

First District Missionary Baptist Association



Dr. Samuel Gibbs, Jr.
President

First District Missionary Baptist Association
Pastor, Second Baptist Church Sixth District



Dr. Bruce McClue, III
President

New St. John Missionary Baptist Association
Pastor, Mount Carmel Baptist Church

163rd Annual Session at a Glance

April 11-19, 2026

Held with
The Progressive Baptist Church
1214 So. Robertson Street | New Orleans, LA 70113
Dr. Johmyrin Johnson, Host Pastor

Dr. Samuel Gibbs, Jr., President
Rev. Byron Johnson, General Secretary

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2026

Laymen Fun Day

SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026

4:00 PM Association Musical

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2026

8:00 AM Department of
Christian Education
Christian Leadership School
10:30 AM Official Opening
Theme Emphasis
Recess (Lunch)
12:00 PM **Introductory Sermon**
2:30 PM Ministers' Wives and
Widows, President's Message
6:00 PM Parent Body—Night Sermon

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026

8:00 AM Department of
Christian Education CLS
11:30 AM **Fraternal Visitors Hour**
Fellowship Sermon,
Dr. Bruce McClue, III
President, New St. John
Missionary Baptist General
Association
1:30 PM **Recess (Lunch)**
2:30 PM **Memorial Sermon**

4:00 PM Laymen President's Message

6:30 PM **President's Message**
Dr. Samuel Gibbs, Jr.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 15, 2026

8:00 AM Department of Christian
Education CLS
1:00 PM **Missionary Sermon**
2:00 PM Woman's Auxiliary
3:00 PM Visitor's Hour
4:00 PM Woman's President's Message
6:00 PM Parent Body- Night Sermon

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2026

8:00 AM Department of Christian
Education CLS
10:30 AM Parent Body Session
Reports & New Business
12:00 PM Recess
1:00 PM **Doctrinal Sermon**
2:30 PM Evangelical Board
President's Message
4:00 PM Ushers' Department
President's Message
6:00 PM Parent Body Night Service

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2026

8:00 AM Department of Christian
Education CLS
11:00 AM Congress President's
Message
12:00 PM Recess
1:00 PM **Educational Sermon**
2:00 PM Sunday School
President's Message
5:00 PM Parent Body
Business Meeting
6:00 PM Living Legends Program
7:00 PM Parent Body - Night Sermon

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2026

9:00 AM Young People's Department
Sermon

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026

9:00 AM Model Sunday School
3:00 PM President's Closing
Association Sermon

This ends the
163rd Annual Session
of the
First District Missionary
Baptist Association

