

NBA Annual Meeting

Monday, October 5 @ 6:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church - 1895 Hwy.190, Mandeville

Preaching: Steve Horn, Executive Director, Louisiana Baptist Convention

Each member church is entitled to three messengers for the first 100 members and one additional messenger for each additional 100 members. No church shall be entitled to more than ten messengers for any session.

We Are Better . . .



... Together



THE ANCHOR

"Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the LORD, because you know that your labor in the LORD is not in vain." I Corinthians 15:58 (NIV)

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Happy Thanksgiving



Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.
His love endures forever.
Psalm 136.1



In Memoriam

Dr. Lonnie Wascom

September 2, 1948—September 10, 2020

Director of Missions & Ministries
Northshore Baptist Association
2004-2018

The family requests that memorial gifts be given to the Pastor Relief Fund at Northshore Baptist Association 70380 Highway 21, Suite 2 #254 Covington, LA 70433

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Timothy 2:1-4
is the prayer watchword
for everything we
do in the
Northshore Baptist
Association.

Northshore Church News

- **Jerusalem (Hammond)** has some ministry opportunities: *Minister of Music/Worship Leader (possible housing provided) - Part-Time (approximately 15-20 hours/week, but flexible) *Financial Secretary (must have experience with bookkeeping, Excel, etc.) - Part-Time (approximately 15-20 hours./week. but flexible) * Volunteer musicians and singers for praise team. For more information or details contact Senior Pastor Dr. Phil Weaver at pweaver@jbcpc.org or 985.507.4577.
- **Serenity (Tickfaw)** will have revival services November 18-20 at 6:30 each night with Bro. Gary Bowlin preaching. Keith Wagner is pastor.
- **Westside (Ponchatoula)** welcomed James and Jazz Delatte as Ministers to Youth on July 5th. They both recently completed journeyman terms of service with the International Mission Board. They will be continuing their seminary education as they serve at Westside. Dickie Nelson is pastor.
- **First (Springfield)** is accepting resumes for a full time pastor. Please send resumes' to Pat Perret at patperree@gmail.com.

- **Manchac (Akers)** has a new website (www.manchacbaptistchurch.com). Church messages are available via podcast on Apple Podcasts, Spotify, Radio Public, Overcast, and Anchor.fm. Just search "Disciple Hill" to listen. Pastor Brian Martin says, "the church needs someone to lead music either by guitar or piano (piano preferred). We can't pay much if anything at all but I believe that it would be a good stepping stone for someone who has answered the call for worship leader. We also need someone that knows how to lay vinyl floors. The vinyl flooring has been donated for the fellowship building and we want it to be done correctly."
- **First (Mandeville)** will have a Fall Bible School on October 10-11 from 4 to 6 each evening. Register at <https://www.fbcmandeville.org/ministries/children>. Corey Fontan is pastor.



Mark Your Calendar Northshore Baptist Association

OCTOBER 2020

5 NBA Annual Meeting @ First, Mandeville, 6:30 p.m. (See page 1 for details.)

NOVEMBER 2020

2 Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer (See WMU News on this page for more information.)

24 Online Greenhouse Orientation – November 2020
<https://louisianabaptists.org/event/online-greenhouse-orientation-november-2020/>

25-27 Northshore office closed for Thanksgiving

26 Thanksgiving



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**Northshore Baptist Association
Disaster Relief Fund**
70380 Highway 21, Suite 2 #254
Covington, LA 70433

WMU News

Our pandemic has not allowed us to have our great and wonderful associational WMU events this year. However, we want to challenge each of our groups to create your own events for the ladies at your church. Have a committee of ladies plan, create, advertise, and have a special event for each of these (salad supper, potluck, open it up for your entire church, or even make a packet to send home with each lady). Then take pictures to share with us at the missions office (maybe even in THE ANCHOR) :

1. **WORLDCRAFTS** - You can call and order catalogs for your event at 1-800-968-7301. Ask for the WMU/Worldcraft magazine, 2020-2021. You can also call in and order the items you want, at the same number. There are even decorations you can order for your event.

2. **BAPTIST WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** - Monday, November 2 - There's a great website to use for this event. Go to <https://www.bwawd.org/day-of-prayer-this-year>. They have downloads for programs, logos, prayer guides, etc. They'll also have a short video on November 2nd for the Day of Prayer you can share with your ladies.

Again, take pictures of your events and share with us.

God's blessings on you all,

Janice Cowart

WMU Director

ShoreLines

By Don Pucik
Associational Mission Strategist

"Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." ~ **Mark 16:15**

In Mark 16:15, the essential command is to *preach* or *herald* the gospel. In ancient times, official statements from a king were entrusted to an official messenger who would go to public locations and announce the king's words. Jesus clarifies His intent by adding that this preaching activity was to involve going to every *place* (***all the world***) and speaking to every *person* (***every creature***).

This is a GREAT commission. Jesus is insisting that **every** human being needs to hear the good news. From senior adults in North Dakota, to street urchins in Mumbai, to white collar types in New York City, to the gaucho in Patagonia... every person needs to know that God sent Jesus to rescue every individual from the enemies of the human soul. Without Jesus, they have no hope. The gospel answers their deepest needs: to know God, to find forgiveness for sin, to know power for change, and to lose the universal fear of death.



Don Pucik

Possessing the gospel is not a privilege to enjoy, or a resource to be rationed out among the nations, but it is a message to be shared!

Every generation of Christians is responsible to share the good news with their generation. Paul preached in Ephesus, until everyone in Asia heard the gospel (Acts 19:10), then he told the church leaders in Acts 20:26, "I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of ***all*** men."

For an illustration of our current problem, imagine a cord 120 inches long (10 feet). If that length represents a global population of 7.1 billion people, then only 8½ inches would represent the 500 million evangelicals alive today!

Every person alive today needs the gospel... now! We are to make Him known to every person in our generation... that's the heartbeat of the Great Commission.

We must never forget that *God is pursuing the unreached person* whether he (or she) lives across the street or around the world.

All means ***every***... one.

Yours In His Presence,

Don Pucik, Mission Strategist
Northshore Baptist Association

Ministering to the Victims of Hurricane Laura



We want you to know, brothers, about the grace of God granted to the churches of Macedonia [NBA]: During a severe testing by affliction, their abundance of joy and their deep poverty overflowed into the wealth of their generosity. — 2 Corinthians 8:1-2 HCSB

Northshore Baptist Association Church Contributions

The NBA defines a member church as one which does the following (among other things):
Contributes financially to support the work of the Association.

	July-Aug.	YTD		July-Aug.	YTD		July-Aug.	YTD
Albany First	668.20	3,280.04	Killian First	-0-	1,163.84	True Life	200.00	800.00
Antioch	31.76	68.60	Lee Hill	-0-	-0-	Victory	-0-	-0-
Bayou	100.00	400.00	Lee Valley	-0-	-0-	Wadesboro	-0-	-0-
Bedico	1,074.12	3,588.12	Life	-0-	-0-	Wardline	-0-	2,050.00
Bethlehem	751.00	2,905.00	Lighthouse	624.00	864.00	Westside	982.00	3,851.15
Blood River	969.51	2,360.62	Loranger	1,292.37	4,492.81	Woodhaven	72.00	393.00
Bogue Falaya	601.38	2,683.93	Louisiana	-0-	-0-	Woodland	700.38	1,123.83
Boots N Saddles	24.60	140.75	Manchac	-0-	-0-	Woodland Park	2,414.31	10,171.93
Calvary	200.00	800.00	Mandeville's First	2,114.46	9,162.91	TOTAL	44,513.64	169,705.89
Celebration (Cov/Mand)	500.00	1,550.00	Midway	-0-	-0-			
Celebration (Slidell)	500.00	1,550.00	Millville	-0-	-0-			
Coburn	-0-	-0-	Mt. Calvary	110.69	302.30			
Collins Blvd.	-0-	450.00	Natalbany	-0-	1,776.15			
Countryside	-0-	150.00	New Beginning	-0-	450.00			
Covenant	25.00	165.00	New Beulah	176.20	1,158.69			
Creekside	-0-	600.00	New Hope	-0-	-0-			
Cristo para Todos	-0-	-0-	New Life Community	125.00	899.00			
Crossbrand	101.08	1,068.66	New Zion	2,202.78	10,589.63			
Crossgate	-0-	-0-	Northshore	1,670.00	6,680.00			
Crossroads	1,119.78	4,479.12	Northside	394.26	2,006.08			
Ebenezer	397.60	1,559.78	Old Zion Hill	623.22	2,490.28			
Emmaus	-0-	-0-	Ponchatoula's First	2,961.18	11,131.77			
Evans Creek	-0-	953.43	Red Bluff	394.32	820.53			
First, Covington	4,400.00	17,733.34	Redemption, Lacombe	200.00	900.00			
First, Folsom	408.67	3,263.66	Redemption Christian	-0-	-0-			
First, Hammond	291.81	928.02	Ridge Memorial	75.00	175.00			
First, Independence	250.00	1,299.12	River Fellowship	536.09	1,333.23			
First, Madisonville	-0-	-0-	Serenity	61.71	198.11			
First, Pearl River	2,131.00	3,390.85	Springville	121.34	340.00			
First, Slidell	1,566.66	6,266.64	Still Water	-0-	-0-			
First, Springfield	49.87	584.20	Tammany Hills	609.54	1,507.25			
First, Tickfaw	423.68	1,490.32	The Bridge	200.00	1,050.00			
French Corner	357.19	1,018.14	The Field Church	200.00	800.00			
Grace	-0-	15.25	Thompson Road	610.14	2,400.52			
Grace Community	-0-	218.40	Trinity	499.00	2,035.00			
Grace Fellowship*	4,618.54	5,766.84						
Grace Hispanic	-0-	8.55						
Grace Memorial	784.62	6,812.16						
Greater St. James	-0-	-0-						
Hebron	300.00	2,100.00						
Iglesia Agua Viva	30.99	69.39						
Iglesia Buenas Nuevas	51.40	456.58						
Iglesia Cristo Redentor	215.92	680.79						
Immanuel	184.13	731.19						
Jerusalem	1,215.14	5,002.39						

*Applied for NBA Membership

Expenditures	41,699.55	167,495.36
Church Receipts	44,513.64	169,705.89
Additional Income	-0-	70.00
Payroll Protection Plan	-0-	30,250.00
Balance		116,752.59
Designated Accounts		736,913.66

Welcome

Pastors & Staff

Joe Stutson
Pastor

Calvary, Slidell

James & Jazz Delatte
Ministers to Youth
Westside, Ponchatoula

Robert Robinson
Pastor
Covenant, Slidell

Ernest Graham
Pastor
Woodland, Springfield

Cory Taylor
Pastor
Evans Creek, Pearl River

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