## CAPE GIRARDEAU BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 195<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CELEBRATION SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2019 BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH, CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO

Attendance: 139

- 1. Welcome and Prayer: Shawn Wasson, Host Church Pastor
- 2. Call to Order: Rev. Irvin Brooks, Moderator, called the meeting to order at 3:00pm
- 3. Memorial Presentation/Prayer: Doug Austin shared the names of church members who had passed away during the past year and led in prayer.
- 4. Seating of Messengers: Messengers from several churches were added to the Book of Reports. Motion, second and approved.
- 5. Order of Business and Book of Reports: Motion to accept and approved.
- 6. Affirmation of Executive Board Members: Churches are allowed one board member plus the pastor. Fifteen churches did not report a board member.
- 7. Appointment of Committees:

## <u>Program</u>

Bruce Turner, Rescued & Redeemed Shawn Wasson, Bethany Ben Chapman, Perryville Jeremy Sells, FB Scott City

## **Nominating**

Margaret Tallent, FB Jackson Aaron Sedgwick, FB Oak Ridge Eric Shrum, FB Advance Craig, Petzoldt, Bethlehem

## <u>Time</u>, Place, Preacher

Patti Brooks, Trinity Pat Dickerson, FB Millersville Clif Crosnoe, Lynwood Tim Simmons, Burfordville

8. Recognition of new pastors and staff members:

Aaron Sedgwick, FB Oak Ridge, Jason Grubb, FB Millersville, Hayes Howell, Lynnwood, Lewis Scott, Sedgewickville, Troy Richards, FB Jackson

- 9. Recognition of Gerold McBride, pastor, Lithium Baptist Church for his 38 years of serving as pastor. Bro. Gerold was unable to attend the Annual Meeting because of his wife being ill. John Vernon led in prayer.
- 10. Minutes from 2018 Annual Meeting reviewed and approved.

- 11. Nominating Committee Report presented by Margaret Tallent. Report approved.
- 12. 2020 Time, Place, Preacher Report: Shawn Wasson reported that the 2020 Annual Meeting will be October 4 at Lynwood Baptist Church with Mike Parry bringing the annual sermon. Approved
- 13. Treasurer's Report as printed in the Book of Reports: Roger Graham reported. Motion, second and approved.
- 14. Old Business: Constitution Review Committee consisting of Jacob Colwell, Randy Conn, Brandon Moore and Mark Anderson presented the changes for the constitution regarding Theology of Membership. Entertained questions and approved. See 2019 Book of Reports.
- 15. Missouri Baptist Home Report: Ron Matthews
- 16. Baptist Collegiate Ministry Report: Reese Hammonds, BCM Director and Morgan Tackett, Women Ministry Intern
- 17. Church Planting Center Report: Mike Parry
- 18. Revitalization Team Report: Brandon Moore
- 19. Partnership Missions Reports:

WMU Kathy Blevins
NE Italy Jeremy Sells
Canada, Alberta Province John Vernon

International Mission Board Dan & Lori Unchurch

John Vernon led in prayer for Dan & Lori and the mission work in Ukraine

- 20. New Business: No motions or resolutions submitted
- 21. Announcements
- 22. Presentation of Officers: Irvin Brooks

Moderator - Lewis Scott, pastor Sedgewickville Vice Moderator - Troy Richards, pastor FB Jackson Clerk - Margaret Tallent, FB Jackson Treasurer – Roger Graham, FB Jackson

- 23. Motion to adjourn Business Session and prayer: Randy Conn
- 24. Evening Meal

- 25. Evening Worship - Attendance: 113
- 26. Welcome and Prayer: Shawn Wasson, Host Church Pastor
- 27. Praise & Worship: Bethany Worship Team with Association Choir "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" "He Keeps Me Singing"

  - "Sunshine in My Soul"
  - "Victory in Jesus" Choir Special
- 28. Peaceful Valley Camp Testimony and Prayer - Destiny and Pattie Brooks
- 29. Annual Sermon: Irvin Brooks, Interim pastor Trinity Baptist Church Scripture passages from Deut. 6: 5-9 with focus on Peaceful Valley Camp
- 30. DOM Report: John Vernon (see Book of Reports)
- 31. Peaceful Valley Camp Report: In the absence of Doug Simminger, Tim Simmons gave the report and his testimony using Luke 14: 12-34.
- Introduction of the new Peaceful Valley Camp Caretaker, Craig and Pattie Petzoldt 32.
- 32. Annual Meeting closed with singing The Doxology.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Tallent, Clerk