

**MINUTES**  
**of the**  
**70th Annual Session**  
**of the**  
**West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist**  
**Held at: The Sophia Free Will Baptist Church**  
**Sophia, WV - Beckley Conference - June 12 - 13, 2015**



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**The Next Annual Session**  
**of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist**  
**will be with the Hope Free Will Baptist Church**  
**Parkersburg, WV - Kanawha Conference**

**June 10 - 11, 2016**

**THEME:**

**“GOD Is Good All The Time – All The Time GOD Is Good” Psalms 25:8**

## In Memory of Rev. Norwood Webb

Born on Feb. 26, 1935.

Lived and raised in Winifrede, WV

Spent 2 tours in the U.S. Army.

He was married to his wife Opal, for 54 years. They had 4 children Timothy, Ricky, Danny, and Brain. He worked as a Coal Mine Electrician.

He was licensed to preach on April 20th, 1968. He was ordained to preach on April 19th, 1969, in the Kanawha Conference of Free Will Baptist. He was an active member of the Kanawha Conference for 46 years (1968-2014).

Brother Norwood served in the following positions. (Dates may not be completely accurate).

Assistant Pastor of the Winifrede Free Will Baptist Church-1969.

Pastor of the Meadowbrook Free Will Baptist Church-1970 or 1971.

Pastor of the Wevaoc Free Will Baptist Church from 1972-1975.

Pastor of the Ruthdale Free Will Baptist Church- 1978.

Pastor of the Carbon Free Will Baptist Church- 1979-2012.

Clerk of the Kanawha Conference of Free Will Baptist for 34 years- (1976-2010).

Member of the Foreign Missions Board- 1968 to 1970.

Member of the Orphanage Board- 1968.

Clerk of the WV State Association of Free Will Baptist for 38 years- (1970-2008).

Was an active member of the WV State Association of Free Will Baptist for 40 years- (1968-2008).

He went to be with the Lord on October 17, 2014. He was a good friend to many across our state. He was faithful in all he did. He was a great servant to WV Free Will Baptist, and to GOD.

## Norwood M. Webb



Rev. Norwood M. Webb, 79, of Chelyan, born and raised in Winifrede, went to be with the Lord on Oct. 17, 2014 after

ter a short illness. His final days were spent lovingly surrounded by family and friends.

He was born Feb. 26, 1935 to parents, Melvin and Nancy Webb. He served two tours in the U.S. Army and spent the majority of his life serving God. He was the clerk for the Freewill Baptist State Association for 38 years and Kanawha conference. He served as the pastor at Cabin Creek Carbon Freewill Baptist for many years. He was also a member of the UMWA:

Norwood is survived by his wife of 54 years, Opal Webb; son, Timothy Webb and wife, Barbara Webb, of Atlanta, Ga.; son, Ricky Webb and wife, Patricia Franklin Webb, of Detroit, Mich.; son, Danny Webb of Chelyan; son, Brian Webb and companion, Patricia McCown, of Winifrede; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and a host of friends. He is survived by three siblings, Ethel Perdue, Jesse Webb and Maynard Hudson.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Clayton Webb and James King.

Funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 22, at Pryor Funeral Home, East Bank, with the Rev. Rick Holstein and Dan Kelly officiating. Interment will immediately follow at Kanawha Valley Memorial Park.

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**CONSTITUTION OF THE  
WEST VIRGINIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF  
FREE WILL BAPTISTS  
PREAMBLE**

Having received salvation through faith in Christ Jesus, and having been baptized as an outward sign of our separation from the world, and realizing the necessity of being identified with and sharing the fellowship of other believers, have joined ourselves to a local visible church, we do ordain this Constitution to unify the work of Free Will Baptist in the State of West Virginia, and to devise and execute measures for the extension of the Kingdom of Christ and for the salvation of souls in cooperation with various quarterly or yearly meetings comprising this State Association.  
**May God Bless our labor.**

***Article No. 1***

**Section 1.** All ordained Ministers and Deacons belonging to member Quarterly Meetings and District Associations shall make up the standing delegates to this State Association. Each quarterly meeting shall be permitted to send three lay delegates to the State Association plus one delegate from each Church composing that Quarterly Meeting.

**Section 2.** The membership of the State Association shall consist of the Quarterly Meetings and District Association of Yearly Meetings from time to time upon approval shall become members of this body.

**Section 3.** Any Minister, Deacon or Delegate voting in State Association must be a member of a Church in good standing with the Quarterly Meeting recommending them to the State Association.

**Section 4.** This State Association shall be affiliated with the National Association of Free Will Baptists of the United States of America, and recognize the Treatise of Faith and Practice as our guidelines for denominational fellowship, as long as they remain an independent denomination.

***Article No. 2 – Discipline***

**Section 1.** The State Association shall have the right to settle questions of discipline, doctrine or usage that may properly come before it from time to time from any Quarterly Meetings or Yearly Meetings composing the said State Association or act upon any appeal that may be made by any of the bodies that belong to the State Association. The said appeal shall have been written and signed by the Association making the appeal then forwarded by mail or in person to State Association and Quarterly Meeting.

**Section 2.** No Quarterly Meeting shall license or ordain to preach or serve as a Deacon any Man having two living wives. No Man having married a divorced Woman shall be licensed or ordained to preach or ordained as a Deacon in this State Association.

**Section 3.** No Quarterly Meeting shall license or ordain a Woman to preach.

**Section 4.** No Quarterly Meeting shall be accepted or retained as a member that license or ordain Women to preach.

**Section 5.** The Executive Board shall investigate any charges, after they have been properly presented to the Quarterly Meeting of which the grieved party or parties are a member. Any charges presented to this State Association Executive Board for consideration must be presented in writing and signed by the person or persons making the charges.

**Section 6.** The Executive Board shall be paid for travel expenses, at the United States Government rate when traveling to meetings for business of the State Association. The party or parties requesting the Executive Board to meet with them, shall be responsible to pay their expenses.

**Section 7.** Both Scripture and nature as designed by God affirm the lifelong, covenantal union of one man, being male as created by God, and one woman, being female as created by God, in a one-flesh relationship. This one-flesh relationship is emblematic of the union of Christ and His church. It is the sole and beautiful context of the divine plan for the marital relationship of man and woman as image-bearers of God, as well as the foundation for the family as the basic, divinely ordained unit of human society. Violations of this one-flesh union, whether heterosexual or homosexual, premarital or extramarital, contravene the divine plan for the family and for the conception and rearing of children, brining spiritual despair, guilt, and death to individuals and cultures.

### *Article No. 3*

**Section 1.** The Officers of the State Association shall be a Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and Parliamentarian. Each of whom shall be nominated from the floor. The Moderator and Assistant Moderator for two year term and able to succeed themselves for an indefinite period of time; the Clerk and Assistant, the Treasurer and Assistant for three year term; the Parliamentarian for a two year term beginning at the 54<sup>th</sup> session.

Election shall be determined by a majority vote. Those persons and Officers thus elected shall hold their office until their successors are elected and installed.

**Section 2.** It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside at all meetings to see that all the Constitution and By-Laws are obeyed and respected, and to exercise all the right to vote.

The right to vote shall be given the Moderator only in case of a tie. He shall be allowed to speak on any subject provided the Assistant is in the chair. It shall be the duty of the Assistant Moderator to assist the Moderator in any way he can in the discharge of his duty. This duty shall not be construed to abridge his right to vote when in the chair, in which he shall be governed to the same rule as that affecting the Moderator.

It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a complete record of all meetings to publish in book form, minutes and distributed to various quarterly meetings composing this State Association. All expenses of such records and printing are to be defrayed by the treasury.

It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to hold and keep all such money as may come into the State Association and disburse it only at the direction of proper authorities. He shall make a bond of not less than all funds coming into his possession. An Assistant Treasurer will be elected to act in any absence of the Treasurer, or act of emergency.

**I. Promotional Director** – It shall be the duty of the Promotional Director to strive for the enlistment of new Conferences and Associations into membership of the West Virginia State Association. To promote the works of this State Association first, and the work of Free Will Baptists in new fields. The office of Promotional Director shall not be used to settle disputes between brethren and Conferences.

#### ***POSITION DESCRIPTION***

#### **POSITION:**

**Promotional Director.**

#### **FUNCTION:**

To promote all works sanctioned by the WV State Association of Free Will Baptist. To actively interface with WV FWB Conferences and Churches. To promote the WV State Association and its works to other FWB State Associations, Colleges, and National Organizations. To maintain an office for the WV State Association.

#### **ORGANIZATION RELATIONSHIPS:**

The office of the Promotional Director shall be filled, supported and supervised by the Executive Committee of the West Virginia State Association. The Executive Committee may by two-thirds vote modify the duties of the Promotional Director to the State Association.

**DUTIES AND  
RESPNSIBILITIES:**

**Accountability:**

The Promotional Director shall provide a written report bimonthly to the Executive Committee and an annual written report to the State Association.

The Promotional Director shall meet bimonthly with the Executive Committee.

The Promotional Director shall present an operating budget for approval to the Executive Committee. Once approved, the Promotional Director shall be responsible to operate the State Office within the budget.

**National Meetings:**

The Promotional Director, will attend and represent the WV State Association annually at the National Convention and the National Leadership Conference.

**Conference and Church Meetings:**

The Promotional Director shall attend and represent the WV State Association at as many local Conference / Quarterly Meetings as possible. He shall attend every Conference at least once every two years.

The Promotional Director will make as many Church visits throughout West Virginia as his schedule allows. To promote the works of the WV State Association; to minister to the pastors; and to keep people informed about the issues affecting Free Will Baptists.

**Coordination:**

The Promotional Director will participate in all WV State Association Board Meetings. To provide general oversight to the Free Will Baptist work in West Virginia and provide insight in regards to National Free Will Baptist issues.

The Promotional Director will work closely with the Publication Board in the publication of the State Paper (*The Messenger*); and have direct impact as to its contents and format. This is to provide consistency in the promotion of West Virginia's Free Will Baptist.

**Strategic Goals:**

The Promotional Director shall proactively work towards the Strategic Goals defined by the Executive Committee and as listed in the Addendum.

**Other Duties:**

The Promotional Director will serve as a pastor's role to our WV pastors by counseling and encouraging them. He will also provide resources for them and their flock for their spiritual growth.

The Promotional Director will promote women and youth activities.

The Promotional Director will have a strong emphasis on missions, and promote our WV missionaries.

The Promotional Director will serve on the Co-Op Committee.

The Promotional Director shall work with the Masters Men Board to carry out the Disaster Response Plan, and serve as the liaison between the National Association and the State Association.

The Promotional Director will make himself available to the WV State Boards for special projects and to promote all works sanctioned by the WV State Association.

The Promotional Director will manage the Book Store account.

The Promotional Director will make a verbal report at the State Association.

The Promotional Director will be the states representative to Randall House Publications. He will comply with the promotional guidelines set forth by Randall House as follows:  
(on any product, program, or service that is acceptable to WV).

- Promotional Director to write a minimum of four letters a year for promotion of Randall House Publications in conjunction with our campaigns.
- Promotional Director will attend a minimum of two training events during the year.
- Promotional Director will promote literature and books in churches, conferences, and at the state meetings.



- State will provide a half page in state newsletter for use in promoting Randall House Publications.

The Promotional Director will promote our ministers and provide Resources for them such as; training, retirement fund, insurance, church resources, etc.

The Promotional Director will provide connections with all FWB Colleges and provide resources for our young people to attend College.

The Promotional Director will work toward establishing a permanent State Office in the location approved by the WV State Association. It will be used for meetings and a repository for minutes, financial reports, historical records, and other documents of the WV State Association.

The Promotional Director may hold another job for means of additional income; however his employment is not to interfere with his required duties as Promotional Director.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

The qualifications of the Promotional Director are as follows:

Must be saved.

Must be an active member of a Free Will Baptist Church associated with the National Association of Free Will Baptist.

Must currently be an ordained minister from a conference or state associated with the National Association of Free Will Baptist.

Must have been ordained for at least five years and have been in good standing with his Church, Conference, and State Association.

Must be willing to transfer by letter his membership and ordination papers to a Church and Conference associated with the WV State Association of Free Will Baptist, if not currently associated with West Virginia.

Must have prior experience in dealing effectively with various denominational groups (such as: Churches, Conferences, State Associations, FWB Colleges, National Organizations, etc.) and the public.

Must have adequate training and experience in business and computers.

**CONTRACTUAL  
ARRANGEMENTS:**

The Promotional Director shall have an annual contract effective from July 1 until June 30 of the following year. The contract shall be reviewed, and renewed or cancelled in January for the following year. This will give a minimum of six months notice in case of non-renewal, however, in case the Conference calls for the ordination papers, the Promotional Director will be relieved of duties while investigation and hearing is taking place, and given two month's salary.

Remuneration will consist of:

- (1) Salary and benefits set annually by mutual agreement of the Executive Committee and the Promotional Director.
- (2) Expense reimbursement for attending the National Association \$1200.00, and the National Leadership Conference \$450.
- (3) Shall have two week's vacation after one year of employment, and have three week's vacation after five years of employment.

***ADDENDUM  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S STRATEGIC GOALS  
FOR THE PROMOTIONAL DIRECTOR***

(for future use).

**II. The Executive Board** – The Executive Board shall act as the State Association when State Association is not in session, action subject to approval by State Association.

**III. Program Committee** – That a Program Committee be elected on Friday morning to prepare the program for the coming year. This Committee shall act as a Placement Committee and shall comply with the Constitution in making their choice for the Church, where the State Association is to be held. This Committee shall consist of two ordained Ministers, one Deacon, and four members of duly seated Delegates. This Committee shall prepare to report to the State Association by 1:45 p.m. Saturday afternoon.

**IV. The Mission Board** – This Board is to be an eight member Board, with expiration to be two at four years, two at three years, two at two years, and two at one year terms. It shall be the duty of this Board to work to promote International and Home Missions work throughout the State of West Virginia. This Missions Board shall cooperate with the National Association, and endeavor to raise funds for the Missions Board and our denomination. This Board shall arrange Missionary Conferences throughout the state work as it feels necessary. Also to promote new Churches and Conferences through the State of West Virginia where we do not have established Free Will Baptist Work. The Mission Board has the authority to organize within themselves, as to Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer.

**V. Publication Board** – The Publication Board shall consist of five (5) members elected for a term of five (5) years and elected so that one member is elected annually. It shall organize with an Editor, Associate Editor, Treasurer, and three Associate Editors. It shall be the duty of this Board to publish a regular news publication concerning the various ministries of Free Will Baptist in West Virginia and in the world. Also, that the news publication include a news letter format. This Board shall be limited to new purchases of \$300.00 per year without approval of the Association or the Executive Board.

**VI. Christian Education Board** – This Board shall consist of seven (7) members elected for a term of seven (7) years and elected as so that one member be elected annually. It shall organize within itself a Chairman, Secretary, and Treasurer. It shall be the duty of this Board to generally oversee the educational efforts of this Association.

This would include but not be limited to (A) organize and conduct a State Bible Institute; (B) Establish Sunday Schools; (C) Promote Church Training Services (CTS) and generally oversee competitive events on the state and district levels.

**VII. Trustee Board** – The duties of this Board shall be to hold titles to all real property belonging to this body; the maintenance and upkeep of all such properties; the planning and supervision all developments; and the expansion of these properties as directed by the West Virginia State Association.

It is agreed, in this connection, that the Board of Trustees shall at no time sell or encumber these properties by mortgage, lien, or otherwise, without the express consent of this body given in regular session of this Association.

The Board of Trustees is hereby authorized to receive, in behalf of and for the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptists, gifts, grants, monies, real estate, or other valuable assets.

The Board of Trustees shall act for and in behalf of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptists in any and all transactions involving any of its properties, but shall do so strictly in accordance with instructions given by said State Association in regular or called session.

**VIII. Nominating Committee** – The Nominating Committee shall consist of five (5) ordained Ministers elected for a term of one (1) year. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to select candidates, who are qualified and available to fill Boards and or Committees. They will begin their search for candidates from time they are elected until they make their report at next scheduled State Meeting. They shall meet with the Executive Board semiannually and yearly Pre-State Meeting.

**IX. Executive Committee** – This Committee would be made up of the Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Treasurer, Chairman of Missions and Christian Education Board, Editor of State Paper, Ex officio member, President of the Women’s State Auxiliary, and two Members at Large from the Executive Board to be chosen by this body to supervise and oversee the Promotional Director, Bible Book Store, State Office, and Newspaper. The duties of this Board would be Executive and Promotional.

The Executive Committee will set an annual budget for the four Ministries under their supervision.

The Executive Committee will submit this budget to the Executive Board for approval.

The Executive Committee will provide an annual report to the Executive Board to include goals, milestones, financial status, and any important concerns.

The Executive Committee will report the number of meetings conducted the past year.

The Executive Committee will report to the West Virginia State Association during the annual session.

**X. Master’s Men Board** – The purpose of the Master’s Men Board shall be to promote and encourage the Men of Free Will Baptist Churches in West Virginia to become active in the Master’s Men program and to assist in starting Chapters in the local Churches or Conferences, and will be responsible for maintaining and dispersing the West Virginia Master’s Men fund.

This Board shall coordinate work projects to assist the Churches of West Virginia to build and remodel as needed on a volunteer basis. This Board shall also coordinate programs for fellowship and spiritual growth for the Men in the Churches throughout the state. These programs may be in the form of retreats, workshops, and seminars, etc.

This Board will oversee the Disaster Response Plan.

This Board will coordinate the Impact Program, which is to be held the day prior to the State Association, and will work with the host Pastor in planning and overseeing activities.

All members of this Board shall serve as corresponding messengers to the Conference and Churches of West Virginia and give report to Chairmen who will then give report to the West Virginia State Association.

The Master's Men Board shall consist of seven (7) members serving from one seven year member to a one year member, with one new member elected annually. The Board will have the right to replace any member that resigns with another man to serve pro-tem until the next State Meeting.

The Masters Men Board will elect a Chairman.

The State Treasurer will deposit and disperse funds at the direction of the Masters Men Board.

The Chairman of the Masters Men Board shall present an annual plan outlining their goals for the coming year. The plan is to be approved by the Executive Board, and presented to the State Association.

**XI. Women's Auxiliary** – The West Virginia State Women's Auxiliary Convention will be recognized as subordinate to the West Virginia State Association; but it shall organize at its own discretion, and have power to create and adopt a Constitution and By-Laws and maintain management of the work for which it is constituted. The State Auxiliary shall report its accomplishments and financial operations annually to the West Virginia State Association.

The purpose of the WV State Women's Auxiliary is to promote and encourage the Women of Free will Baptist Churches in West Virginia to become active in the program of WNAC and to assist in starting Auxiliaries in local Churches and will be responsible for maintaining and dispersing all funds received by the State Auxiliary.

The Officers of this Convention shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary, Historian, Treasurer, Mission Chairman, three (3) Field Workers and three (3) Members at Large. Six of these shall compose a quorum. These will be elected every two years. All Officers are to be a member of a Free Will Baptist Church and an Auxiliary which reports to the State Convention.

## ***Article No. 4 – Executive Board***

**Section 1.** The Executive Board shall be composed of one ordained Minister from each Quarterly Conference that is in good standing with the State Association.

**Section 2.** If any member of the Executive Board is unable to attend, he must send a proxy in his place.

**Section 3.** At a regular scheduled session, 10:00 a.m. the Saturday before the State Meeting, this Board shall hear the reports of all Standing Boards and Officers. It shall serve as a Budget Committee and make recommendations as deemed pertinent to State Association. This Board will also examine the Conference letters and report findings at State Meeting.

## ***Article No. 5 – Boards***

The standing Boards shall be the following: Mission Board, Christian Education Board, Publication Board, Master’s Men Board, and the Board of Trustees.

## ***Article No. 6***

**Section 1.** Annual Dues from conference to State Association shall be as follows: Churches with 0 to 25 membership will pay \$25.00, Churches with 26 to 50 membership will pay \$50.00, Churches with 51 to 75 membership will pay \$75.00, Churches with any additional membership above 75 members will pay an additional \$25.00 per each additional twenty-five membership, plus National Dues.

**Section 2.** All Ministers, Deacons, and Delegates shall pay Five Dollars (\$5.00) registration fee (dues), with the exception of those Ministers who are Sixty-five years of age or disabled. Two dollars (\$2.00) to go to the host church, Three Dollars (\$3.00) to go to the State Association.

**Section 3.** Any Minister receiving a good standing card must pay his Five Dollar (\$5.00) registration fee. Each Quarterly Meeting is requested to collect this fee and send to the State Association with their letter.

**Section 4.** The State Association pay all Boards and Committees mileage at the United States Government rate, when traveling to meetings for business of the State Association. If any Conference does not pay the mileage expense for their Executive Board member, the State Association will pay that expense. Any other parties requesting a Board or Committee of the State Association to meet with them, shall be responsible to pay their mileage. This excludes mileage to the National Association or National Leadership Conference.

## ***Article No. 7***

**Section 1.** The State Association shall hold its regular meeting annually on Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in June at a place and date fixed by the regular session and made known before adjournment.

Special meetings may be called by the Executive Board when extreme necessity demands, provided that the Clerk of each Quarterly Meeting or Yearly Meeting has been properly notified fifteen days before the date of the meeting of this organization.

**Section 2.** Any Quarterly Meeting or Church desiring the State Association to meet with the body shall present in writing the seating capacity, the facilities for feeding, sleeping and parking.

## *Article No. 8*

### *West Virginia Disaster Response Plan*

#### **Goal:**

To provide a plan for reacting to disasters in our state and possibly in other states east of the Mississippi when emergency situations strike and Free Will Baptist people and property are affected. Although efforts to help others may be part of this effort, we are especially concerned with helping people of our denomination. The response must involve spiritual help as well as material and physical aid.

#### **Purpose:**

To glorify God by serving our fellow men in times of widespread need occasioned by a natural or man-made disaster affecting large numbers of people. Natural or man-made disasters include hurricane, earthquakes, tornado, flood, acts of terrorism, etc.

#### **Strategy:**

- #1** To have a board (Masters Men Board) that shall coordinate the preparation for responding to a disaster.
- #2** Enlist and train a group of first responders. Encourage several workers to enlist in a Red Cross first aid course, a food handler's course, and other such training.
- #3** Raise money to purchase and equip a trailer for immediate use when a disaster strikes. The trailer will be equipped with first aid equipment, generators, lights, saws, tools, etc. needed in emergency situations.
- #4** Establish a fund to cover expenses associated with getting a team to a disaster and maintaining them on site for a period of time.
- #5** Have a contact person who will act as liaison between the State Association and National Association in times of crisis. This person should be familiar with National personnel and available to inform and disperse information.
- #6** Purchase and provide decals and ID cards that will help our responders gain access to disaster sites.

**Criteria for Mobilization:**

1. Help must be requested by a responsible party, i.e. local pastor or state officer.
2. The request must be made to the Moderator, Promotional Director, Masters Men Chairman, or another State Officer.
3. The disaster must primarily affect Free Will Baptist people and/or property.
4. It must be the result of one of the above mentioned disasters (we cannot respond to every call and every case especially if it is not of the magnitude to warrant such response). The decision to respond will be made by the Masters Men Board.

**Organization:**

1. The Disaster Response Team will include the Masters Men Board, Promotional Director, and State Moderator.
2. The Chairman of the Master's Men will direct the Response Team.
3. The State Moderator will contact personnel when a response is needed.
4. The Promotional Director will serve as the liaison between the National Association and the State Association.
5. Members of the Master's Men Board will be responsible for the purchase and maintenance of any equipment and/or vehicles dedicated for use during a disaster.

***Article No. 9***

This Constitution may be revised or changed at any regular session of the West Virginia State Association provided the change is presented in writing and stated one day before vote is taken.



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## ***BY-LAWS***

1. A portion of the scripture shall be read and prayer be offered at the beginning of each morning and afternoon session of the State Association and prayer shall be offered at the close of each session.
2. The Moderator or Assistant Moderator shall call the meeting to order at the hour designated by the program committee. When Moderator nor Assistant is present, the Clerk shall call the meeting to order and elect a Moderator-protem.
3. It shall be the duty of the Quarterly Meeting or Yearly Meeting or Association so composing this organization, to send a letter to it giving accurately as possible the information requested by the National Association.
4. Not over one Deacon shall be appointed on any one committee. Except in case of emergency.
5. Only ordained Ministers shall be allowed to moderate this meeting.
6. All Sunday School Conventions and State Women's Auxiliaries Convention report to the State Association and their report be received as information.
7. In case of controversy regarding parliamentary procedures, Robert's Rules of Order shall be considered as final authority.
8. All business except routine shall be brought by Committee, but should the Committee refuse or fail to present to this body any business given it by any member of this State Association, then such business cannot be discussed unless by vote of this body.
9. No one shall speak for more than five minutes or more than twice on the same subject without the consent of the Moderator.
10. Each Conference shall have its letter and finance report sent to the State Association Clerk on or before May 24<sup>th</sup>, that the Executive Board may examine them the week prior to the State Meeting.
11. Any member of this body can appeal from the decision of the Moderator to the body and by a two thirds majority of all members present, thereon. This decision shall be sustained or rejected.
12. No one shall leave the body without consent of the Moderator. Anyone deciding to speak shall arise and say "Brother Moderator" and shall not speak further until he or she is recognized by the Moderator. The Moderator shall stop all discussion when not carried on in a Christian Spirit, or think it will lead to discord or division.

## ***BY-LAWS CONTINUED***

13. This State Association shall correspond by messenger or otherwise with other religious bodies.
14. The same person or group of persons shall not serve on more than one standing Board or Committee as long as it can be supplied otherwise.
15. Not less than three (3) Gospel Sermons shall be preached at any one session of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptists.
16. No person shall be elected to any office without being present, except the Executive Board. (The member is recommended by the Quarterly Conference).
17. The Moderator shall be elected at the close of each two year session on Saturday, and shall serve until his successor is elected at the same time the following two years.
18. No Ministers, Deacons or Delegates shall be permitted to vote that is a known Homosexual, Bi-Sexual, or Lesbian, in this State Association. The State Association will not retain any persons known to be such.
19. The Officers of the State Association shall receive an honorarium as follows:  
Moderator - \$50.00. Assistant Moderator - \$25.00. Clerk - \$300.00.
20. The General Board member of the National Association, the Moderator, and the Promotional Director shall receive a total of \$1200.00 each to attend the National Association. The Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, shall receive \$400 when the National Association convenes east of the Mississippi River and \$600 when west of the Mississippi River, if they attend. All are eligible to receive \$300 to attend the National Leadership Conference.
21. Any Minister having voting privileges in the State Association must have a good standing card issued by the State Association.
22. Any ordained or licensed Free Will Baptist Minister that assumes the position as Pastor of a church whose general doctrine teaches or advocates second works of grace, eternal security, or speaking in tongues, must immediately surrender his ordination papers or license to the Conference of issuance.
23. These By-Laws may be changed or revised at any regular session of the State Association provided that they be plainly written and stated one day before vote is taken.

## RESOLUTIONS

### Resolution #1

#### REGARDING VARIOUS TRANSLATIONS

Whereas,

There is confusion caused among our people by many modern translations of the Bible;

Whereas,

Many of these translations are not reliable or trustworthy; therefore,

Be it resolved:

That we urge our people to use the King James Version of the Bible in the public services.

06-08-2013

# CHURCH COVENANT

Having given ourselves to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise, by His grace, to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship; and by self-denial, faith, and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the Spirit" in the bonds of peace, to be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principle sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.



*West Virginia  
State Association of Free Will Baptists*

**State Meeting Hosting Application**

We the \_\_\_\_\_ FWB Church, \_\_\_\_\_ Conference,  
would like to host the 20\_\_\_\_, West Virginia State Association of FWB, held on June \_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

Church's physical address, \_\_\_\_\_

Church's telephone number, \_\_\_\_\_, e-mail address, \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number, \_\_\_\_\_, e-mail address, \_\_\_\_\_

**Facility information:**

Seating capacity, \_\_\_\_\_

Available parking, \_\_\_\_\_

Eating facilities, \_\_\_\_\_

Rest Room facilities, \_\_\_\_\_

Comments  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Directions- (Please attach information separately).**  
(please list detailed directions to the Church. These directions will be placed in the Minutes Book and listed on the web-page).

**Hotel Information- (Please attach information separately).**  
(please list hotel name, address, telephone number, web address, and distance to church).  
(prefer those who do not serve alcohol).

**Restaurant / Fast Food Information- (Please attach information separately).**  
(please list eatery name, city or general location).  
(prefer those who do not serve alcohol).

**Signature of Pastor or his designee, \_\_\_\_\_**

### **Meeting Rooms Required for State Association meeting.**

We will need at least 5 meeting rooms if possible for the following,

Business Committee – 5 members

Executive Committee – 8 members  
(not usually needed)

Missions Board – 8 members

Nominating Committee - 5 members

Program Placement Committee – 7 members

### **The host Church will need to provide the following services and items for the Executive Board and State Association meetings:**

- 1- Provide lunch for the mid-year Executive Board Meeting.  
(Late February, for approximately 30 people).**
- 2. - Provide lunch for the pre-State Executive Board Meeting.  
(Saturday before State Meeting, for approximately 30 people).**
- 3. - Provide lunch for the State Association,  
(Friday, approx. 160 people, Saturday, approx. 140 people).**
- 4. - Provide Saturday morning 7:30am breakfast for the Ministers, Deacons, and Wives  
Breakfast. (Approx. 50 people). The Promotional Director is in charge of the breakfast.**
- 5. - Please provide one 8 foot table and two chairs at the front of the Church for the Clerk and  
Assistant Clerk, and chairs for the Moderator, Asst. Moderator, and Parliamentarian.  
(For all meetings).**
- 6. - We will need two tables for registration at entrance to sanctuary.  
(State Association meeting only).**
- 7. - Please provide at least two persons to operate the registration table. Registration hours are  
8:15 to 10:30 am on Friday, and 7:45 to 10:00am on Saturday. They will collect dues, make  
sure people sign the proper registration books, make name tags, distribute Minutes Books,  
and Digest of Reports.  
(State Association meeting only).**
- 8. - Please provide an area to set up displays for Children's Homes, Bible Colleges, Home and  
International Missions, National Office Agencies, Randall House, etc.  
(State Association meeting only).**

The host Church will receive 40% (approx. \$500.00) of all Ministers, Deacons, and Delegates dues, plus \$200.00 for hosting.

**Attention Church and Conference Clerks:**

**Accuracy of information is vital in recordkeeping. Please provide accurate and legible names, addresses, and phone numbers, so our records are correct.**

**To Local Conference Clerks;**

Listed below is the information I will need when you return your Conference Letter to the State Association. **Please return the completed letter with proper finances to me before May 24<sup>th</sup>.**

Around March each year, I will send you a reporting form (Letter to State) from the Conference to the State Association. Please fill it out as accurately as possible. (Keep the yellow copy for your records). Please include the name, address and telephone number of your Executive Board Member to the State Association.

**NOTE: The National Dues are \$150.00 per Church.**

Please insure the proper State and National Dues, and Minister Dues are returned with your letter. Do not send cash. If possible have the Churches and Ministers pay their dues to your Conference, then have your Conference write one check payable to the WV State Association of Free Will Baptists.

The Church Dues (reporting fees) are as follows: Article No. 6

- 0 to 25 membership, \$25.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$175.00
- 26 to 50 membership, \$50.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$200.00
- 51 to 75 membership, \$75.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$225.00
- 76 to 100 membership, \$100.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$250.00
- 101 to 125 membership, \$125.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$275.00
- 126 to 150 membership, \$150.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$300.00
- 151 to 175 membership, \$175.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$325.00
- 176 to 200 membership, \$200.00 for State Dues, plus \$150.00 for National Dues. Total \$350.00

Plus \$25.00 for each additional 25 members.

Ministers, Deacons, and Delegates dues are \$5.00. Deacons and Delegates are to pay when registering at the annual State Association meeting. Ministers are to prepay, and include this money with letter.

1.- Please list Ministers who have paid the \$5.00 fee (for a good standing card). Mark by P for paid, D for disabled, or R for retired. Ministers that are disabled, or 65 years of age or above, are not required to pay dues, but may if they so desire.

**Ministers who are not listed as paid, disabled, retired, or want no card, will not receive a good standing card, and they are also ineligible to vote at the State Association Meeting. (I will include a list of Ministers that you can just circle the correct response as to whether they are paid, disabled, retired, or want no card). Please add new names, or mark out any names that have changed.**



- 2.- Please list on a separate sheet of paper, each Church membership total, average number Sunday School attendance, and the amount of State and National dues paid. **(I will include a list of Churches that you can use for this if you like).**
- 3.- Please include a list of the Churches, Pastors, and Clerks of your Conference, with addresses, and telephone numbers. Also please supply me with a physical address for each Church, including a contact name, telephone number, and cell phone number if possible. **(I will include last year's listing and you can just mark it up with additions or corrections if that would be easier for you).**
- 4.- Please supply me with an alphabetical order listing of the Ordained and Licensed Ministers in your Conference, along with their address and telephone numbers. You may include a listing of your Deacons also if you want them listed in the minute's book. **(I will include last year's listing and you can just mark it up with additions or corrections if that would be easier for you).**
- 5.- Please send a list of Ministers who have thirty or more years as a Free Will Baptist. (List total years, if possible.)
- 6.- Please send an Obituary list for the past year. Include the name of the Church in which they were members. The National Association is requesting a picture of Ministers that have passed away. If possible please send pictures to me.
- 7.- If anyone wishes to be nominated for a position in the State Association, please submit their name and position they are interested in, and I will forward it to the Nominating Committee.
- 8.- Please list who will pick up the good standing cards for Ministers. If no one picks them up, I will mail them to you.
- 9.- According to Article No. 7, section 2: if any of your Conference Churches wish to host the State Association Meeting, please present in writing the seating capacity of the sanctuary, available parking, listing of Restaurants and Motels including addresses and telephone numbers. See pages 22 and 23 for form.
- 10.- Please let me know if your Conference meeting dates or time have changed.
- 11.- If possible, list the Churches combined total income for the year. (needed for National report)
- 12.- If you are not the present Clerk, please pass this information on to the new Clerk. Also please let me know who the new Clerk is.

Thank you.  
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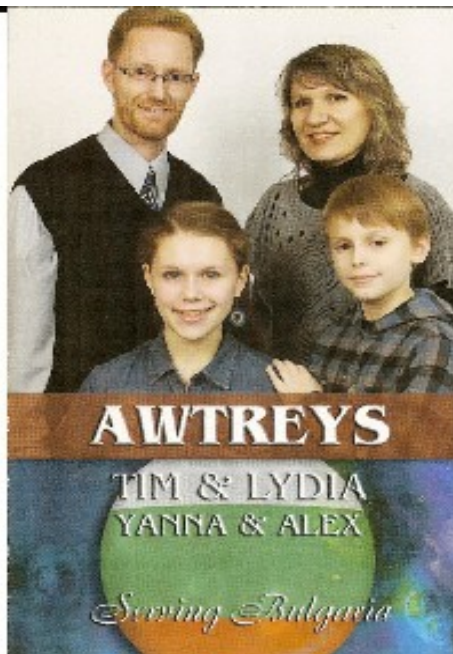
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Tim and Lydia are pioneering a work in Svishtov, Bulgaria.

Pray for perseverance, strength, and encouragement.  
Praise God for the addition of the Postlewaites to the team.

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## THE POSTLEWAITES

Ask God to...

- provide financial resources needed for us to depart for the field.
- strengthen us spiritually as we raise support, prepare for life and ministry in Bulgaria, and seek to raise our two daughters.
- equip and encourage the Awtreys and members of Svishtov's New Life Church.

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## 2015 STATE ASSOCIATION MINUTES

Minutes of the 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of the  
West Virginia State Association  
of Free Will Baptist, held at the Sophia Free Will Baptist Church,  
June 12 – 13, 2015, in Sophia, WV. Beckley Conference.

THEME – “The Great Commission”

Welcome by host pastor, Rev. Robert Carter.

Hymn: Heavens Jubilee, Song leader - Jim Hutchison, Piano - Jackie Black

Prayer Rev. Raybon Cook

Rev. Earl White, gave welcome and spoke with the Moderator’s Challenge.

Text taken from Matthew 28 :18-20

Moderator, Rev. Earl White called the 70<sup>th</sup> Session of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist to order.

M & S to allow Moderator to make changes as necessary in the program for this session.

Motion carried.

### Recognition of Visitors

Keith Burden - Executive Office

Johnathan Brummitt - Board of Retirement

Mike Edwards - Welch College

Clint Morgan - FWB International Missions

Frank and Shirley Woods - FWB Family Ministries, Greenville, TN

Richard Davis – FWB Foundation

David Womack - Randall House

Jim and Vicki Marcum, and the Redeemed Quartet - Southeastern FWB College.

**Clerks Report:** The Clerk reviewed the highlights of the minutes from the Executive Board meetings held February 28, and June 6, 2015.

M & S to receive. Motion Carried

The Clerk reported that the Executive Board recommends accepting all 21 Conferences with letters, proper finances, and delegates, and for the Moderator to seat the Ministers, Deacons, and Delegates that are properly registered for voting privileges.

M & S to accept. Motion carried.

**State Treasurer’s Report:** was given by Bro. Curtis Hall. General Fund ending balance was \$35,158.30 and the Total ending balance was \$141,228.16 as of Dec. 31, 2014. (See digest of reports). Treasurer recommends the following budget.

General Fund .....	14%	Christian Education Board .....	8%
State Paper .....	21%	Mission Board .....	16%
Promotional Director .....	31%	National Co-Op .....	10%

M & S to accept the Treasurers report and budget. Motion carried.

**Election of Committees:**

**Business Committee:** 3 Ministers- Raybon Cook, Larry Light, Kenny Samms. 2 Deacons- Marvin Holley, and John Poling.  
M & S to cease and elect. Motion carried.

**Program Placement Committee:** 2 Ministers- Roscoe Chafin, Shane Bryant, 1 Deacon- Curtis Hall, 4 Delegates- George Shirkey, Mary Jo Corbin, Debby Hadley, and Rose Casto.  
M & S to cease and elect. Motion carried.

**Members at Large from Executive Board** to serve on Executive Committee:  
2 Ministers- Roger Tolliver and Rickie Holstein  
M & S to cease and elect. Motion carried.

A question was asked if we had a letter from someone that is willing to serve on the Audit Committee but are absent, if they could be elected to the Committee.  
M & S to suspend (for today) the rule that you must be present to be elected. Motion carried.

**Audit Committee:** 5 members- Bud Casto, Edwin Freeman, Kenny Samms, Mark Price, and Roger Browning, Sr.  
M & S to cease and elect. Motion carried.

**Nominating Committee:** 5 Ordained Ministers- Roscoe Chafin, Dr. Lewis Hall, Bert Hall, Luther Morgan, and Scotty Irwin.  
M & S to cease and elect. Motion carried.

**Group Session, Fellowship, Committee time:** Today's focus is on the Christian Education Board, and on Missions. Christian Education Board member Brother Larry Sanders, reviewed the April, Bible-Arts and Music Festival activities. 85 kids were registered. Our kids have great talent. We need to work with our children so they can carry on the work of the State Association. Two of our participants are here to sing for us. Grandpa Earl White introduced Lacie and Haley White. They sang; I Am Yours.

Clint Morgan - International Missions, gave his report since he cannot be here tomorrow. E-Team training is going on this week and he needs to spend as much time as possible with the more than 100 young people. They will be traveling to 9 different Countries. He reported that International Missions finished 2014 in the black. He thanked us for all we do, for the encouragement, for all we give, and for taking on Bulgaria.  
M & S to receive the report. Motion carried.

Mission Board: Rev. Rickie Holstein, WV Mission Board Treasurer, presented historical data on financial giving from 1997 – 2014.  
\$1,036,014. 21 has gone to Foreign/International Missions.  
\$1,059,374.80 has gone to Home Missions/North American Ministries.  
\$743,831.40 has gone to March for Missions.

**Missions Trivia:**

Rickie Holstein asked us if we can you name all the International Missionaries from WV? Answers given were, Alice Smith, Jim and Vicky Sturgill, Jim Combs, Dave and Pat Franks, Shirley Williams, and Jon McNay (adopted by WV)

Rickie then asked us to name all the Home Missionaries from WV. Answers given were, Russell Wright, Ivan Asbury, Allen Whitt, Kenneth Cooper, Josue Rivera, Nicholas \ Hernadez, Brian Williams, Dana Booth, William Smith, Bert Hall, Carl Cooper, Tom Street, Ron Scott, J.D. McCormick, and Roy Roach.

Mission Board Chairman Rev. Rex Cox asked, “What is a soul worth”?

M & S to dismiss the morning session for morning worship. Motion carried.

**Morning Worship:**

Devotional by Rev. Carl Lilly

Singing by the Southeastern FWB College Quartet, consisting of Austen Eaton, Devin Cominskie, Travis Rager, Jeremy Huff, and Brooks Phillips.

Prayer by Rev. Bud Corbin

Testimony by Rev. Kenny Samms.

Message by Rev. Jim Sturgill.

Scripture – Matthew 28: 18 – 20. Brother Jim gave some history on WV Missionaries. Message - Sent out by the Holy Spirit, Teach, and the definition of a Missionary, “A Missionary does the same thing everyone else should do, He just does it somewhere else”.

Dismiss for lunch at 12:20pm. Blessing given by Rev. Johnny Ray Davis.

**Friday Afternoon Session**

Hymn: Oh How I Love Jesus.

Devotional by Rev. Roger Tolliver.

Hymn: I Surrender All.

Prayer by Rev. Roger Tolliver.

Moderator Rev. Earl White called the Friday afternoon business session to order.

**Obituary report:** was read by Sister Shirley Poling, 114 deaths were reported.

M & S to receive the report and to have a moment of silence in honor of those who have passed on. Motion carried. Prayer by Rev. Kenny Samms.

**The Promotional Directors report:** was given by Rev. Carl Lilly. See the complete report in Digest of reports.

M & S to accept the Promotional Director’s report and budget. Motion carried.

**Unfinished Business:** The Executive Board had recommended that Family Ministries look into operating a Child Care Facility in West Virginia.

Brother Earl White reported that due to circumstances going on in Arkansas and South Carolina, Family Ministries has been very busy and unable to work on the possibility of opening a home in WV. Brother Earl has talked to Frank Woods, and there was a meeting with Family Ministries, State representatives, and Allen Whitt on March 19<sup>th</sup> at the Nolan FWB Church. Brother Earl White reported that the meeting went great. They set up another meeting for Frank Woods and some of his people to go to Danese, WV and look over the facilities there. This meeting also went well, and they were pleased. Things appear to be moving forward in putting a facility in West Virginia. Brother Woods is here at the State Meeting, and hopefully we will find out more information when Brother Frank he gives his report. M / S to accept as a point of information, and to deal with at a later date as progress is made. Motion carried.

**Partial Business Committee Report:** Nothing to report.

**Executive Board Business Items:** Given by Clerk. The Executive Board recommends the following two items to the State Association for approval.

- 1- To have a Family Fellowship Day at the Kanawha State Forrest on June 27,2015,and for the State Association to pay up to \$3000.00 expenses.  
M & S to approve. Motion carried.
- 2- To re-hire Dr. Carl Lilly as our WV State Promotional Director  
M & S to approve. Motion carried.

**Mission Board Treasure's report:** Report was given by Rev. Rickie Holstein. 2014 Ending balance was \$60,462.14. Plaques were handed out by the members of the Mission's Board to the top givers in 3 categories. Total March for Missions money received is \$52,167.37.

**Mission Board Report:** Written report was highlighted by Chairman Rev. Rex Cox. A report was given on the March for Missions annual fund raiser. He announced that the Mission Board had 1 applicant for the scholarship. It will be awarded to Abigale Dyer tomorrow. There is a possibility of starting another work, but it is too early to announce any plans yet. Rev. Cox thanked the Missions Board for their service.

M & S to accept the reports. It was mentioned that we were not getting the bang for our buck with the two struggling on going works. A different approach to start a work would be to canvas and select a viable area. Then purchase property, build a Church, and then hire a Missionary to lead the Church. It was mentioned that we tried something like that in Wheeling many years ago, and lost a huge investment. The vote on the motion was taken and Motion carried. See Digest of Reports for Mission Board Treasurers Report and for the listing of Churches receiving plaques.

**Other Business:** Need Church and Conference History. Please send to Rickie Holstein.

Announcements were given.

M & S to adjourn the Friday afternoon session. Voted on and carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Dr. Jim Cox at 2:40 pm.

### **Friday Night Worship Service**

Devotional by Rev. Josue Rivera

Prayer, Rev. Earl White

Scripture: Mark 16: 15 - 16

Hymn: Leaning On The Everlasting Arms

Special singing by the Redeemed Quartet.

Testimonies given by Rev. Dan Kelly

Prayer, Rev. Carl Lilly

Offering for Missions was received (\$860.00)

Message by Rev. Keith Burden.

Scriptures were 2 Kings: 6: 24 – 30, 2 Kings 7: 3 – 11.

Points were, Evangelism, and becoming a Great Commission Church

Prayer by Keith Burden. Invitation was given. Hymn: Deeper, Deeper, and the Moderator was called. The Moderator called the WV Mission Board members, Rev. Carl Lilly, and Rev. Keith Burden to the front of the Church, to honor their labors for the Lord. Prayer was led by Rev. Jim Marcum.

Moderator Rev. Earl White recognized Ministers and Deacons present, with thirty or more years of combined service.

P- Bud Corbin 39 yrs

P- Thomas McKinney 51 yrs

P- Dr. Jim Cox 57 yrs

P- Bob Cornell 45 yrs

P- Jackie Grimmett 34 yrs

P- Carl Lilly 37 yrs

P- Tom Spradlin 49 yrs

D- Curtis Hall 34 yrs

P- Arvil Wiley 31 yrs

D- John Poling 38 yrs

P- Luther Morgan 66 yrs

P- Frank Woods 47 yrs

P- Dr. Lewis Hall 60

D- Marvin Holley 33 yrs

P- Jim Sturgill 53 yrs

P- Dr. Alton Loveless 60 yrs

P- Kenny Samms 37 yrs

P- Jim Marcum 42 yrs

P- Keith Burden 40 yrs

P- Dan Kelly 57 yrs

P- Rex Cox 37 yrs

P- Charles Tilley 38 yrs  
P- Raybon Cook 39 yrs  
P- Rickie Holstein 31 yrs  
D- Robert Perry 68 yrs  
P- Roscoe Chafin 38 yrs  
P- Earl White 38 yrs (Combined total years were 1201).

The right hand of fellowship was given to the honorees.  
Singing by the Redeemed Quartet.  
Announcements were given.  
Dismissed in prayer by Dr. Alton Loveless at 8:40pm.

### **Saturday Morning Breakfast (Ministers, Deacons, and wives)**

The Ministers, Deacons, and Wives Breakfast was held at 7:30am, June 13, 2015, with around 40 in attendance. Rev. Carl Lilly our Promotional Director was in charge. He welcomed those attending. Blessing given by Brother Brooks Phillips. Breakfast was served by the Sophia FWB church.

### **Saturday Morning Business Session June 13, 2015**

Hymn: Mansion Over The Hilltop  
Devotional by Rev. Rickie Holstein  
Scripture: Ephesians 5: 8 - 12 (Wake up, Get up, Speak up)  
Hymn: Heavens Jubilee. Hand of Fellowship.

Moderator Rev. Earl White called the Saturday morning session to order.

**National Reports** were given by:

Keith Burden - National Executive Office  
Richard Davis and Troy Sadowski - FWB Foundation  
Johnathan Brummitt - Board of Retirement  
Brian Williams – North American Ministries, reporting for David Crowe  
David Womack - Randall House  
Martha Stone - Harvest Child Care Ministries  
Frank Woods - FWB Family Ministries, Greenville, TN

Frank Woods reported that Family Ministries is continuing the process of checking into opening a Child Care Facility in West Virginia. They were told by the State of WV that a Certificate of Need was needed, and Family Ministries is working on that document.

Mike Edwards - Welch College  
Jim Marcum – Southeastern College

The West Virginia Mission Board presented their first Scholarship Award to Sister Abigale Dyer. She is attending Southeastern College. The award was presented by Chairman Rex Cox, and Treasure Rickie Holstein. The Scholarship is \$1000.00 for the first semester, and if her grades are kept up, \$1000.00 for the second semester.

**National Reports continued;**

Amos Dillard – Irvine California Church Plant

David Osborne – Wytheville Church Plant

M / S to accept all reports as points of information. Carried.

The Youth Group “Joy Unspeakable” from the Cornerstone FWB Church performed sign language to two songs.

**Questions and Answers period on Committee Reports in the Digest of Reports.**

Postlewaites and the Awtreys sent letters to the Moderator but they did not get placed into the digest. No other comments or questions on reports.

Sister Jody Sullivan representing the WAC said they were asked to coordinate the meal for the Family Fellowship Day. She stressed that the WAC could not do this without the help of others. She has a sign-up list of supplies and food items that are needed. Please help!

Nominating Committee Report: Rev. Luther Morgan reports that the Nominating Committee recommends the following to serve:

**Christian Education Board** –7yr member, Doug Burdette

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**Masters Men** – 5yr member, Jerry Bryant.

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**Missions Board** – John Poling 4yr member, and John Hudson 4yr member.

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**Obituary Committee** – 3yr member, Virginia Shirkey.

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**Publication Board** – 5yr member, Johnny Ray Davis.

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**General Board Member to the National Association** – 3 year term,

Luther Morgan.

M & S to cease and elect by a vote of acclimation. Motion Carried.

**Treasurer**

M & S to re-elect Curtis Hall as Treasurer. Motion Carried.

M & S to letter to the National Association with proper finances and delegation. Motion Carried.

Delegates selected for the National Association Meeting were: George Shirkey, Diana Cox, and Jody Sullivan.

M & S to accept delegates, with permission for the Clerk to accept two other volunteers. Motion Carried.

**Partial Business Committee Report:** We Recommend the following.

1- To increasing the honorarium for the Moderator from \$50 to \$100, and the Assistant Moderator from \$25 to \$50.

M / S to accept recommendation. This would be a change to by-law #19.

M / S to lay this item on the table, until next session. Motion carried.

2- To compensate Rev. Luther Morgan, National Executive Board Member from West Virginia, upon receipt for actual expenses accrued during his trip to the National Association meeting in Grand Rapids, Michigan in July. (we would give Brother Luther the normal \$1200.00, then pay for additional expenses).

M & S to Dismiss for Worship Service. Motion carried.

### **Saturday Morning Worship Service**

Devotional by: Rev. Bert Hall

Hymn: Victory In Jesus

Prayer by Rev. Okey Tolliver

Message by Rev. Frank Woods. “Bring just one more sinner to Jesus.”

Scripture – Mark 15 & 20, Mark 2: 1, 3 – 5. Luke 15: 1 – 11.

Nothing good will happen unless HE is in the house. The Prodigal Son is in a mess. After an excellent message, circle prayer was led by Dr. Jim Cox.

Moderator took over the service.

Dismissed for lunch at 11:57am. Blessing by Rev. Bud Corbin.

### **Saturday Afternoon Session**

Devotional at 1:15 pm by Rev. Rex Cox.

Prayer: Rev. Larry Light.

Moderator calls the business session to order.

**Program Committee Report:** Rev. Roscoe Chafin, gave the report for the June 9 – 10, 2017 program. They recommend that the Sunshine FWB Church at Huntington, Brotherhood Conference, be the host Church. Theme- “Not Forsaking The Assembly Of Ourselves Together” Hebrews 10: 25

See minutes book for complete program schedule.

M & S to accept the recommendations and report.

**Final Business Committee Report:** We recommend the following

To give a standing vote of appreciation to the ladies, and the Church for the fine meals and their hospitality.

M / S to accept recommendation. Motion carried.



With no other business we had a,  
M & S to adjourn. Motion Carried.

Testimony by Bro. John Poling  
Prayer request by Sister Alice Smith for Rev. David Cook

Dismissed in prayer at 1:42pm by Rev. Carl Lilly.

Keith Hadley, Clerk

## **2015 West Virginia State Association Statistics**

<b>21</b>	<b>Conferences</b>
<b>164</b>	<b>Churches</b>
<b>6386</b>	<b>Total Church Membership</b>
<b>364</b>	<b>Ordained Ministers</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>Licensed Ministers</b>
<b>282</b>	<b>Deacons</b>
<b>309</b>	<b>Baptisms</b>
<b>5104</b>	<b>Sunday School Enrollment</b>
<b>1052</b>	<b>CTS Enrollment</b>
<b>746</b>	<b>WAC Enrollment</b>
<b>101</b>	<b>Masters Men Enrollment</b>

### **Registered attendance 2015 State Meeting.**

<b>95</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>72</b>	<b>Saturday</b>

### **Head count attendance 2015 State Meeting.**

<b>96</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>115</b>	<b>Friday Night Worship Service</b>
<b>40</b>	<b>Ministers and Deacons Breakfast</b>
<b>128</b>	<b>Saturday</b>

## Ministers & Deacons reported on Letters with Thirty or more years.

Lowell Walls	67	David Collins	41
Luther Morgan	65	Roger L. Browning, Sr.	41
Ray Taylor	63	Jack Small	41
John T. Vance	61	Russell Wright	41
Dr. Lewis Hall	59	Butch Cobb	40
Treaby Scaggs	59	Truman Davis	40
Dr. Jim Cox	56	Gene Goodman	40
Daniel Kelley	56	Chester Osborne	40
Roy Adkins	55	Daniel G. Scott	40
Charles Curry	54	Elbert Collins Jr.	39
Jim Sturgill	53	Walter Marcum	39
Frank Copley	52	Raybon Cook	38
Alton Lee Hines	52	Bud Corbin	38
Douglas Young	52	James Dalton, Jr.	38
Woodrow Chambers	51	Manuel Hensley Sr.	38
Edwin Hughes	50	Glen Hutchison	38
Daniel Legg	50	David McCloud	38
Orville Syner	50	Hurston Webb	38
Russell Watts	50	Herman Williams	38
H. Bert Hall	49	Russell Wright	38
Eugene Davis	48	Raymond Bumgarner	37
Joe Lane	48	Roscoe Chafin	37
Kenneth Cooper	40	Vibert Dickens	37
George Speck	46	Luthur Dingess	37
Argil Maynard	45	George Hall	37
Earl Burgess	44	Ronald George	37
Larkin C. Calhoun	44	Roger D. Landy	37
Chester Osborne	44	James Franklin Lyons	37
Gene Snuffer	44	Wayne Peters	37
William O. Tolliver	44	Phillip Warren	37
Kit Meade	43	Rex Cox	36
Roe Smith	43	Lacy Cox Jr.	36
Ceburn Blankenship	42	Curtis Monk	36
Rex Hadley	42	Kenny Samms	36
Willard Ray Sovine	42	Leo Ward	36
Tommy Wiley	42		

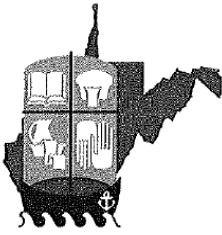
## Ministers & Deacons reported on Letters with Thirty or more years, continued

Alan Bailey	35+
David Campbell	35
Jerry Casteel	35
Verlin Epling	35+
Earl Ferguson	35+
Virgil Hamilton	35+
John Hudson	35+
Carl Lilly	35
Andy Maynard	35+
Willis Mills	35
G.W. Mounts	35
James Harold Shafer	35+
Charles R. Tilley	35
David Lee Turley	35+
Clyde Waller	35
Earnest Neace	34+
Lehman Eldrige	34
Bazzil Goodman	34
John B. Hatfield	34
George Leese Jr.	34
David McCloud	34
Carl Pomeroy	34
Michael Abshire	33
Jackie Grimmett	33
Frank Imes Sr.	33
Orville Setliff	33
Roger Sizemore	33
William F. Smith	33
Greg Stover	33
Earsel Ray Taylor	33
Michael Abshire	32
Kenneth Bell	32
Timothy Cooper	32+
Lehman Eldridge Jr.	32
James Ellis	32
Ira Keller	32+

Dwight Priestly	31
Fred Ramey	31
Larry Young	31
Roger Brammer	30
Herman Dingess	30
Sherman Grimmett	30
John Gorrell	30
Rickie Holstein	30
Mark Price	30

### Deacons with Thirty or more years.

Robert Perry	67
Fred Dempsey	59
Charles Burchett	48
Larry Evans	46
Harold Pelfrey	44
Charles Counts	43+
Bob Adkins	42
Tom Sammons	41
Lanta Graham	40
John Poling	37
Rodney Cline	36
John Henry May	35
Larry Ellison	35+
Curtis E. Hall	34
Charlie Lockard	34
Delbert Propps	34
David Meadows	32
Marvin Holley	32



# Digest of Reports

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## *West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist*

Meeting at the Sophia Free Will Baptist Church  
at Sophia, WV

June 12 - 13, 2015

THEME:

“Fulfilling the Great Commission” (Mat. 28:18-20)

## *WV Women Active for Christ*

Women Active for Christ was organized back in the 1930's as the Auxiliary Convention with the purpose of supporting the missionaries that were going to foreign lands to share Christ. WAC still has the purpose of enabling women to find their part in the Great Commission. West Virginia women have been known as Acts 1:8 women because of our support in sharing Christ in our communities, our state, our nation and around the world. Let's take a moment and review what the WV WAC women have already done this year and are planning to do in the future.

**Annual WAC Convention** – Our annual convention was held on May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at the Prince of Peace FWB Church in Huntington. We were blessed with dramatic signing of two songs...and they were excellent! We had special music and Sis. Ginger Duncan explored the theme "Follow Me" from Matthew 16:24. The ladies will never forget her illustration of what the hamburger wanted to be.

Our mission project for the day was to bring hygiene items for Harmony House of Huntington. Harmony House is a facility where the homeless can take a shower and also do laundry. Items brought were: shampoo, bar soap, dish soap, towels and washcloths, tooth brushes & toothpaste, razor blades, laundry detergent and Ramen noodles as well as other items. The value of the items was \$1,400 with another \$100 given for whatever was needed by the facility. Praise God! During the afternoon business session, we dealt with setting the dates and places of next year's meetings as well as electing officers for the coming two years.

### **Now for the future:**

The **State Association Family Fellowship Picnic** will be held on June 27<sup>th</sup>. The State Association officers have asked the WV WAC to coordinate the noon meal. Hot dogs, hamburgers and buns will be provided by the state association. We will still need to have volunteers to provide "fixins" for our hamburgers, hot dog sauce, potato salad, pasta salad, beverages, tables and paper supplies. All the churches in the State Association are needed to help provide these items not just churches that have WAC groups. Please contact Jody Sullivan at 304-523-4417 or 304-360-4417 if you would be willing to help with this every special event. Please check and see what is needed at this meeting and let's get everything covered.

**Fall Retreat** – September 11-12, 2015: Bethel FWB Church, MacArthur, WV. The theme will be "We Will Remember" reflecting on the 9-11 tragedy but also remembering how the Lord came into our lives and what He has done for us through the years. We will have Sis. Linda Hicks from Chattanooga, TN as our special speaker. We will participate in the Beckley Parade of Lights on Friday evening. Bro. Eric Murphy will be with us on Saturday and share about his mission work in Europe. Mission Project: snack items for Hospice of Southern WV (Beckley) and an offering for Bro. Eric Murphy.

**2016 Annual Convention** – May 21 at the Sophia FWB. Mission project: offering for Beckley area Child Evangelism Fellowship.

**2016 Retreat** – September 9-10 at the Central FWB Church. Mission projects: Wal-Mart gift cards for Josue and Christina Rivera AND a \$100 offering from each WAC group for Tim & Lydia Awtrey, Bulgaria.

We certainly hope that you will pray for our WV Women Active for Christ. God bless you as we work together to build His kingdom.

## Executive Board Meeting

The Executive Board of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist met in session February 28, 2015, at the Sophia Free Will Baptist Church, at Sophia, WV at 10:00am, with 24 in attendance.

Hymn: Victory In Jesus, Piano: Rev. Roger Browning, Sr.

Moderator Rev. Earl White welcomed the assembly and thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

Prayer requests were given,

Prayer: Bro. Curtis Hall

Scripture: Acts 20: 24

Message by Rev. Earl White

Meeting called to order by Moderator Rev. Earl White.

**Roll Call**, 14 of 21 Executive Board Members were present for roll call. A quorum was present.

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS

Beckley -	Charles Tilley, present
Brotherhood -	Luther Morgan, absent
Christian Fellowship -	Lacy Cox, Jr., present
Eastern Panhandle -	Thomas Hoffmaster II, absent
Elk River -	Dennis Vance, absent
Fayette -	Curtis Monk, present
Freedom -	Jody Brown, present
Greenbrier County-	Roger Tolliver, absent
Greenbrier Nicholas -	Alva "Bud" Casto, present
Guyan Valley -	David McCloud, absent
Huff Creek -	Shane Bryant, present
Kanawha -	Ricky Holstein, present
Liberty -	Dr. Lewis Hall, present
Logan -	Larry Light, absent
#1 Mingo -	Scott Nelson, absent
Trinity -	Roger L. Browning Sr., present
Tug River -	Mike Smith, present
Unity -	Jonny Ray Davis, present
Upper Ohio Valley -	John L. Price, present
Wayne -	Leroy Perry, present
Wyoming -	Raybon K. Cook, present

### Reports:

**State Promotional Director's Report:** Report was given by Rev. Carl Lilly.

Visited 9 Conferences, preached 6 appointments, attended the funeral of Rev. Norwood Webb, 4 reports provided to the Executive Board, attended 3 Mission Board meetings, and attended 2 Christian Education Board meetings. Took Rev. Josue Rivera to most of my Conference visits, and preaching appointments. Helping with Bible, Music, and Arts Festival, Ministers/Deacons Seminar, and with planning the Family Fellowship Day.

M / S to receive Promotional Director's report. Motion passed.

**Executive Committee Report:** Report was given by Brother Mike Smith. The Committee has met 3 times.

The Executive Committee recommends the Executive Board to approve the following:

**Item -1. That we have a Family Fellowship Day on June 27, 2015 (at the Kanawha State Forrest), and provide the necessary funds.**

**Item -2. That we re-hire Rev. Carl Lilly as our State Promotional Director.**

Note: Publication Board met in August with the Executive Committee. Bro. Marvin Holley was elected as Chairman and appointed to the Executive Committee, and Bro. Adam White was elected as Editor of the Messenger. Rev. Josue Rivera gave report on his work in the Huntington area. Sister Jody Sullivan reported on the Women Active for Christ, and she is helping with the plans for the Family Fellowship Day.

M / S to receive report. Motion passed.

**Treasurers Report:** Brother Curtis Hall gave the treasurer’s report. Current Balances as of December 31, 2014 are;

General Fund	\$35,158.30		
Christian Education Account	\$15,087.60	Proposed Co-Op Budget for 2015 - 2016	
WV State Paper Account	\$6,174.50	General Fund	14%
Interest Now Account	\$3,256.26	Christian Education	8%
Promotional Directors Account	\$28,435.79	State Paper	21%
Promotional Directors Reserve	\$51,000.00	WV Mission Board	16%
WV Masters Men Account	\$265.49	Promotional Director	31%
Ministers Retirement Fund Acct.	\$1,850.22	National Co-Op	10%
Ending balance	\$141,228.16		<u>100%</u>

M / S to accept the treasurer’s report and proposed budget. After questions, motion passed.

**Mission Board Report:** Report was given by Rev. Rex Cox. The Board has met 4 times. All Missionaries are doing well.

Josue and Christina Rivera and family are living in the Huntington area. March for Missions revivals have been scheduled in different areas. Set March for Missions goal at \$50,000 again this year. The board is taking applications for scholarships for students who want to further their schooling in Christian Education.

Tim and Lydia Awtrey, and Jonathan and Amy Postewaite are working in Bulgaria. Eastern Panhandle work is going well.

Kenneth and Shirley Cooper are doing better.

Anyone interested in starting a new work in WV, please contact the Mission Board

**Mission Board Financial Report:** Report was given by Rev. Rickie Holstein.

2014	Beginning Balance	\$ 64,646.84
	Total Income	\$139,816.59
	Total Expenses	\$144,001.29
2014	Ending Balance	\$ 60,462.14

M / S to receive both reports. Motion passed.

**Christian Education Board:** Report given by Rev. Larry Sanders. The Bible Music and Arts Festival is scheduled for April 18<sup>th</sup> at the Central FWB Church in Huntington. The Board is also sponsoring a trip to the Southeastern FWB Bible College April 13 – 15. The College will feed and lodge the participants, and there will be no charge to the Churches. Hoping to get High School Seniors, Juniors, (and 10<sup>th</sup> graders if there is room for them to go). There is a dress code.

M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

**Historical Committee:** Brother Rickie Holstein said he received information for a total of 63 churches. Still need information from around 100 Churches. Bro. Rickie will do the mailing to all the Churches requesting historic information. This mailing was approved a few years ago.

M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

**Web Page Report:** Bro. Jim Sturgill announced that Rev. James Stanley had passed away and that he had donated his library to anyone wanting to use his teaching material which he had acquired or created over the years. Bro. Sturgill will be the liaison for anyone wanting any of the material. E-mail address for requesting material is, [jsturgill@suddenlink.net](mailto:jsturgill@suddenlink.net) Jim may catalog and list the available material on the web-site. The web site is averaging around 1000 visits per month.

M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

**Messenger Report:** Bro. Adam White reported mailing addresses have been up-dated. Very few papers are now being returned un-deliverable. The deadline for articles is listed on the back page of the Messenger.

M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

**Nominating Committee:** No report.

**Women Active for Christ:** A written report was provided by Sister Jody Sullivan. Annual Convention will be May 16, 2015 10:00 am at the Prince of Peace FWB Church, at Huntington, WV.

Fall Retreat is September 11 – 12, 2015 at the Bethel FWB Church, at MacArthur WV.

M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

### **Unfinished Business:**

The Executive Board had recommended that Family Ministries look into operating a Child Care Facility in West Virginia. Brother Earl White reported that due to circumstances going on in Arkansas and South Carolina, Family Ministries has been very busy and unable to work on the possibility of opening a home in WV. Brother Earl has talked to Frank Woods, and there is a meeting with Family Ministries, and Allen Whitt scheduled for March 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm at the Nolan FWB Church.

M & S to accept the report. Motion carried.



**New Business:**

Bro. Bud Casto reported that this is the year for the eternal audit. He has asked for recommendation of a CPA to do the audit, but has not gotten any names. He will use the same person that did the audit in 2010. M / S to receive the report. Motion passed.

With no other business, M / S was moved to close the business session, motion carried.

Dismissal prayer was led by Rev. Johnny Ray Davis.

Meeting adjourned at 12:15 pm, and lunch was served. We thank the Church for their hospitality, and excellent lunch.

Our Pre-State meeting will be held on June 6th.

Keith Hadley, Clerk

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## 2015 Executive Board Pre-State Meeting

The Executive Board of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist met in session June 6, 2015 at the Sophia Free Will Baptist Church, at Sophia, WV at 10:00am, with 28 in attendance.

Moderator Rev. Earl White welcomed the assembly and thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

Prayer: Rev. Roger Browning Sr.

Hymn: I Surrender All, Pianist: Sister Jody Sullivan.

Scripture: Matthew 28: 17 - 20

Message by Rev. Earl White

Business meeting called to order by Moderator Rev. Earl White.

**Roll Call:** 12 of 21 Executive Board Members were present for roll call. A quorum was present.

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS

Beckley -	Charles Tilley, <b>absent</b>
Brotherhood -	Luther Morgan, <b>present</b>
Christian Fellowship -	Lacy Cox, Jr., <b>absent</b>
Eastern Panhandle -	Thomas Hoffmaster II, <b>absent</b>
Elk River -	Doug Burdette, <b>present</b>
Fayette -	Curtis Monk, <b>absent</b>
Freedom -	Jody Brown, <b>absent</b>
Greenbrier County-	Roger Tolliver, <b>present</b>
Greenbrier Nicholas -	Alva "Bud" Casto, <b>present</b>
Guyan Valley -	David McCloud, <b>absent</b>
Huff Creek -	Shane Bryant, <b>present</b>
Kanawha -	Rickie Holstein, <b>present</b>
Liberty -	Dr. Lewis Hall, <b>present</b>
Logan -	Larry Light, <b>absent</b>
#1 Mingo -	Vinnie Morris, <b>absent</b>
Trinity -	Roger L. Browning Sr., <b>present</b>
Tug River -	Mike Smith, <b>present</b>
Unity -	Johnnie Ray Davis, <b>present</b>
Upper Ohio Valley -	John L. Price, <b>present</b>
Wayne -	Leroy Perry, <b>absent</b>
Wyoming -	Raybon K. Cook, <b>present</b>

### Reports:

**Clerk's Report:** Minutes of the last meeting were review by Assistant Clerk Rev. Greg Stover.

M / S to accept minutes. Motion carried.

**State Promotional Director's Report:** A written report was handed out and reviewed by Rev. Carl Lilly. If approved by the State Association, we will have a Family Fellowship Day on June 27, 2015 at the Kanawha State Forrest. Brother Carl talked about tithing, so we can see our financial situation improve. See Digest of Reports for complete report. M / S to approve the report. Motion carried.

Brother Lilly then presented the Promotional Director's and State Office Budget as listed below.

**2015-2016 Promotional Director's, State Paper, and State Office Budget**

<b>Messenger</b>		<b>Office</b>	
Printing	\$6800.00	Postage	\$ 100.00
Mailing	\$1600.00	Supplies	\$200.00
Postage	\$2400.00	Cell Phone	\$584.00
Supplies	\$ 400.00	Printer	<u>\$100.00</u>
Miscellaneous	<u>\$ 300.00</u>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$984.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,500.00</b>		
<b>Promotional Director</b>			
Salary	\$7800.00		
Housing	\$7800.00		
Car Allowance	\$7200.00		
National Association	\$ 400.00		
Leadership Conf.	<u>\$ 450.00</u>		
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,650.00</b>		
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$36,134.00</b>		

M/S to approve the budget as presented. Motion passed.

**Executive Committee Report:** Written report was handed out and review by Rev. Mike Smith. The Committee is asking for the State Association to approve up to \$3000.00 to be used to pay expenses for the Family Fellowship Day, if the Fellowship Day is approved. See Digest of Reports for complete report. M / S to approve the report. Motion passed.

**Conference Letters Report:** The Clerk Bro. Keith Hadley reported that all 21 Conferences letters have been received with delegates and proper finances. Some information is poor and some of the required information is not being included with the letters. Many Conferences do not list any Delegates and are forfeiting their voice by no representation. There are 3 new Conference Clerks listed this year. I recommend we accept all letters, Delegates, and Ministers having paid their dues, or that are properly listed as disabled or retired.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

The Clerk stated that no Church has requested to host the 2017 State Association meeting. Brother Carl Lilly said its been a few years since the Sunshine Church has hosted the State Association. He said he would contact his pastor to see if Sunshine Church will be willing to host.

**Treasurer's Report:** Written report and proposed Co-Op Budget was handed out and review by Treasure Bro. Curtis Hall. The General Fund Account balance ending Dec. 31, 2014 was \$35,158.30, and the total Closing balance was \$141,228.16. The current total balance as of May 31, 2015 is \$122,772.85  
It was recommended by the Treasurer to keep the Co-Op budget the same as last year.

General Fund	14%
Christian Education	8%
State Paper	21%
WV Mission Board	16%
Promotional Director	31%
National Co-Op	<u>10%</u>
	100%

See Digest of Reports for complete report.

M / S to accept the annual Treasurers Report and proposed Co-Op budget, motion passed.

**Mission Board Financial Report:** Written report was handed out and reviewed by Rev. Rickie Holstein. The 2014 ending balance was \$60,462.14. The 2014 March for Missions giving was \$52,167.37 The 2015 March for Missions giving is around \$50,700.

See Digest of Reports for complete report.

M / S to accept, motion carried.

**Mission Board Report:** Written report was handed out and reviewed by Rev. Rex Cox.

See Digest of Reports for complete report.

M / S to accept the report, motion passed.

**Christian Education Board:** Written report was handed out and review by Bro. John Preece.

See Digest of Reports.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**WAC Report:** Sister Jody Sullivan reported on WAC activities, and discussed the food needed for the Family Fellowship Day. She challenged the Pastors to get behind their Church Women to get them to join the WAC.

See Digest of Reports for complete report.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

M / S to adjourn for lunch at 11:58am. Motion carried. The blessing was given by Dr. James Cox.

The Ladies of the Church were giving a rising vote of thanks for the meal.

### Afternoon Session

The Business Session was called back to order by Moderator Rev. Earl White at 12:52pm. Prayer by Rev. Larry Sanders.

**Historical Committee:** Report was given by Rev. Rickie Holstein. He said his report was more than “HELP” this time. He has sent out letters to Church Clerks, Pastors, and Conference Clerks, asking for history of Churches and Conferences. He has spent over 80 hours researching National and State information and has learned a lot. Please help preserve our history before it is lost.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Web Master:** Brother Jim Sturgill reported that the site is being accessed a lot. He only posts or removes items as instructed. He does not generate information and post himself.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Publication Board:** Brother Adam White reported on the Messenger printing. They give space to the Department heads, then fill in with other most important items. Send articles early to get a spot.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Seminar Report:** Dr. Jim Cox gave a report on the Ministers and Deacons Seminar.

Brotherhood Conference pays the expenses, and one of their Churches hosts it. It is free to those attending, and different Speakers and training classes are offered. They would like to see more people attend, and the fellowship is great.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Nominating Committee Report:** Nothing to report.

**Trustee Board Report:** Rev. Luther Morgan had nothing to report.

**Audit Committee Report:** Report was handed out and reviewed by Rev. Bud Casto. External Review (audit) was completed. All three accounts (State Association, Missions Board, and the WAC) were audited and found to be correct. All tax forms were submitted on time, but due to an error, a form had to be re-submitted, and a late filing fee was charged.

See Digest of Reports for complete report.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Masters Men Board Report:** Rev. Shane Bryant reported he has been un-able to make contact with all of the Board members to set up a meeting. He will try again before the State Meeting to contact them. They hope to have a Board Meeting during the State Meeting. It was suggested they could help with the Family Fellowship Day, in hopes this would give them a jump start in becoming active. Brother Shane is willing to serve as the Chairman.

M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Co-Op Committee:** Brother Carl Lilly said they sent out a letter in September reminding Churches that October is Co-Operative Giving month. Please give us any suggestions you may have that may help to increase giving.  
M / S to accept the report. Motion carried.

**Un-finished Business:**

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Brother Earl White reported that the meeting did take place, and that things went great. They set up another meeting for Frank Woods and some of his people to go to Danese, WV and look over the facilities there. This meeting also went well, and they were pleased. Things appear to be moving forward in putting a facility in West Virginia. Brother Woods plans to be at the State Meeting, so hopefully we will find out more information then.

**New Business:** None.

**Announcements:** Sunshine FWB Church, at Huntington will host the 2017 State Association meeting. They will submit an Application to Host form.

M / S to adjourn. Motion carried.

Prayer requests were given and we were dismissed in Prayer led by Rev. Doug Burdette, at 1:40pm.

Keith Hadley, Clerk

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT - 6/6/15

The Executive Committee has met 4 times since the State Association. The meetings took place at the IHOP Restaurant in So. Charleston, WV on Aug. 12, 2014, Dec. 9, 2014, Feb. 10, 2015, & April 14, 2015. Each meeting was well attended and opened with prayer and scripture reading. The reports from the various boards were given and approved.

### Items of Business Decussed

#### 1. Aug. Meeting

- Began discussion about a "Family Day" for the whole state.
- Set the dates for the Exec. Comm. Meetings for the whole year.
- The Publication Board met at the same time. Bro. Marvin Holley was elected as the Chairman and appointed to the Exec. Comm. Bro. Adam White was elected as the Editor of the Messenger.

#### 2. Dec. Meeting

- Most of the meeting was about the big "One Day" event.

#### 3. Feb. Meeting

- We were honored to have Bro. Josue Rivera, our Hispanic Missionary, who gave a report on the work in Huntington, WV.
- We also had Sis. Jody Sullivan, Women Active for Christ Chairman, who helped us with the planning for the "Family Fellowship Day".
- A Motion was M/S to ask the Exec. Bd. to approve the "Family Fellowship Day" on June 27, 2015 and provide the necessary funds.
- A Motion was M/S to ask the Exec. Bd. to rehire Bro. Carl Lily as the State Promotional Director.

#### 4. Apr. Meeting

- Voted to ask Bro. Burt Hall about using the Loudendale church in case of severe weather.
- Voted to let Bro. Carl Lily arrange the speakers and singers for the "Family Fellowship Day".
- Voted to let Bro. Rickie Holstein rent the appropriate playground equipment for the event.
- Voted to ask the State Assoc. to approve up to \$3000 for the event.

Also discussed; safety precautions, food preparation, sound equipment, and advertising it to all the churches.

Great fellowship was enjoyed at each meeting.

Earl White - Moderator

Audit Committee Report  
To  
The West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist

External Review was done see ADKINS & YOUNG P.L.L.C. letter.

To the best of our ability the Audit Committee found the financial records to be in PROPER ORDER. We looked at the records of the West Virginia State Association of the FWB, the West Virginia FWB Mission Board, and the West Virginia WAC. The information provided covered the fiscal year starting on January 1, 2014 and ending on December 31, 2014. Computer printouts, invoices, cancelled checks, check stubs, balance sheets, receipts, and bank statements were examined carefully. In all three sets of books, we found the check book and the bank statement to reconcile (balance much like an individual's check book). We made sure the invoices and receipts matched the checks and the computer printouts.

A 1099 Form was issued for anyone who was paid \$600 or more, whereas the Promotional Director was issued a W-2 Form. We would remind all people who want to be reimbursed to fill out the reimbursement form (creating their own form with the needed information is alright). Don't forget the receipts. The treasurers are doing a great job asking for them and the people are doing a great job turning them in.

The committee met on May 29, 2015 at Chesapeake FWB Church. Bro. Curtis Hall treasurer for the State Association and Rev. Rickie Holstein treasurer for the Mission Board were also there. Sister Bobby Bowen treasurer for the West Virginia FWB WAC provided information needed for the meeting. I understand she will not be the treasurer next time. I am very sorry to hear this, she has been a great Treasurer and a pleasure to work along side. Because the committee met on Friday Rev. Mark Price could not be at the meeting, as the chairman I do apologize.

Our thanks go out to the treasurers for doing so many hours of work for our benefits. Our thanks also go out to the Chesapeake Church and it's Pastor for allowing us to met at the church. The Audit Committee would like to thank each and every one of you for the privilege of serving you.

May God bless our Association  
Rev. Alva "Bud" Casto  
Rev. Mark Price  
Bro. Edwin Freeman  
Rev. Larry Sanders  
Rev. Kenneth Samms





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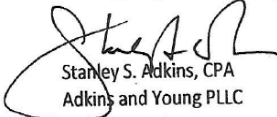
Sirs:

At your request I have reviewed the recorded financial transactions of the various funds of the West Virginia Association of Freewill Baptists for the period January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 and I provide the following comments.

As a summary generality, I found accurate recording and reporting of transactions for all funds including: The General Fund, Mission Board (Home Missions, International Missions, March for Missions, Mission Contingent, Mission Scholarship, State Home Mission), and Women's Auxiliary.

In addition, I found the Association has completed the changes and adjustments recommended in the prior review of transactions. All employment tax forms have been properly filed with the various taxing authorities, although for one quarter of 2014 the Federal Form 941 was filed a few days late and a minor penalty was assessed by the IRS. I believe this to be a totally isolated incident and all forms were filed timely in subsequent quarters and no changes in procedures are recommended.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service,



Stanley S. Adkins, CPA  
Adkins and Young PLLC  
May 26, 2015

**West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist  
Yearly Financial Report  
January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014**

Starting balance as of January 1, 2014		<b><u>\$ 152,006.52</u></b>
Received		\$ 83,068.65
Designated Gifts	\$49,556.06	
Cooperative Gifts	\$33,315.53	
Interest Now Acc.	\$197.06	
	Cooperative Gifts	
Received		\$ 33,315.53
Paid out		\$ 33,315.53
General Fund	\$4,664.17	
Christian Education	\$2,335.24	
State Paper	\$6,996.27	
WV Mission Board	\$5,330.50	
Promotional Director	\$10,327.80	
National Association	\$3,331.55	
	General Fund Account	
Balance Brought Forward		\$ 41,689.63
Received		\$ 39,442.96
Cooperative Gifts	\$4,664.17	
Designated Gifts	\$34,778.79	
Paid out		\$ (45,974.29)
Treasurer's Honorarium	(\$4,200.00)	
National Association	(\$23,400.00)	
Other	(\$6,309.72)	
Internal Revenue taxes	(\$1,805.61)	
One Call Now	(\$714.94)	
State minutes books	(\$3,360.68)	
Reimbursements	(\$3,556.72)	
Att, National & leadership	(\$1,594.20)	
Brotherhood Mutual Ins.	(\$1,032.42)	
Closing Balance		\$ 35,158.30

## 2014 Yearly Financial Report continued

Christian Education Account		
Balance Brought Forward		\$ 15,365.41
Received		\$ 3,760.24
	Cooperative Gifts	\$2,665.24
	Designated Gifts	\$1,095.00
Paid out		
	Expenses	(\$4,038.05)
Closing Balance		\$ 15,087.60

State Paper Account		
Balance Brought Forward		\$ 8,705.57
Received		\$ 7,371.59
	Cooperative Gifts	\$6,996.27
	Designated Gifts	\$375.32
Paid out		
	Expenses	(\$9,902.66)
Closing Balance		\$ 6,174.50

Interest Now Account		
Balance Brought Forward		\$ 3,670.78
Received		
	Bank of Mingo	\$197.06
Paid out		
	Expenses	(\$611.58)
Closing Balance		\$ 3,256.26

Promotional Directors Reserve Account		
Balance Brought Forward (no activity this year)		\$ 51,000.00

**2014 Yearly Financial Report continued**

Promotional Directors Account

Balalance Brought Forward		\$ 29,459.42
Received		\$ 21,776.37
	Cooperative Gifts	\$10,327.80
	Designated Gifts	\$11,448.57
Paid out		\$ (22,800.00)
	Carl B. Lilly	(\$22,800.00)
	National Association	\$0.00
	Leadership Conference	\$0.00
Closing Balance		\$ 28,435.79

WV Masters Men Account

Balance Brought Forward (no activity this year)	\$ 265.49
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WV Ministers Retirement Account

Balance Brought Forward (no activity this year)	\$ 1,850.22
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Ending balance as of December 31	<b><u>\$ 141,228.16</u></b>
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The Proposed Co-op Budget for the Coming Year 2015/2016

	Same as last year	
General Fund		14%
Christian Education		8%
State Paper		21%
WV Mission Board		16%
Promotional Director		31%
Natioinal Co-op		10%
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>100%</b>

# **West Virginia Freewill Baptist Christian Education Board**

## **ANNUAL REPORT- 2014-15**

**This is a report of the activities of the CEB to the West Virginia FWB State Association from June 2014 to June 2015. This has been an exciting year for the Board as we have energetically worked diligently to perform the works GOD has placed before us.**

**We had three formal meetings this year, plus many informal ones as we had many ideals and projects we wanted to complete. Without going into great detail about each one, I will provide a list in this report. Anyone wishing to go into detail about any of these may ask any member of the board for additional information. We welcome any input or suggestions you may have for us to better serve the FWB Churches we represent.**

**Of course, we held the annual WV Bible, Music and Arts Competition at the Central Baptist Church in Huntington. We are thankful for the Excellent Hospitality shown us by the Church Membership and Rev. Williams, the Pastor.**

**We continue to set new highs for attendance and participation, but we still have room for you next year. The Event will be at the Parsley Bottom FWB Church with Big Elk Church Hosting the Competition.**

### **Other actions taken include:**

**A large contingent of youth participated at the National Convention this year.  
We Taped the Ministers and Deacons Retreat and provided copies to Churches.  
Passed out 60 copies of Competition Guideline Books.  
Visited Churches and Conference to encourage Youth Ministries.  
College visitation for High School Seniors. Low interest shown  
Challenged Churches to send one entry to Competition. On-going  
Purchased projector for various projects.  
Participated in a "Back to School Program"  
Invitation to Churches to Co-host Youth Revivals (talk to any member).  
Working with individual Churches in setting up program.**

*"May we always serve GOD to the best of our abilities"*



**HISTORICAL COMMITTEE**  
of the  
West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist



June 6, 2015

# HELP!

The Historical Committee of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist [is still seeking information about Free Will Baptist Churches in our State.](#)

Free Will Baptist history can be traced by to the late 1500s and the early 1600s. However, the history of West Virginia Free Will Baptist is very sketch at best. **This Committee has only received information from 22 churches across our state** (some sent information to Jim Cox, a few years ago - But not to this committee - we need not only that information, but information from all our churches across the state). **WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

I have also spent hours over 80+ hours looking online at Free Will Baptist History on both the national and state level, compiling information about who was on what Board or Committee, and when. I am currently compiling that information into a data base.

This Committee sent out letters on May 28th (as approved by the W.V. State Association), to all our church, church clerks, and conference clerks in an attempt to gather this must needed information. The intent of the letter, and this committee is to capture both recent and past history on any form of media (letters, books, pictures, cassettes, CDs) in the attempt to preserve our West Virginia Free Will Baptist heritage. The committee is looking for State Conference History (when formed, members, churches, etc.), Church history (when formed, ministers, deacons, members, etc.), History on past and present Ministers (when ordained, where they pastored, etc.), State Missionaries (a history of their call and their service in the field).

My hope is to have as much W.V. F.W.B. history as possible, available to not only the people of our state, but others who may be interested in leaning of our rich heritage.

**Would you please help us, and assist us in gathering this much needed information?**

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*Ps 119:111 "Thy testimonies have I taken as an heritage for ever: for they are the rejoicing of my heart."*



## HISTORICAL COMMITTEE of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist



May 26, 2015

**The Historical Committee of the West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist**, was formed on June 11, 2004, when the State Association convened at the Hope Free Will Baptist Church. This committee was elected "to compile information," about the history of West Virginia Free Will Baptist.

**The intent of this committee** (and the reason for its conception) is to capture both recent and past history of W.V.F.W.B., on any form of media available (letters, books, pictures, cassettes, CDs) in an attempt to preserve our West Virginia Free Will Baptist heritage.

**The committee is looking for:** Church history (when formed, those who started the church, ministers, deacons, members, etc.); **History on past and present Ministers** (when ordained, where they served, etc.); **Missionaries from our state** (a history of their call and their service in the field); **Conference History** (when formed, members churches, etc.); and **any other general information that may have historical value.**

We begun to compile this information, in June of 2004, but as yet we have receive very little information. We appreciate those churches that have sent us information; and we realize that some churches sent information to Jim Cox, which information this committee does not have. Therefore, **we very much need information form every church across our state.** It is important that we gather the information we can, before it is lost forever..

We know that there are individuals across our state with this information, we just need to local them. Church and Conference clerks are a good place to start. Sometimes when churches have homecoming, they put together a pamphlet with some church history in it. Some family members of ministers, who have been active in local conferences and the state association, may have some information.

**Please send us what you have.**

We understand that in many cases you would prefer to keep this information for its sentimental value; However, it is more important that it be preserved for its historical value, so that all interested may have it available to them. If you are not willing to give it to the Historical Committee, that's fine, just send us copies of what you have, or let us make copies of it, so that others may share in the rich history of West Virginia Free Will Baptists.

The W.V. State Association has given us permission to send out letters to our churches to gather this information. Attached you will find a form with the information we are looking for. **Please take the time to look it over, talk with your church, gather what you can, and put something together, and send it back to the committee.**

We look forward to hearing back from you, your church, and or your conference. We would be very grateful for any information you may have.

**Send information to:** Rickie Holstein                      Phone 304-595-4246  
P.O. Box 4624  
Charleston, W.V. 25364

Than You,

Rickie Holstein, committeeman

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**Historical Committee - Request For Information Form . . .**

**Use this form. . . Or type up a letter, or an article (*which is what most have done*). . .  
Or send in copies of information you may have.**

Name of church: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of church: \_\_\_\_\_

Conference church belongs to: \_\_\_\_\_

Date church was organized: \_\_\_\_\_

Information about church organization:  
Who started or organized the church? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Who else was involved? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Who were the character members of the church: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please send a copy, of a picture of the early church if available...  
Please send any other copies, of pictures of the church as it changed throughout the years...

Please send a list of pastors - from the 1st - to the present...  
Please send any other information that you feel is important to the history of your church: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone from your church went ot to become a Missionary?      If so where?

Send information to:      Rickie Holstein      Phone 304-595-4246  
                                 P.O. Box 4624  
                                 Charleston, W.V. 25364

Than You,  
Rickie Holstein, committeeman



## 2015 Mission Board Report June 12-13, 2015

### *Greetings to the WV State Association of FWB*

I want to thank the lord for the men and women who have a vision for souls to be saved. Special thanks go to our International Missionaries, Home Missionaries, and men of the State Mission Board. Also, I want to thank churches and individuals who are faithful in their prayers and for any support that they have given our missionaries.

### **The board continues to work and listed below is some of the ways:**

The board member gives reports when visiting conferences.

The board has met seven times this past year to conduct business for the Mission Board. Josue and Christina Rivera still need exposure in conferences and churches in the state of West Virginia. They need our prayers and support.

We have communicated with our Missionaries by email and by phone. Please continue to pray and support them.

The 2015 March for Mission Revivals were held and several churches participated. The goal that was set was \$50,000. The money that was raised will be divided four ways.

The 2014 Golf Tournament was held at Brier Patch Golf Links Golf Course in Beckley on September 13. Special thanks go to all past supporters. The number of participants was down last year. This will be the twenty-fifth year for the Golf Tournament in September.

The board has established a scholarship for students who want to further their education in Christian Education. You can contact any board member for an application. We have our first candidate for this scholarship this year and the recipient will be announced at the 2015 state meeting. If any church or individual would like to give or send money for this fund, please send to the Mission Board and designate it to the Scholarship Fund.

### **Your ongoing mission works are:**

**Bulgaria Missionaries:** Tim and Lydia Awtrey are still working for the lord in Bulgaria. Jonathan and Amy Postewaite are still in Bulgaria too and are doing fine. There is a third work in Bulgaria and they are Trif and Vanya Trifonov. Brother Carl has five speaking appointments set up for them. Continue to pray for these families and their work.

### **WV Hispanic Work**

Josue is stilling preaching the word and if anyone would like for him to come to their church or conference, please contact him. The Rivera's are in Huntington, WV and are meeting at the Sunshine FWB Church on Sunday and have five people attending.

Continue to pray that things will continue to grow. We would like to thank all of the churches in the state for the love and support that they have shown the Rivera family. We would like to ask churches to try and put them in their budget.

### **Glennville Missionaries**

Kenneth and Shirley have had some health problems but are doing better. They still meet in a remodeled school, continue to pray for them and their work.

We are currently exploring other areas of the state to start a new work. However, if there is anyone interested in starting a new work in West Virginia, please contact the Mission Board.

In closing, we thank God, the WV State Association, the conferences and the churches for their trust and confidence that they have placed on this board. As Chairman, I would like to thank the board members for their vote of confidence and faithfulness. If anyone should need our help, please feel free to contact anyone of the Board Members. Also, I have met with the Executive Committee this past year to discuss business. Pray for the Mission Board and Executive Committee that the vision never dies. We encourage all churches to continue to support Missions with prayers and financial support.



**MISSION BOARD**  
*of the*  
**West Virginia State Association**  
**Of Free Will Baptist**

**Financial Report**  
**January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014**

**BEGINNING BALANCE January 1, 2014 ----- \$64,646.84**

**INCOME:**

<b>Co-Op (W.V. State Association) -----</b>	<b>\$5,365.90</b>	
<b>Golf Tournament -----</b>	<b>\$1,740.00</b>	
<b>Mission Offering at the W.V. State Association -----</b>	<b>\$730.00</b>	
<b>Bank Interest -----</b>	<b>\$56.93</b>	
<b>Designated Giving -----</b>	<b>\$131,923.76</b>	
<b>TOTAL INCOME -----</b>		<b>\$139,816.59</b>

**EXPENSES:**

<b>Free Will Baptist International Missions -----</b>		<b>\$66,452.22</b>
Global Evangelism Fund -----	\$4,623.20	
Jonathan Postlewaite -----	\$34,977.58	
Tim Awtrey -----	\$25,242.44	
Tim Keener -----	\$175.00	
World Missions Offering -----	\$1,434.00	
<i>NOTE: Designated Giving ----- \$ 44,382.03</i>		
<i>March For Missions ----- \$ 20,986.95</i>		
<i>Mission Board Giving - 10% Co-Op - \$ 1,083.24</i>		

<b>Free Will Baptist Home Missions -----</b>		<b>\$50,628.56</b>
Josie Rivera -----	\$22,647.10	
Kenneth Cooper -----	\$20,258.19	
Jason Weaver -----	\$1,698.00	
Brain Williams -----	\$1,772.02	
Jim Martin -----	\$2,468.00	
Danny Elliott -----	\$1,402.02	
Benjamin Randall Offering -----	\$50.00	
Canada Ministries -----	\$83.31	
Mexico Ministries -----	\$83.31	
Puerto Rico Ministries -----	\$83.30	
Virgin Island Ministries -----	\$83.31	
<i>NOTE: Designated Giving ----- \$ 28,608.37</i>		
<i>March For Missions ----- \$ 20,936.95</i>		
<i>Mission Board Giving - 10% Co-Op - \$ 1,083.24</i>		

**MISSION BOARD**  
*of the*  
**West Virginia State Association**  
*of Free Will Baptist*

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**Financial Report**  
**January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014**

*(Expenses Continued....)*

<b>Office Supplies</b> -----		\$287.71
<b>Postage</b> -----		\$448.29
<b>Miscellaneous</b> -----		\$825.03
<b>Friends Of Missions Golf Tournament</b> -----		\$1,346.35
<i>(Green Fees - Carts - Food - Prizes - for 24 golfers)</i>		
<b>Reimbursed Travel Expenses</b> -----		\$2,768.36
<b>Mission Board Giving</b> -----		\$14,533.04
Josue Rivera - Mission Account	\$9,973.34	
<i>(To get his account out of the RED)</i>		
Roca de Salvacion Mission Church (Est.Pa	\$3,500.00	
<i>(To assist the Church when Josue Rivera left to start a 2nd Hispanic Church in Huntington, and when new pastor came in)</i>		
United Signs	\$259.70	
<i>(Yard signs to promote New Mission Church in Huntington)</i>		
Josue Rivera	\$200.00	
<i>(Christmas Gift)</i>		
Kenneth Cooper	\$200.00	
<i>(Christmas Gift)</i>		
Jonathan Postlewaite	\$200.00	
<i>(Christmas Gift)</i>		
Tim Awtrey	\$200.00	
<i>(Christmas Gift)</i>		
<b>Moving Expenses</b> -----		\$761.87
<i>(To help move Josue Rivera from Eastern Panhandle to Huntington)</i>		
<b>Treasurer's Honorarium</b> -----		\$4,200.00
<b>Mis-Directed Funds</b> -----		\$1,749.86
<i>(Children's Homes ----- \$ 1525.39)</i>		
<i>(Bible College ----- \$ 124.47)</i>		
<i>(Co-Op ----- \$ 100.00)</i>		
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b> -----		<b>\$144,001.29</b>
 <b>BALANCE December 31, 2014</b> -----		 <b>\$60,462.14</b>

**MISSION BOARD**  
*of the*  
**West Virginia State Association**  
*of Free Will Baptist*

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<i>FUND BALANCES as of December 31, 2014</i> .....	<i>\$60,462.14</i>
<i>General Fund</i> .....	<i>\$33,267.25</i>
<i>March For Missions Fund</i> .....	<i>\$1,258.24</i>
<i>Mis-Directed Funds</i> .....	<i>\$0.00</i>
<i>Mission Contingent Fund</i> .....	<i>\$2,000.00</i>
<i>Mission Scholarship Fund</i> .....	<i>\$9,987.70</i>
<i>State Home Missions Fund</i> .....	<i>\$13,948.95</i>

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**NOTE:**

*We Would Like To Thank Every Church And Individual Who Gave To The 2014  
March For Missions Drive.  
It Was A Great Success This Year., Raising \$52,167.37*

**NOTES**

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**MISSION BOARD of the  
WEST VIRGINIA STATE ASSOCIATION**

**STATISTICS - TOP 5 CHURCHES FROM EACH DIVISION  
MARCH FOR MISSIONS GIVING – 2015**

<u>Church Name</u>	<u>Division</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<b>Dry Branch Free Will Baptist Church</b>	<b>0-50</b>	<b>\$6,000.00</b>
Maple Lane Free Will Baptist Church	0-50	\$2,867.00
Crown Hill Free Will Baptist Church	0-50	\$2,812.00
Mount Hope F.W.B. Church (U.O.V.C.)	0-50	\$2,800.00
Good Hope F.W.B. Church (U.O.V.C.)	0-50	\$2,419.00
<b>Evergreen Hills Free Will Baptist Church</b>	<b>50-100</b>	<b>\$5,298.00</b>
Sophia Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$1,500.00
Little Hart Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$900.00
Slaughters Creek Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$700.00
Crawley Creek Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$500.00
Hope Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$500.00
Oceana Free Will Baptist Church	50-100	\$500.00
<b>Victory Free Will Baptist Church (L.C.)</b>	<b>100+</b>	<b>\$1,500.00</b>
Mt. Carmel F.W.B. Church (Logan)	100+	\$875.00
Pierpoint Free Will Baptist Church	100+	\$500.00

**42 Churches**

- 14 - \$ 1000.00 or more
- 8 - \$ 2000.00 or more
- 2 - \$ 5000.00 or more

**7 Conferences gave additional offering**

**1 Individuals gave**

<b>TOP 5 (in each division) – TOTAL GIVEN 2015</b> _____	<b>\$29,671.00</b>
<b>TOTAL MARCH FOR MISSIONS GIVING 2015</b> _____	<b>\$50,917.46</b>



## WVFWB State Promotional Director's Report

2014 – 2015

June 13, 2015

I thank the Lord for His faithfulness in watching over me this past year as I traveled throughout our beautiful state promoting all the ministries of our state association. Some of the highlights of my travel included attending fourteen conferences, eight churches, five Christian Education Board meetings, four Mission Board meetings, three Executive Board meetings, and teaching in two seminars.

This past year we were privileged to have Rev. Josue Rivera and Rev. Larry Sanders traveling with us on many occasions. We found the fellowship in all of our churches very encouraging. However, some of our churches and conferences are experiencing low attendance and tight budgets. Please pray that Jesus will send laborers into their fields to help in these areas.

Our plans for the near future is to work with our ministry department leaders to plan the "Family Fellowship Dinner" scheduled for June 27, 2015, beginning at 9:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M. at the Kanawha State Forest. There will be singing and preaching for the adults and games for the youth. Lunch is scheduled for 12:00 Noon. The ladies of our State WAC will be assisting us with the food preparation. Other details will be available on June 12, 13, 2015, at our State Association meeting at Sophia.

As I close this year's report, I desire your prayers that God will give us the health, strength, and wisdom that is needed to please Him in our efforts to promote His Kingdom.

Rev. Carl Lilly



**West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist**

**Promotional Director's State Office Budget**

**June 13, 2015**

**Messenger:**

Printing	6,800.00	
Mailing	1,600.00	
Postage	2,400.00	
Supplies	400.00	
Misc.	<u>300.00</u>	
Total		11,500.00

**Office:**

Postage	100.00	
Supplies	200.00	
Cell Phone	584.00	
Printer	<u>100.00</u>	
Total		984.00

**Promotional Director:**

Salary	7,800.00	
Housing	7,800.00	
Car Allowance	7,200.00	
National Association	400.00	
Leaders Conference	<u>450.00</u>	
Total		23,650.00
Grand Total		<u>\$36,134.00</u>

Rev. Carl B. Lilly

## **West Virginia State Association Meeting Dates.**

**June 10—11, 2016**

**June 09—10, 2017**

**June 08—09, 2018**

**June 07—08, 2019**

**June 12—13, 2020**

**June 11—12, 2021**

**WV State Association Meets annually on  
Friday 9:30am and Saturday 9:00am before second Sunday in June.**

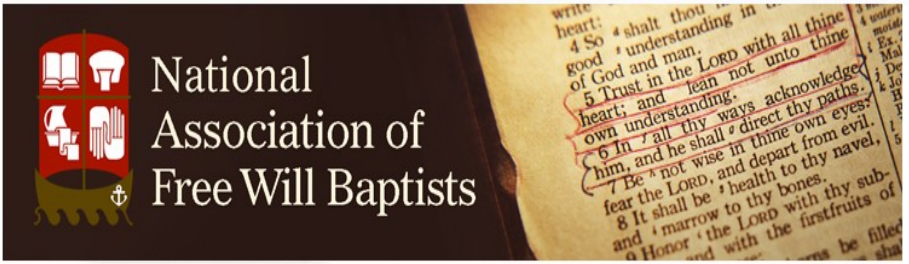


**The Minutes Book for the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session (1967)  
is missing from our Archives. If anyone has a copy  
and would like to share or donate it please contact  
the Clerk. I can copy the book and return the  
original to you.**

**Keith Hadley, Clerk  
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## **Future National Convention**

### **Dates and Sites:**

July 17-20, 2016    Kansas City, MO

July 16-19, 2017    Louisville, KY

July 22-25, 2018    Little Rock, AR

July 21-24, 2019    Cincinnati, OH

July 19-20, 2020    Oklahoma City, OK

# **National Association of Free Will Baptists**

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— COLLEGE —

## **The New Campus**

The first phase of the new 66-acre campus in Gallatin, Tennessee, will provide a technologically up-to-date atmosphere in which to live and study, campus-wide Internet access, residence halls with generous living quarters for students, a library to house more than 70,000 volumes with room and plans to expand, spacious classrooms and laboratories, a modern dining hall, student center, athletic center, and more.

The new campus will provide for increased enrollment, meet the needs of the physically challenged, and provide space for student recreation and athletic activities—all important elements for a complete campus experience.

The new campus will have the look and feel of a traditional college campus, with two- and three-story red-brick buildings accented by white columns and other classical architectural details. This historic ambience will provide a beautiful setting in which students can learn, live, and grow into the Christian leaders of tomorrow.

A collage of three images: a male basketball player in mid-air shooting a ball, a female student in a purple shirt smiling, and a group of male students sitting on a bench and talking.

Experience  
Welch College at

# Welcome DAYS

November 12-14, 2015  
April 21-23, 2016

A blue rectangular box containing the Welch College logo (a shield with a torch and wings) inside a white speech bubble, followed by the text "QUESTIONS? TEXT US" and the phone number "615.933.2600".

**QUESTIONS?**  
**TEXT US**  
615.933.2600

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## A Personal Word from our President

Welcome to Southeastern's website. More than likely you are here because you are searching for God's will for your life. I believe that you have come to the right place to find help.

Southeastern Free Will Baptist Bible College exists to develop servants for the local church. Our local churches are in regular need of pastors, assistant pastors, youth and music ministers, Christian school teachers and business managers. If your burden and vision is to establish a body of believers in the United States or on a foreign field, we can help you develop the skills to do so.

Our mission as a Christian College is to help you find your place in God's great field of service. Southeastern provides the kind of atmosphere where young people can search and find the will of God for their lives. That atmosphere involves being in the midst of godly professors who love their students, counsel them, and pray with them. Our unique atmosphere also places young people in the midst of other young people whose heart's desire is to find God's will for their lives and to serve Him.

Allow me to make one final observation. Our chapel services are defined by passionate, anointed preaching. The Apostle Paul states in Titus 1:3, "But [God] hath in due times manifested his word through preaching," God speaks to our hearts (reveals His will to us) through the anointed preaching and teaching of His Holy Word. The more preaching and teaching that we expose ourselves to, the more apt we are to find God's will.

If you have questions after browsing our website, feel free to email or call us. We will be more than pleased to help you. We feel that Southeastern Free Will Baptist Bible College is an excellent choice for those who desire to find God's will for their lives and who want to receive the training that will help them serve Jesus Christ effectively.

Sincerely, Jim Marcum,  
President of Southeastern

# Purpose Statement

The purpose of Southeastern Free Will Baptist College is to train young men and women for church-related ministries.

While we fully understand and appreciate that all truth is God's truth, it is our purpose to prepare our students for a variety of church related ministries such as pastors, associate pastors, evangelists, missionaries, Christian school teachers, youth pastors, church musicians, and Christian business professionals.

Students choosing to attend Southeastern FWB College do so because our program is more "ministry oriented" than "career oriented."

In the process of offering this specialized training, it is our objective to emphasize the following: strong local churches, biblical pastoral authority, soul-winning, revival, Christian schools, home and foreign missions, as well as high academic standards with an emphasis on practical application.

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## *Retirement*

In order to assist its employees in ensuring that they have enough funds set aside for their retirement years, the National Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc. established the Retirement Pension Plan of the National Association of Free Will Baptists (“Plan”). This Plan has been amended and restated, effective January 1, 2009. The Plan is intended to provide retirement security to Free Will Baptist ministers and other eligible employees. It allows your employer to set funds aside for your retirement. In addition, it enables you to set aside a portion of your earnings in a tax-advantaged manner during your working years.

The Plan is a church retirement income account program described in section 403(b)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Internal Revenue Code permits denominations and churches to set up retirement plans designed to permit you and your employer to accumulate retirement savings. The Plan takes full advantage of these special tax rules.

You are eligible to participate in the Plan if you are working at least 20 hours a week for an eligible employer that has agreed to participate in the Plan (“Participating Employer”). An eligible employer includes any church or agency that is participating cooperatively with the National Association of Free Will Baptists. In addition, Free Will Baptist ministers who are evangelists or otherwise self-employed and the spouses of Free Will Baptist missionaries are eligible to participate in the Plan without regard to the number of hours they work a week.

If you are eligible to participate as described above, you can become a participant in the Plan upon submitting an Enrollment Agreement to the Board. You must also agree to a minimum monthly contribution of at least \$10.



## *Important Information*

**Performance:** Past results are not a guarantee of future performance.

**Allocation of Funds:** Funds will be allocated into the different stock investment funds on the 15th day of each month (or nearest business day).

**Withdrawals:** The Board of Retirement has 30 days to process non-periodic withdrawals (lump-sum distributions, partial distributions, hardship withdrawals, “rollovers,” etc.). Regularly scheduled monthly distributions will not change and such will be directly deposited to a member’s bank account on the first business day of each month.

**Reallocation of Investments:** Each participant will be allowed to reallocate their investment options quarterly. To reallocate, the member must complete, sign, and forward an original Investment Selection form to the Board of Retirement in time for it to be received in our office at least ten business days before the last business day of the quarter in order for your changes to become effective the first of the next quarter.

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**Free Will Baptist Foundation** manages millions of dollars every day for individuals, ministries, and organizations that need competitive interest rates and accessibility to money without penalties.

## **MMTs replace**

- + Money Market Accounts
- + CDs
- + Savings Accounts

## **MMTs serve as**

- + Reserve/surplus funds
- + Emergency funds
- + Long-range project funds

## **Advantages to an MMT with the Foundation**

- + Make additional deposits
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**Funds can usually be received within a 24 hour period by electronic transfer.**

MMTs serve as a resource for investing reserve or surplus funds. The convenience of MMTs offers a great way to build up an emergency fund for those unexpected and unplanned events. Whether a church, a ministry, or an individual, the Foundation offers a means of saving for building funds or long range projects.

MMTs through the Free Will Baptist Foundation offer several advantages over CDs. Once an MMT is established, additional funds may be added anytime. The funds are not locked for a specific period of time, making them available for the unexpected. Funds may be withdrawn at any time without incurring penalties. There are no monthly or annual fees that will reduce earnings.

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Starting a Money Management Trust is easy. An account can be opened with a minimum of \$1,000. Multiple accounts can be created if needed. Simply complete a short application for an individual or an organization and start building for the future.

First Free Will Baptist Church, was dissatisfied with the earnings their church received on the church savings account. They had placed their excess funds in a CD but found that they had to pay penalties if they needed to withdraw the funds before the CD matured. At a state meeting, the Pastor heard about Money Management Trusts for organizations and churches, offered by the Free Will Baptist Foundation. The church can place any amount they wish with the Foundation and withdraw up to \$50,000 on seven days notice. The Pastor liked the concept of Money Management trusts and took the concept back to his board.

First Free Will Baptist Church decided this was the place for their savings. They are able to withdraw their earnings each six months which benefits their normal operating budget. They also have the money available for future projects while it earns a competitive rate of return.

State and district Free Will Baptist associations have discovered that Money Management Trusts are a good vehicle in which to place funds for future use. These funds grow over time which provides additional funds for their ministries.

Associations in two of our states have done just that. One funded the trust through a gift they received from a church that found themselves no longer able to function. The members sold their property and turned the proceeds over to the State work to be used for loans to home mission churches.

The State Association of Georgia accumulated funds from their CO-OP plan. The earnings are used to support the State office and their youth camp as well as other ministries.

North Carolina has a similar trust from which the funds are loaned at a reasonable rate of interest to home mission works to assist them in building.



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### **Upcoming WMO Dates**

**2016 WMO April 24th, 2016**

**2017 WMO April 23, 2017**

**Only 3% of WV Churches participated this year, and the Partners in the 2015 WMO offering were,**

Name	City
Central FWB Church	Huntington
First FWB Church	Charleston
Nolan FWB Church	Williamson
Prince of Peace FWB Church	Huntington
Victory FWB Church	Pecks Mill



## **Church Revitalization**

By Jim McComas, Director of Church Revitalization

“Change” is probably the word that would best describe the year 2014 in the National Home Missions Department. In addition to the major changes in the administrative staff, there is a new look to many of our current programs and intensive planning underway as we prepare to launch out into several new areas of ministry. In fact, in the future you will hear us referring more and more to our department as “North American Ministries” because of the broad scope of the work being done. From our Board to our office staff to our Church planters in the field, there is a sense of excitement in the air!

As Dr. David Crowe took over as General Director of the Department, I came on board to fill the position he formerly held. (I will NEVER be able to “fill his boots”, but I am certainly honored at the opportunity!) Seeing a tremendous need in our Denomination to help existing Churches who were in decline and struggling, my position was branded with a new title: “Director of Church Revitalization”.

Hundreds of existing Free Will Baptist Churches across the country are struggling just to keep their doors open. Many more have plateaued and are on the road to decline. It is our hope and prayer in the days to come that we will be able to reach out with some practical help, support, and encouragement to these Churches.

Some of the things being planned by our department in this area are:

**Leadership and Church Growth Seminars** – These will be offered by our Department regionally to Conferences or State Associations who are interested in hosting them. Brad Ransom, our Director of Church Planting and I are compiling a list of subjects that we would be able to cover in these conferences, and will be able to “tailor-make” each one to be unique and meet the needs requested.



**Ministry database** - When fully implemented, this will allow us to connect small Churches without Pastors with trained, Free Will Baptist ministers who have a heart for the ministry of revitalizing these Churches.

**Legacy Church Plants** – We have begun to develop a program where we place a Home Missions Church Planter in to an existing, struggling Church to save it from closing its doors. This Church Planter raises their support just like a typical Home Missionary. We currently have one of these plants, with another happening soon.

**Evangelistic Outreach** - I am personally committed to a ministry of encouragement to our Pastors, their families, and our Churches. I have enjoyed being in a host of our Churches already across the country in Revivals and Conferences. In the short time I have been traveling for our Department I have been blessed to see hundreds of decisions made by Christians, and at least eight precious souls come to Christ!

As you can see, it's an exciting time in the Home Missions Department! Please be much in prayer for our staff as we continue to minister to our Church planters, but also to our existing Churches who are facing challenges. All of these exciting ministries will be offered at absolutely no cost to our Churches, and they will all be financed out of the Home Missions General Fund. That's why we are praying for a record offering in the "Mission North America Offering" in November.

I can tell you as I travel across this country that there is great interest in this ministry of Church revitalization. I can tell you a host of our pastors have told me "This is something we have needed for a long time!"

We have a need. I believe we have a plan and the tools to help.



If you have any questions about the CELF Program, please call Sue Hayes at 1.877.767.7674 (**Direct Line -615.760.6137**), or write to Church Extension Loan Fund, PO Box 5002, Antioch, TN 37011-5002.

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This ministry seeks to mobilize Free Will Baptist men out of spiritual passivity to influence their families, communities, and workplaces with the life-changing message of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

In short, Master's Men equips men to serve the Lord, their local church, and one another.

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By Newl Dotson, M.A.  
Executive Director

Being a Christian, having a Christian family, or attending a Christian church does not mean life will be a bed of roses. Because we live in a sinful world even the best Christian families have trouble. Sickness or death may prevent a parent or grandparent from being able to provide for their children. Divorce may rip a family apart, leaving every family member angry, confused, and hurt. The thrill and temptation of the world may be too much for a teenager to handle in his current environment. These situations do not make people “bad”—it just means they are human. Humans need help from time to time—we need each other—that is what the church is about. Galatians 6:2 instructs us: “Bear ye one another’s burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.” Romans 15:1 also charges: “We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves.”

This is why Harvest exists. We are proud to be a Free Will Baptist ministry and are committed to serving our Free Will Baptist community of churches and families. When a family in our community of faith needs help with their child—we are here! Harvest serves children ages 5 to 18 who have been abused, neglected, abandoned or are troubled. Children can come to Harvest from any state. We can provide a temporary home while the issues at hand are resolved, or we can be a permanent home if the situation warrants.

When a child is placed at Harvest they become part of our family. We are committed to raising our children just like you do yours. We strive to give them the best education, instill in them a love for the Lord Jesus and His church, spend fun times in recreation, and teach them to become independent and hard-working members of society. When we become a child’s permanent home we follow them after they leave—to college, career, marriage & family. They know they will always have their Harvest family to celebrate with them and to encourage them when things do not work out just right.

Do you know someone who needs us now? Is there someone in your church or family that is having trouble raising their child? Maybe even you have spent sleepless nights in worry about a child who seems to be heading in the wrong direction—we want to help! To discuss your situation or to get more information please contact me and together we will determine if Harvest is the right place for the child of your concern. Remember, Harvest exists because, “Every child needs a home!”

# The Harvest Story

Harvest is a non-profit child care agency, licensed by the Virginia Department of Social Services. In addition, Harvest is affiliated with the Free Will Baptist denomination and the Virginia Association of Children's Homes. The home officially opened its doors in August 1993 with the mission of providing abused, neglected, abandoned, or troubled children with a healthy Christian home environment, caring parents, and a wholesome family life. Since that time, the home has served over 1550 children with tremendous success.

Today Harvest is licensed to care for 51 children, ages 5 to 18, on our campus located in Lee County, Virginia. Our 36 acre property boasts of the Sticklelyville Cottage, home to 8 girls; the Ruby Dobson Cottage, home to 10 boys; the Emergency & Assessment Shelter with a capacity of 22; and our Administration Building, which also has the capacity to serve 11 additional residents. Harvest Free Will Baptist Child Care Ministries began only as a dream in the hearts of a few motivated people. It was a dream of reaching out to victimized young people who needed a second chance. It was a dream of providing a home of Christian love to children who had been mistreated and misused.

Today, Harvest stands tall among its peers. The home is relied upon by agencies that place children in the Commonwealth of Virginia; by Pastors of Free Will Baptist churches who are helping families in need; and by parents and grandparents who do not know where to turn. One parent recently said, "I believe sending my child to Harvest was the best thing I have ever done for him. Since he returned home, he is doing really well: going to school every day, working part-time, learning to drive, and attending church. Harvest also helped me learn to set limits, make rules and enforce them. Our family was blessed to have found Harvest."

A Bristol DSS worker stated, "All staff are wonderful to work with! They go above and beyond." In Virginia alone there were 6,205 substantiated cases of abuse and neglect last year, the majority of which came from dysfunctional families. The need is particularly notable in the southwestern counties, which are among the most disadvantaged in the Commonwealth.

These socioeconomic conditions are family stressors which contribute to abuse and neglect. A child dies from abuse or neglect every 13 days in our Commonwealth and a child is reported abused or neglected every 81 minutes. In response to these horrifying statistics Harvest reaches out to prevent this needless pain and suffering.

# Current Needs List

Gift cards for grocery stores, Walmart, fast food restaurants are always welcome. Please contact Martha Stone at 423-502-2526 or by email at [martha@harvestccm.org](mailto:martha@harvestccm.org) for more information.

## PAPER PRODUCTS

- Paper towels, plates, cups
- Aluminum foil, sandwich bags
- Gallon & quart size freezer & storage bags

## CLEANING PRODUCTS

- Liquid hand soap
- Dish & Dishwasher detergent
- Foaming bathroom cleaner
- Brillo pads, C'met
- Glass cleaner & Laundry detergent
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Fabric soft sheets & Bleach
- Air freshener

## HOUSEHOLD NEEDS

- AAA, AA & D batteries
- Night light bulbs & 60 watt light bulbs
- Twin sheet sets & dish cloths & pot holders
- Plastic clothes hangers

## PERSONAL NEEDS

- All size panty hose & knee highs
- Men and women's body wash
- Men and women's anti persp deod
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Toothpaste, Dental floss & toothbrushes
- Brushes & combs & Kleenex
- Alcohol free mouth wash

## MEDICAL ITEMS

- 325 mg acetaminophen & Cough drops
- Neosporin
- Alcohol, peroxide, & hydro-cortisone cream
- Tampons, Panty liners & maxi

## NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS

- Pop-tarts
- Sugar, brown sugar & powdered sugar
- Cocoa powder & corn syrup
- Corn starch
- All type muffin mixes
- Cooking oil and spray
- Tea bags & green tea bags
- Sloppy joe sauce
- Chili powder, seasoning & sauce
- Instant pudding
- Canned fruit
- Garlic & Onion powder
- Pepper
- Ranch dressing & Alfredo Sauce
- Steak sauce & BBQ Sauce & hot sauce
- Canned tomatoes, tomato sauce & paste
- Pancake mix
- Tuna & Treet meat & Canned chicken
- Soy sauce & Worcestershire sauce
- Parmesan cheese
- Ketchup, mayo & mustard
- Cookies & snack cakes
- Pudding cups
- Individual packs of crackers & Ritz crackers
- Chips & microwave popcorn
- Graham crackers & Granola bars
- Canned baked beans
- Nacho cheese
- Salsa, taco seasoning, taco
- Taco shells soft & hard
- Cream of chicken, mushroom, and celery
- Tomato soup
- Vanilla wafers & brownie mix
- Cupcake wrappers
- Dill pickle slices
- Sliced black and green olives
- Hot dog chili
- Chicken & beef broth
- Self-Rising flour

### **Harvest Free Will Baptist Child Care Ministries**

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## **Our Mission**

Our **mission** is to share Christ in order to unify and preserve families and provide a loving, caring and secure environment in which to live, work and grow in the Lord.

Our goal is to provide a strong support system which will enable children, adolescents, adults and senior citizens we serve to become productive and healthy members of the community.

Our **vision** is to be nationally recognized as a model of excellence in faith-based family, adult, adolescent, senior and child care services which strengthen and preserve the family and provide dignity to those we serve.

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# Services

**Family Ministries brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to the care of at-risk children, adolescents and families and has cared for thousands of children and families. Over the years, the ministry has evolved into a progressive agency that provides a full array of services including:**

- Intensive assessment
- Residential treatment
- Community based group care
- Emergency shelter care
- Therapeutic foster care
- Independent living
- Intensive in home services emphasizing preservation and reunification
- Adventure based counseling
- On-site private school
- Parent education, advocacy and liaison services

Family Ministries is committed to providing comprehensive treatment services in the most effective and least restrictive setting possible. Our full array of services allows us to offer programs from a wide variety of setting and treatment modalities. Our goal is to keep families together whenever possible. If out-of-home care is needed, we strive to reunify family as soon as possible by providing the child and family the tools they need to live together successfully.

Free Will Baptist  
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*Ministries*

Free Will Baptist Family Ministries' heritage and superb record in caring for hurting children began in 1939. It was first established as Free Will Baptist Home for Children, an orphanage opened with Mr. and Mrs. I.L. Stanley as Superintendents. It was a humble beginning, but the care for orphans and other hurting children soon became a permanent facet of FWB Family Ministries. Today, our programs have expanded to meet the needs of the entire family.

For over a decade, we have witnessed more than 100 young people each year give their hearts and lives to the Lord. God is truly working at Family Ministries!

It was here that the wounds of the past were healed and a love for adventure was instilled that released me from being place-bound. It set me on a path to a wider experience. Right here I developed a concern for other people and learned to accept love as well as give it. In this very place, a desire was born in me, to pass on the message that had made my life glad...

—*Trula Gunter Cronk, the first child to live at "The Home" in 1939*

Mrs. Cronk later became a pioneer FWB missionary to India, with her husband, Dan. She also wrote a book about her life, which included her time at FWB Home for Children.



# Wish List

**Our “wish list” consists of current needs that will benefit the children and families we serve. Your contributions assist in our monumental task of caring for the daily needs of 100 young people on average. Current needs include:**

- 1. KJV Student Study Bibles**
- 2. School Supplies /Art Supplies**
- 3. Bathtowels / Wash Cloths (White)**
- 4. Tennis Shoes (Men Sizes 6 – 13)**
- 5. Bottled Water / Powerade / Gatorade**

Brian and Emily Williams are planting NorthPoint FWB Church in Buffalo, New York. The Williams Family comes to Home Missions from the pastorate at the Highland Drive FWB Church in Lincoln



ton, NC. Brian earned a Bachelor's degree in Bible and Pastoral Theology from Southeastern FWB College, and Master of Divinity degree from Southern Evangelical Seminary. Buffalo is New York's second largest city with emphases on culture, education, and medicine research. It is also known as the "City with a Heart." Free Will Baptists have a very small representation in the state of New York. The Williams will plant the first FWB

Church in the Buffalo area. Please pray for Brian and Emily and children, Leah, Lauren, and Lucas as they begin this work for the Lord. **Address:** 457 Two Rod Road, Marilla, NY 14102. **E-mail:** northpointbuffalo@gmail.com

Amos and Melissa Dillard are going as associate missionaries to Irvine, California. They will join the team with church planter Stephen Kimbrell in planting a new Free Will Baptist church in Irvine.

Brother Dillard is coming from the youth pastorate at the Cramerton FWB Church, Cramerton, North Carolina. Amos attended Southeastern Free Will Baptist College earning a degree in Pastoral Theology and Practical Ministry. Melissa attended Emmanuel College earning a degree in Music Education. The Dillard's have two daughters, Ellie Mae



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6 miles north of Williamson  
on US Rt. 119, 1/2 mile north  
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#### **Earl White**

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Bolyard, Todd

Bryant, Milton

Crum, Danny

Elkins, David

Etters, Ira

Hundley, Jim

Kitchen, Tommy

Music, Luke

Ooten, James

Runyon, Zephie

Smith, Chris

Spradlin, Darrell

Taylor, Dennis

Thompson, Floyd

Vanhoose, Sr. Ruben

Wellman, Gary

Wilson, Carter



## UPPER OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE

<i><b>CHURCH</b></i>	<i><b>PASTOR</b></i>	<i><b>CLERK</b></i>
<p><b>Beech Run</b>                      Beech Run Road                      Arvilla, WV</p> <p>Take Rt. 2, 6 miles north of St. Marys, to Arvilla Road. Travel 4 miles on Arvilla Road to Beech Run Road. Turn left on Beech Run Rd. Travel 1 mile, Church is on left.</p>	<p>Vacant</p>	<p>Sandra Lowther                      7050 Arvilla Road                      Friendly, WV 26146                      (304) 684-3789</p>
<p><b>Bonds Creek</b>                      Fairmont Ridge Road                      Ellenboro, WV 26346                      (304) 869-3068</p> <p>Take Rt. 50 East to mile marker 34.5 Turn onto Fairmont Ridge Road. First driveway on right.</p>	<p>Jim Pyles, Sr.                      82 Cline Drive                      Cairo, WV 36337                      (304) 869-3542</p>	<p>Steve Armentrout                      Rt. 1, Box 154                      Cairo, WV 36337                      (304) 869-3686</p>
<p><b>Evergreen Hills</b>                      Evergreen Hills                      Cottageville, WV 25239</p> <p>From Charleston area take I-77 N to Ripley exit 138. Turn left onto Rt. 62. Travel 8 miles to Rt. 331, turn left. Travel 2 miles to Evergreen Hills Road turn right. Travel 1/2 mile, Church is on right.</p>	<p>Mark Price                      1794 Cottageville Road                      Cottageville, WV 25239-6532                      (304) 372-5607</p>	<p>Mary E. Stanley                      82 Wilrovajo Drive                      Cottageville, WV 25239-9028                      (304) 372-6850</p> <p>From Parkersburg area take I-77 S to Ravenswood exit 146. Turn right onto Rt. 2/ Rt 33 E. keep left onto Rt. 2 S. Travel 9 miles thru Millwood and turn left into Evergreen Hills. Travel 1 mile Church is on the left.</p>

## UPPER OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE continued

### Good Hope

Cain's Run  
Reedy, WV 25270

John Price  
3223 Hartley Run Road  
Le Roy, WV 25252  
(304) 372-5417

Madge Price  
62 Randolph Road  
Spencer, WV 25276  
(304) 927-2683

From Charleston area, take  
I-77 N to Ripley exit 138.  
Turn right on Rt. 33 E. Travel  
25 miles to Rt. 14 at Spencer,  
turn left on Rt. 14 N. Travel  
12 miles passing through  
Reedy. Turn left onto  
Cain's Run Road. Church  
is on left.

From Parkersburg area take  
I-77 S to Mineral Wells exit  
170.  
170. Turn left onto Rt. 14S.  
Go 14 miles to Palestine. Cont.  
on Rt. 14 S, towards Reedy.  
Turn right onto Cain's Run  
Road. Church is on left.

### Maple Lane

12238 Hebron Road  
St. Mary's, WV 26170

Rex Cox  
4135 Rock Run Road  
St. Mary's, WV 26170  
(304) 684-9458

Debby Hadley  
11862 Hebron Road  
St. Mary's, WV 26170  
(304) 684-3676

Take Rt. 2 N to St. Marys.  
Turn right on Hebron Road  
(McKim Street) at Certified  
Gas Station. Travel 12.2  
miles, Church is on the right.

Take Rt. 50 East to Ellenboro  
exit. Turn left onto Rt. 16 go  
300 yds and turn right onto  
Old Rt. 50. Travel 1.5 miles  
and turn left onto Highland /  
Hebron Rd. Travel 4 miles,  
turn left onto Hebron Rd.  
Travel 3 miles, cross bridge  
and turn left, continue 1 mile,  
Church is on the left.

## UPPER OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE continued

### Mount Hope

Marr, OH

Take I-77 N to Lower Salem exit 6. Turn right onto Rt. 821. Turn right onto Rt. 145, turn right onto Rt. 565 Merge straight onto Rt. 260. Travel 1/8 mile turn right onto Township road 565, take next left onto Township Road 311. Travel 1/4 mile, Church on right.

Rex Cox

4135 Rock Run Road  
St. Mary's, WV 26170  
(304) 684-9458

Marjorie Blair

36120 Witten Creek Road  
Rinard Mills, OH 45734  
(614) 934-2818  
Take Ohio Rt.7 N to New Matamoras, OH. Turn left onto Rt. 260. Travel 16 Miles turn right onto Township Road 565, take next left onto Township Road 311, Travel 1/4 mile, Church is on right.

### Upper Ohio Valley Conf.

**Keith Hadley, Clerk**

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## UPPER OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE MINISTERS

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## WAYNE COUNTY CONFERENCE

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### **PASTOR**

### **CLERK**

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### **Beckley Conference**

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Lithona Jeffrey - Delbert Church

Gaye Bailey - Fairdale Church

Hazel Webb – Fairdale Church

Thelma Louise Clark Lilly - Fairview Church

Gerald E. Meadows Sr. – Fairview Church

Kevin Lee Miller – Fairview Church

Robert Ray – Gordon Church

Betty Goad – Herndon Church

Helen Davis – Lashmeet Church

Gaynell McGuire – Old State Road Church

Jimmy Grose – Pierpoint Church

Jesse E. Tolliver – Pierpoint Church

Mary Jones – Sophia Church

Jean Powers – Sophia Church

Evelyn Richards – Sophia Church

Leo Shelton – Sophia Church

Manda Birchfield – Sweet Home Church

**Brotherhood Conference**

Sandy McCloud – Beulah Church

Patsy Adkins – Central Church

Rev. Caudle Adkins – Central Church

Ernie Lyons – Central Church

Nell Shelton – Central Church

Anna Woolum – Central Church

Kathleen Dolen – Good Shepherd Church

Vickie Edmonds - Good Shepherd Church

Rev. Sam Adkins – Laurel Church

Marlene Stombough - New Testament Church

Maxine Bowen – Park Circle Church

Rev. Thomas Terry – Park Circle Church

Juanita Beckett – Prince Of Peace Church

Kennith Hayson Porter – Sousanah Church

Deacon Jack Sowards – Sousanah Church

Nelma Cooper – Springdale Church

Jack Mills – Sunshine Church

**Christian Fellowship Conference**

None listed

**Eastern Panhandle Conference**

None listed

**Elk River Conference**

None listed

**Fayette Conference**

Ernest R. Barger - Ansted Church  
Deacon Ralph Allen – Bradley Church  
Rhonda Hall - Bradley Church  
Malcom Harmon - Bradley Church  
Bill Pritchard - Bradley Church  
Shelia Williams - Bradley Church  
Demaea Foster - Kilsyth Church  
Mary Perry - Kilsyth Church  
Don Renfro - Kilsyth Church  
Ronald Lee Snuffer - Skelton Church

**Freedom Conference**

Rev. Roger Vance – Crown Church  
Rev. Linzell Walls – Lyburn Church

**Greenbrier County Conference**

None listed

**Greenbrier Nicholas Conference**

Rev. Charles Donaldson – Ward Road Church  
Olive Hartley – Ward Road Church

**Guyan Valley Conference**

Myrtle Ellison – Bethlehem Church

Charles Hunter – Bethlehem Church

Virgie Farley – Mt Zion Church

Darrell Harvy – Mud Fork Church

Narsie Harvy – Mud Fork Church

Paul McCloud – Mud Fork Church

Ray Smith – Mud Fork Church

Bogle Trent – Taplin Church

**Huff Creek Conference**

None listed

**Kanawha Conference**

Rev. Norwood Webb – Carbon Church

Sylvia Kelly – Crown Hill Church

Eunice Hudson – Dry Branch Church

Wanda Kerns – Faith Church

Patty Hackney – Grace Church

Donald Rhodes – Loudendale Church

Lloyd Holstein – Loudendale Church

Barbara Perdue - Old Glory Church

Janis Bowles – Old Glory Church

James Akers – South Ridge Church

**Liberty Conference**

None listed

**Logan Conference**

Franklin Adkins – Chapman Memorial Church

Lona Browning – Chapman Memorial Church

Eunice Elkins – Christian Hope Church

Lawrence McGraw – Kistler Church

Bill Wingle – Kistler Church

Mildred Taylor – Mount Carmel Church

Erman Altizer - Trinity Church

Bruce Bennett – Trinity Church

Diann Johnson – Union Church

Clara Bailey – Victory Church

Betty Ball – Victory Church

Palmada Bias – Victory Church

Freelan Lester – Victory Church

Lois Miller – Victory Church

Rev. Richard Craddock

**Mingo County #1 Conference**

Ruby Vance – Mt. Calvary Church

Taylor Duty – Walnut Grove Church

**Trinity Conference**

Bessie Dempsey – Greenbranch Church

Edith Evans – Greenbranch Church

James Ferrell – Greenbranch Church

Raymond Lovejoy - Greenbranch Church

Zina Cline – Justice Church

**Tug River Conference**

Timothy Caldwell – Parsley Bottom Church

Diane Elaine (Evans) Gilman – Parsley Bottom Church

Wallie Hatfield – Parsley Bottom Church

**Unity Conference**

Boots Borders - Laurel Creek Church

Rhoda Jane Marcum - Laurel Creek Church

Rev. Homer Mayhew - Laurel Creek Church

Mary Strugill Blair – Lily Of The Valley Church

Magdalene Jarvis – Maher Church

Imogene Lowe – Mt. Hope Church

Nancy Chapman – Nolan Church

Rev. Floyd M. Dove – Nolen Church

Katie Elkins – Nolan Church

Kelly Bruke – Valley View Church

Dean Parham – Valley View Church

Terry Taylor – West Williamson Church

*Upper Ohio Valley*

Deacon James F. Stanley – Evergreen Hills Church

Barbara Spangler – Evergreen Hills Church

*Wayne County Conference*

Rebecca Fletcher – Dunlow Church

Jarvis Napier – Dunlow Church

*Wyoming County Conference*

Jerry Davis – Big Jenny Church

Jason Lester – Ikes Fork Church

Nelma Hanks – Kopperston Church

Betty Browning – Oceana Church

Dorthy Plumley – Oceana Church

Charlie Rollins – Oceana Church

**Total 114 deaths reported**

# **West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist**

## **Obituaries 2014 / 2015**

### **Ministers**

Rev. Caudle Adkins

Rev. Sam Adkins

Rev. Ronald L. Browning

Rev. Richard Craddock

Rev. Floyd M. Dove

Rev. Charles Donaldson

Rev. Homer Mayhew

Rev. Thomas Terry

Rev. Roger Vance

Rev. Linzell Walls

Rev. Norwood Webb

### **Deacons**

Ralph Allen

Jack Sowards

James F. Stanley



**LIST OF CHURCHES  
WHO HOSTED THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE MEETING**

Switzer Church, Switzer, WV .....	6-7-46
Thomas Memorial, Huntington, WV .....	6-6-47
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**LIST OF CHURCHES  
WHO HOSTED THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE MEETING**

Mount Tabor Camp Ground, Beckley, WV .....	6-9-72
Shamrock, Logan, WV .....	6-8-73
McCorkle, Sod, WV .....	6-7-74
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Fayette Youth Camp, Bradley, WV .....	6-11-76
First FWB, Chesapeake, WV .....	6-10-77
Parsley Bottom, Lenore, WV .....	6-9-78
McCorkle, Sod, WV .....	6-8-79
Thomas Memorial, Huntington, WV .....	6-6-80
Greenbranch, Man, WV .....	6-12-81
Sophia, Sophia, WV .....	6-11-82
Central, Huntington, WV .....	6-10-83
Cedar Grove, Parkersburg, WV .....	6-8-84
Parsley Bottom, Lenore, WV .....	6-7-85
Prince of Peace, Huntington, WV .....	6-6-86
Bradley, Bradley, WV .....	6-12-87
Loudendale, Rt. 2, Charleston, WV .....	6-10-88
Ward Road, Canvas, WV .....	6-9-89
Parsley Bottom, Lenore, WV .....	6-8-90
Bradley, Bradley, WV .....	6-7-91
Hope, Parkersburg, WV .....	6-12-92
Sophia, Sophia, WV .....	6-11-93
McCorkle, Sod, WV .....	6-10-94
University of Charleston, Charleston, WV .....	6-9-95
Sunshine, Huntington, WV .....	6-7-96
Bonds Creek, Ellenboro, WV .....	6-13-97
Heritage, Inwood, WV Mission Church .....	6-12-98

**LIST OF CHURCHES  
WHO HOSTED THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE MEETING**

Loudendale, Charleston, WV ..... 6-11-99

Cornerstone, Crab Orchard, WV ..... 6-9-00

Bradley, Bradley, WV ..... 6-8-01

Mona Hill, Wilkerson, WV ..... 6-7-02

Central, Huntington, WV ..... 6-7-03

Hope, Parkersburg, WV ..... 6-11-04

Sunshine, Huntington, WV ..... 6-10-05

Parsley Bottom, Lenore, WV ..... 6-9-06

Bradley, Bradley, WV ..... 6-8-07

McCorkle, Sod, WV ..... 6-13-08

Greenbranch, Man, WV ..... 6-12, 09

Heritage, Inwood, WV ..... 6-11-10

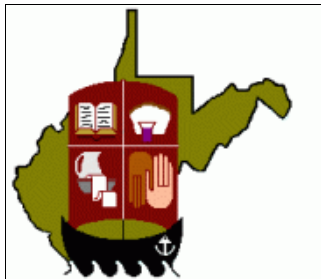
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Oceana, Oceana, WV ..... 6-6-14

Sophia, Sophia, WV ..... 6-12-14



## PROGRAM 2016

The Hope Free Will Baptist Church, at Parkersburg, WV  
welcomes you to the 71st annual session of the  
West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist

June 10 & 11, 2016

### THEME

**“GOD Is Good All The Time – All The Time GOD Is Good” Psalms 25:8**

#### *Agenda Friday, June 10, 2016*

- 9:30 Welcome by Host Pastor  
9:35 Moderator’s Challenge  
9:40 Recognition of Visitors  
9:45 Executive Board Report of Conference Letters  
Assistant Clerk, highlights of Executive Board Meeting Minutes  
9:50 Treasurer’s Report  
9:55 Election of Officers and Committees  
Business Committee – 5 Members:  
3 Ministers, 2 Deacons,  
Program Placement Committee – 7 Members: 2 Ministers, 1 Deacon, 4 Delegates,  
Executive Committee – 2 Members at Large from Executive Board,  
Audit Committee – 5 Members,  
Nominating Committee – 5 Ordained Ministers,  
  
10:10 Group Session/Fellowship. Possible Committee time.  
11:00 Devotional – Rev. Roger Tolliver  
Speaker – Rev. Okey Tolliver  
12:00 Lunch

#### *Friday Afternoon Session*

- 1:15 Devotional – Rev. Aaron Frederick  
Moderator calls session to order  
1:30 Obituary Report  
1:40 Promotional Directors Report  
2:00 Partial Business Committee Report  
Unfinished Business, By-Law 19  
2:20 State Association Executive Board Report  
2:50 Mission’s Board Recognition of Churches and plaques presentation  
Reports from Missions  
Adjournment

#### *Friday Night Worship*

- 7:00 Devotional – Bro. Irvin Scarberry  
Offering for Missions  
Speaker – Rev. James “Jim” McComas  
Recognition of Ordained Ministers and Deacons with thirty years or more  
combined service.

*Agenda Saturday Morning, June 11, 2016*

- 7:30 Ministers, Deacons, and Wives Appreciation Breakfast at Host Church
- 9:00 Devotional – Rev. Daniel Kelly  
9:10 Moderator calls session to order  
9:15 Hand of Fellowship  
9:25 National Reports  
National Executive Office  
Randall House  
Representatives from Children’s Homes  
College Reports  
National Missions Report  
National Master’s Men Report  
National Women’s’ Auxiliary Report  
Other Reports
- 10:00 Committee Reports / Digest of Reports, Questions and Answers
- 10:10 Initial Nominating Committee Report
- Christian Education Board,  
Masters Men Board,  
Mission Board,  
Obituary Committee,  
Parliamentarian,  
Publication Board
- 10:20 Letter to the National Association, elect 5 National Delegates  
10:25 Partial Business Committee Report
- 10:40 Fellowship  
Adjournment for Morning Worship
- Devotional – Rev. Luther Morgan  
Speaker – Guest from National Association
- 12:00 Lunch
- Saturday Afternoon Session*
- 1:15 Devotional – Dr. Lewis Hall  
1:25 Moderator calls session to order  
1:30 Program Committee Report  
1:35 Final Business Committee Report  
Other Business
- Elect Moderator and Assistant Moderator
- Adjournment

## PROGRAM 2017

The Sunshine Free Will Baptist Church, at Huntington, WV  
welcomes you to the 72nd annual session of the  
West Virginia State Association of Free Will Baptist

June 9 & 10, 2017

### THEME

**“Not Forsaking The Assembly Of Ourselves Together” Hebrews 10:25**

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#### *Agenda Friday, June 9, 2017*

- 9:30 Welcome by Host Pastor  
9:35 Moderator’s Challenge  
9:40 Recognition of Visitors  
9:45 Executive Board Report of Conference Letters  
Assistant Clerk, highlights of Executive Board Meeting Minutes  
9:50 Treasurer’s Report  
9:55 Election of Officers and Committees  
Business Committee – 5 Members: 3 Ministers, 2 Deacons,  
Program Placement Committee – 7 Members:  
2 Ministers, 1 Deacon, 4 Delegates,  
Executive Committee – 2 Members at Large from Executive Board,  
Audit Committee – 5 Members,  
Nominating Committee – 5 Ordained Ministers,  
10:10 Group Session/Fellowship. Possible Committee time  
11:00 Devotional – Rev. Shane Bryant  
Speaker – Rev. Larry Light  
12:00 Lunch

#### *Friday Afternoon Session*

- 1:15 Devotional – Bro. Marvin Holley  
Moderator calls session to order  
1:30 Obituary Report  
1:40 Promotional Directors Report  
2:00 Partial Business Committee Report  
2:20 State Association Executive Board Report  
2:50 Mission’s Board Recognition of Churches and plaques presentation  
Reports from Missions  
Adjournment

#### *Friday Night Worship*

- 7:00 Devotional – Rev. Jody Fortner  
\*\* Host Church to provide Music for this service \*\*  
Offering for Missions  
Speaker – Rev. Alva “Bud” Casto  
Recognition of Ordained Ministers and Deacons with thirty years or more  
combined service.

***Saturday Morning, June 10, 2017***

- 7:30 Ministers, Deacons, and Wives Appreciation Breakfast at Host Church
- 9:00 Devotional – Rev. Roger Browning  
9:10 Moderator calls session to order  
9:15 Hand of Fellowship  
9:25 National Reports  
National Executive Office  
Randall House  
Representatives from Children’s Homes  
College Reports  
National Missions Report  
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National Women’s’ Auxiliary Report  
Other Reports
- 10:00 Committee Reports / Digest of Reports, Questions and Answers  
10:10 Initial Nominating Committee Report
- Clerk  
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Assistant Treasurer  
Christian Education Board  
Masters Men Board  
Mission Board  
Obituary Committee  
Publication Board
- 10:20 Letter to the National Association, elect 5 National Delegates  
10:25 Partial Business Committee Report  
10:40 Fellowship  
Adjournment for Morning Worship  
Devotional – Rev. Larry Sanders  
Speaker – Guest from National Association
- 12:00 Lunch

***Saturday Afternoon Session***

- 1:15 Devotional – Rev. John Price  
1:25 Moderator calls session to order  
1:30 Program Committee Report
- 1:35 Final Business Committee Report  
Adjournment

## DATES OF CONFERENCE MEETINGS

Beckley	Meets on Friday and Saturday before first Sunday in February, May, August, and November.
Brotherhood	Meets on Saturday before second Sunday in January, April, July, and October.
Christian Fellowship	Meets on fourth Saturday in January, April, July, and October.
Eastern Panhandle	Meets 10:00am on the second Saturday in February, May, August, and November.
Elk River	Meets on Saturday before third Sunday in May, August, and November.
Fayette	Meets 10:00am on fourth Saturday in January, April, July, and October.
Freedom	Meets on Friday before the third Saturday at 6:00 pm in May and October.
Greenbrier County	Meets on twice a year: On Saturday before second Sunday in April, and October
Greenbrier Nicholas	Meets on Saturday before fourth Sunday in January, April, July, and October.
Guyan Valley	Meets on Saturday before third Sunday in February, May, August, and November.
Huff Creek	Meets on Saturday before third Sunday in February, May, August, and November.
Kanawha	Meets on Friday and Saturday before third Sunday in February, May, August, and November. (7:30 pm Friday) (9:00 am Saturday)
Liberty	Meets on fourth Friday and Saturday in January, April, July, and October.
Logan	Meets on the Saturday before first Sunday of February, May, August, and November.
Mingo #1	Meets on Saturday before second Sunday in January, May, and September.
Trinity	Meets on Friday and Saturday before first Sunday in February, May, August, and November.
Tug River	Meets on second Saturday in February, May, August, and November.
Unity	Meets on fourth Saturday in January, April, July, and October.





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## **Motels in Mineral Wells, WV**

**Hampton Inn**  
**64 Elizabeth Pike**  
**Mineral Wells, WV 26150**  
**304-489-2290**

**Holiday Inn Express & Suites**  
**80 Old Nicholette Road**  
**Minerals Wells, WV 26150**  
**304-489-4111**

**Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham**  
**94 Old Nicholette Road**  
**Mineral Wells, WV 26150**  
**304-489-1234**

## **Motels in Parkersburg, WV**

**Comfort Inn (Near Grand Central Mall)**  
**401 37th Street**  
**Parkersburg, WV 25801**  
**304-255-5291**

**Economy Inn**  
**1954 7th. Street**  
**Parkersburg, WV 26101**  
**304-252-5100**

**Red Roof Inn**  
**3714, East 7th. Street**  
**Parkersburg, WV 26104**  
**304-485-1741**

**Travelodge**  
**3604, East 7th. Street**  
**Parkersburg, WV 26104**  
**304-424-5100**



## Directions to

**Hope Free Will Baptist Church  
916 Winding Road  
Parkersburg, WV 26104  
304-485-8719**

Pastor, Rev. Martin (Bud) Corbin  
(304) 684-2555 home / (304) 299-0250 cell

Contact Clerk, Jerry Plaughter (740) 423-5729  
if additional information is needed.

**From Charleston, WV**, travel I-77 North to Parkersburg

Take exit– 176. Turn right onto Rt. 50 East \*\*

**From Marietta, OH**, travel I-77 South To Parkersburg

Take exit– 176 Turn left onto Rt. 50 East \*\*

\*\* Travel 1 mile to Red Hill Road. Turn left onto Red Hill Road and travel 0.5 miles to Winding Road. Turn left onto Winding Road. (Travel a few hundred feet and go left around a sharp curve, then bare right down over the hill).  
Travel 1 mile to 2nd Church on the right.

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**From Clarksburg, WV**, travel Rt. 50 West to Parkersburg

At the 2nd. Red Hill Exit, (Mile marker 10.5 )

Turn right onto Red Hill Road. On Red Hill Road, travel 0.5 miles to Winding Road. Turn left onto Winding Road. (Travel a few hundred feet and go left around a sharp curve, then bare right down over the hill).

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