

The Challenger

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You are invited to join us!

WCBA EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

PAXTON BAPTIST CHURCH

21757 US HWY 331 NORTH * PAXTON, FL 32538

JULY 13, 2021

6:00 BBQ DINNER • 6:30 MEETING



Free Ministry Tools

Pastors are always looking for tools to make ministry easier, especially bi-vocational pastors pressed hard on time. Here are 25 ministry tools you and your church can use. ([Access](#))

Happy Birthday!

Jul 11 Mandy Petty Jul 18 Kathii Lovelady
 Jul 13 Amber Lewis Jul 22 Pam Ferrand
 Jul 13 Sue Rushing Jul 24 Nikki Barker
 Jul 18 Rodney Infinger

Happy Anniversary!

Jul 2 George & Linda Chestnut
 Jul 2 Joel & Paula Glenn
 Jul 9 Barry & Dianne Joiner
 Jul 16 Jeremy & Amber Lewis
 Jul 28 Randy & Charra Nelson
 Jul 31 Erica & Jeff Mason

Contributions to WCBA General Fund

CHURCH	YTD 2021	2020
Anchor	500.00	N/A
Argyle	0.00	90.65
Baldwin Avenue	0.00	3279.58
Bethel	0.00	0.00
Calvary	1211.84	2222.26
Caney Creek	0.00	0.00
Cluster Springs	150.00	390.00
Darlington	908.73	1570.38
DeFuniak First	4183.80	6098.66
East	2454.75	6014.33
Freeport First	600.00	1300.00
Friendship	1813.00	4522.12
Gaskin First	3276.09	4056.02
Indian Creek	925.33	2101.70
Knox Hill	150.00	225.00
Liberty First	1200.00	3000.00
Mossy Head First	5030.21	9502.88
New Day	0.00	250.00
New Harmony	5665.09	11062.56
Oak Grove	0.00	0.00
Paxton	4713.24	8195.85
Pleasant Grove	0.00	0.00
Pleasant Ridge	3109.25	5465.06
Pleasant Valley	0.00	718.15
Red Bay	375.00	580.00
Southwide	0.00	1104.51
Union Springs	600.00	350.00
Westside	1217.51	1943.48
Woodlawn	1650.00	3300.00
TOTAL	39,733.84	77,343.19



Your Church Can Help Reach the Mission Field of Freeport

Partner with **Anchor Church**, a Church Plant launching in 2021

- Partner through Prayer
- Partner Financially
- Partner by Sending People

Want More Information on Anchor Church and how you can be a partner?

Click here to visit www.anchorfreeport.com/



[Knights of North Castle VBS at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church](#)

Dates: June 24 - June 26 / Thursday & Friday: 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm / Saturday: 8:30 am – 2:00 pm
 Saturday Water Fun: 2:00-4:00

[Destination Dig VBS at FBC, DeFuniak Springs](#)

Dates: July 18 - July 22 / Time: 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. / To register ([Click Here](#))

[Destination Dig VBS at FBC, Mossy Head](#)

Dates: July 18-July 23 / Time: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. / To Register ([Click Here](#))

[Click Here for Additional VBS Details & Background Check Form](#)

A Word from Brian Nall



I write this article in Nashville as the Southern Baptist Convention is entering its final day. Resolutions have been passed, motions are still being considered, 64 IMB missionaries have been commissioned, Vision 2025 adopted, and Ed Litton elected as the President. You can find many more details on Baptist Press (baptistpress.com).

While the denomination focus has been in Nashville, the missional task of WCBA remains clear in Walton County. 1) We must continue to give every bit of energy to encourage our pastors as they fulfill their calling to equip the bride of Christ. 2) We must give every measure of effort to equip each unique church as they train up God's people to make disciples of all nations. 3) We must assist every church to engage our county, as well as every corner of the world, through prayer, gospel proclamation and church planting. So, to the churches of Walton County: God has placed you in the mission field of this county for such a time as this. The need for the church to be the hands and feet of Jesus, voicing loudly and humbly the gospel of Jesus, has never been higher. To fulfill it will take all of us, working together, joined arm in arm yet gaining strength from much time on our knees in prayer to help us get there. But it can be done, and it is our pleasure as the WCBA to serve you in this Kingdom task. Let's get to work.

Better Together,
Brian



2021 FLORIDA BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

**Nominations must be
received by July 15, 2021.**



Church Bulletin Board



Calvary Baptist Church - Organ Available

Classic Rodgers Insignia 537 Organ (sample picture at left)
Two manual tab console with AGO pedalboard and bench.
Comes with Owner's Manual and key. Serial Number: ZU70562

To look at it you might say it just came off the showroom floor. It is one of the largest names for organs and it would be worth seeing. It is a very beautiful light oak grain wood. There is a small cost involved and that can be discussed at the time you come to see the organ. It can be seen most any day but Saturday or Sunday. Calls only, no E-mails. Contact Mike Harlson (Music Minister) at (850) 892-2190.



Darlington Baptist Church Member Selling Piano

The piano at left is for sale and the asking price is \$200.

If interested, please call Dianne Joiner at (850) 859-0062.



FBC Freeport Selling B&W/Color Canon Copier

Canon imageRunner Advance C255IF - Priced to sell at \$1500.
4 years old (under service contract all 4 years). No problems.
Touch screen, reliable, & cost efficient / Dimensions (HxWxD) 24" x 20-1/8" x 24-1/2".
Compact, Multifunction device - scan, staples, duplex automatic document feeder. Two 550-sheet Cassettes. 100-sheet Stack Bypass. Cassette Feeding Unit-AL1. 17lb Bond to 80lb Cover. Supports up to 12 x 18". Corner and double stapling. Booklet Finisher-U1. WiFi, print from mobile - smart phone and tablet. Takes 4 Toners - priced \$46 - \$59
Yield: 19,500 - 21,500 copies. GPR-51 Black / GPR-51 Cyan / GPR-51 Yellow / GPR-51 Magenta

If interested, call the church at (850) 835-2742.

[**Click Here for a List of Up-To-Date Church Events & Additional Information**](#)

Church Ministry Opportunities

YOUTH
MINISTER
SEARCH



Paxton Baptist Church

They are looking to hire a part-time Youth Minister who will have the opportunity to rebuild the Youth Ministry recently hurt by the shutdown of the schools and by people graduating. There are ample opportunities to reach and minister to the young people in and around the Paxton area. This will be a paid position. If interested, call the church at (850) 834-2718 or send a resume' to: Paxton Baptist, PO Box 1277, Paxton, FL 32538.

**NOW
ACCEPTING
RESUMES**

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church

They are seeking a fulltime Associate Pastor of Youth & Worship and are now accepting resumes. [Click Here to view a full description of the position.](#) If interested, please email your resume to pastor@theprbc.org.

[**Click Here to Keep Updated on These and Other Ministry Opportunities**](#)



Florida Baptist
Convention

Right Beside You.



HIGHER ground

2021 BLACK MULTICULTURAL CONFERENCE

SAVE THE DATE

DATES: AUGUST 5 - 7, 2021

Registration Fee: \$30 per person

LOCATION: INNSBROOK RESORT AND SPA

36750 U.S. HWY 19 N

PALM HARBOR, FL 34684

Lodging: Special room rates available. See website for details.

➤ Register Now @
flbaptist.org/black

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GUEST SPEAKERS



Dr. Robert Smith
Beeson Divinity School
Samford University
Birmingham, AL



Pastor Breonus Mitchell
Mount Gilead MBC
Nashville, TN



Dr. Mark Croston
National Director
Black Church Partnerships
Lifeway Christian Resources



Pastor Ricardo Moore
St. Andrew Missionary BC,
Miami Gardens, FL



Micah R. Whitley
Worship & Music Director
Kingdom Covenant
Baptist Church, Miami



Dr. Erik Cummings
President
Florida Baptist Convention
Pastor-New Life BC,
Miami Gardens, FL



Dr. Tommy Green
Executive Director-Treasurer
Florida Baptist Convention

Interested in Foster Care?



DATES OF TRAINING

Saturday July 17th & 24th 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Monday July 19th & 26th 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

All training days are required and will take place via Zoom

HOW TO REGISTER?

Contact One More Child for more information on how to register and paperwork moving forward.

Phone: 850.968.1114

Email: Michelle.Mckinnon@onemorechild.org

Paperwork is required to be completed prior to attending the first QPT class.

Quality Parenting Training

WHAT IS QPT?

QPT is a training curriculum for potential foster parents. This training covers many aspects of fostering with the goal of equipping you to be knowledgeable, confident, and ready to meet children's needs. Anyone interested in becoming a licensed foster parent must take this course prior to becoming licensed.



Mark Your Calendar for June 27, 2021

Give your special offering at your church or [CLICK HERE](#) to give online.

Churches and believers across the nation join together for our annual one-day giving event to support retired Southern Baptist ministers, workers and their widows in critical financial need through the ministry of Mission:Dignity.

