the 5<sup>th</sup> applicant would not be requesting the award. Bro. Adarian Johnson of First Gravel Hill submitted a very nice thank you card to the Association for the award that he received. Sis. Dobbs stated that she has received 16 applications (9 churches) for the 2013-2014 school term. Moderator Childs stated that the Association may have to look some other issues regarding the Bolden Brady Scholarship Fund and how it is structured. He stated that we will look at the cost of banquet tickets to see if we need to increase the cost in order to help meet our committee to the scholarship awards.

### Treasurer's Report

Sis. Angelia Cosby gave the following report: Checking Acct - \$ 33,178.16 Non-Profit Acct - 15,323.38 This report does not include the \$3,000 that will be transferred to the Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund Account.

**Nominating Committee** 

Sis. Janice Dobbs reported the following list of nominees for the next term of officers:

### OFFICERS/COMMITTEE CHAIRS FOR 2013 - 2015

Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III	Moderator
Rev Dr Robert Elliott Jr.	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Moderator
Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor	
Rev. Sylvia Flood	Executive Secretary
Sis. Gloria Wilson	
*Sis. Joyce Hendrick (Giving up position)	Assistant Recording Secretary
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary
Sis. Angelia Cosby	Treasurer
Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount	Musician
*Dea. George L. Fauntleroy, Sr. (Suggested Can	didate)Asst. Musician
Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore	
Dea. Joseph Anderson	Pres. Div. of Laymen
Sis. Lillie White	Pres. Div. of Missions
Sis. Dorothy Bailey	Vice-Pres. Div. of Missions
Rev. Robert Palmer	Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Joyce Hendrick	Co. Chair Div. of Christian Education
Sis. Eunice Gay	Pres. Div. of Youth
*Sis. Rhea Ruffin (Need to find replacement)	
Dea. Carl Smith	
Sis. Angela Williams	
Dea. Edward Jones	Chair Time & Place Committee
Dea. Raymond Parson	Acting Chair Ministers & Deacons Relief
Sis, Janice Dobbs	Chair Nominating Committee
Bro. Dalton Batten	Chair Condolence Committee
Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr	Chair Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee
Sis. Jacqueline Clarke	
Dea. Edward Jones	Historian
Sis. A. Jane Ellis	
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary
Dea. Ellen L. Jones	Association Mother
Rev. P.D. Wells	
Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones	
Dea Carl Smith	Chair Website Committee

<sup>\*</sup>NOTE: The Nominating Committee will take care of getting candidates for these offices and voting on them at the Annual Session before the installation service.

The Banquet and Awards Committee was removed per recommendation from the Ad Hoc Committee and approval from the Delegates. Sis. Joyce Hendrick asked that she be removed from the office of Assistant Recording Secretary. It was suggested that Dea. George Fauntleroy might be a good candidate to fill the vacancy of the Assistant Musician position. Dea. Raymond Parson, in an earlier meeting stated that if possible, he would like to be replaced as Acting Chairman of the Deacons and Ministers' Relief Committee. At the present time, he is serving in 2 capacities (Acting Chairman and Secretary). Per the Nominating Committee list, he has agreed to be the nominee for Chairman. Since Dea. Parson will vacate his office as Secretary, there will be a need for a new Secretary for this Committee. Per Angelia Cosby, the position of Treasurer for the Deacons and Ministers Relief is not necessary, since she, as Treasurer for the Association, is handling these funds, as well. It was properly motioned and seconded that we accept the proposed slate of officers as presented by the Nominating Committee, with these exceptions.

Moderator Childs sated that coming into office as the Moderator, he cut the Moderator's stipend by \$400 for the year, not realizing the vast expenditures of the position. He suggested that the stipend should go back to the previous amount of \$1,000 and budgeted as such. This will be voted on at the Annual Session.

### **FUTURE BUSINESS**

### **Annual Session**

The 130<sup>th</sup> Annual Session will be held at the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church on July 16-18, 2013.

Tuesday - Moderator's Night (Poplar Lawn Choir)

Wednesday - Special Interest Groups and Division Activities

Thursday - Mission Division Program and Scholar ship Fund Banquet

### **Reports from Division Chairs**

Sis. Eunice Gay gave the following report of what's in the planning stage for the Youth Division and the Christian Education Division:

(YOUTH SESSION - SOCIAL MEDIA -Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, PUSH, KICK, etc.) "The Good, the Bad, & the Ugly"

(ADULT SESSION - The Affordable Care Act (aka "Obamacare")

### EDIFICATION AND MINISTRY SHARING FOR THE GOOD OF THEASSOCIATION

Dr. Lucas collected a love offering and presented it to the kitchen committee for the wonderful breakfast that they prepared for the Association.

Moderator Childs stated that this is his last planning session as Moderator. He thanked everyone for working with him these past 4 years.

### **BENEDICTION**

The meeting adjourned with prayer by 1st Vice Moderator Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III.

### SUBMITTED BY

Bruce & Childs

Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

Sis. Perlene P. Montgomery, Executive Secretary

### **MEMBERS PRESENT** (May 18, 2013)

- 1. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator
- 2. Dea. Sylvia Flood
- 3. Sis. Perlene Montgomery
- 4. Sis. Mary Boothe-Jones
- 5. Sis. Gloria Wilson
- 6. Sis. Henrietta Tullis
- 7. Sis. Delores Thomas
- 8. Sis. Addie Mae Richardson
- 9. Sis. Joyce Hendrick
- 10. Rev. Robert C. Palmer, Sr.
- 11. Sis. Janice Dobbs
- 12. Dea. Carl Smith
- 13. Sis. Angelia Cosby
- 14. Dea. Edward Jones
- 15. Rev. Millard F. Boone, III
- 16. Sis. Eunice P. Gay
- 17. Dea. John Harris
- 18. Sis. Hester Lucas

- 19. Sis. Angelia Williams
- 20. Sis. Delores Thomas
- 21. Sis. Helena Urquhart
- 22. Sis. Elsie Turner
- 23. Rev. Daniel Baltimore
- 24. Dea. Joseph Anderson
- 25. Rev. James D. Rich
- 26. Sis. Frances Taliaferro
- 27. Sis. Rosyln Elliott
- 28. Sis. Virginia Branch
- 29. Bro. Dalton Batten
- 30. Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor
- 31. Bro. Reginald Tynes
- 32. Rev. O.R. Ball, III
- 33. Bro. Clarence Blizzard
- 34. Bro. Braxton Williams
- 35. Sis. Josephine Blizzard



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### FALL SESSION October 13, 2012 - 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

### **HOST CHURCH**

Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, Virginia Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III - Host Pastor

### **DIVISION OF YOUTH**

Sis. Eunice P. Gay, President

Presiding
Opening Selection Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount, Organist
Scripture
Prayer
Selection Organist
Welcome Dea. Sylvia Flood
Response from LVBA Rev. Dr. Douglas Adams, Jr. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Moderator
Moderator's Moments
Offering Trustees/Deacons

Introduction of Facilitators	troduction of Facilitators	
		Division of Youth

### YOUTH SEMINAR SESSIONS

### **AGES 12 & UNDER**

BEST PRACTICES FOR BEING SAFE Facilitator: Isle of Wight Sheriff's Office

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### AGES 13-18 SAFE DRIVING

Facilitator: Surry County Sheriff's Office

Departure of Youths to Classrooms ...... (Led by Facilitators)

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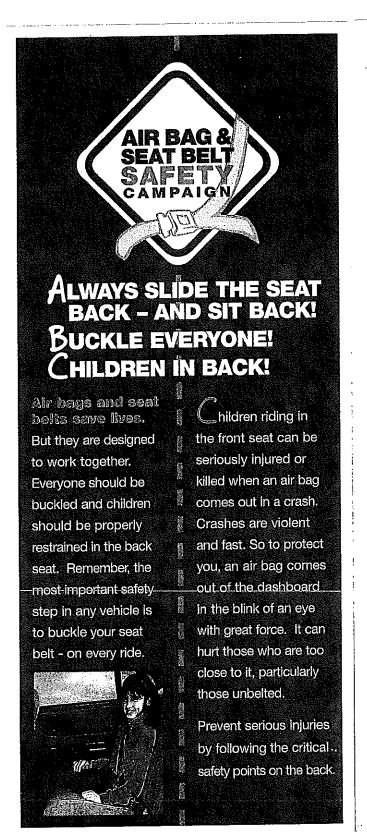
### ADULT SEMINAR SESSIONS

Estate Planning
Wills vs. Living Trusts
Long Term Care Insurance
Whole Life Insurance
Term Life Insurance
Family Budgeting

Facilitator: Mr. Thomas Griffin (Virginia Retirement Specialist)

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Return of Youths to Sanctuary (Please enter quietly)
Reports Committees
Moderator's Reflections Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs
Benediction Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs





### Safety Points

- Children 12 and under should ride properly restrained in a rear seat.
- Infants should NEVER ride in the front seat of a vehicle with a passenger side air bag.
- Small children should ride in a rear seat in child safety seats approved for their age and size.
- Check your vehicle owner's manual and the instructions provided with your child safety seat for correct use information.
- Everyone should buckle both lap AND shoulder belts where available.
- Drivers should sit at least 10 inches from the center of the steering wheel to their breastbone for the clearest margin of safety.

Since research shows driver belt use determines child belt use, strengthening enforcement of seat belt laws nationwide will get more children and adults buckled up.

ALWAYS SLIDE THE SEAT BACK – AND SIT BACK! BUCKLE EVERYONE! CHILDREN IN BACK!

Air Bag & Seat Belt Safety Campaign National Safety Council 1025 Connecticut Ave., NW Suite 1200 Washington, DC 20036-5405 http://www.nsc.org/airbag.htm

# TRAVELING SAFELY WITH CHILDREN: THE BASICS

- Everybody needs a child safety seat, booster seat, or safety belt!
- There must be one safety belt for each person. Buckling two people, even children, into one belt could injure both.
- People who are not buckled up can be thrown from the car or around inside the car, and seriously hurt themselves or others.
- Never hold a child on your lap! You could crush him/her in a crash, or the child may be torn from your arms.
- Never ride in the cargo area of a station wagon, van, or pickup! Anyone riding in the cargo area could be thrown out and severely injured or killed.
- No one seat is 'best', The 'best' child safety seat is the one that fits your child and can be installed correctly.
- Children age 12 and under should ride properly restrained in back.

### CHOOSING AND USING THE CORRECT SEAT

New child safety seats and booster seats come with registration cards. Be sure to register your new seat so you will be notified if there is a recall. If you don't have a card, call the safety seat manufacturer.

AGE: Birth to 1 year WEIGHT: Up to 35 pounds

TYPE OF SEAT: Infant-only (A) or Rear-facing Convertible (B)

DIRECTION TO FACE: Infants should ride rear-facing to at least 1 year of age AND at least

20 pounds, longer if possible. The seat should be at a 30-45 degree angle to keep the child's head from falling forward. Do not tip it too far back or the child could come out of the seat in a crash.

NOTE: Infants who outgrow a smaller infant-only seat before 1 year of age should ride rear-facing in a child safety seat with a higher rear-facing

weight limit (over 22 pounds).

AGE: Over 1 year to 4 years old

WEIGHT: Over 20 pounds, up to 40 pounds

TYPE OF SEAT: Convertible or Forward-Facing Only seat

**DIRECTION TO FACE:** A child over 1 year of age AND over 20 pounds may ride facing

forward. Use the upright position or the position recommended by

the manufacturer.

NOTE: Keep the child in a child safety seat with a full harness as long as possible, preferably until 4 years old. For children 40 pounds or more who are too young or too active to sit still in a booster seat, or if a vehicle has only lap belts, look for child restraints with harnesses labeled for use over 40 pounds.

AGE: 4 to 8 years old

WEIGHT: Over 40 pounds

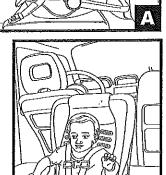
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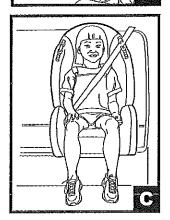
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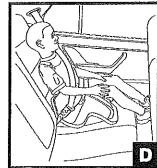
NOTE: All children who have outgrown child safety seats should be properly restrained in booster seats

until they are at least 8 years old, unless they are 4' 9" tall.

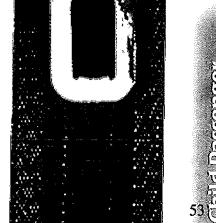
**WARNING:** The back seat is the safest place in a crash. Children age 12 and under should ride properly restrained in back. Infants riding rear-facing must **NEVER** be placed in front of an airbag.







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### WILLS IN VIRGINIA

This narrative offers straightforward and basic answers to questions regarding wills under Virginia law. It explains the necessity of a will, the creation of a will, and how to make it legally binding.

Do I need a will? What will happen if I don't have a will? How do I make a will?

These are a few of the many questions that arise on the subject of wills. This narrative is designed to present simple and straightforward answers to commonly asked questions, and is not intended as a guide to preparing wills, or as a substitute for a consultation with a lawyer.

### 1. What is a will?

A will is a signed writing in which a person (often referred to as the "testator") directs what is to be done with his or her property after death. Each state has its own very specific laws as to what is necessary for a will to be valid in that state.

### 2. Who may make a will?

Any mentally competent person who is at least 18 years old may make a will. Later proof of fraud, duress, or undue influence by another person or the testator may cause the will to be invalid.

### 3. Who should have a will, and why?

Every mentally competent adult should have a will. Here are a few of the reasons:

- You can direct how you want your property divided upon your death.
- You can name the person you want to handle your estate (called the "executor" or "personal representative").
- You can reduce the expenses of administering your estate.
- You can save taxes.
- You can nominate a guardian for your minor children.
- You may provide for a trust for the support and education of your children without the necessity of costly court proceedings.

### 4. Must a will be witnessed? Must it be notarized?

In Virginia, the signing of a will must generally be witnessed by two competent persons, who also must sign the will in front of the testator. (An exception to the witness requirement is made if the testator writes out the entire will in his or her own handwriting, and signs and dates it.)

Although the law does not require a will to be notarized, it is a highly recommended practice, followed by most lawyers. If the testator's and witnesses' signatures have been notarized, the will is presumed to be properly executed and is accepted by the court without testimony from the witnesses.

### 5. How long is a will valid?

Your will is valid until you revoke it, generally either by physical destruction (tearing or burning it up, for example) or by signing a superseding will or written revocation. If you get divorced after signing a will, the law may consider the will partially revoked. If you are married, your spouse may have rights in your estate regardless of what is provided in your will.

### 6. May a will be changed?

Your will does not take effect until you die; therefore, it can be changed at any time during your life, as long as you are mentally competent. Traditionally, wills were changed by an amending instrument called a "codicil," but with the development of modern word processing technology, it is usually better and just as easy to sign an entirely new will when you wish to make a change.

### 7. What happens if you don't have a will?

If you don't have a will, a state statute directs who will receive your property, regardless of your wishes. In Virginia, if you are married, your estate generally passes entirely to your surviving spouse; however, if you have children who are not also the children of your spouse, your children divide two-thirds of your estate, and your spouse takes the other one-third.

### 8. Is joint ownership a substitute for a will?

In most cases, joint ownership is not an acceptable substitute for a will. Contrary to popular belief, joint ownership of assets between husband and wife often results in excessive estate taxes. Joint ownership between parent and child may foster disputes between family members and cause unexpected and unnecessary gift taxes.

### 9. Is a living trust a substitute for a will?

A funded revocable ("living") trust can be a valuable and important part of the estate plan for many people, but it does not eliminate the need for a will. If you have a living trust, you will still need a will to dispose of those assets that have not or cannot be placed in the trust. As useful as they are, living trusts are not appropriate for everyone. Only your lawyer can tell you if you should consider one, and only your lawyer should prepare it.

### 10. Who should draft your will?

A person who drafts a will must be familiar with the law in order to avoid the many pitfalls and to comply with the formalities necessary to assure the will's validity. Only a practicing lawyer is professionally qualified to give you advice regarding your will, to prepare your will, and to supervise its signing.

### PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS

Planning your financial affairs is a very personal and individual matter. You should decide for yourself the general purposes you wish to accomplish, then consult with your lawyer and any other advisors (accountant, financial planner, life insurance agent) to plan properly how to accomplish your goals.

### Take these four practical steps to save time and help assure a sound result:

Inventory your assets. List in reasonable detail all of your property (real and personal) life insurance polices and retirement plans, with your best assessment of their values.

Inventory your liabilities. List all debts and obligations, including principal amounts, payees and essential terms.

List your family members and any other persons whom you wish to participate in your estate.

Determine who might be an appropriate executor, trustee, or guardian for your minor children.

Decide what you want to accomplish. Determine what your objectives are, and to whom you wish your assets distributed.

Then meet with your lawyer and other advisors to work out the details and prepare the necessary documents. Be sure to carry your working papers, list of assets and liabilities, and life insurance policies with you.

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## **Living Wills & Advance Medical Directives**

Recently in Virginia, one family's personal struggle to come to an agreement on the decision to remove artificial nutrition and fluids from a loved one in a persistent vegetative state focused attention on the need for health-decision planning. While it is often unpleasant to face the fact that you and your loved ones will not live forever and to discuss issues related to death, a little attention and planning now can go a long way towards preventing family misunderstandings and government involvement if you are ever unable to make health care decisions for yourself.

You have a right to make decisions about health care and the use of life-prolonging procedures, based upon your own beliefs and values, even if others disagree with you. Right now, while you are still capable of clearly expressing your wishes, is the time to make your desires known. No one can say what tomorrow will bring. Don't you owe it to your loved ones to make a painful time a little less difficult?

### 1. What is a Living Will?

A Living Will is a written document that authorizes the providing, withholding or withdrawal of life-prolonging procedures in the event you have a terminal condition. A terminal condition may mean either that your death is imminent, or that you are in a persistent vegetative state. In your Living Will, you can direct that specific procedures or treatments, such as artificially administered nutrition, be either provided or withheld. Some people want the determination that they have a terminal condition to be made by their attending doctor and one additional physician. Some people also wish for the condition to have lasted for a specified time period before treatment is withheld or withdrawn. You should be sure that your Living Will accurately reflects your wishes. Again, a Living Will can be written to reflect your preferences and directions; there is nothing to prescribe what you must or must not include in a Living Will.

### 2. What is an Advance Medical Directive?

An Advance Medical Directive is a document in which you (the "principal") give legal authority to another person (the "agent") to make some or all of your health care decisions for you in the event you become incapable of making those decisions for yourself. Thus, while you are competent, choices about health care remain up to you; your designated agent uses an Advance Medical Directive only when you become incapable of making your own decisions about health care and medical treatment. You can be very specific in your Advance Medical Directive. In your Advance Medical Directive, you can limit the agent's power to make decisions. You can include guidelines in your Advance Medical Directive, outlining what types of decisions your agent is authorized to make, such as consenting to, refusing or withdrawing treatment, choice of health care provider, or decisions regarding organ donation. You can change or end the power of your agent at any time, so long as you are still legally capable of making your own decisions. In other words, you can design an Advance Medical Directive to address your beliefs, and concerns, and preferences; there is no prescribed level of authority that you must grant your agent.

### 3. How do I choose someone to be my agent?

Deciding who will serve as your agent is very important. It should be an adult whom you trust completely and who knows your values, religious beliefs, and any other important concerns you have. Many people choose a spouse or an adult child. Be confident that the person you select will be able to think clearly on your behalf despite his or her personal feelings about the situation. It is a good idea to select a secondary agent to make decisions in the event your primary agent is unable or unwilling to do so. It is also a good idea to discuss your desire to designate a person as your agent with that person to ascertain if he or she is willing to accept this responsibility and to discuss the extent of the authority you intend to confer. Remember, you can change or terminate your agent at any time, so long as you are still legally competent.

4. What are the benefits of having a Living Will and/or Advance Medical Directive?

Times of medical need are inherently stressful. Preparing a Living Will and/or an Advance Medical Directive in advance reduces the chance of conflict among your family, friends and health care providers. If your wishes are clear, there is less chance of the courts or the government becoming involved in your private matters.

5. What are the differences between a Living Will and an Advance Medical Directory?

A Living Will is different from an Advance Medical Directive in that a Living Will does not appoint an agent. A Living Will also applies only to cases of terminal illness, whereas an Advance Medical Directive may apply any time you are unable to make an informed decision about your medical care.

6. How do I create a Living Will and/or Advance Medical Directive?

Your lawyer can prepare a Living Will and/or an Advance Medical Directive for you. You must sign the documents in the presence of two witnesses who are not your spouse or blood relatives. You do not need to have the documents notarized, though it is a common practice of most lawyers.

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### **Durable General Powers of Attorney**

### **Planning Ahead for Incapacity**

Q: What is a Durable General Power of Attorney?

A Durable General Power of Attorney ("DGPA") is a document which allows you (the principal) to give authority to another person (your agent or "attorney-in-fact") to make financial and legal decisions and to make or enter into financial transactions on your behalf. A "Durable" power differs from a regular power of attorney because it remains effective even if the principal is mentally incompetent.

Q: Who can execute a Durable General Power of Attorney?

A person must be competent in order to execute a valid DGPA. If there is a question regarding competency, it is a good idea to get a doctor's letter or declaration regarding the competency of the principal at the time the document is executed.

Q: Who can serve as attorney-in-fact?

Any trusted person, such as a spouse, relative or friend, can serve as attorney-in-fact; it need not be an attorney. It is always a good idea to name at least one alternate attorney-in-fact to serve in the event that the first choice becomes disabled or dies. Your attorney-in-fact will have broad authority and it is critical that the person that you chose to serve in this capacity be completely trustworthy and sensitive to your wishes.

Q: What powers can I give to my attorney-in-fact?

You can give your attorney-in-fact as limited or as broad powers as you desire, including the powers to buy property, to invest, to contract, to engage in tax planning, to make gifts, and, very importantly, the power to plan for government benefits, such as SSI and Medicaid.

Q: What is a "springing" Durable General Power of Attorney?

Ordinarily, a DGPA is effective as of the day it is signed and executed. This means that even if you are competent to make your own decisions, your attorney-in-fact will also have the legal authority to act on your behalf and engage in financial transactions. A "springing power of attorney, " on the other hand, becomes effective at a later date, usually when the principal (you) becomes mentally incompetent — it "springs" into effect at the point you lose capacity, as certified by a physician, or other designated individual.

Q: What are the advantages of a Durable General Power of Attorney?

A DGPA is a relatively easy, inexpensive mechanism for allowing another person to handle your legal and financial affairs. Unlike a joint tenancy bank account, which is often used by people as a management device in the event of incapacity, a Durable Power of Attorney does not give your attorney-in-fact legal access for his or her own use. Your attorney-in-fact must use your assets for your benefit.

Also unlike joint bank accounts, a Durable Power of Attorney allows for surrogate decision-making without disrupting your estate plan. When you create a joint tenancy bank account, you not only give your "joint tenant" access to your funds, but on your death, all of the funds in that account will automatically belong to and go to the joint tenant, by right of survivorship. Assets in a joint tenancy account are not subject to your Will. A Durable Power of Attorney, on the other hand, in no way affects the disposition of your assets upon your death and in fact, ceases to be effective when the principal dies.

A properly-drafted DGPA can give you the flexibility to plan for government benefits. For example, the attorney-in-fact can be given authority to transfer the principal residence to your spouse if you needed to be in a nursing home or required government assistance.

Q: What are the disadvantages of a Durable Power of Attorney?

The main disadvantage of a DGPA is that it is subject to abuse because there is no ongoing court supervision of the attorney-in-fact. Unlike guardianships, where an accounting is required to be submitted to the court, the attorney-in-fact's actions are not being supervised on an ongoing basis. If the attorney-in-fact abuses his or her authority and acts improperly, a court can step in and take action. However, in many cases the damage is already done and it is difficult to undo it. Thus, great care should be taken in selecting your attorney-in-fact.

Q: Do I need a lawyer to have a Durable Power of Attorney drafted?

There are advantages in having a lawyer draft a DGPA. First, an attorney-drafted DGPA can be drafted to meet your individual needs. Although there are pre-printed forms available, they are worded broadly and do not give you as much flexibility. Second, since DGPAs are subject to abuse, it is a good idea to meet with an attorney to make sure both the principal and attorney-in-fact understand the document and the attorney is assured of the principal's competency.

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### **Fact Sheet**

No one likes to think about insurance or face the prospect of needing long-term health care; but starting around 2010, as the first of the post-war baby boom generation begins turning 65, the demand for Long-Term Care services is expected to rise dramatically.

Aging Population: The rapid rise of the senior population is expected to strain the resources of individuals, families, and government at all levels over the next 30 years. Long-Term Care insurance is gaining importance among baby boomers as an option to meet future health expenses not covered by traditional health insurance.

What does it Cover? Most major medical health insurance policies do not cover long-term care expenses, nor does Medicare or Medicare Supplement insurance. Long-term care insurance is about the only option that allows people to protect their assets and retain more control over their health-care decisions in these late-life situations. Those who do not have this preparation often have few alternatives but to spend down their assets until they qualify for Medicaid.

Activities of Daily Living: Traditional health insurance and Medicare cover acute care and certain preventative measures. Long-term care coverage, on the other hand, addresses Activities of Daily Living (ADL). Activities of Daily Living include bathing, controlling bladder and bowel functions, using the toilet, eating, and moving in and out of a chair or bed.

It is the inability to handle these once routine circumstances that afflicts people in different degrees as they age. But no one person's experience is identical to another's. Long-term care insurance is flexible. It is constructed to cover not just the costs of nursing home stays but a wide range of home health care, assisted living, and personal services. A good long-term care policy will meet your changing needs.

How Much Should You Pay? As you might expect, the cost of Long-Term Care insurance varies according to the amount of coverage you buy, the options selected, and-most of all-your age at the time of purchase. Premiums may also increase over time.

Long-term care insurance is not the right answer for everyone. It is very expensive for older buyers. Be sure you can afford it. You should look at all the options.

### May be Right if:

- You have assets to protect
- You can afford the premium
- You're not currently disabled or seriously ill
- You're unable to pay out-of-pocket costs and won't qualify for Medicaid
- You want to ensure control over your assets
- You want to protect your family from providing your long term care

### Acknowledgement

Date:

I have discussed LTC with my advisor and I have chosen:

### To apply for a LTC policy Not to apply for a LTC policy To review this issue at a future date Client Name: Client Signature:

**Advisor Signature:** 

May NOT be Right if:

You have few or no assets

· You have other insurance

· You're unable to afford the premium

· You're already disabled or seriously ill

· You're income/assets qualify you for Medicaid

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You have no surviving family or causes that

vou'd like to have receive your assets

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# MONTHLY INCOME AND EXPENSES

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	Interest				Baby Sitters	-
	Dividends				Activities/Trips	_
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	Insurance				Other ()	_
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	Water				_ , , , ,	
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	Insurance				Materials	
	License/Taxes				Transportation	_
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<sup>\*</sup> Percentages are based on the net spendable income of a \$35,000 annual income (family of four).

1 Using this category requires adjustment of the other categories by an equal amount.

2 This category is used for long-term investment planning, such as college education or retirement.

3 This temporary category can be used until the funds are allocated to another category.

# **INCOME ALLOCATION**

		INCOME SOURCE/PAY PERIOD			
INCOME		:			
BUDGET CATEGORY	MONTHLY ALLOCATION				
1. TITHE				•	
2. TAX					
3. HOUSING					
4. FOOD				,	,
5. AUTO					
6. INSURANCE					
7. DEBTS					:
8. ENTERTAINMENT/ RECREATION					
9. CLOTHING					
10. SAVINGS					
11. MEDICAL/DENTAL					
12. MISCELLANEOUS					
13. SCHOOL/CHILD CAR	E				
14. INVESTMENTS					
15. UNALLOCATED SURPLUS INCOME					



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### WINTER SESSION

January 12, 2013 - 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon (Inclement Weather Date - January 19, 2013) Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

### **HOST CHURCH**

First Gravel Baptist Church - Smithfield, Virginia Rev. Alexander Bracey, III - Host Pastor

### **DIVISION OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

Rev. Robert Palmer & Sis. Joyce Hendrick, Co-Chairs

Presiding
Opening Selection Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount, Organist
Scripture
Prayer Dea. Barbara Parker
Selection Organist
Welcome Sis. Gloria Wilson
Response from LVBA
Moderator's Moments
Offering Trustees/Deacons

Introduction of Facilitators		Sis.	Joyce	Hendrick	, Co-C	Chair
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### YOUTH SEMINAR SESSIONS

### **AGES 5 - 12**

Seminar: To Be Announced Facilitator: To Be Announced

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### **AGES 13-18**

"Planning for Career and Jobs in the 21st Century" Facilitator: Rev. Lucy Robertson, Counselor at Smithfield High

Departure of Youths to Classrooms ......(Led by Facilitators)

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### ADULT SEMINAR SESSION

"How to Protect Yourself Against Identity Theft"
Facilitators: Lt. Kurt Beach - Smithfield Police Dept. &
Chief Dick Reynolds of TRIAD

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Return of Youths to Sanctuary (Please en	ter quietly)
Reports	Committees
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dentity theft is a serious crime. It occurs when other crimes. Identify theft can cost you time your personal information is stolen and used without your knowledge to commit fraud or and money. It can destroy your credit and ruin your good name,

### Deter identity thieves by safeguarding your information.

- Shred financial documents and paperwork with personal information before you discard them.
- Security number on a check. Give it out only if absolutely ■ Protect your Social Security number, Don't carry your Social Security card in your wallet or write your Social necessary or ask to use another identifier.
- Don't give out personal information on the phone, through the mail, or over the Internet unless you know who you are dealing with.

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- instead, type in a web address you know. Use firewalls, Never click on links sent in unsolicited emails; anti-spyware, and anti-virus software to protect Visit OnGuardOnline.gov for more information. your home computer; keep them up-to-date.
- Don't use an obvious password like your birth date, your mother's maiden name, or the last four digits of your Social Security number.
- outside help, or are having work done in your house. at home, especially if you have roommates, employ ■ Keep your personal information in a secure place

### Detect suspicious activity by routinely monitoring your financial accounts and billing statements.

### Be alert to signs that require immediate attention:

- Bills that do not arrive as expected
- Unexpected credit cards or account statements
- Denials of credit for no apparent reason
- Calls or letters about purchases you did not make

### Inspect

- accounts you have and your bill paying history. Your credit report. Credit reports contain information about you, including what
- Experian, and TransUnion-to give you a free consumer reporting companies—Equifax, copy of your credit report each year if you o The law requires the major nationwide ask for it.
- by these three companies, to order your free credit reports each year. You also can write: or call 1-877-322-8228, a service created PO. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA 30348-5281. Annual Credit Report Request Service, Visit www.AnnualCreditReport.com
- Your financial statements. Review financial accounts and billing statements regularly, looking for charges you did not make.

### Defend against ID theft as soon as you suspect it,

- accounts in your name or make changes to your existing review the reports carefully. The alert tells creditors companies have toll-free numbers for placing an initial Place a "Fraud Alert" on your credit reports, and 90-day fraud alert; a call to one company is sufficient: accounts. The three nationwide consumer reporting to follow certain procedures before they open new
  - o Equifax: 1-800-525-6285
- Experian: 1-888-EXPERIAN (397-3742)
  - □ TransUnion: 1-800-680-7289

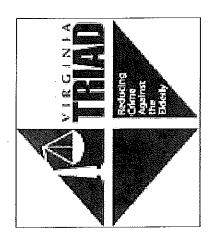
haven't contacted, accounts you didn't open, and debts credit reports. Look for inquiries from companies you Placing a fraud alert entitles you to free copies of your on your accounts that you can't explain.

- Close accounts. Close any accounts that have been tampered with or established fraudulently.
- company where an account was opened or changed without your okay. Follow up in writing, with copies o Call the security or fraud departments of each of supporting documents.
- Use the ID Theft Affidavit at ftc.gov/iditheft to support your written statement.
- Ask for verification that the disputed account has been closed and the fraudulent debts discharged.
  - Keep copies of documents and records of your conversations about the theft.
- File a police report. File a report with law enforcement officials to help you with creditors who may want proof of the crime.
- Report the theft to the Federal Trade Commission. Your report helps law enforcement officials across the country in their investigations.
- online: fic.gov/idtheft
- By phone: 1-877-ID-THEFT (438-4338) or TTY, 1-866-653-4261

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Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC 20580 By mail: Identity Theft Clearinghouse,

DETER-DETECT-DEFEND



## Financial Exploitation of Seniors



# Growth of Fraud on Seniors

- Increasing victimization of seniors
- 1 in 5 Americans over 65 have been victimized by fraud
- Fraudsters view seniors as Easy Targets
- accounts, home equity and excellent credit More likely to have savings and retirement ratings
- tend to be polite and trusting
- · less likely to report becoming victims because of embarrassment

### Most Common Types of Fraud on Seniors

- Investment Frauds.
- Employment Fraud

Identity Theft

- Charity Schemes
- Lottery/ Sweepstakes Fraud
- Recovery Schemes
  Mortgage/Reverse
  Mortgage Frauds

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## Identity Theft

- One of the Fastest Growing Crimes
- 10+ Million Victims Per Year
- How fraudsters get victim
  - information:
- Dumpster Diving
- ATM Skimming
  Pretexting (phone)
- Address Change
- · Phishing (email)

# Lottery / Sweepstakes Fraud

- Victims told that they have won a prize in a lottery or sweepstakes
  - Often foreign lotteries
- victims are told that they must pay To obtain the promised winnings, "taxes" or "fees"
- Moneygram, or other money service Payments are requested via Bank Wire Transfer, Western Union, businesses

## Employment Fraud

- Victims are promised easy access to money in exchange for up-front fees
- "Mystery Shopper" schemes
- Pyramid schemes
- Unknowing involvement in criminal activity
- Starting a home-based business

## Charity Schemes

- Exploit catastrophes or good causes
- September 11, Hurricane Katrina, Earthquake in Haiti, etc.
- Firefighter funds, cancer research, etc.
- Fraudsters solicit donations through emails, websites, or door-to-door
  - Schemes may use names of real charities to increase legitimacy

### Keverse Mortgage Fraud Mortgage/

- Fraudsters recognize that largest asset for seniors is often home equity.
- Homeowners over 62 borrow against the equity of their home without having to make loan payments.
- Structured so that loan balance will gradually increase over time.
- Seniors not paying attention to fees.

# How to Spot a Fraudster

If it sounds too good to be true, it is.

# How to Spot a Fraudster

- High pressure sales tactics.
- "Can't tell anyone else about this opportunity."
  - High returns in a short time.
- "Warren Buffett made his money this way,"
- If you have to pay money to get money.
- Possible religious component of sales pitch.

### How to Avoid Becoming a Fraud Victim

- Don't give a business your SSN just because they ask.
  - Check your credit report every 12 months.
- contact or you are sure you know who the phone, through the mail or on the Internet unless you have initiated the Don't give personal information over you are dealing with.

### If You Think You're a Victim of Fraud

transactions were made in your name. Communicate with all creditors and financial institutions where

Close all tampered accounts.

Notify a national credit bureau and file a fraud alert.

### If You Think You're a Victim of Fraud

department, local FBI office, and U.S. Postal Inspectors; file a report with Call your local police or sheriff's each.

File a complaint with the Federal Trade Commission Consumer Sentinel at www.ftc.gov



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### SPRING SESSION April 13, 2013 - 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

### **HOST CHURCH**

Morning Star Baptist Church - Spring Grove, Virginia Rev. Dr. Robert Elliott - Host Pastor

### DIVISION OF CLERGY AND DIVISION OF LAYMEN

Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore & Dea. Joseph Anderson - Chairs

Presiding
Opening Selection
Scripture
Prayer
Selection "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart"
Welcome Host Pastor
Response from LVBA
Moderator's Moments
Offering Dea. Alonzo Howell/Dea. Raymond Robinson

Introduction of Facilitators	Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore
	President Division of Clergy

### YOUTH SEMINAR SESSIONS

### **Pre-Teens & Teens** "Transitioning Into Young Adulthood" Miss Brittany Johnson, Miss Whitney Johnson, & Others Mt. Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA

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### Youths 5-11 "Crafting Your Own Edible 'Rag Doll' Salad" Mrs. Jennie L. Stevenson

Mt. Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA

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### ADULT SEMINAR SESSION

"Colonoscopy Screening for the African American Community" Ms. Judy M. Anderson Executive Director of the Hampton Roads Sickle Cell Association, Inc.

Departure of Youths to Youth Seminar

Departure of Delegates & Pastors for Brief Business Session Voting on Website & Article II – Membership, Section I (b) Proposals

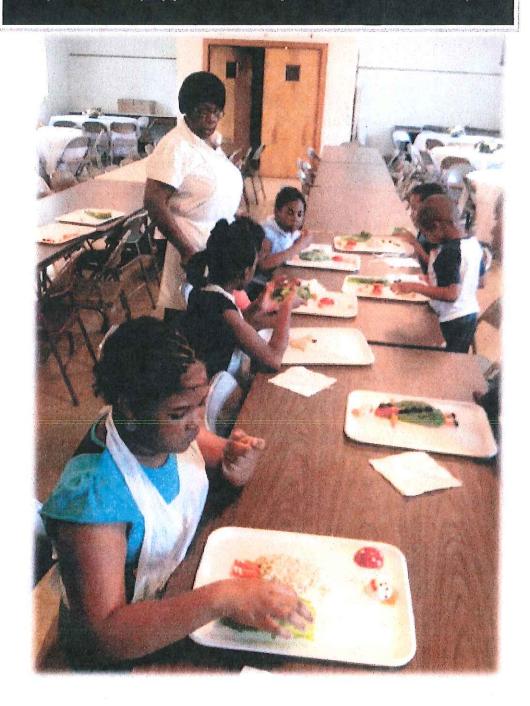
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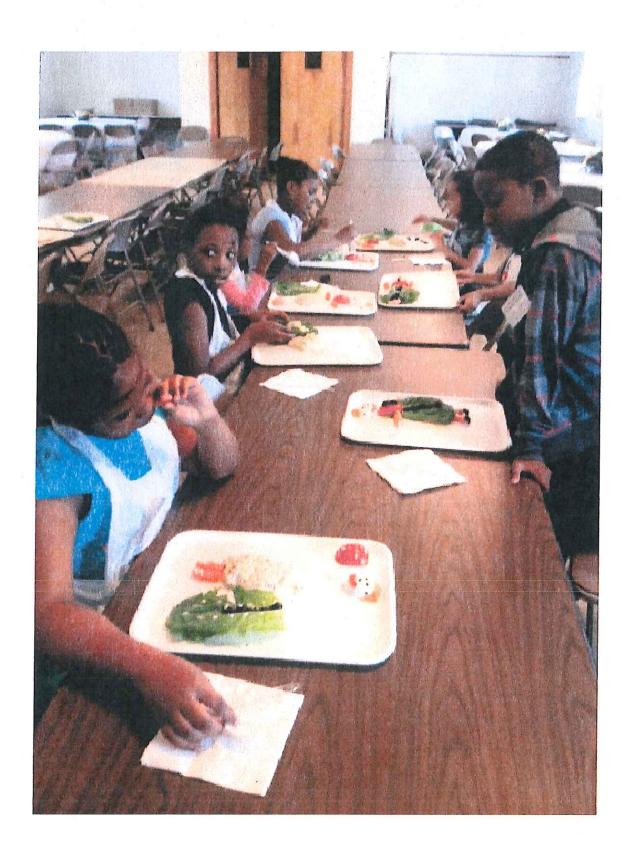
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Moderator's Reflections ...... Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs

### JENNIE STEVENSON TEACHES THE YOUNGER YOUTHS HOW TO MAKE A HANDCRAFTED DOLL THAT IS FUN, BEAUTIFUL, EDIBLE, AND HEALTHY

(Boiled egg white, lettuce, carrots, tomato, black olives, pimentos, peppercorn, mayo, and chicken salad)



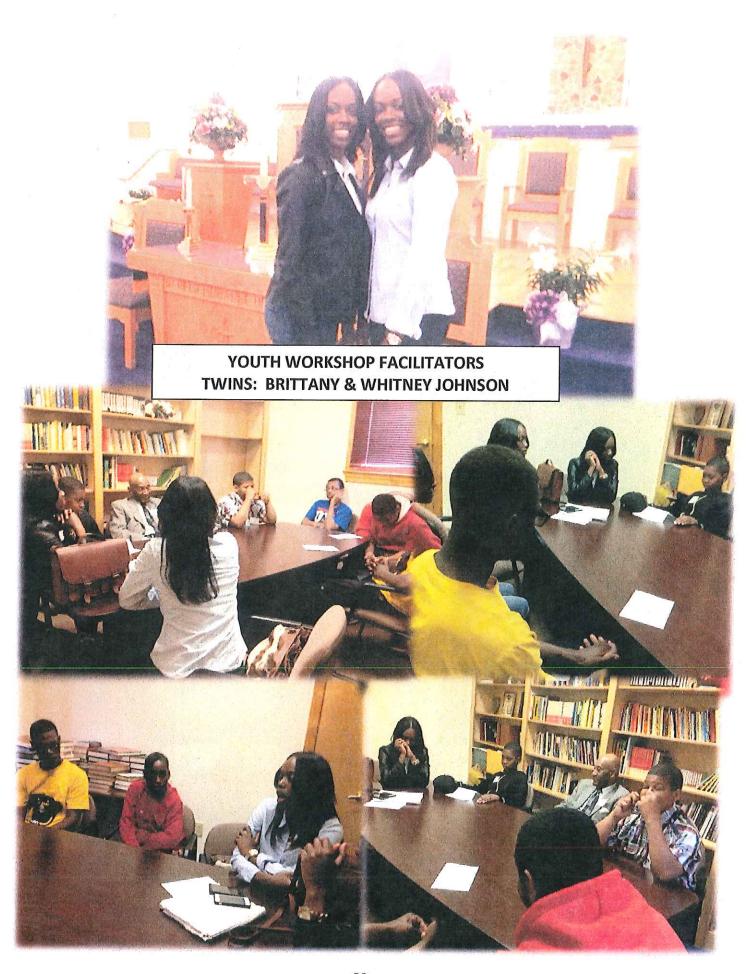












### Educational Program to Increase Colorectal Cancer Screening (EPICS)

Introduction to the



### Goal

To increase colorectal cancer screening rates among African Americans by educating the community about colorectal cancer and the importance of getting screened.



### Objectives

WHAT Exactly is Colorectal Cancer?

WHERE Does It Occur?

WHO Gets Colorectal Cancer?

WHEN Should I Be Tested?

WHY Should I Be Concerned?

## Cancer Is Like... An Unwanted House Guest



# What is Colorectal Cancer?

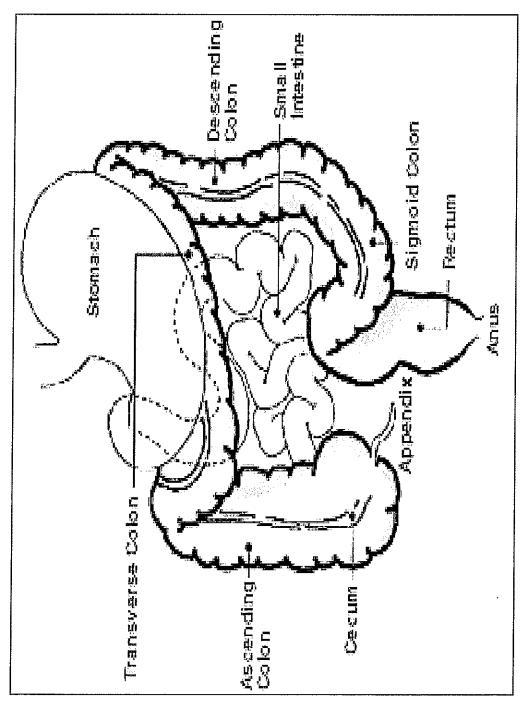
Cancer that arises in the digestive system

Abnormal cells in the colon or rectum

Cancer cells that break away from a tumor

in the colon or rectum and spread to other parts of the body

Diagram of Colon & Rectum



### Who Gets It?

Men & Women

Young & Old

All races/ethnicities

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### Risk Factors

person's chance of developing a Something that increases a disease. 

Two Types of Risk Factors: 

Non-modifiable - can't change Modifiable - can change

# Non-Modifiable Risk Factors

Family history

Personal history of colorectal cancer 0

Personal history of polyps

Chronic inflammatory bowel disease

**Growing older** 

## Family History

Immediate Family Member

Risk increases if the following occurs:

Relative affected before the age of 60

More than one relative affected at any age

### Personal History of Colorectal Cancer

Individuals who have or have had Colorectal Cancer ()

Increase risk to develop new cancers in other areas of the colon and 

### Personal History of Intestinal Polyps

Increased risk of colorectal ()

cancer

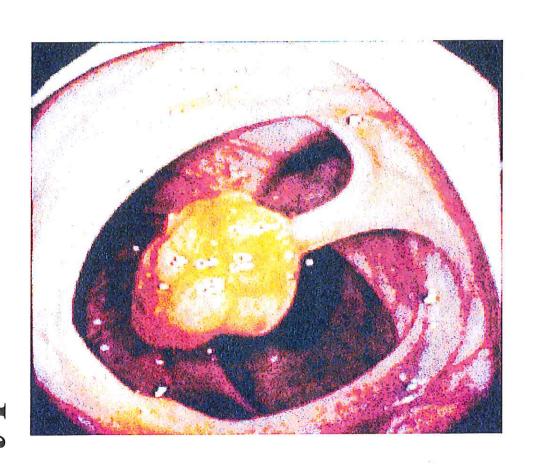
Other factors

-size

-number of polyps

### Polyp

 A polyp is an abnormal growth on the inner wall of the colon and/or rectum that could lead to colorectal cancer if not removed.



### Inflammatory Bowel Disease Personal History of Chronic

A condition in which the colon is inflamed over a long period of time

Two known conditions

- "Ulcerative Colitis"
- "Crohn's Colitis"

### **Growing Older**

Risk of developing colorectal cancer increases after the age of 50

About 90% of people found to have colorectal cancer are older than 50

### Modifiable Risk Factors

Obesity

Alcohol

Exercise

Eating habits

Screening habits

Smoking

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# Colorectal Cancer Screening Tests

- Fecal Occult Blood Test (FOBT)
- Sometimes done with flexible sigmoidoscopy
- Flexible Sigmoidoscopy
- Colonoscopy
- Double-Contrast Barium Enema (DCBE)
- Digital Rectal Exam (DRE)
- not used alone

## Screening Should Begin.

- At age 50 for those at normal risk
- Speak with your physician to determine your screening practices

# BE SURE TO FOLLOW GUIDELINES!!!















### DIVISION OF MISSIONS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

"MAXIMIZING THE IMPACT: Understanding our Mission"
"For the Son of Man has come to seek and save those who are lost"
(Luke 19:10 – NIV)



"Make the most of your chances to tell others the 'Good News'. Be wise in all your contacts with them." (Colossians 4:5 LB).

As missionaries maximizing the impact of our missions, we must make the most of our chances to tell others the "Good News" and be wise in all of our contacts. We must be able to help them solve their problems to our greatest potential, always seeking God to guide us in the right directions. We can accomplish our mission by using the talents that God has given us to serve others in their needs. As we maximize our mission to meet their needs, we most certainly will

be making a lasting impact that will help those who were once lost, maximize their potential in life.

"My life is worth nothing unless I use it for doing the work assigned by the Lord Jesus—the work of telling others the 'Good News' about God's wonderful kindness and love."

In order to solve the problems effectively that one might have, we must make a difference in the lives of those in need—whether it be feeding the hungry, visiting the sick or those in prison, clothing the necked, giving water to the thirsty, or sharing His Holy Word.

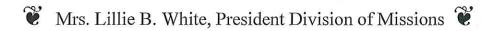
Whenever we feel apathetic about our mission in the world, think of what Jesus said in Luke 19:10, "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save those who are lost." We must demonstrate the true meaning of the scripture that God has given us as we help meet their needs.

The Spirit has given each of us a special way to serve others. Some can speak with wisdom—others can speak with knowledge. As missionaries, we must ask God to reveal the need and guide us in the correct direction to help solve the problem. We must allow God to order our steps as we demonstrate to others the true meaning of the scripture that has been given to us.

We must understand what our mission is and seek wisdom from God how to effectively serve others, always making the most of our chances to tell others the "Good News" of Jesus Christ. We must always allow "love" to flow through us so that others can see the "love" in us—which is the greatest gift of all.

God is always there to lead and guide us as we do His will. We must spread the "love" and "Good News" throughout the entire world, so all can see we are a part of "His Master Plan."

Missions is defined as an important assignment carried out for political, religious, or commercial purposes. What is your mission?



When God knocks at your door
To perform a duty
Do you refer Him to your friend
Or to your neighbor?

If God can use you To get the job done Then pray daily so that you can Perform His job

> Who can God use? Can He use you To get the job done?

### LVBA MISSIONS OUTING THE CHILDREN'S HOME OF VIRGINIA BAPTISTS, INC. SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2013

The Missions Division of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies visited the Virginia Baptist Children's Home in Petersburg on Saturday, May 4, 2013. The Home is a non-profit organization with a history of over 66 years of providing service and loving care to children.

Dr. Jean R. Cobbs, director of the Home greeted us as we arrived. She presented a very impressive talk concerning the Home and ways in which the Home needed help. Here are some of the facts she presented:

- > The Home no longer houses children because they are being placed in group homes
- > The revenue for the Home basically comes from churches and other organizations that provide support
- Due to the age of the home, there are many problems, such as broken or busted pipes, sewer problems, expensive lawn care, and high electric bills (just to name a few).

In order to help with the Home, afternoon programs have been implemented for the youths.

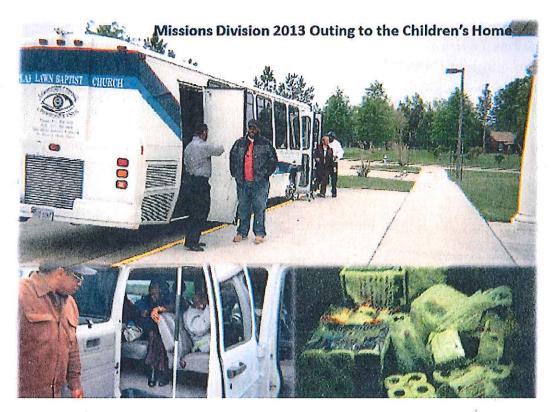
- > After school programs providing youths with a safe and wholesome out-of-school program during the school year.
- ➤ The summer enrichment program an 8 week out-of-school-time program that provides fun and educational experiences for youths ages 6-14 from 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.

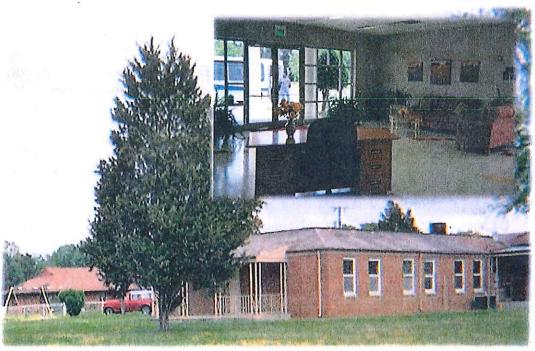
The Home has a banquet room which can be used for wedding receptions, banquets, conferences, etc. This venture is another means of providing income and support for the Home.

Dr. Cobbs complimented the youths that were with the group, and also the LVBA for supporting the Home over the years. We were presented a delicious lunch, afterwhich we presented Dr. Cobbs with all the supplies requested and a total of \$849. She then took us on a tour of the facility. She was very appreciative of the visit and the items presented to her. We felt very proud because this was our mission—to spread joy to others.

There were 50 persons in attendance for our trip. The following church mission groups participated: Sandy Mount, Main Street, Mt. Nebo, Lebanon Surry, Morning Star, Mt. Sinai, Poplar Lawn, Emmanuel, and First Baptist Claremont.

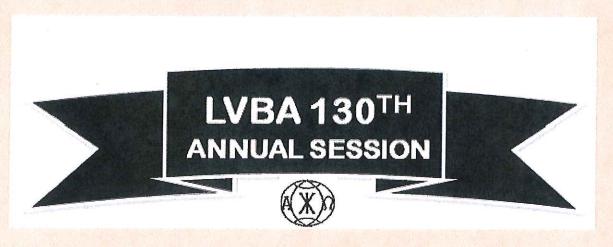
### The Children's Home of Virginia Baptists, Inc.





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### IN CONCERT

Magnificent Voices from

The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association & Allied Bodies Churches

### DIRECTED BY

Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount &

&
Dea. George L. Fauntleroy, Sr





### REGISTRATION

5:45 p.m - 6:15 p.m.

### **OPENING SESSION**

6:00 p.m.

### **CONCERT CHOIR**

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Conducted By Deacon George L. Fauntleroy, Sr.

### **DEVOTIONS**

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"We Have Come Into the Lord's House to Worship Him"

"I'm Still Holding On"

"Order My Steps"

"To God Be the Glory"

"Expect Your Miracle"

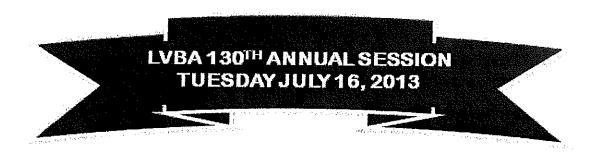
"My God is Awesome"

"Total Praise"

### **CLOSING**

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SIS. CATHERINE I.J. BLOUNT, LVBA MUSICIAN DEACON GEORGE L FAUNTLEROY, SR.



### MODERATOR'S NIGHT - WORSHIP SERVICE

### WORSHIP LEADER

Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III - First Vice-Moderator Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

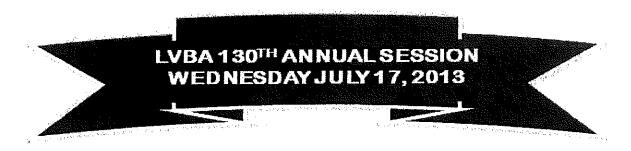
Deacon George L. Fauntleroy, Sr. - Musician Opening Selection Poplar Lawn Baptist Church Choir Scripture . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Rev. Dr. Millard F. Boone, III (Pastor-Elect) Cypress Baptist Church - Surry, VA Sandy Mt. Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Chant ..... Choir Mt. Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA Introduction of Moderator . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Rev. Dr. Robert L. Elliott, Jr. Morning Star Baptist Church - Spring Grove, VA Sermonic Selection ...... Choir

### **MODERATOR'S MESSAGE**

Dr. Bruce E. Childs Pastor Poplar Lawn Baptist Church

### POPLAR LAWN BAPTIST CHURCH CHOIR

Invitation to Discipleship	Dr. Childs
Offering	Deacons in Charge
Closing Selection	
Benediction	



### REGISTRATION

### SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

(Please limit speeches to no more than 3 minutes)

Virginia Baptist State Convention

Baptist General Convention of Virginia

Childrens' Home of the Virginia Baptist, Inc.

Surry Free Clinic

C.A.B. Outreach Ministries

Virginia One Church One Child

Virginia University of Lynchburg (VUL)

Wakefield Christian Outreach Center

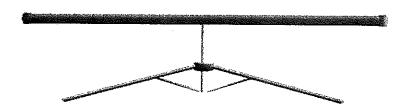
Isle of Wight Branch NAACP

Surry Branch NAACP

Ambassadors for Christ

Richmond Virginia Seminary

### SEMINARS 6:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.



### WORKSHOP I - YOUTHS 5-12 5:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

"RESPECT"

### Facilitator

Rev. Spencer Logan, Sr. - Hope Chapel of Deliverance Church - Surry



### WORKSHOP II - ADULTS & TEENS 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.

"The Affordable Care Act" (aka "Obamacare")

### **Facilitator**

Dr. Charles Shannon - Associated with Faith Leaders Moving Forward

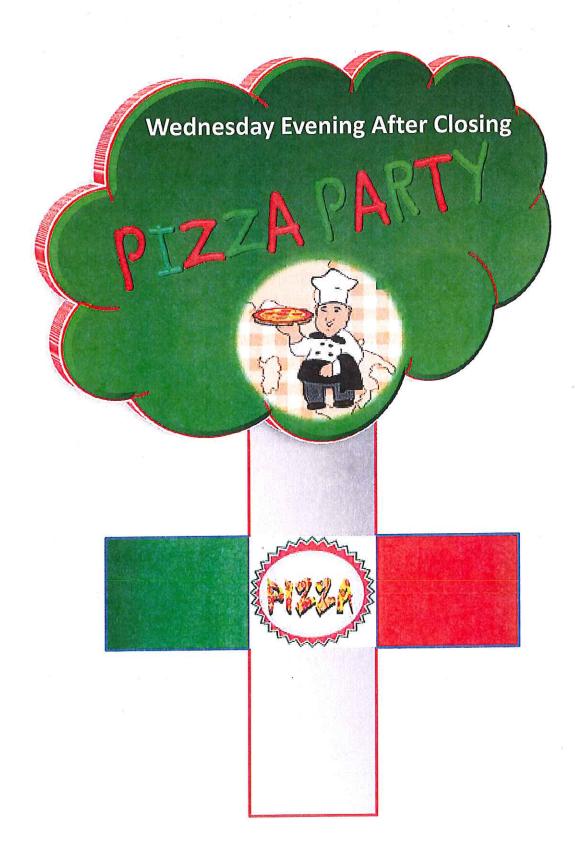


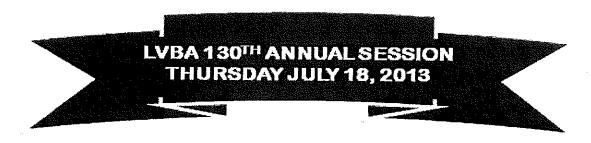
### WORKSHOP III - TEENS AND ADULTS 7:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. SOCIAL MEDIA

(Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, PUSH, KICK, etc.) "The Good, the Bad, & the Ugly"

### **Facilitators**

Miss Jenae Edwards - Technology Education Instructor SCHS Mrs. Airon Harr - Instructional Technology Resource Teacher SCHS





### REGISTRATION

4:30 p.m - 5:00 p.m.

### MISSIONS DIVISION PROGRAM

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

### WORSHIP LEADER Sis. Sheila Moton Mount Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA Sis. Catherine I. J. Blount, LVBA Musician Scripture . . . . . . . . Sis. Jacqueline Johnson Morning Star Baptist Church - Spring Grove, Virginia Poplar Lawn Baptist Church - Surry, VA Chant ..... Choir Introduction of Inspirational Speaker ...... Sis. Henrietta Tullis Mt. Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA Jones Grove Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Lighting of Memorial Candle ...... Sis. Roxie Young Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Introduction of Facilitator . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Sis. Virginia Walker Main St. Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Solo ...... Pastor James Rich Rising Star Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church - Norfolk, VA

### **★ CANDLELIGHT MARCH - ALL MISSIONARIES ★**

Song		"This is My Mission"
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### "THIS IS MY MISSION"

("Sung to the tune of "Blessed Assurance")

Blessed with His goodness, blessed with His love. Blessed with His showers that come from above. Blessed with His sunshine, blessed with His air, I'll go on helping everywhere.

God gives the courage, faith leads the way, Onward we travel happy and gay. Thinking of others, willing to share, Taking God's message everywhere.

Re-mem-bering others, whenever I pray, Looking to Jesus, He is the way. Onward I travel; He's by my side. I'll never falter, He is my guide.

### **CHORUS**

This is my Mission; this is my prayer, Helping the needy everywhere. This is my Mission; this is my prayer. Helping the needy everywhere.

- ► Finalization of Nominating Committee Business
- ► Installation of 2013-2015 Officers
- Other

\* ADJOURN TO BANQUET \* 7:00 P.M.

### MISSION INSPIRATIONAL SPEAKER SANDRA L. PERRIN



Sandra L. Perrin is a native of Smithfield, Virginia. She is married to Eddie Perrin and has 2 children, Dawn and Trey. She attended the Isle of Wight School System and graduated from Smithfield High School in 1971. Sandra attended the Jan Mar Beauty Academy and received her Certificate of Completion in December 1984. She received her Cosmetology License in March 1985.

Sandra's community affiliations are as follows: she works evenings at the Smithfield High School setting standards for the girls for future careers in cosmetology; she works in her community, speaking to the less fortunate parents on building up their self-esteem; she was a member of the Homemaker Extension Agency, where she served as president;

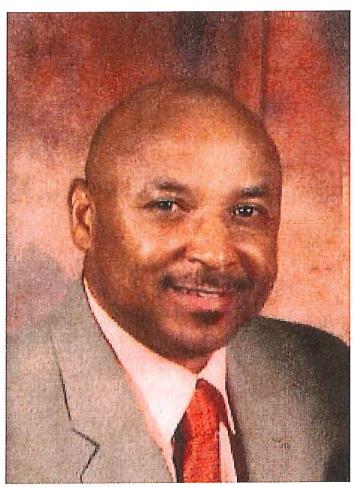
member of the Daughters of Salem Tent #61 and retained office of Assistant Leader for the Subordinate; and she served on the School Administration Committee.

Church affiliations are as follows: she is member of the New Jones' Grove Baptist Church and is currently serving as Superintendent for the Sunday School; adult Sunday School teacher; member of the Missionary Ministry, where she served as secretary; president of the Hospitality Committee; worked on the Finance Committee; member of the Gospel and Senior Chorus. Sandra attended the Virginia University of Lynchburg Seminary, where she graduated in 2005 and received her Certificate in Ministry.

Professional affiliations are as follows: Sandra is a Licensed Cosmetologist; owner of the Ultimate Touch Beauty Salon; member of the Norfolk Registered Beautician Chapter; member of the Virginia State Beautician Association; member of the Executive Committee; held office as Parliamentarian, and now serving as 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President for the State; member of various auxiliaries within the Association; member of the Natural Beauty Cultural League. Sandra received her Bachelor, Master, and Doctoral degrees. She worked on the State Board Examiner team. She won the competition for Better Speaker Contest.

Sandra is a hard working person who loves to serve people. Her goal is to finish to the end. She is a God fearing woman, who loves the Lord. Her motto is: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

### MISSIONS FACILITATOR PASTOR BOBBY A. BOWSER



Born May 25, 1954 to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bowser, Sr. in Isle of Wight County, Virginia. Pastor Bobby Bowser was educated in the Isle of Wight County Public School System. He graduated in 1972 from Smithfield High School and went on to college to further his education. He was successful in earning a diploma in Computer from Virginia Programming Computer College in Reston, Virginia, a Certificate in Church Ministry from Virginia University of Lynchburg, Virginia, a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Saint Paul's College of Lawrenceville, Virginia and a Master of Divinity degree University from Virginia Lynchburg, Virginia.

Reverend Bowser was granted his license to preach on November 25, 2001 from the First Gravel Hill Baptist Church of Smithfield, Virginia by the Reverend Charles E. Beard. In 2005, the Reverend Bobby Bowser was called to pastor the Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church of Norfolk, Virginia, where he is still serving.

Pastor Bowser's community affiliations include: Member of the Rushmere Volunteer Fire Department, Member of the Isle of Wight Christian Outreach Program, and Former member of the Isle of Wight Planning Commission.

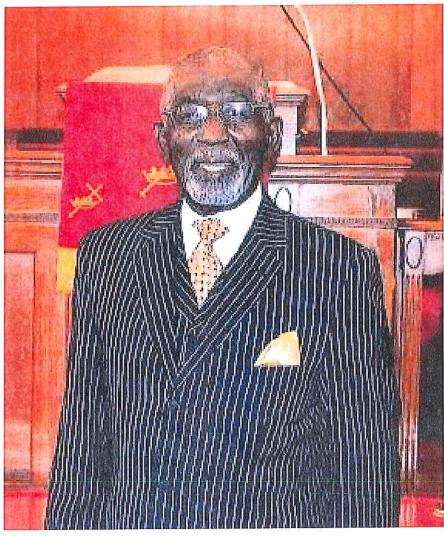


### SCHOLARSHIP FUND BANQUET

7:00 p.m. WORSHIP LEADER Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III 1st Vice-Moderator Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA **BANQUET MUSICIAN** Deacon George L. Fauntleroy, Sr. Opening Selection ...... ALL Invocation ...... Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Welcome ...... Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore Mt. Nebo Baptist Church - Surry, VA ...... Rev. Dr. James Harrison Purpose Main Street Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA Selection ..... ALL Blessing of the Banquet Meal . . . . . . . . . . . . . Rev. James D. Rich Rising Star Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA ~ DINNER ~ ..... Bro. Zivan Holloway, Jr. Selection Morning Star Baptist Church - Spring Grove, VA Sermonic Selection ...... Bro. Zivan Holloway, Jr. Pastor Pulaski Baptist Church - Carrsville, VA

### AWARDS AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

### THE REVEREND DR. ROBERT E. RODGERS BANQUET SPEAKER



The Reverend Dr.
Robert E. Rodgers is a native of Suffolk,
Virginia. He has been married to Mrs.
Virgie AlstonRodgers for the past
19 years.

Dr. Rodger matriculated at the Tidewater Community College and the Virginia University of

Dr. Rodgers is past Moderator of the Sharon Baptist Association, past President of the Suffolk Interdenominational Ministers' Alliance, and past President of the

Tidewater Metro Baptist Ministers' Conference of Virginia.

Current affiliations for Dr. Rodgers include the following: member of the Portsmouth Interdenominational Ministers' Forum, member of the Hampton University Ministers' Conference, member of the Board of Trustees of the Virginia University of Lynchburg, and Treasurer of the Virginia University of Lynchburg.



### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### REGISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT OCTOBER 13, 2012

RECEIVED FROM CHURCHES OFFERING TOTAL	\$600.00 <u>\$179.88</u> \$779.88
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Number of churches present - 13	
Delegates	17
Seminar Leaders	4
Clergy	6
Youth	15
Visitors	5
Members <b>Total</b>	<u>19</u> <b>66</b>

### SUBMITTED BY

Sis. Angela Williams, Chairperson Dea. Edward Jones, Assistant

### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### REGISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT JANUARY 12, 2013

RECEIVED FROM CHURCHES OFFERING TOTAL	0.00 <u>\$213.10</u> \$213.10
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Number of churches present - 13	
Delegates	26
Clergy	10
Youth	5
Visitors	1
Members Total	- <u>39</u> <b>81</b>

### SUBMITTED BY

Sis. Angela Williams, Chairperson Dea. Edward Jones, Assistant

### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### REGISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT APRIL 13, 2013

RECEIVED FROM CHURCHES OFFERING TOTAL	\$000.00 <u>\$290.77</u> \$290.77	
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Numbers of churches present - 16		
Delegates	31	
Clergy	11	
Youth	16	
Visitors	0	
Members	30_	
Total	88	

### SUBMITTED BY

Sis. Angela Williams, Chairperson Dea. Edward Jones, Assistant

### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### MINISTERS & DEACONS RELIEF FUND ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2013

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Income from Members	\$645.00
LVBA	150.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$795.00

### **EXPENSES FOR 2013**

President	\$ 50.00
Treasurer	40.00
Secretary	_40.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$130.00

### **NEW MEMBERS**

Dea. Sylvia G. Flood	Dea. Barbara J. Parker
Dea. Harold Tynes	Dea. George R. Bailey
Dea. Robert Williams	Dea. Theodore Joyner
Dea. Lorraine Jones	Dea. Phyllis Wellons
Rev. Lucion J. Porter	·

SAVINGS ON CD	\$5,793.36
BALANCE IN TREASURE	\$5,793.36

### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Rev. George Lyttle, Treasurer Dea. Raymond Parson, Secretary

### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



### CONDOLENCE REPORT OF CHURCHES July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013 (As Reported by Churches)

CHURCH	DEATHS REPORTED
Cypress Baptist Church	Bro. Nathaniel Newby
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Emmanuel Baptist Church	Sis. Gracie B. Wilson*
1	Sis. Sandra P. Fields*
	Sis. Elizabeth G. Parker*
	Sis. Elsie B. Hall*
	Sis. Annie L. Winnegan
	Bro. Herbert "Buck" Hill
	Sis. Mary T. Langhorne
	*Denotes "Not Reported for 2011-2012"
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First Baptist Church - Claremont	No Report
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First Gravel Hill Baptist Church	1. Bro. Harry Bowser
	2. Sis. Rosetta Claggett
•	3. Sis. Audrey Hardy
	4. Sis. Margaret Reese Tynes
	5. Sis. Frances Stephens
	6. Bro. Novel Wilson
	7. Sis. Doshia Wells
	8. Bro. Wilton Wells
	9. Sis. Irene Hill
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Jerusalem Baptist Church	1. Sis. Elsie Thomas
	2. Sis. Doris Drew Dorsey
	3. Deacn. Alease Spratley

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Lebanon Baptist Church - Disputanta	1. Sis. Catherine Butler*
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Lebanon Baptist Church - Surry	1. Sis. Mary Harrison
- Sunday	2. Amanda Drew
	3. Sis. Flossie J. Gilchrist
	4. Sis. Mary Bingham
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Little Zion Baptist Church	1. Sis. Carolyn Jones
Ditte Zion Baptist Charon	2. Sis. Debbie Durham
	<ul><li>3. Sis. Shirley Gibbs</li><li>4. Sis. Mary Walker</li></ul>
	5. Bro William H. White
	<ul><li>6. Sis. Dorothy Gatewood</li><li>7. Sis. Lillie Ann Green</li></ul>
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Main Street Baptist Church	1. Sis. Joan Edwards
Wall bliect Daplist Church	
	<ol> <li>Bro. Barry C. Johnson</li> <li>Sis. Eunice E. Green</li> </ol>
<del>╇</del>	4. Sis. Clara W. Hardy
Morning Star Baptist Church	
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Mt. Nebo Baptist Church	
with 1000 Baptist Church	1. Bro. Maurice Lane*
	2. Trustee Andrew Thomas
	3. Sis. Jeanette Edler Byrd
	4. Sis. Dorothy Holt
	5. Deacn. Queen Wilson
	<ul><li>6. Bro. James Edmonds</li><li>7. Sis. Elsie Evans</li></ul>
	8. Deacn. Luefurnia Faulkcon
	9. Sis. Carolyn Smith
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Mt. Sinai Baptist Church	
<del>-</del>	1. Sis. Helen Holloman Johnson
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New Jones Grove Baptist Church	1. Sis. Ida Cofer 2. Sis. Morths Thomas
	2. Sis. Martha Thomas

<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>DEATHS REPORTED</u>
Poplar Lawn Baptist Church	1. Sis. Novella Mason
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Rising Star Baptist Church	1. Sis. Linda D. Glover
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Sandy Mount Baptist Church	1. Sis. Octavia Tynes
	2. Sis. Virginia Allmond
	3. Bro. Burdette Edwards
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Swan's Point Baptist Church	1. Dea. Albert Elliott, Sr.
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Union Baptist Church	No Report
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Bro. Dalton Batten

Condolence Committee Chairperson

### LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES

### THEME:

"MAXIMUM IMPACT: UNDERSTANDING OUR MISSION"
"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost"
Luke 19:10 (NIV)



### LVBA SESSIONS SCHEDULE FOR 2013 - 2014

PLANNING SESSION (FALL): Saturday, September 14, 2013 – 9:30 a.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

FALL SESSION: Saturday, October 19, 2013 - 8:00 a.m.

Sandy Mount Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

Rev. Dr. Bobby Lee Taylor, Host Pastor Division of Youth (Sis. Eunice Gay)

PLANNING SESSION (WINTER): Saturday, November 9, 2013 – 9:30 a.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

WINTER SESSION: Saturday, January 11, 2014 – 8:00 a.m.

(Inclement weather date - January 18, 2014)

Lebanon Baptist Church – Surry, VA Host Pastor – Rev. Terrence Davis, Sr.

Division of Christian Education (Rev. Robert Palmer

& Sis. Joyce Hendrick)

PLANNING SESSION (SPRING): Saturday, February 15, 2014 – 9:30 a.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

SPRING SESSION: Saturday, April 12, 2014 – 8:00 a.m.

**Main Street Baptist Church** 

Host Pastor – Rev. Dr. James Harrison Division of Clergy (Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore) Division of Laymen (Dea. Joseph Anderson

PLANNING SESSION (ANNUAL): Saturday, May 17, 2014 - 9:30 a.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church - Smithfield, VA

ANNUAL SESSION: Tues., July 15, 2014 - Thurs., July 17, 2014

Mt. Nebo Baptist Church

Host Pastor - Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore

All Divisions Involved



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DATE	CK#	WRITTEN TO	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
7/10/2012	2567	Bruce Childs	Moderator Stipend	\$ 150.00
77 10/2012		Eldridge Lucas III	1st Vice Moderator	100.00
		Douglas Adams	2nd Vice Moderator	100.00
	1	Perlene Montgomery	Executive Secretary Stipend	100.00
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7/11/2012	2571	Gloria Wilson	Recording Secretary Stipend	75.00
	2572	Joyce Hendrick	Assistant Recording Secretary Stipend	25.00
	2573	Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary Stipend	75.00
	2574	Angela Williams	Registration Stipend	60.00
	2575	Angela Williams	Registration Stipend	60.00
	2576	Angelia Cosby	Treasurer Stipend	75.00
	2001	Catherine Blount	Annual Musical Concert/Supplies	200.00
	2002	George Fauntleroy	Musician Stipend	150.00
	2003	Mt Nebo Baptist Church	Host - Annual Session	400.00
	2004	VOID	VOID	
	2005	Daniel Baltimore	Annual Clergy Stipend	100.00
	2006	VOID	VOID	
	2007	VOID	VOID	
-	2008	Raymond Parsons	Dea/Min Relief Secretary Stipend	40.00
	2009	Modlin printing	Annual Registration Supplies	53.00
7/12/2012	2010	Perlene Montgomery	Annual Session Supplies/Journals	517.04
	2011	Lucy Robertson	Mission Facilitator	150.00
	2012	Coreatha Holland	Mission Musician	50.00
	2013	Sharon Wooden	Mission Inspirational Facilitator	25.00
	2014	Baptist Children Home of VA	Objective 2011-2012	500.00
	2015	Ervin Scott	Banquet Speaker	250.00
	2016	A. Jane Ellis	Hospitality Supplies	18.88
<u>-</u>	2017	Sheila Moton	Mission Annual Stipend	25.00
	2018	Lillie White	Mission Annual Stipend	75.00
	2019	Thomas Spratley	Banquet Soloist	50.00
	2020	Angelia Cosby	Treasurer Supplies	50.00
7/17/2012	2021	Bruce Childs	Moderator Annual Speaker	150.00

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DATE	CK#	WRITTEN TO	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
	2022	George Fauntleroy Jr	Drummer for Annual Session	30.00
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7/26/2012		RR Donnelley	Check Order	48.58
8/4/2012	2023	Daniel Baltimore	Catechism (Rev S Washington)	150.00
8/28/2012	2024	Mount Nebo	Ad for Pastor Baltimore's Anniversary	150.00
10/13/2012	2025	Bruce Childs	Moderator Stipend	150.00
	2026	Eldridge Lucas	1st Moderator Stipend	100.00
	2027	Douglas Adams	2nd Moderator Stipend	100.00
	2028	VOID	VOID	
	2029	Perlene Montgomery	Executive Secretary Stipend	100.00
	2030	Gloria Wilson	Recording Secretary Stipend	75,00
	2031	Joyce Hendrick	Assistant Recording Secretary Stipend	25.00
	2032	Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary Stipend	75.00
	2033	Angelia Cosby	Treasurer Stipend	75.00
	2034	Catherine Blount	Musician Stipend	50.00
	2035	Joseph Anderson	Annual Layman Stipend	100.00
	2036	Robert Palmer	Annual Christian Education Stipend	50.00
	2037	Joyce Hendrick	Annual Christian Education Stipend	50.00
	2038	Eunice Gay	Annual Youth Stipend	100.00
	2039	Bruce Childs	Youth Facilitator	150.00
	2040	Angela Williams	Registration Stipend	60,00
11/17/2012	2041	Carl Smith	LVBA Website Set-Up	200.00
	2042	Modlin Printing	Registration Supplies	45.00
1/10/2013	2043	Jerlene Elliott	Dea/Min Relief (A Elliott)	150.00
	2044	VOID	VOID	
	2045	Main Street Baptist Church	Ad for Rev Harrison's Anniversary	100.00
1/12/2013	2046	Bruce Childs	Moderator Stipend	150.00

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	1	Perlene Montgomery	Executive Secretary Stipend	100.00
		Gloria Wilson	Recording Secretary Stipend	75.00
		Joyce Hendrick	Assistant Recording Secretary Stipend	25.00
	T	Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary Stipend	75.00
		Angelia Cosby	Treasurer Stipend	75.00
	1	Angela Williams	Registration Stipend	60.00
		Modin Printing	Registration Supplies	45.00
	T	Catherine Blount	Musician Stipend	50.00
	1	Ambassadors of Christ World	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	1	Baptist General Convention	Objective 2012-2013	500.00
		CAB Ministries Inc	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2585	Bolden Bradby Scholarship	Objective 2012-2013	700.00
	T	Bruce Childs	Moderator Objective 2012-2013	700.00
	2587	NAACP - IOW	Objective 2012-2013	100.00
	2588	NAACP - Surry	Objective 2012-2013	100.00
	2589	NAACP - Prince George	Objective 2012-2013	100.00
	2590	Virginia Baptist State Convention	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2591	Virginia One Church One Child	Objective 2012-2013	300.00
	2592	Surry Free Clinic	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2593	Virginia University of Lynchburg	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2594	Virginia Union University	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2595	Gwen Bowser	Youth Facilitator (Christian Education)	150.00
	2596	Lucy Robertson	Youth Facilitator (Christian Education)	150.00
	2597	Isle of Wight Triad	Adult Facilitator (Christian Education)	150.00
	2598	Western Tidewater Free Clinic	Objective 2012-2013	250.00
	2599	Lott Carey Foreign Mission	Objective 2012-2013	500.00
3/20/2013	2600	Cory Howell	Website	200.00
7,20,20,10		Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund	Objective/Support	3,730.00
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4/13/2013	2602	Wodlin Printing	Registration Supplies	45.00

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		Jennie Stevenson	Layman/Youth Facilitator	150.00
	2604	Judy Anderson	Layman/Adult Facilitator	150.00
	2605	Insurance Agency Service LLC	Bonding Fee for LVBA Finance Officers	233.89
	2606	Bruce Childs	Moderator Stipend	150.00
	2607	Eldridge Lucas III	1st Moderator Stipend	100.00
	2608	Perlene Montgomery	Executive Secretary Stipend	100.00
	2609	Gloría Wilson	Recording Secretary Stipend	75.00
	2610	Joyce Hendrick	Assistant Recording Secretary Stipend	25.00
	2611	Mary Boothe-Jones	Financial Secretary Stipend	75.00
	2612	Angelia Cosby	Treasurer Stipend	75.00
	2613	Catherine Blount	Musician Stipend	50.00
	2614	Angela Williams	Registration Stipend	60.00
	2615	Brittany Johnson	Layman/Teen Facilitator	125.00
	2616	Whitney Johnson	Layman/Teen Facilitator	125.00
5/19/2013	2617	Bolden Bradby Scholarship	Church Donation 2013	3,000.00
5/20/2013	2618	Carl Smith	Treasurer Expenses	35,00
6/10/2013	2619	Children Home of VA Baptist	Objective 2012-2013	1,000.00
			TOTAL EXPENSES 2012-2013	21,216.39

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### Finance Committee:

Carl Smith, President Mary Boothe-Jones, Financial Secretary Angelia Cosby, Treasurer

## LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION & ALLIED BODIES APPROPRIATION JULY 2012 - JUNE 2013

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CHURCHES		Jul '12		BBS Fund	Banquet Tickets
CYPRESS	\$	800.00	\$	225.00	\$ 100.00
EMMANUEL		600.00		225.00	280.00
FIRST BAPTIST CLAREMONT		600,00		225.00	
FIRST GRAVEL HILL		600.00		225.00	260.00
JERUSALEM		800.00		255.00	220.00
LEBANON PRINCE GEORGE		600.00		200.00	
LEBANON SURRY		600.00		225.00	220.00
LITTLE ZION		-		-	220.00
MAIN STREET		1,000.00		600,00	220.00
MORNING STAR		1,000.00		225.00	170.00
MOUNT NEBO		1,000.00		200.00	240.00
MOUNT SINAI		600.00		200.00	230.00
NEW JONES GROVE		200.00		-	80.00
POPLAR LAWN		1,000.00		225.00	290.00
RISING STAR		600.00		~	60.00
SANDY MOUNT		600.00		225.00	220.00
SWAN'S POINT		600.00		225.00	60.00
UNION BAPTIST		100.00		_	_
TIDEWATER #1 UNION	İ	-		_	-
TIDEWATER #2 UNION		_		-	-
BURROWSVILLE UNION		160.00		-	_
SURRY UNION		_		-	
TOTAL	\$	11,460.00	\$	3,480.00	\$ 2,870.00
OFFERING 2012 - 2013	\$	765.00			
BB SCHOLARSHIP		3,480.00			
BANQUET TICKET SALE		2,870.00			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
DEA/MIN RELIEF FUND		-			
BB SCHOLARSHIP OFFERING		750.00			
APPROPRIATION		11,460.00			
MISSIONS		-			
TOTAL INCOME 2012 - 2013	\$	19,325.00			

CARL SMITH, PRESIDENT
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### LVBA BUDGET FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 2012-2013

	EXPENSES	П	July	,	Oct	<u> </u>	Jan	1	Apr	ST	IPEND/
APPROPRIATIONS	BUDGET		2012		2012		2013				LANCE
I. Staff Appropriations	e e para de carengo	0.000									
A. Honorariums											
1. Moderator	\$ 600.00	\$	150.00	\$	150.00	\$	150.00	\$	150,00	\$	-
2. 1st Vice Moderator	400.00		100,00		100.00		100.00		100,00		-
3. 2nd Vice Moderator	400.00		100,00		100,00		-		=		200,00
4. Executive Secretary	400.00		100,00		100.00	П	100.00	$\vdash$	100.00		-
5. Recording Secretary	300.00		75.00		75.00		75.00		75.00		-
6. Asst. Recording Secretary	100.00		25.00		25.00		25,00	Π	25,00		
7. Musician	200,00		-		50.00		50.00	Π	50,00	П	50.00
8. Deacons/ Ministers Relief & Donations	130,00		40.00		-		-		-		90.00
9. Treasurer /FinancePresident	400.00		75,00		75.00		75.00		75.00		100.00
10.Financial Secretary	300.00		75.00		75.00		75,00		75.00		-
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 3,230.00	\$	740.00	\$	750.00	\$	650.00	\$	650,00	\$	440.00
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B. Associational Work					11.						
1.Annual Session Music/Speaker	\$ 800.00	\$	830.00	\$	-	\$	-	\$		\$	(30.00)
2. Divisional Presidents	500.00		200.00		300.00		-		-		-
3. Printing Journal	450.00		300.00		-		-				150.00
4. Associational Work	400.00		217.04		. <b>-</b>						182,96
5. Layman (Spring)	500,00		-		-		-		275.00		225.00
6. Ministers	500.00		<u>-</u>				-		275.00		225.00
7. Host Church (Annual Session)	400.00		400.00		-		-		-		
8. Registration Packets	150.00		53.00		45.00		45.00		45.00		(38.00)
9. Finance Committee Expenses	250.00		98,58	Ī	1		_		35.00		116.42
10. Mailings/ Postage	400.00						-		~		400.00
11. Christian Education	800.00		-		-		450.00		-		350,00
12. Youth	800,00		-		150,00		-		-		650.00
13. Missionary	1,825.00		225,00				1		-		1,600.00
14. Registration	520.00		120.00		60,00		60.00		60.00		220.00
15. Miscellaneous	400.00		18.88		500.00		100.00		433.89		(652.77)
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 8,695.00	\$	2,462.50	\$ :	1,055.00		655,00	\$	1,123.89	\$	3,428.61
II. Stewardship (Objectives)	Specific Streens										
A. Cooperative Ministries				* 14 °	2.00			2.5			
1. BGC/VUU	\$ 500.00	\$	-	\$	-	\$	750.00	\$	-16-14 (1994) Alliand Art Art	\$	(250.00)
2. VUL/VBSC	500.00		_		-		500.00	<u> </u>	_		<u> </u>
3. Children's Home of VA Baptist	1,000.00		500.00		-		-		1,000.00		(500.00)
4. NAACP (IOW, Surry, & PG)	300.00	<u> </u>			-		300.00		-		
5. Moderator's Objectives	700.00		-		-		700.00		-		_
a. BGC	, 55.50				-		-		_		
b. VBSC	-	<b> </b>					-				-
c. Hayes-Allen Day	- 1		-		-		-		-		-
d. Hampton Ministers Conference		-	_		-		-		-		

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## LVBA BUDGET FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 2012-2013

APPROPRIATIONS	EXPENSES BUDGET		July 2012	1	Oct 2012	Jan 2013	1	_	STIPEND/ BALANCE
6. Bolden Bradby Scholarship Fund	700.00		_		_	700.00		6,730,00	(6,730,00)
7. Lott Carey Foreign Missions	500.00	1	-		-	500,00	$\vdash$	.,	
8. Deacons/ Ministers Relief Fund	150,00		-			150.00			_
9. VA One Church, One Child	300.00	]	-		-	300.00			_
10. Surry/W. TidewaterFree Clinics	500.00		-		-	500.00	Т		-
11. CAB Outreach Ministries	250.00		-		_	250.00			
12. Ambassadors for Christ	250.00				-	250.00			-
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 5,650.00	\$	500.00	\$	-	\$4,900,00	\$	7,730.00	\$ (7,480.00)

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## LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES

## OBJECTIVES JULY 2012 - JUNE 2013

STEWARDSHIP	AMOUNT
Ambassadors of Christ World Ministries, Inc	\$250.00
Baptist General Convention of Virginia	500.00
Bolden Bradby Scholarship	7,430.00
CAB Outreach Ministries, Inc.	250.00
Deacons/Ministers Relief Fund	150.00
Lott Carey Foreign Mission	500.00
Moderator Objectives	700.00
NAACP - IOW	100.00
NAACP - Prince George	100.00
NAACP - Surry	100.00
Surry Free Clinic	250.00
Virginia Baptist State Convention	250.00
Virginia One Church One Child	300.00
Virginia University of Lynchburg	250.00
Virginia Union University	250.00
Western Tidewater Free Clinc	250.00
Baptist Childrens Home of Virginia	1,500.00
TOTAL OBJECTIVES	\$13,130.00

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### Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association Division of Clergy

Saturday July 28, 2012
Minutes of Ordination Council
Candidate Reverend Saretha Washington
(Co-Pastor - First Baptist Church Claremont, Va.)

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Dr. Bruce E. Childs. Dr. Childs then led the council in prayer. First Vice Moderator Dr. Eldridge Lucas III volunteered to act as the recording secretary for the session for the day. Moderator Childs requested that Dr. Lucas read the letter to the council which was forwarded by the First Baptist Church in reference to the forming of the council for the purpose of examining Reverend Saretha Washington. The council {through a motion and second of motion} voted to accept the letter and proceed with the process.

PURPOSE – The service was turned over to the Catechist Dr. Daniel Baltimore, President of the Division of Clergy of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and pastor of the Mount Nebo Baptist Church, who informed the council of the desire of the church to ordain Rev. Washington so she would be fully equipped to assist her Pastor in the ministry. The council was closed and the names of all ministers present were recorded.

Dr. Baltimore explained to Rev. Saretha Washington the purpose of the ordination process, and informed the candidate that the examination would be in the following areas, Conversion, Calling, and Doctrinal Issues. Dr. Baltimore asked if the candidate understood everything up to this point and if she had any questions. The candidate responded by stating she had none. Dr. Baltimore asked the candidate to introduce herself to the council. Rev. Washington introduced herself as the spouse of Rev. Anthony Washington, pastor of First Baptist Church Claremont, a native of Bluefield, West Virginia, mother of three children and grandmother of four children.

All council members introduced themselves to the candidate; they being Pastor Anthony Washington, Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Dr. Daniel Baltimore, Dr. Eldridge Lucas III, Dr. Douglas Adams, Rev. Lucy Robertson, Rev. Alexander Bracey, and Bishop Japheth Omucheyi.

### **EXAMINATION PERIOD**

The catechist asked the candidate to share her Christian experience concerning her conversion. Candidate Washington shared her Christian experience as a time of being introduced to Christ during and after a turbulent time in her life. She informed the council of being introduced to Christ by her brother who was a believer. After her acceptance of Jesus as Savior and Lord, the growth process began in her life.

Catechist questioned the candidate on her salvation. Are you saved? How do you know this to be true? Candidate responded by because I believe in my heart and confessed with my mouth according to Romans 10: 9-10.

CATEGORY ONE (The Ministers' Call) Questions asked by catechist: #'s 1...2...3

Candidate answered these questions successfully to council.

She informed the council that her calling was not an immediate calling in her opinion, but a progressive calling. Additionally, God instructed her not through an audible word, but an inner calling, through reading and studying the Word of God.

CATEGORY TWO (Doctrinal Questions, What we believe). Candidate was questioned concerning the Articles of Faith in the Baptist Church.

Candidate was asked to explain her doctrine of the Trinity. She answered correctly. The Catechist then asked candidate to explain the functions of the Trinity, her answer was received well by the council.

The Candidate was asked how many gods there were. Who or What is Jehovah?

The candidate answered magnificently.

The Catechist proceeded to ask questions such as, define what a will is and what it does; what did we receive from the will. The candidate answered all questions correctly.

### CATEGORY THREE (The Bible)

The Catechist requested the candidate to inform the council as to how many books there were in the Old Testament, and to explain their functions, i.e. whether they were History, Poetry, Law, etc. Also, what the first 5 Books of the Bible were called, and what were the major and minor prophetical Books were and why?

The candidate answered all questions correctly and in a superb fashion to the council.

### CATEGORY FOUR (The Fall of Man)

The catechist asked the candidate to explain the fall of man. The candidate followed the Article of Faith as her answer, which was well received by the council.

### CATEGORY FIVE (The Way of Salvation)

The catechist asked the candidate to explain what the freeness of salvation is and what she believed salvation is.

The candidate answered correctly pertaining to these questions.

### **CATEGORY SIX (Doctrines)**

The candidate was asked to explain Justification, Regeneration and Sanctification. The candidate answered did an excellent job of defining these doctrines.

The catechist asked the candidate to tell thee council what the church was. The candidate informed the council that the church was the called out body of believers set aside for the work of the Kingdom of God.

## CATEGORY SEVEN (Officers)

The catechist asked the candidate to explain who the two scriptural officers of the church were. She answered Pastor and Deacons.

The catechist asked the candidate concerning the 'ways in the Baptist church, the ways out of the Baptist church, and what the ordinances of the Baptist Church were.

CATEGORY EIGHT (Baptism & Lord's Supper)

The candidate was asked to explain what baptism represented and if baptism alone would save you. Additionally the candidate was asked what the breaking of bread and the drinking of wine represented during the ceremony of the Lords Supper.

The candidate answered correctly all questions during this section as well.

The candidate was asked to leave the room while the council convened to consider the next step in the process.

The Catechist (Reverend Dr. Daniel Baltimore) entertained a motion to end questioning at this point. Dr. Douglas Adams moved that council end the examination of candidate due to the fact Reverend Saretha Washington answered all questions satisfactorily, and she should proceed through the act of ordination. The motion was carried and passed with a unanimous vote.

The council further agreed that Reverend Saretha Washington is qualified to function in whatever capacity the church desires.

The Moderator Dr. Bruce E. Childs, requested Reverend Washington return to the room and she was at that time informed by the ordination council that it was their decision to inform her church (First Baptist Church) that she had passed the examination by the council.

Reverend Anthony Washington informed council that the ordination service would be at Abundant Life Ministries Church at 1:00 p.m. the same date. Closing prayer and benediction was given by Moderator Dr. Bruce E. Childs.

Reverend Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator

Reverend Dr. Eldridge Lucas III, Recording Secretary

Reverend Dr. Daniel Baltimore, Catechist

## **COUNCIL MEMBERS**

- 1. Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs
- 2. Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas III
- 3. Rev. Dr. Daniel Baltimore
- 4. Rev. Dr. Douglas Adams
- 5. Rev. Alexander Bracey
- 6. Rev. Lucy Robertson
- 7. Bishop Japheth Omucheyi
- 8. Rev. Anthony Washington {In attendance as Pastor of candidate}.

### ORDINATION AND RECOGNITION OF ORDINATION IN LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CHURCHES

INTRODUCTION: We recognize and celebrate the autonomy and diversity of our member congregations which make up our Association and Allied Bodies. We bring together differing styles and patterns of worship through which God has worked. In bringing these together, we affirm our autonomy and diversity, even as we seek to work together in mutual ministry for Christ. While ordination grows out of our need to extend ministry and service beyond the local church, this mutual ministry calls for a process of affirmation and recognition of ordination by the congregations which make up the churches of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies.

THE ORDINATION PROCESS: A congregation desiring an ordination to be recognized in the LVBA is encouraged to follow these guidelines and procedures. LVBA affirms the autonomy of all the local congregations which make up the Association and Allied Bodies.

- 1. The congregation desiring ordination for a candidate, should contact the Moderator via written communication to start the process ordination.
- 2. The Moderator should contact the President of the Division of Clergy, who shall contact the local congregation and the candidate to clarify and facilitate the process.
- 3. The Division of Clergy along with the candidate's pastor shall call for an Ordination Council and recommend to the local congregation that an Ordination Council be called informing the congregation of those steps to be taken before calling an Ordination Council. The Council shall review the candidate's background in the following areas:
  - a. Christian Character and the Lordship of Christ as evidenced in Christian Ministry
  - b. Understanding of the Purpose of the Church and its Ministry
  - c. Call to the Christian Ministry
  - d. Readiness to meet with an Ordination Council, reviewing the Statement of Faith

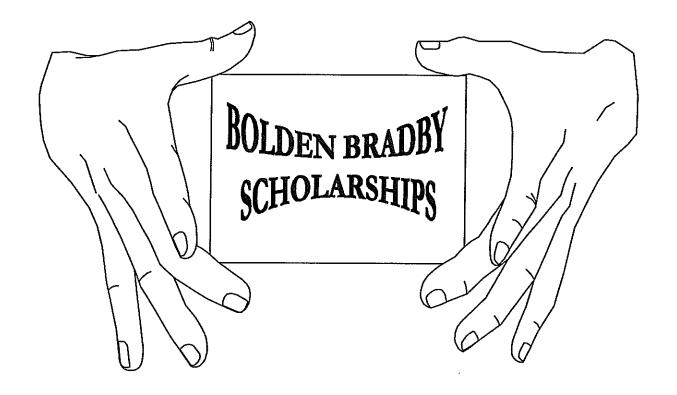
- 4. The Candidate shall prepare a "Statement of Faith" for the Ordination Council. It shall include a comprehensive understanding of Christian doctrine and practice, including an understanding of God, Christ and the Holy Ghost; the purpose and place of the Church in today's world; an understanding of the ordinances as practiced by the congregations of LVBA, personal commitment to the ministry and the relationship of the local congregation to the Association and Allied Bodies; and the role of the minister/pastor.
- 5. The local congregation in cooperation with the Division of Clergy shall invite every Church in the Association to send both clergy and laity to form the Ordination Council. Where appropriate, the catechizer should be agreed upon by the Candidate's Pastor and the local congregation. The Statement of Faith shall be presented to the Ordination Council.

### RECOGNITION OF ORDINATION OTHER THAN LVBA

- 1. A congregation desiring the recognition of the ordination of an individual coming from a tradition other than the LVBA shall first contact the Moderator via written communication.
- 2. The congregation will proceed to call an Ordination Council. Included among those invited will be all LVBA member congregations.
- 3. On the day of the Ordination Council, there must be at least four ordained LVBA clergies. Those attending the Council will question the candidate on the issues of faith and ministry with a special emphasis on issues relating to ministry with the LVBA (addressing the issues of ethnic inclusion, ecumenical witness, women in ministry and the relationship of the local congregation to the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association.)
- 4. A cleric's report of the attendance and action of the Ordination will be sent to the local congregation and moderator.
- 5. The LVBA will formally recognize the ordination.

## STEPS FOR CONGREGATIONS OF LVBA TO TAKE IN PREPARATION FOR ORDINATION

- 1. A congregation desiring an ordination for a candidate (to be recognized by the LVBA) will contact the Moderator by written communication.
- 2. The candidate should prepare a written Statement of Faith, which shall include an understanding of Christian Doctrine and Practice, including an understanding of God, Christ and the Holy Spirit; the purpose and place of the church in today's world; and understanding of the Ordinances as practiced in Baptist Churches: personal commitment to the ministry of Christ in Lebanon Virginia Churches (addressing the issues of ethnic inclusion, ecumenical witness, women in ministry and the relationship of the local congregation to the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association Churches) and the role of the minister.
- 3. The congregation and its pastor or board of deacons will proceed to call an Ordination Council. Included among those invited will be all of the LVBA Congregations.
- 4. On the day of the Ordination Council, there must be in attendance at least four ordained clergy persons active in LVBA. Those attending the council will question the candidate on the issues addressed in The Statement of Faith and on other appropriate concerns of faith and ministry.
- 5. A clerk's report of the attendance and action of the Ordination Council will be made known to the local congregation and moderator. If the decision of the council was positive, the moderator and member churches should be notified of the date of the scheduled Service of Ordination.
- 6. The LVBA at this point will formally recognize the Ordination on behalf of all member congregations.
- 7. The President of the Division of Clergy may serve as the Clerk of the Council. The Service of Ordination shall be held by the local congregation, always seeking to include member congregations.
- 8. A report of the Ordination Council shall be presented at this Service Ordination.
- 9. The Division of Clergy shall formally recognize the behalf of the Association and Allied Bodies. Recognition of Ordinations shall be met with the same standards as those required by first time Ordinands.



## **BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

## **NEW** CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY

(ADOPTED 2012)

- An applicant must be a member in good standing of a church that is also a member in good standing of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association (as referenced in the Association Constitution Article II Membership).
- 2) All applicants should have good moral and ethical character as attested to by their Pastors.
- 3) All applicants must meet the approval of their individual churches as authorized by their Pastors.
- 4) All applications must be legibly completed and signed by the applicant
- Verification will be made on applicant's statement that he or she is enrolled or attending a college, university, or vocational school prior to awarding of any scholarship.
- 6) The Bolden Bradby Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to an applicant one time only.
- 7) The scholarship will be awarded to students who have completed at least one semester or one quarter of an approved institution of higher learning. The scholarship will be awarded in the month of January. The student must request his or her award by submitting a letter of request to the Scholarship Committee, along with proof of first semester's attendance.
- 8) All applications must be received by May 1<sup>st</sup>. No applications will be accepted after this deadline. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure that his or her application is received by the due day. No exceptions will be made.
- 9) Any changes to the criteria of the scholarship award by the Bolden Bradby Committee must be approved by the Moderator and the Executive Committee. The Moderator must approve all scholarship disbursement funds. Scholarships disbursements are payable only if the church and applicant are both in good standing as set forth by the rules of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association

  The following verbage shall be deleted: The awards committee reserves the discretionary powers to determine the amount and the number of awards to be given.
- 10) The scholarship committee will maintain a list of alumni who have been recipients of the fund. This list may be printed in the Annual Journal.

NOTE: PLEASE FIND BOLDEN BRADBY APPLICATION FORMS (STATEMENT OF APPLICANT AND STATEMENT OF CHURCH/STATEMENT OF SCHOOL IN THE FORMS SECTION OF THIS MANUAL FIRST TWO FORMS).



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



## BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS 2<sup>ND</sup> SEMESTER COLLEGE 2012 - 2013

The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies awarded Bolden Bradby Scholarships in the amount of \$500 to the following individuals for the 2012-2013 school year. We congratulate them on their commitment to further their education.

	NAME	<u>CHURCH</u>	HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED
1.	Jennifer D. Holliman	Poplar Lawn Baptist	Surry High School
2.	Zivan Holloway, Jr.	Morning Star Baptist	Prince George High School
3.	Shajaylyn Lee-Combs	Mt, Sinai Baptist	Smithfield High School
4.	Lauren Jones	Main Street Baptist	Smithfield High School

### **BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

Rev. P.D. Well, Chairperson

Sis. Mary L. Haskins

Sis. Ruby Greene

Sis. Oretha Allmond

Sis. Janice Dobbs

## LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES



## BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS 2013 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

The following high school students met the requirements for 2013. We congratulate them on their decision to further their education. Please be advised that Bolden Bradby Scholarship monies will be awarded in the month of January of the following school year (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester attendance). Please contact Rev. P.D. Wells, Jr. of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church at (757) 357-2671 to request your scholarship award. Documentation or proof of attendance is required for the award to be granted.

<b>NAME</b>	CHURCH HI	GH SCHOOL ATTENDED
1. Takeyal Chapman	Sandy Mount Baptist	Surry High School
2. Jasmine Jones	Lebanon Baptist	Prince George High School
3. Monica M. Birchette	Mt. Nebo Baptist	Surry High School
4. Jerika Robertson	First Gravel Hill Baptist	Smithfield High School
5. Tiara B. Turner	First Gravel Hill Baptist	Smithfield High School
6. Diamond E. Barham	First Gravel Hill Baptist	Surry High School
7. Grant Ellis Richardson	Little Zion Baptist	Smithfield High School
8. Takeisha Dockery	Rising Star Baptist	Smithfield High School
9. Ebony Bradby	First Gravel Hill Baptist	Smithfield High School
10. Christopher E. Allen	Morning Star Baptist	Matoaca High School
11. Corey Montel Bailey	Rising Star Baptist	Smithfield High School
12. Tyrone Garland, Jr.	Rising Star Baptist	Smithfield High School
13. Peter D. Savedge	Cypress Baptist	Surry High School
14. Virgie Riddick	Mt. Sinai Baptist	Smithfield High School
15. Brattanie Lane	Lebanon Baptist	Surry High School
16. Kinea Adkins	Morning Star Baptist	Surry High School

### BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

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# THE LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES

### REVISED COMMITTEE TRAINING MANUAL

(Adopted for Revision on November 17, 2012)

Note: Revisions and additions are in red



#### **FOREWORD**

The work of the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association is contingent upon the smooth and methodical workings of the committee, which has been established. This manual has been prepared to provide each committee with its purpose, method of operation and its responsibilities to the Association.

We have attempted to provide the basic framework for each committee, bearing in mind that all items have been completely detailed and that each committee may find the need to make minor adjustments as they meet and work.

Each committee is responsible for making an annual report to the Association and some committees may be required to make additional reports during the year to the Executive Council. Deadlines for each report will be established so that the report may be printed in advance of a scheduled meeting or function and then made available at that meeting for our members and delegates. We thank you for your prayerful and cheerful cooperation as we work together.

### CONDOLENCE COMMITTEE

The Condolence Committee is to make record of and report to the Association the names, addresses and the name of churches of members who die within the reporting period (each of the four meetings of the Association).

- 1) The committee will function throughout the year.
- 2) The committee will establish and maintain contact with specific individuals of member churches in the Association.

### HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

The Hospitality Committee will work with an ad hoc committee established by the church which hosts a meeting or function of the Association. The responsible include:

- 1) Making provisions for banquets and other gatherings for the Association (e.g., meals, parking, and directing of guests throughout the facility)
- 2) Any additional needs or services to be performed by this committee will be requested through the Pastor of the host church.
- 3) The Association through this committee will extend its formal thanks to the host church at the end of the meeting or function.

### **NEW BODIES COMMITTEE**

The New Bodies Committee will serve as the instrument through which perspective churches will become familiar with the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies. When perspective churches are presented, the New Bodies Committee will hold dialogue with the candidate congregation to inform them of the atmosphere of fellowship found in the Lebanon Association rules and regulations, expectations, etc. The New Bodies Committee, after the dialogue, will make recommendations pertaining to the perspective congregation at the Annual Session.

The New Bodies Committee will actively solicit the involvement of Baptist Churches which have no affiliation with any Association.

The New Bodies Committee will maintain accurate records of meetings and this report will also be made at the Annual Session.

### **EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

The members of the Executive Council will share equally in the responsibilities of guiding the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies. The Executive Council will exercise the rights and authority to form policy, give directions and set action under the auspices of the Association. The duties of the Executive Council will be:

- 1) To give leadership and direction to the Association
- 2) Preparing and recommending the annual budget
- 3) Developing the annual calendar for the Association
- 4) Outlining the programs for the Association
- 5) Selecting speakers, preachers and presenters for the Association
- 6) Confer meetings to consider the concerns of the Association
- 7) Fulfill all other duties as specified by the Association
- 8) Urge Association churches to canvass the community for issues and concerns and report these concerns back to the Association or direction

### **BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE**

The Budget and Finance Committee shall prepare and monitor the budget for the Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies and will have the responsibility of attending to the fiscal concerns of the Association.

- 1) This committee shall consist of no more than seven (7) members and no less than three (3) members; one of whom will be the treasurer. Members serving will be appointed by the Executive Council. Terms of service will be staggered (4 years). The Treasurer and the Chairman will not be limited to term.
- 2) The names of three (3) members of the committee will be registered at the banking institution(s). Any two (2) names of the three registered names will make a check valid.
- 3) The committee will receive recommendations and reports from sources (i.e., Moderators, Presidents, Scholarship Committee, Public Relations, individuals, etc.) in preparation of the budget.
- 4) The budget shall be based upon the annual contributions of the member churches at the annual meeting.
- 5) The budget becomes effective January 1, subject to approval by the Association following the annual session.

- 6) Member churches will be encouraged to make semi-annual, tri-annual or quarterly contributions
- 7) The fiscal year for the Association shall be from January 1 through December 31.
- 8) All requests for funds shall be by voucher, be the request budgeted or not. All vouchers must bear the signature of the Moderator.
- 9) The Committee shall be sure of the balance of the Association. A biannual typewritten report will be submitted to the Executive Council and will include the following information:
  - a) Numerical listing of each check
  - b) Date of each check
  - c) To whom the check was written (purpose and amount)
    A quarterly report should be made at each session listing the receipts and expenses. A complete annual finance report should be made at the Annual Session.
- 10) The committee shall submit its books for annual audit by January 31 of each year. The results of the audit will be reported at the annual session.

### **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

The Public Relations Committee has the responsibility of relaying the occasions, events, items of interest and business of the Association to its officers, member churches and delegates and to the media (newspaper, radio, t.v.) where applicable. The committee is also responsible for compiling, printing, and distribution of the minutes of each session of the Association; training or seminar materials and the Annual Journal. The Executive Secretary of the Association shall chair this Committee. Specific duties and responsibilities shall include:

- 1) The committee shall review all reports and items which will be entered into the Annual Journal and to conduct all editing procedures necessary for or printing.
- 2) The journal shall be prepared and submitted to the Executive Council by April 1 each year. (council should submit Journal for publication by May 1)
- 3) The Journal shall be ready for distribution to member churches by June 15. Each church will receive 6 copies of the Journal. The Council will indicate time and place for distribution.
- 4) An annual report shall be made to the Association.

### REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

The Registration Committee has the responsibility of accurately registering all delegates, representatives and guest on all occasions, functions and events of the Association where registration is applicable. Pre-registration will be encouraged for the session. The registration information will include:

- 1) The occasion and date
- 2) Name of delegate, representative or guest (their name, address [zip code] telephone number [area code])
- 3) Church represented/name of Pastor or organization
  - a) The committee will prepare appropriate badge and other forms of identification for registrants and the packets for the annual session
  - b) The committee will work together with the Public Relations and Hospitality Committees to provide technical or logistical support to member churches who will host functions or events of the Association.
  - c) The committee will make a report on the number of registrations after each session. An annual report shall be made in the July session.

### HISTORY COMMITTEE

The History committee is responsible for compiling the history of the Association and Allied Bodies from their beginnings through the merger and following. The committee shall maintain good records of the development of the Association and place those records in narrative form annually. Each tenth (10th) year, the history should be presented in booklet form.

### MUSIC COMMITTEE

The Music Committee is responsible for providing the music for each session.

## BOLDEN BRADBY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The duties of the Bolden Bradby Scholarship Committee shall be as follows: to insure applications are received by the deadline, to review applications to insure that

all documents are completed according to requirements, and to write checks and send them to the financial secretary for second signature, and also to ensure that the churches are in good standing.

### TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE

The Time and Place Committee has the responsibility for communicating with Association Churches for the purpose of scheduling hosts for the individual division sessions (Fall, Winter, Spring, and Annual), and other gatherings that the Association may hold.

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

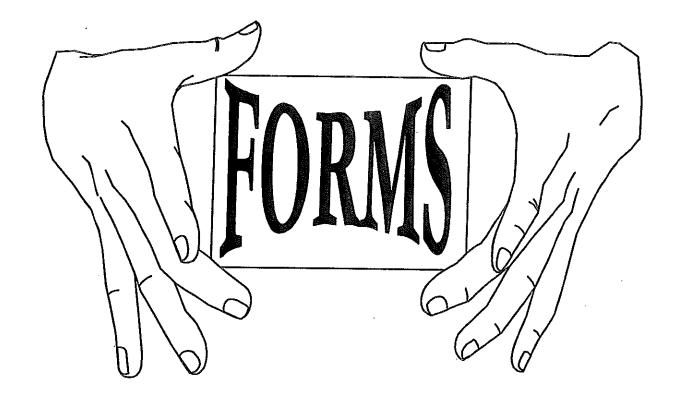
(Duties to be added)

### MINISTERS AND DEACONS RELIEF COMMITTEE

(Duties to be added)

### **OTHER COMMITTEES**

The Moderator may appoint other committees as needed for the growth of the Association.



# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES BOLDEN BRADBY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION BLANK

# Statement of Applicant Social Security

Address Date Age Sex	Single Married  Education?  If Yes, Please List
College You Are Attending  Do You Intend To Complete Your College/University Why Do You Wish To Attend College/University?  Do You Have Any Hobbies Or Special Interests?  Do You Have Any Special Limitations?  Have. You Received Other Scholarships?  Size of Family Sisters Ages  Mother's Name Add	Education?
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Mother's Name Add	
	Brothers Ages
Occupation Living?	ress
•	Deceased?
Father's Name Add	ress
Occupation Living?	Deceased?
In What Way Do You Plan To Help Finance Your Educa	tion?
On An Attached Sheet Of Paper, Write A Paragraph De	scribing Personal Desires/Goals.
Signature	Mother
Signature Father	T

Please mail applications by May 1<sup>st</sup> to
Attn: Pastor P.D. Wells, Sinai Baptist Church
14165 Racetrack Road

Ivor, VA 23886

## STATEMENT OF CHURCH

Pastor's Name	Address ———————————————————————————————————
Name of Applicant Recommended  Is He/She A Member Of The Church?  To What Auxiliary(ies) Does He/She Belong?	
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What Office or Offices Does He/Sho Hold?	
	How Long?
Remarks/Comments (Applicant's Moral and Ethical Character	·)
Signatures:	
Pastor	
Church Clerk	
STATEMENT OF SC	HOOL
Name of School	
Address of School	×
Principal	
Principal's Address Rating of Applicant In School Work (Check One):	
	74
Above Average Below Av	erage Excellent
Attitude Towards Work	
Is He/She Likely To Succeed?	

# LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES CHURCH LETTER FORM

Ine	Baptist Church of
	Virginia sends greetings to the
Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association.	
It affords us much pleasure to be repre	sented in your body. The general statistical
condition of our church is as follows:	
MEMBERS RECEIVED BY BAPTISM	BY CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE
BY LETTER	BY RESTORATION.
NUMBER OF DEATHS(Please L	ist Names Below)
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP	
PASTOR	
CHURCH ADDRÉSS	
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SIGNED:	Church Clerk
DATE:	

## LEBANON VIRGINIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AND ALLIED BODIES

## VOUCHER REQUEST AUTHORIZATION FOR PAYMENT

DATE	TO	
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	Date App	roved
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To be complet	ted by the head	of Finance Committee
CHECK NUMBER	D	ATE
APPROVED OR DISAPI	PROVED	

VOUCHERS NEED TO BE RECEIVED BY NO LATER THAN THE TENTH (10TH) OF EACH MONTH.



### PASTOR INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

CHURCH NAME:		
PASTOR'S NAME:	22.22	
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FAX NO.:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		······································
CHURCH WEBSITE ADDRESS:		



#### DELEGATE INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

CHURCH NAME:	
PASTOR'S NAME:	,
DELEGATES (For voting purposes, a maximum each church)	of only 5 people are allowed for
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2	
3.	
4	
5	
PASTOR'S SIGNATURE	DATE



#### MISSIONARIES INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

CHURCH NAME:
MISSIONARY PRESIDENT:
MAILING ADDRESS:
TELEPHONE NUMBER(S):
EMAIL ADDRESS OR FAX NO.:



#### YOUTH DIRECTOR INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

CHURCH NAME:	
YOUTH DIRECTOR NAME:	•
MAILING ADDRESS:	
. COUNTRY ADDRESS.	
TELEPHONE NUMBER(S):	•
EMAIL ADDRESS OR FAX NO.:	

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

### "MAXIMIZING THE IMPACT: Understanding our Mission"

"For the Son of Man has come to seek and save those who are lost" (Luke 19:10 - NIV)



The Lebanon Virginia Baptist Association and Allied Bodies would like to extend a special thanks to our speakers, facilitators, helpers, technical and logistical support, attendees, and ALL other persons who helped to make this 130th Annual Session a successful and meaningful occasion.

To our host, Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore and the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church Family, we are truly grateful for all that you have done for the Association and are still doing for us. Your kindness, hospitality, and generosity has meant a lot to the success of the Association. You have made every effort to meet our needs and you have gone way beyond our greatest expectations. We thank you and we thank God for you and the wonderful people of Mt. Nebo who have graciously taken in the Association these past years. You've prepared delicious snacks and wonderful banquet meals; you've allowed us use of your resources; overall, you've given us the "run of the house" and allowed us to feel right at home. We can't thank you enough.

We would be remised if we did not thank the churches who hosted our Fall, Winter, and Spring Sessions. To First Moderator, Rev. Dr. Eldridge Lucas, III and the Emmanuel Baptist Church Family; Rev. Dr. Alexander Bracey, III, and the First Gravel Hill Baptist Church Family; Rev. Dr. Robert Elliott, Jr. and the Morning Star Baptist Church Family; and the Moderator's Church Family, the Poplar Lawn Baptist Church, we express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the delicious breakfasts that you prepared for each planning session for the last four years. To the churches who used their bus/van(s) to transport our Association churches to the Baptist Children's Home in May, we offer our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to you.

Lastly, to the LVBA Moderators, officers, committees, pastors, and all others who support the Association during the year, we say "thanks to you," as well. May God continue to bless you ALL!

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Rev. Dr. Bruce E. Childs, Moderator 130<sup>th</sup> Annual Session — July 16-18, 2013 Mt. Nebo Baptist Church — Surry, VA 23883 Rev. Dr. Daniel L. Baltimore, Host Pastor

#### SURVEY

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c. Did you have an opportunity to participate?	1	2	3	4	5		
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d. Was the facilitator(s) easy to understand?	1	2	3	4	5		
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