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Moderator Minute:

We serve a BIG God. I am sure you know that the King of Kings has a big Kingdom with a lot a moving parts. God has uniquely placed each individual in each church in a specific role in the communities represented within our association. He has given us the opportunity to work together for a Kingdom that is much larger than our little bubble. As followers of Christ, we have the potential to experience our greatest joys in life by bringing joy to others. It brings me great joy to serve alongside brothers and sisters in Christ for the common goal of reaching people with the Good News of Jesus Christ. I pray now, as the Apostle Paul said in Philippians 2:2, that you would, *"make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind."*

Our last executive board meeting at Morton Baptist was a great reminder of the sweet spirit of cooperation. We addressed issues related to our camp and considered community needs as Mrs. Debra Burchfield challenged us on the abortion ministry needs in our region of Arkansas. Please continue to pray that God will open doors and pave paths to His will for each of us to reach our communities.

I am truly blessed to know that I am not alone. I am not alone in my fight against the kingdom of this world. I am not alone in my efforts to storm the gates of Hell. I am not alone in my struggles or in my victories. You, my brothers and sisters in Christ, are a constant reminder of this truth.

We understand that the small parts can have a major impact on a big machine. You, my friend, are the gears that keep the Tri-County Baptist Association working together for the Kingdom of God. Thank you!

Moderator,
Carl Weatherford

COMING UP

**APRIL 29 - MEN'S RALLY
AT UNION AVE BAPTIST
CHURCH - 6:30PM**

**MAY 6 - FUEL RALLY
AT RIDGEVIEW BAPTIST
CHURCH - 6:30PM**

**MAY 13 - WOMEN'S RALLY
AT MORTON BAPTIST
CHURCH - 6:30PM**

**MAY 20 - EXECUTIVE
BOARD MEETING AT
MADISON BAPTIST**



Financial Statements:

Association Finances

Beginning Balance	\$5,970.37
Mission Receipts	\$7,122.09
Misc. Receipts	\$0.00
Accountable Funds	\$13,092.46
Less Expenses	\$8,757.78
Ending Balance	\$4,334.68 -3/1/2019

Camp Finances

Beginning Balance	\$2,268.56
Mission Receipts	\$1,810.80
Misc. Receipts	\$6,129.00
Accountable Funds	\$10,208.36
Less Expenses	\$3,869.06
Ending Balance	\$6,339.30 -3/1/2019

Camp season is quickly sneaking up on us! I want to remind you all that we could use as many volunteers as we can get :)

Some ways you can volunteer at TCBA Children and Youth camps this summer:

- 1. Be a camp counselor - Come hang out for the week, be great leaders and positive influences on our youth. They are the future of our churches, be a part of their spiritual growth!**
 - 2. Volunteer for meal duty - We need churches, families or Sunday school classes (etc...) to volunteer to prepare meals for camp. Last year we had 3 awesome churches volunteer to cook for an entire day for Children's Camp. This year we also need volunteers for Youth Camp. The menu would already be set for you so that makes it even easier!**
 - 3. We need lifeguards who are CPR certified.**
 - 4. Sponsor a child to go to camp. Every year we have a few kiddos who would love to come to camp but can't quite afford it. Your sponsorship will help those kids attend.**
 - 5. Pray! Pray for the camp directors, staff, volunteers and especially the campers.**
- If you can think of anything else you might like to do for camp please let us know. Bro. Kirk Martin can definitely find a job for you! :)**



CAMP WORK PROJECTS

We are so grateful to the churches that have volunteered their time, energy, resources and monetary gifts to updating the camp this year. The following are some recent updates:

1. New AC and Heating units in all the Dorms.
 2. New Field lines for Boys Dorm.
 3. Anticipating gravel on the Driveway.
- *Special thank you to Cummings Heating and Cooling for donating the AC and Heating units.