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**CENTRAL INDIANA ASSOCIATION  
Of  
SEPARATE BAPTIST  
IN CHRIST,  
INCORPORATED**

**ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY FIFTH  
ANNUAL SESSION  
MINUTES**

**Held at the Midway Campground  
8329 State Road 135 N  
Morgantown, Indiana 46160**

**SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

**Our next session will be at the Campground in  
Fruitdale, Indiana, between Morgantown  
and Nashville, Indiana, on  
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## **PLEDGES**

### ***AMERICAN FLAG***

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### ***CHRISTIAN FLAG***

I pledge allegiance to the Christian flag, and to the Savior for whose kingdom it stands, one Savior crucified, risen, and coming again, with life and liberty for all who believe.

### ***BIBLE***

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word, "a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path," its words will I hide in my heart that I may not sin against God.

## **DISTRICT ASSOCIATION DATES**

### **CHRISTIAN UNITY (NC)**

July 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Union Separate Baptist Church

### **CENTRAL INDIANA**

Sep't. 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Midway campground, 5 miles south of Morgantown, IN on State Road 135

### **MT. OLIVE (TN)**

September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Pleasant Home Separate Baptist Church in Rugby, Tennessee.

103 White Oak Creek Road in Rugby, TN 37733

*(C.I.A. delegates attending: Rev. Mike Wilson & Sis. Kim Wilson)*

### **NOLYNN (KY)**

Sep't. 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Nolynn Campgrounds, Highway 1192; 2 miles south of Buffalo, Kentucky

*(C.I.A. delegate attending: Rev. Mike Wilson & Sis. Kim Wilson)*

### **SOUTH KENTUCKY**

August 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Associational Campgrounds, Highway E 80 in Russell Springs, Kentucky.

*(C.I.A. delegates attending: Rev. Johnny Perkins, Sis. Laura Perkins,  
Rev. Donnie Wigginton, Rev. Mike Wilson & Sis. Kim Wilson)*

**OFFICERS FOR 2014-2015**  
**AND ELECTED POSITIONS**

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**ELECTED POSITIONS**

***Missions Incorporated Representative***

Rev. Rick Owensby  
5331 Yucatan Drive  
Indianapolis, IN 47237  
317-625-1339

***CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE***

Bro. Roger Sink (2012)  
Rev. Homer Whited (2013)  
Rev. Eddie Freeman (2014)

## **MODERATOR APPOINTED BOARDS / COMMITTEES FOR 2014-2015**

*(Note: The date following a name indicates the year an individual was first placed in office)*

### ***PRESBYTERY BOARD***

**Rev. Guy Hardin** (2009)  
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**Rev. Homer Whited** (2005)  
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**Rev. Jimmy Polston** (2012)  
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Mooresville, IN 46158  
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**Rev. Ed Tharpe** (2008)  
16 Lakewood Dr  
Trafalgar, IN 46181  
317-878-5450

**Rev. John Perkins Jr.** (2004)  
8990 N. SR 135  
Morgantown, IN 46160  
812-603-0844

### ***ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE***

Sis. Robin Abbott (Chairperson)  
Sis. Kentrina Freeman  
Sis. Shannon Owensby

### ***YOUTH CAMP COMMITTEE***

Bro. Benny Walden (Chairman)  
Bro. Rick Owensby  
Bro. Stacy Wiggington

### ***BIBLE INSTITUTE COMMITTEE***

Bro. Jimmie McGaha (Chairman)  
Bro. Stacy Wiggington  
Bro. Benny Walden  
Rev. John Perkins Jr.  
Rev. Nathan Hunter

### ***MISSION BOARD***

**Bro. Mike Hardwick** (2006)  
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**Rev. Lonzo Wiggington** (2005)  
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**Rev. Matt Satter** (2009)  
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**Rev. Eddie Freeman** (2014)  
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**Rev. Rick Owensby** (2014)  
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Indianapolis, IN 47237  
317-625-1339

### ***KITCHEN COMMITTEE***

Sis. Glenda Swanson (Chairperson)  
Sis. Carla Tharpe  
Sis. Kim Wiggington

### ***CAMP MEETING COMMITTEE***

Rev. Matt Satter (Chairman)  
Rev. Guy Hardin  
Bro. Daniel Sink

### **OTHER APPOINTED POSITIONS**

*(Note: The date following a name indicates the year an individual was first placed in office)*

#### **MUSIC**

To be appointed each session by the Moderator

#### **CHURCHES TO HELP IN KITCHEN FOR 2015 ASSOCIATION**

*Friday noon:* Midway, Mt. Zion, Indianapolis, East Columbus, Franklin

*Friday evening:* Edinburgh, Friendship, Shiloh, Pleasant Valley

*Saturday noon:* Great Hope, Jewell Village, Salem, Union Laymon

#### **ASSIGNED DAY FOR EACH CHURCH TO BRING DESSERTS, SALADS AND BREADS FOR 2015 ASSOCIATION**

*Friday noon:* Edinburgh, Friendship, Jewell Village, Midway

*Friday evening:* Mt. Zion, Shiloh, Indianapolis, Union Laymon

*Saturday:* East Columbus, Franklin, Great Hope, Pleasant Valley, Salem

## **PROGRAM FOR 2015**

### **FRIDAY MORNING - 10:00 A.M.**

Prayer

Welcome by the Moderator

Song

Devotional: Bro. Roger Sink

Alternate: Bro. Daniel Sink

Pledge to the American and Christian Flags and the Bible

Moderator-

Call for the fellowship of the standing delegates to transact business for the Lord

Call for church letters and donations and the reading of same and seating of delegates \*

Call for new churches

Appointment of divine service committee

Recognize visiting Ministers and Deacons

Recognize visitors

Song and offering for kitchen committee

Moment of silence in memory of September 11, 2001 and all that perished and also in memory of our service personnel

Prayer for active service personnel and families

Introductory Sermon: Rev. Guy Hardin

Alternate: Rev. Matt Satter

Partial report of divine service committee

Adjournment

\* Omitting the reading of address, phone numbers and zip codes of all letters

### **FRIDAY AFTERNOON - 1:30 P.M.**

Song

Devotional

Reading minutes of previous session

Unfinished business

New business

Call for corresponding letters and reading of same

Recognize visitors

Appointment of delegates to sister associations

Appointment of committees

Report of Ministers and Deacons Institute

Report of Fifth Sunday Meeting

Report of Missions Inc. Representative

Public offering

Mission Sermon: *Minister selected by Mission Board*

Adjournment

*Suggested time for committee meetings*

## **FRIDAY EVENING - 5:30 P.M.**

Special Singing- 5:30 to 6:30 P.M.  
Devotional  
Reading minutes of previous session  
Recognize visitors  
Report of divine service committee  
Sermon  
Communion and feet washing  
Adjournment

## **SATURDAY MORNING - 10:00 A.M.**

Song  
Devotional  
Pledge to the American and Christian Flags and the Bible  
Reading of minutes of previous session  
Recognize visiting Ministers and Deacons  
Welcome visitors  
Unfinished business  
New business  
Report of Association Treasurer  
Report of Mission Board and appointment of same  
Report of Young People's Separate Baptist Union President  
Report of Presbytery and appointment of same  
Report of part of committees  
Report of Youth Camp Committee & appointment of same  
Public Offering  
Sermon  
Song and handshake (option of moderator)  
Adjournment

## **SATURDAY AFTERNOON - 1:30 P.M.**

Song  
Devotional  
Reading of minutes of previous session  
Trustee report  
Report of remaining committees  
Unfinished business  
Public offering  
Doctrinal Sermon: Rev. Ray Unger  
Alternate: Rev. Eddie Freeman  
Election of Officers, Constitution Committee and Missions Inc. Representative  
Reading of the minutes of this session  
Dismissal

Committee:

Ruth Ann Walden  
Donald Wiggington  
Daniel Sink



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### **EDINBURGH**

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### **FRIENDSHIP**

9373 S 60 SW, Westport, IN  
Four miles northeast of  
Westport, Indiana.  
Take County Road 1000 south,  
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Bargersville, IN.

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### **JEWELL VILLAGE**

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Columbus, IN  
Two miles southeast of  
Columbus, Indiana.  
Take U.S. 31 South to Base Road  
Go east ½ mile to Della Rd., turn  
south and go two blocks to Aseneth  
St.. Church is 2 blocks on the right.

### **MIDWAY**

8329 State Road, 135 N  
Morgantown, Indiana  
State Road 135, five miles south of  
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Morgantown, IN 46160

### **MT. ZION**

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Morgantown, Indiana  
(Southwest of Morgantown)

### **PLEASANT VALLEY**

3888 State Road 46 East  
Nashville, Indiana.

### **SALEM**

7594 State Road 43, Spencer, IN.  
State Road 43, 10 miles south of  
Spencer, IN.  
or, west out of Bloomington on  
State Road 48 to State Road 43  
junction. Turn right, continue for  
about 1 ½ miles.

### **SHILOH**

10970 Georgetown Road,  
Columbus, IN.  
Take State Road 46 West to 500 W  
Turn left onto Georgetown Road,  
second church on right.

### **UNION LAYMON**

385 Concord Road, Spencer, IN  
From Bloomington go west on  
State Road 46 for 13 miles  
Turn north on Concord Road. Go  
approximately 1 mile.  
From Spencer, go east on State Road  
46 for 4 miles  
Turn north on Concord Road. Go  
approximately 1 mile.

## STATISTICS

Church	Sunday School	Sunday Morning Worship	Received by Fellowship	Received by Letter	Dismissed	Deaths	Membership at Present	Average Sunday School Attendance	Association contribution	Missions contribution	Kitchen committee contribution
East Columbus	10:00	11:00	0	0	0	4	7	5	\$100	\$75	\$75
Edinburgh	10:00	11:00	3	0	4	3	73	79	\$500	0	\$250
Franklin	10:00	11:00	1	0	0	0	57	41	\$1,500	\$200	\$200
Friendship	10:00	10:30	0	0	0	2	55	11	\$150	\$100	\$50
Great Hope	9:30	10:45	0	0	3	0	19	14	\$100	\$100	\$50
Indianapolis	10:00	11:00	0	0	0	1	60	30	\$700	\$500	\$100
Jewell Village	10:00	11:00	1	0	1	0	35	25	\$100	\$100	\$50
Midway	9:30	11:00	0	0	0	0	5	6	\$100	\$100	\$200
Mount Zion	10:00	9:00	3	0	0	1	96	18	\$100	\$100	\$100
Pleasant Valley	9:30	11:00	0	0	0	1	8	-	0	0	0
Salem	9:30	10:30	0	0	0	1	93	17	\$200	\$100	\$50
Shiloh	9:30	10:30	0	0	0	2	65	16	\$125	\$125	\$150
Union Laymon	9:30	10:30	0	0	0	1	35	16	\$400	\$100	\$150
TOTALS	-	-	8	0	8	16	608	278	\$4,075	\$1,600	\$1,425

## **2014 MINUTES FRIDAY MORNING**

The one hundred and forty fifth annual session of the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptist in Christ, Inc. convened at the Midway Campground on Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at 10:00 AM. The moderator, Rev. Donnie Wiggington asked Bro. Dan Sink to lead the body in prayer. Bro. Donnie welcomed all in attendance and asked all to feel welcome. Rev. Rick Owensby led the congregation in singing “*Come and Dine*” & “*Glory to His Name*” while Sis. Mary Ann Sink played the piano.

The moderator asked Bro. Bill Ridge to come forward to lead the devotional service. Bro. Bill read from Deuteronomy 4:1-8 & Luke 21:25-33. Prayer requests were made by the congregation and Rev. Eddie Freeman led in an altar of prayer.

The moderator asked Lilly, Isaiah & Morgan Perkins and Merci Satter to lead the congregation in the pledges to the American and Christian Flags, and the Holy Bible. The moderator asked that all standing delegates from the Central Indiana Association, which include all Ministers, Deacons, and Sunday School Superintendents, to stand in order to constitute a quorum. A total of 31 standing delegates were present. The moderator asked the standing delegates if they will work with one another during this setting of the association.

- The letters from each of the following churches were read, East Columbus, Franklin, Edinburgh, Friendship Decatur (Rodney), Great Hope, Indianapolis, Jewell Village, Midway, Mount Zion, Pleasant Valley, Salem, Shiloh and Union Laymon. A motion was made after the reading of each letter to accept it, print the necessary information in the minutes, and seat the delegate(s) present and those who may come in later. Each motion was seconded and passed. The delegates were recognized after each letter was read and were seated in fellowship by the moderator.
- The moderator asked for unanimous consent to appoint an assistant moderator in Bro. Jimmy Polstons absence. Consent being given the moderator appointed Bro. Jimmie McGaha.
- The moderator asked all delegate, standing and lay delegates to stand and asked Rev. Eddie Freeman to ask God’s blessing on this association.
- The moderator called for new churches. There were none.
- The appointment of the Divine Services Committee was then made. This committee consisted of Bro. Dan Sink - (Chairman), Bro. Bill Ridge & Sis. Marie Roberts.
- All visiting ministers and deacons were asked to stand to be recognized. The visitors included Bro. Charles Jordan, Bro. Rick Goff, and Rev. Jim Goff from the Nolynn Association. Bro. Donnie welcomed each visitor and thanked them for their support.
- Bro. Donnie called for an offering (designated to go to the kitchen committee) be taken up. Rev. Jim Stump asked the blessing on the offering which amounted to \$184.00. The congregation sang “*Revive Us Again*.”

The moderator then spoke of the tragedy of 9/11 mentioning where he was when he heard of the attacks. He asked Rev. Lonzo Wiggington to speak toward remembrance of all those lost in the 9/11 tragedy. He read 1 Timothy 2:1-4 mentioning we need to pray for our leaders. Bro. Lonzo led in prayer for active service personnel and their families.

Bro. Donnie spoke to how the preaching is his favorite part of the association. He then asked Rev. Homer Whited to come forward and preach the introductory sermon. Bro. Homer greeted everyone and mentioned he has been blessed to attend about 58 associations. Bro Homer stated he desired the anointing of the Spirit of God to assist in this sermon. He mentioned how the Lord has blessed him during the amputation of his thumb due to cancer.

Bro. Homer read Luke 7:19-23 and asked Rev. Rick Owensby to pray for God's blessing on the sermon. Bro. Homer spoke of the supporters of the ministry in the reading and in today's church. There is one way to heaven which is the Lord Jesus Christ and we need to be teaching that every day. If what we are speaking is not Jesus we should cast it aside and preach Jesus. We cannot separate ourselves from sinners but must share Jesus with them. We need not get bogged down spiritually when problems arise in our lives. Hold to the promises of God to see us thru life because eternal life in heaven is worth the wait and issues of this life. We must carry on in the work until our time to cross death's river comes. The Lord is compassionate toward us. He will be there when family & friends forsake us. God cares for us more than we ever realize. Peace will come when we get to heaven where there will be no sickness, sorrow, pain or death. The greatest portion of the scripture read in Bro. Homers mind is "to the poor the gospel is preached". He stated he would not have been able to hear the word of God preached if it had cost 5 cents to hear it growing up. Sometimes it's difficult to understand why God seeks the poor to serve and preach but he is thankful for it. There is joy in serving the Lord. The more deeply you love the Lord the more blessed your life will be. Conviction is miserable but God can change that to the most blessed life if repentance unto salvation is made. Hearing the gospel preached and the opportunity for repentance is the most important need to be addressed in life. He asked we sing What a Friend and consider our hearts condition. We stood and sang.

Bro. Donnie commented on the good preaching and good fellowship we have here today. Bro. Donnie asked that the Divine Services committee report be read. Bro. Rick Goff- Friday afternoon devotion, Rev. Rick Owensby- Friday evening devotion & Rev. Eddie Freeman - Friday evening sermon. A motion was made and seconded to accept this partial report. The motion carried.

Rev. Mike Wilson prayed the dismissal prayer and Rev. Charles Tichenor asked the blessing on the noon meal.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Friday afternoon service began with the moderator asking Bro. Benny Walden to lead the congregation in song. We sang “*Jesus is Coming Soon*” as Sis. Mary Ann Sink played the piano. The moderator asked Bro. Rick Goff from the Nollynn Association to come with devotions. Bro. Rick gave the congregation a “Kentucky Howdy”! He read Luke 15:3-7 expressing how thankful he is for verse 5. After many requests around the altar we were led in prayer by Rev. Jerry Ridge.

The minutes from the Friday morning session were read. A motion was made and seconded to accept this report with any necessary corrections and print it in the minutes. The motion passed.

**Unfinished business** A partial report of the divine service committee was read. Rev. Ed Tharpe – Saturday morning devotional, Rev. Jerry Ridge – Saturday Morning Sermon. Motion was made to accept this partial report. The motion was seconded and passed.

**New business** None

The corresponding letters from the South Kentucky, Christian Unity & Mount Olive Associations were read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the letters and print them in the minutes, seat the delegate(s) present and those that may come in later. The motion’s carried. The delegates were asked to stand and be recognized.

There was a corresponding report from Sis. Megan Sink concerning a mission trip to Haiti she was blessed to be part of. A motion was made to accept this letter & print it in the minutes.

All visitors were asked to stand and be recognized. The moderator thanked them all for their support.

The moderator appointed the following volunteer delegates to our sister associations:

**Nollynn:** Rev. Mike & Sister Kim Wilson

**South Kentucky:** Rev. Mike & Sister Kim Wilson, Rev. Johnny & Sister Lori Perkins, Rev. Donnie Wigginton.

**Mount Olive:** Rev. Mike & Sister Kim Wilson

- The moderator appointed the following committees: Resolutions, Missions, Ministry & Doctrine, Education, Sunday School, Ways & Means, Temperance, Young People, Obituary, Auditing, Program.

The Ministers and Deacons Institute report was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept this report, print it in the minutes, forward the financial portion to the auditing committee and print it in the minutes. The motion passed.

The report of the Fifth Sunday Meeting was read. A motion was made and



properly supported to accept the report, refer the financial portion to the Auditing Committee and print it in the minutes. The motion carried.

The report of the Separate Baptist Missions Inc. representative was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report, print it in the minutes.

Rev. Ed Tharpe asked a blessing on the public offering. Rev. Rick Owensby led us in singing *“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”* as Sister Mary Ann played the piano. The offering totaled \$179.00.

The moderator asked Rev. Johnny Perkins to come forward to preach the Mission Sermon. Bro. Johnny read Acts 16:25-28 and explained what a missionary is according to Daniel Webster and Rick Owensby. He expressed to us the need for all of us to be missionaries. We need people to share the love of God whether at home and abroad. We have neighbors who have never been invited to church. We have relatives who have not heard the name of Jesus. We must point people to Christ. The mission field may be a nursing home, the gift of a Bible to a young person. We don’t have to go to Africa next trip with Bro. Jerry to be a missionary but we do have to support that work. We need to be busy about our Fathers business. This world is getting stranger all the time. We are not at home in this world but desire to move to our eternal place of rest in heaven. It takes the same thing in the United States to get saved as it does in the Ivory Coast, to humble our hearts before God and repent of our sins. It should concern us that people are dying lost and undone without God. There is a mission for you. Ask yourself “What can I do”? Don’t wait. Do we want to bring the love of God to man?

We then sang *“Higher Ground & I Want to be Ready to Meet Him”*. Several came around the altar to pray.

Several of the committees announced where they would meet right after the benediction. Testimonies were shared by many in the congregation. Bro. Matt Satter mentioned of a need in the community after a house fire last night. Bro. Donnie asked Bro. Matt to coordinate a meeting with the Mission Board to see what we as a congregation can do to assist.

Bro. Charles Jordan invited all to attend the Nolynn Association next weekend, and if they can’t come next weekend plan to attend the General in October at Nolynn.

Bro. Donnie asked Rev. Ray Unger to come forward to pray the benediction and bless the meal. Bro. Donnie spoke of the love and respect he has for Bro. Ray. Bro. Ray thanked God for the Association and the preachers of His word and blessed the evening meal.

## FRIDAY EVENING

Moderator Rev. Donnie Wiggington opened the evening service. He mentioned the need for the Saturday morning offering to be designated for the fire victims and Ebola research. Bro. Donnie mentioned people may want to bring their donations for the special offering tomorrow. The business to direct the money will be brought up in the Saturday morning business.

The following individuals/groups were invited to come forward to sing.

<i>"He is Here"</i>	Lula McGaha
<i>"Because Jesus Said it"</i>	Kim Wilson
<i>"Running Over, Zaccheus"</i>	Children's Choir
<i>"I Have been Blessed"</i>	Lily Perkins
<i>"Unspoken Request"</i>	Dan & Mary Ann Sink
<i>"When I Prayed Thru"</i>	Jerry & Kathy Ridge
<i>"Thank God for my Christian Home"</i>	Lonzo & Margret Wiggington
<i>"Just a Little Talk with Jesus"</i>	Witness
<i>"The Jericho Road"</i>	The Phyllis Wiggington Family
<i>"When I get to Glory"</i>	Kenneth Gadberry & Lula McGaha
<i>"It's Alright"</i>	Rick Owensby & Friends
<i>"Until you've Known the Love of God"</i>	Rick Owensby
<i>"Build my Mansion Next Door to Jesus"</i>	Arcena Burton
<i>"I won't Have to Worry Anymore"</i>	Sheila (Darlene) Cook

Bro. Jimmie thanked everyone for their songs. He then turned the service over to the moderator. Bro. Donnie Wiggington asked Rev. Rick Owensby to come forward with devotions and lead in prayer service. Bro. Rick shared his love for the Lord and Gods people and his love for the Association. He read Luke 1:13-17 and shared his thoughts that we need to be a "ready & prepared people". After requests were made, we gathered around the altar for prayer and were led by Bro. Roger Sink.

The minutes from the afternoon session were read. A motion was made and seconded to accept this report with any needed additions or corrections and print them in the minutes. The motion passed.

Bro. Donnie recognized Bro. Lance & Sis. Suzannah Freeman and anyone who was visiting and welcomed them all.

Bro. Donnie asked Rev. Eddie Freeman to come forward with the sermon for the evening.

Bro Eddie gave us a math lesson on fractions to get us thinking before he read from Mark 16:15&16 and Matthew 7:13&14. He stated in this fraction the world is the bottom number of the fraction and few is the top number of the fraction. He read Luke 15:7 stating one could be the top number of the fraction. Bro. Eddie stated he believes there is a devil that tempts us and seeks to devour us. He encouraged us to overcome our flesh. He warned us to keep in mind that

we are just as dust and need to rely completely on God in our daily walk. We can live right. We can know we are one of His by the Spirit. Don't lose faith when you get down in spirit. Trust God to refresh our spirit and direct our paths. The bottom number is big and the top number may seem small but in order to see the top number gain we must be concerned about the bottom number (world). Sometimes we act as if the harvest is over. Jesus instructs us to pray the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers. We have an obligation to labor in the fields. Much of the youth have no direction at home. We need to share the love of Jesus with them. We need to let them know that the thing the world offers is sin. When at work we need to let the light of Christ shine to a lost and dying world. The bottom number (world) is watching and listening to what we as Christians are doing and saying so we must speak Christ. Have family prayer and devotion at home. Being a Christian is a great thing.

Bro. Donnie Wiggington asked Brother Rick and Sis. Mary Ann to come with a song and give anyone who needed to pray an opportunity to come before we enter into the communion service. We stood and sang "Only Trust Him". Bro Donnie turned the service over to Bro. Roger Sink for the Communion service. Bro. Roger came forward to direct the service as the brother deacons also came forward to help distribute the communion. He reminded us that this is a time for us to remember what God has done for us. We need to stop and think about what Jesus went through for our sins. John 17 tells the prayer Jesus made to God for his disciples and how emotional Christ was at that time. Bro. Roger read Mark 14:12-15 and 1 Corinthians 11: 26-29. He then read Mark 14:22 and Bro Benny Walden said the prayer over the bread representing the body of Christ. The deacons then distributed the bread. He then read verses 23-24 were read and Bor. Jimmie McGaha said a prayer over the cup representing the blood of Christ. Bro. Roger then read John 13: 12-17 and we began washing feet. There were 52 people that took part in the communion service. There was wonderful fellowship during the feet washing service.

Bro. Donnie asked for testimonies. Many were shared. We sang a verse of "*Living By Faith*" and went out.

## **SATURDAY MORNING**

The Saturday morning session opened with moderator Rev. Donnie Wiggington welcoming everyone into the assembly. Bro. Rick Owensby led the congregation in singing "*The Glory-Land Way!*" while Sis. Phyllis Wiggington played the piano.

Bro. Donnie asked Rev. Ed Tharpe to come forward with devotions. Bro. Ed spoke of his trip to Africa with Bro. Donnie & Bro. Jerry and the great anointing of God while there. He read 1 Kings 10:1-9. Bro. Ed encouraged us to live faithful to the Lord. Haphazard living day to day thinking we will fly into

heaven is dangerous. Serving the Lord makes us happy. Several prayer requests were given and we were led in prayer by Bro. Bill Ridge.

The moderator then led us in the pledges to the American and Christian flags and the Holy Bible.

The minutes from the Friday night session were read. A motion was made and seconded to accept this report with needed additions or corrections and print it in the minutes. The motion passed.

The moderator asked any visiting ministers or deacons to please stand to be recognized.

All other visitors were then recognized.

**Unfinished business:** A final report of the divine service committee was read. Rev. Jimmy Polston – Saturday afternoon devotions. Motion was made a seconded to accept this report, print the necessary information in the minutes. The motion was supported and passed.

The corresponding letter from the Nolynn Association was read. Motion was made to accept the letter, print it in the minutes and seat the delegate present. Motion carried.

**New business:** The moderator asked for unanimous consent from the body to use the afternoon offering to aide two families in our association neighborhoods who have lost their homes and belongings to fire and to assist in the Ebola research. Consent was given and so ordered.

The **Treasurers** report was read by Bro. Benny Walden. A motion was made to accept the report as read, refer it to the auditing committee and print it in the minutes. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Mission Board** financial report was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report as read, refer it to the auditing committee and print it in the minutes. The motion passed.

- The moderator announced the appointment of the mission board. – Chairman: Mike Hardwick, Lonzo Wiggington, Matt Satter, Eddie Freeman & Rick Owensby.

**Young People's Separate Baptist Union President's** report was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report, refer it to the auditing committee and print it in the minutes. The motion Passed.

**Presbytery** committee report was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept this report and print it in the minutes. The motion passed.

- The appointment of the Presbytery for 2014-2015 was announced: Rev. Guy Hardin – Chairman, Rev. Homer Whited, Rev. Jimmy Polston, Rev. Johnny Perkins, Rev. Ed Tharpe.

Reports of the following committees were read with motions to accept the report & print them in the minutes, all motions passed: Resolutions, Program,

Missions, Education, Temperance and Ministry & Doctrine.

Report of the Separate Baptist Bible Institute was read. Motion was made to accept the report, refer the financial portion to the auditing committee and print the report in the minutes. Motion was seconded and passed. The Moderator then appointed the SBBI committee. Bro. Jimmie McGaha, Chairman; Bro. Stacy Wiggington, Bro. Benny Walden, Rev. Nathan Hunter & Rev. Johnny Perkins.

Kitchen Committee financial report was read. A motion was made and supported to accept the report, refer it to the Auditing committee and print it in the minutes. The motion carried. The Moderator then appointed the Kitchen Committee for the next year: Sis. Glenda Swanson Chairperson, Sis. Carla Tharpe, Sis. Kim Wiggington.

Youth Camp report was read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report, refer the financial portion to the Auditing committee, print it in the minutes and dismiss the committee. The motion passed. The Moderator then appointed the Youth Camp Committee for 2015: Chairman Bro. Benny Walden, Rick Owensby, Stacy Wiggington.

A motion was made to suspend the remaining committee reports and continue with the program. The motion was seconded and passed.

We sang *"I Want My Lord to be Satisfied with me"* while a public offering was taken up to assist the Mission Board in supporting the fire victims and Ebola research which amounted to \$1,612.00.

Bro. Donnie introduced Rev. Jerry Ridge to preach the morning message by thanking him for nursing him back to health when he became ill in Africa. Bro Jerry thanked everyone for their continued support for the work in Africa. He stated he could feel the prayers of the saints while he was recuperating. Bro Jerry read 2 Peter 1:1-13 naming as his text "these things". These things are important. Bro. Jerry explained how he is most satisfied doing God's work. It is a great privilege to labor in the kingdom. The blessings we get from God along the way are great encouragement. Acknowledging the Word of God is true is where we begin. We then seek repentance and when received that great peace that passes all understanding encourages us to remain in the kingdom. When we exercise "these things" we are fruitful in our work. What are "these things"? Faith, Virtue, Knowledge, Temperance, Patience, Godliness, Brother Kindness & Charity. "These things" are what God requires of His people. "These things" are what people should see when they meet us regardless of where we are or who we are with. We need to preach the Word of God so the world can be saved and they too can enter the kingdom and begin to possess "these things". If we lack "these things" we are blind spiritually. The lack of temperance is hurting our churches. Social acceptance of things today which we considered sin a few years ago has weakened our testimony to the lost. Patience will trip us up if we

aren't knowledgeable of our faith. Living our life godly showing kindness and being charitable to those around us are "These things" and are so important to exude in our daily walk with Christ. Brother Jerry expressed how thankful he is for the fellowship of the brethren. Charity shown this morning by our support in helping families at home and abroad are part of "these things". Let's do "these things" by reading our Bibles, praying and considering others. Let's all labor to be what God wants us to be.

We sang "*Won't it be Wonderful There*", "*That Glad Reunion Day*", "*Jesus, Hold my Hand*" & "*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*" while everyone came around to fellowship and shake hands.

Bro. Donnie asked for testimonies and many were given. An announcement was made the Trustee meeting with the church delegates will be immediately following dismissal in the front classroom.

Rev. Nick Whited prayed the dismissal & blessing on the noon meal.

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The moderator opened the service by welcoming everyone. Rev. Rick Owensby then led us in singing "*Somebody Loves Me*". Sis. Phyllis Wiggington played the piano.

The moderator then asked Rev. Jimmy Polston to read devotions. He read Isaiah 1:10-20. He spoke of saying amen to the Word of God because it is given of God. He then called for an altar of prayer. Requests were made and we were led in prayer by Rev. Ray Unger.

The minutes of the previous session were read. A motion was made and seconded to accept the reading with needed additions and corrections and print them in the minutes. The motion carried.

The Trustee Report was read by the outgoing Chairman of the Trustees Bro. Dan Sink. Bro. Dan elaborated on the work done and how we need not take for granted the many hours of labor donated to keep the grounds usable. A motion was made and properly supported to accept the report and print it in the minutes and give the Trustees a standing vote of thanks. The motion carried.

A motion was made and supported to accept the Enrollment Committee report without reading it, print it in the minutes. The motion passed. There were a total of 119 people enrolled. The Committee for the 2015 Association will be Chairperson Sis. Robin Abbott, Sis. Kentrina Freeman, Sis. Shannon Owensby.

The Sunday School Committee report was read. Motion was made to accept the report, refer the financial to the auditing committee and print it in the minutes.

The Camp Meeting Committee report was read. Motion was made to accept the report, refer the financial to the auditing committee and print it in the

minutes. The Camp Meeting Committee for 2015 is Chairman Rev. Matt Satter, Rev. Guy Hardin and Bro. Dan Sink.

The Obituary report was read. A motion was made to accept this report, print it in the minutes and ask Rev. Ray Unger to come forward with a few words and prayer. The motion was seconded and passed. The moderator asked Bro. Ray to come with a memorial. Bro. Ray referred to Bro. Morgan Scott's encouragement given when Bro. Ray's mother passed away some 60 years ago. Bro. Ray read John 11:25 & Rev. 20:6 He asked the congregation to stand and he led in prayer.

The following reports were read, Young People, Ways and Means, Sunday School and Auditing. Motions were made to accept the report and print it in the minutes. Motions were seconded and passed.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

The moderator expressed the body's thankfulness to the Kitchen Committee for their work during this past year. The crowd gave the ladies an ovation showing our thankfulness.

Announcement was made that the churches to help in Kitchen and bring food on certain days next year would remain the same.

Motion was made to allow the Clerk to read the General letter after the sermon this afternoon. Motion was seconded and passed.

Bro. Benny Walden asked the congregation to give Bro. Zach Owensby a round of applause for his tireless work in getting the tabernacle ready for the association. The congregation gave their resounding appreciation.

Bro. Donnie then called for a song and an offering to be collected. We sang "*O I Want to See Him*" and the offering amounted to \$305.00.

Bro. Donnie spoke of his love and appreciation for Rev. Guy Hardin and asked him to come preach the Doctrinal sermon. Bro. Guy explained to us how grateful he is to have been brought up in the Separate Baptist organization. Bro. Guy spoke of encouraging our youth and being careful to live a life as a servant of Jesus Christ. He asked us if we know what the articles of doctrine of the Separate Baptist are and what they mean. There is a right and a wrong. If there seems to be a gray area give it to the Lord. Bro. Guy read Matthew 15:9. We are not following beliefs of men but of the Word of God. Bro. Guy read Romans 16:17 warning us to be cautious of those who work divisions. He read Ephesians 4:14 and warned of the craftiness of the deceivers. Do we know what our belief is when compared to other Baptist organizations? Bro. Guy read article 1 of our doctrine then read Daniel 3:25 warning us that the other versions of the Bible leave out the Son of God from that verse and make you to believe any god will be ok. Bro. Guy read article 5 of our doctrine encouraging us to endure to the end, keeping our hearts pure and unspotted from the world. He then read article 8 asking us if God has changed his view of keeping the sanctity of the Lords day. Do we worship God today as we did 30 or 40 years ago?

Has God changed? Bro. Guy challenged us to set aside the Lord's day to worship the Lord. He challenged us to live up to our articles of doctrine. There are differences in beliefs in denomination but we have a great doctrine and if we will live our life by the Bible and use our Articles of Doctrine as a tool to help guide us we can grow in the Spirit and knowledge. Know what you believe so when the world asks you what you believe you can speak confidently of God's word with his leadership.

Bro. Donnie asked for a song to give anyone who needs to pray an opportunity. We stood and sang "*This World is Not My Home*"

Election of Officers was conducted with the following results. Moderator: Donnie Wiggington, Assistant Moderator: Jimmy Polston, Clerk: Stacy Wiggington, Assistant Clerk: Allen Wiggington, Treasurer: Bro. Benny Walden, Assistant Treasurer: Sis. Ruth Ann Walden.

Rev. Eddie Freeman was elected to a three year term on the Constitution Committee.

Rev. Rick Owensby was elected as the Missions Incorporated Representative.

The minutes of this session were read. A motion was made and supported that we accept the reading with needed additions or corrections and print them in the minutes. The motion carried.

The letter to the General Association was read. A motion was made and supported to accept this letter and send it to the General Association along with the money. The motion passed.

There were several announcements and testimonies. Bro. Donnie asked Bro Charles Jordan to dismiss us in prayer. Bro. Charles invited us to attend the Nolynn association next weekend and the General association in October. He thanked the congregation for the hospitality on both Friday and Saturday.

## **ANNUAL REPORTS**

### **FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING**

The Fifth Sunday Meeting was held four times this associational year. There was an average of seven ministers and three deacons present. There was an average of four ministers wives and widows and three deacons wives and widows present. The meetings were spiritual and uplifting.

Officers are:      Chairman- Matt Satter  
                         Asst Chair- Benny Walden  
                         Sec. Treas.- Robin Abbott  
                         Asst. Sec.-Treas. Kelley Satter  
                         Song Leader- Rick Owensby

Robin Abbott



## **PRESBYTERY REPORT**

Sept. 7, 2013 - At the closing of the 144<sup>th</sup> session of the Central Indiana Association we sent and delivered ministers cards to ministers not being able to attend due to sickness.

March 21, 2014 - We met at the Edinburg Separate Baptist church and examined Rev. John Anglea for the ministry and found him worthy.

Signed Homer Whited, Guy Hardin, Ed Tharpe

July 12, 2014 – We met at the First Separate Baptist church of Indianapolis and ordained Rev. John Anglea. Devotion was led by Rev. Guy Hardin, the Message was delivered by Rev. Ed Tharpe and the charge was given by Rev. Jimmy Polston. The Presbytery then laid hands on Rev. John with all ordained officials present and prayer was given by Rev. Homer Whited

Signed Homer Whited, Jimmy Polston, Ed Tharpe, Guy Hardin

July 12, 2014 – We met at the First Separate Baptist church of Indianapolis and examined Bro. Daniel Sink for Deacon at the First Separate Baptist church of Franklin. After many questions we found him worthy and set time for his ordination. Signed Ed Tharpe, Homer Whited, Jimmy Polston, Guy Hardin

August 8, 2014 – We met at the First Separate Baptist church of Franklin and ordained Bro. Dan Sink as Deacon. Devotion was led by Rev. Jimmy Polston, the message was delivered by Rev. Johnny Perkins, the charge was given by Rev. Homer Whited and Rev. Ed Tharpe prayed the ordination prayer.

Homer Whited  
Jimmy Polston  
Edward B Tharpe  
John Perkins Jr.  
Guy Hardin

## **YOUTH CAMP**

“Faith, Family, Friends” was the theme for the 55<sup>th</sup> Youth Camp. Rev. Johnny Perkins, pastor of the Great Hope church was our evangelist. Bro. Johnny did a great job delivering anointed messages each evening. His ability to communicate with the youth during his sermons and during the day made him an easy to lean on evangelist for the campers to share their thoughts and prayer requests.

Each day campers attended bible study and craft (for the younger classes) & Bible “Family Feud” hosted by Sis. Beth Cline. The Family Feud was a big hit with young and old alike. Campers also participated in activities on the playground each day including basketball, volleyball and table tennis. We had a special activity daily just before supper. Sis. Megan Sink shared photos and stories of her recent trip to Haiti. Sis. Beth Cline led us thru “Minute to Win It” games. Rev. Matt and Sis. Kelly Satter performed object lessons for the campers. We also had a talent show that always has something different and interesting. A delicious dinner (thanks to the Kitchen Committee and helpers)

was served each evening and a snack was provided twice a day. We gathered each evening before the sermon to sing songs led by Sis. Lora Sink. Our average daily attendance was 88 campers 18 years old and younger.

Wednesday evening campers of the age of 8 to 18, with permissions from their parents, were allowed to spend the night.

Special “Thanks” to Donald Wiggington and Jim Tucker for the nicely mown grounds for the kids to enjoy. Thanks to the Trustees of the association for the maintenance and extra cleaning they have done throughout the year. Thanks to the individuals who came for the work day on Saturday before Youth Camp. Their hard work in cleaning and setting up the camp made for a short work day. **THANK YOU!!**

The Youth Camp committee would like to thank all teachers, kitchen help, outside helpers and all other volunteers who worked so hard throughout the week making this a successful camp. We also want to thank Bro. Johnny Perkins for the spirit filled messages each evening.

We want to thank the churches and individuals for their donations to the camp. Without these contributions we would be unable to have Youth Camp. We also want to thank those who attended the evening worship service for their support as well. We would like to see the attendance for the evening service increase. We want to encourage everyone to remember Youth Camp in your prayers all year long;.

Allen Wiggington, Roger Sink, Trent Whaley

### **YOUNG PEOPLES SEPARATE BAPTIST UNION**

The Youth Union met two times this past associational year. Our first meeting was held at the Midway Campground, hosted by Great Hope church. The meeting was a fundraising event for the Africa Truck Fund. Several churches decorated trucks in various themes and everyone was invited to vote for a winning truck by placing money donations in the corresponding bucket. It was a great time and well attended. We were able to raise \$1,502.00

The second meeting was held at the Franklin Family Aquatic Center and hosted by Franklin church. The crowd was small, but we had a great time swimming and fellowshiping with one another. We held the election of officers at this meeting. They are:

*President* – Lance Freeman

*Vice President* – Matt Satter

*Sect./Treas.* – Susan Wiggington

*Asst. Sect./Treas.* – Lora Sink

We would like to thank all those that attended the events and encourage each church to support the youth and these meetings. The youth are the future church.

*“Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.” 1 Timothy 4: 12*

Bro. Lance Freeman, President

## **MINISTERS AND DEACONS INSTITUTE REPORT**

The Ministers and Deacons Institute has met four times during the past associational year. The meetings are scheduled for the third Friday night before the fifth Sunday at 7:00 PM, except in the event of a conflict with other associational functions, meetings or major holidays. The meetings are held in the sanctuary of the sponsoring church.

The focus and purpose of these meetings is to educate, encourage, strengthen and uplift, not only the leaders of the churches, but also the lay members who attend. The services include a time of prayer, devotions, singing, as well as the teaching and preaching of the Gospel.

We encourage all of our ministers and deacons, as well as our lay members, to make a concerted effort to support and attend these meetings. You will be blessed in doing so.

The officers for the coming year are as follow:

Chairman:	Roger Sink
Assistant Chairman:	Daniel Sink
Secretary/Treasurer:	Nick Whited
Assistant Secretary/Treasurer:	Benny Walden

Rick Owendsy, Chairman

## **TRUSTEE'S REPORT**

The Trustees would like to thank all who have contributed to the maintenance of the grounds this past year. We would like to especially thank Brother Don Wiggington and Brother Jim Tucker for keeping the yard mowed. We also would like to thank Brother George Lewis for planting and maintaining the flowers. We want to thank Brother David Brant for donating his time and expertise in maintaining the air conditioners.

We had All Season Pest Control come in September of 2013 and take care of German Yellow Jackets that came into the sanctuary. Our first meeting was in December prior to the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday meeting to clean the sanctuary and bathrooms. We want to thank those who donated the necessary funds for the new house speakers. Brother Allen Wiggington made the purchase and assisted the trustees in installing them.

During the unusually cold winter we discovered the pipes had froze. After turning on heat tape and letting water run we were able to thaw the pipes with no apparent damage. Our next meeting was in March and we cleaned the sanctuary and bathrooms prior to the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday meeting.

Our next meeting was the Saturday prior to Youth Camp. We want to thank all who came and helped set up the grounds for this great event. The gutters were cleaned, sticks were picked up, and a small leak in the roof was repaired. The sanctuary and kitchen were cleaned; the shelter house was washed out and all playground equipment was assembled. During the week of Youth Camp we were able to upgrade the faucets in the kitchen. We want to thank the men who

cut down and hauled off the trees on the north side of the building. After a successful week of Youth Camp the equipment was taken down and stored for next year. Stuart Fire Prevention came after Youth Camp and completed the 6 year service on all the fire extinguishers.

In July the Edinburgh church notified us that they were remodeling and offered us their old pews. We gladly accepted and began the process of changing out the pews. On the Monday prior to Camp Meeting a large number of men and women met at the Edinburgh church to load the pews on trailers and transport them to Midway. We want to thank Brothers Don Wiggington, John Blair, Olis Popplewell, Chester Caudill, and Benny Walden for bringing their trailers. Many strong men loaded and unloaded all the pews that evening. They were stored in the kitchen at Midway. We were able to get all of the pews safely in one trip.

The Lord placed it upon someone's heart to donate the funds needed to replace the carpet in the sanctuary, entry way and the west classroom. Praise the Lord! After placing an ad in the paper the old pews were quickly dispersed. Brother Allen Wiggington carefully removed the sound equipment. Brothers Matt Satter and John Perkins volunteered to remove the old carpet. On August 25<sup>th</sup> the trustees and their wives along with Brothers Jim Tucker, Don Wiggington and Sister Phyllis Wiggington met to clean and paint the east wall of the sanctuary and the west classroom. On August 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> the new carpet was installed. On August 28<sup>th</sup> Brothers John Perkins, Stacy Wiggington, Don Wiggington, Allen Wiggington and Sister Phyllis Wiggington assisted the Trustees and their wives in cleaning and moving the new pews into the sanctuary. The Trustees and their wives have met several times since to finish the project. We would like to thank everyone for their hard work on this project. We would like to especially thank the Edinburgh Church for their generous donation and we also want to thank those who donated the funds for the new carpet.

We met Saturday morning September 13, 2014 and elected Matt Satter to a 5 year term as trustee replacing Brother Dan Sink.

Dan Sink  
Rick Owensby  
Roger Sink  
Anthony Wiggington  
Benny Walden

### **SBMI REPRESENTATIVE**

The SBMI met on April 12, 2014 at the Nollynn Camp Ground at the Ministers and Deacons annual meeting. The board met with Brother Jerry Ridge concerning his past and future trips to the Ivory Coast with Sister Kathy. We also discussed the upcoming trip scheduled for June when Bro. Eddie Freeman and Bro. Josh Polston would accompany Bro. Jerry. Bro. Jerry shared his concern regarding the Ebola outbreak that has struck certain parts of Africa. As of the date of our meeting, it had not spread to the Ivory Coast.

They were able to go on this trip but Bro. Jerry and Bro. Josh became very ill, but not with Ebola. Bro. Eddie was blessed and did not get sick which allowed him to take care of them and he also had the opportunity to minister while they could not. All three were able to preach and share the gospel during this trip. We thank the Lord that he kept his hand upon them and they arrived home safely and have fully recovered.

The SBMI met on August 23, 2014 in order to discuss this trip with these brothers. Due to their sickness they could not do all that Bro. Jerry had planned but the work was accomplished according to God's plan. We also discussed future plans for this mission work

The SBMI wishes to thank every church and individual who donated funds in order to purchase a new truck so our missionaries could have dependable and safe means of travel while in the Ivory Coast. Due to difficulties beyond our control, the vehicle has not yet been purchased. But the funds are there and Bro. Jerry is hoping to finalize a purchase on his next trip.

We wish to encourage all of our churches to continue to give the missionary work. The need is great as is the cost. These men and women leave their homes, families, jobs, as well as risk their lives and health, in order to share the Gospel message and represent the Separate Baptist churches. Those who can not physically go can pray, encourage, and help finance this great work.

The SBMI had the opportunity to provide assistance to two churches during the past year. Funds were provided to Glasgow Separate Baptist Church for repairs/replacement of doors and windows as well as flooring in a part of the church interior. We also provided help to White's Chapel Church to replaced roofing.

Rev. Rick Ownesby

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **SEPARATE BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE**

We are happy to report the Separate Baptist Bible Institute held classes in the fall of 2013 with classes entitled "*Study on the Apostle Paul*" and again in the spring of 2014 with classes entitled "*Bible Missions and Missions Today*" both sessions presented by Rev. Jerry Ridge.

Each session included four Saturday morning classes at the Edinburgh church Fellowship Hall. We want to extend a big thank you to the Edinburgh Separate Baptist church for allowing the Bible Institute to convene at this ideal facility, and Bro. Jimmie McGaha for his perpetual support and help.

We appreciate the interest shown and the participation of all attendees. These classes are designed so any adult, regardless of age, will be able to enjoy and participate. We want to let everyone know that childcare is available during each class at no additional cost, so your young children can be cared for while you are in class.

We are planning a study titled "*Creation vs. Evolution*" for the fall of 2014 which will be Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>.

We your committee would like to encourage everyone to set aside time to attend these classes. *Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.* 2 Timothy 2:15

Rev. Donald K. Wiggington - Chairman

### AUDITING

We the Auditing Committee have examined the following reports:

- Association Treasury
- Camp Meeting
- Fifth Sunday Meeting
- Mission Board Treasury
- Youth Camp Treasury
- Kitchen Committee Treasury
- Separate Baptist Bible Institute Treasury
- Ministers & Deacons Institute Treasury
- Sunday School Convention Treasurer
- Youth Union Report

We found the figures given to be correct.

Greg Erdman  
Jim Tucker  
Rick Owensby

### OBITUARY REPORT

Several of our loved ones have passed from life on this earth unto life eternal with Jesus Christ our Savior. Our hearts grieve at their passing, yet we rejoice knowing that we can see them again in that heavenly city where, "God shall wipe all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain for the former things are passed away." (Revelation 21:4)

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints". (Psalms 116:15)

DeWayne Greathouse, Vorsie Malone,	East Columbus
Geniva Greathouse Wilmoth, Earl Biles	East Columbus
Velma Burton, Ruth Burton, John Henry Burton	Edinburgh
Marie Tichenor, Opal Gentry	Friendship
Ilene Wilson	Indianapolis
Non-members: Paul Owensby, Jimmy Britt	Indianapolis
James Kennett	Mount Zion
Bob Kimberlan	Pleasant Valley
John Bradbury	Salem

Rev. Wayne Emerson, Betty Holley

Shiloh

Dorothy May (Walden) Bowman

Union Laymon

“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord” (Revelation 14:13)

“For whether we live, we live unto the Lord; and whether we die, we die unto the Lord; whether we live therefore, or die, we are the Lord’s”. (Romans 14:8)

We have asked Rev. Ray Unger to come forward with a few words and prayer in memory of those who have passed on this year.

Lonzo Wiggington

Margaret Waltz

Mary Ann Sink

### **CAMP MEETING**

We the 2014 Camp Meeting Committee would like to thank everyone for their help in this year’s Camp Meeting.

We thank Rev. Carl Barnett for the energetic, Spirit-filled preaching he brought each night. We were all blessed by his presence and reviving messages.

We offer a special thanks to those who helped with the singing each night. Each church did a wonderful job on their nights to sing. Thank you to the Sink Family for their glorious singing.

We wish to thank all of those in attendance all week. We have a warm, church family that was represented fully this week. Your offerings were greatly appreciated.

Most of all we thank the Lord for watching over and guiding us to be allowed to hear wonderful, God inspired messages that we can apply to our lives. May God continue to bless the Separate Baptist churches.

Rev. Matt Satter - Chairman

Bro. Jimmie McGaha

Rev. Johnny Perkins

### **MINISTRY AND DOCTRINE**

We your committee of ministry and doctrine submit the following report. Having noticed by the church letters of the decline in membership, albeit some through death, it is obvious that our gains have been less than our losses. Although we as a committee can’t change the statistics we feel we should try to encourage each one. We ask that we spend much time in prayer and visitation this next associational year and seek to find ways to evangelize our communities to try to reverse this trend. Also to do all we can to promote the Gospel to see the lost saved. We ask our Pastors and Deacons to help support our Mission work and Associational meetings throughout the year, hoping that at the next Association we can show growth.

We believe in a God called ministry and that all Ministers must meet the requirements set forth in the scriptures. Romans 10:15; 1 Timothy 3:1-7; Titus 1:6-9

We also agree as a committee that there is a great need to remind one another that not all Ministers are preaching the truth, by telling that Jesus is the only way. Jesus said “Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that entereth not by the door into the sheepfold, but climbeth up another way, the same is a thief and a robber. But he that entereth in by the door is the shepherd of the sheep.” St. John 10:1-2

2 Peter 2:1-3 and Jude 14-15. warns us of the great deception which has come upon the world.

Let us continue studying the Word of God and educating ourselves and one another and exhorting one another daily. 2 Timothy 2:15; Hebrews 3:13. We ask that all that can, especially our Ministers, support the Bible Institute as it is a great tool to help all to grow in Faith.

Ed Tharpe, Jimmie McGaha, Roger Sink

### **TEMPERANCE**

We your temperance committee, believe that every Christian should, “abstain from all appearance of evil.” I Thessalonians 5:22

Including:

- Mind altering drugs and alcohol. Proverbs 20:1, Titus 1:7,8
- Immoral conduct and sexual conduct outside of marriage. Hebrews 13:4
- Homosexuality. Romans 1:25-27; I Corinthians 6:9
- Indecency (Including Dress). I Timothy 2:9, 4:12
- Evil communication in all forms, such as cursing, Exodus 20:7, gossip, speaking evil of one another or slandering one another. Ephesians 4:31.
- Closely monitoring our and our family’s use of the mediums of the internet, television and radio programs, books and publications as they may be used for evil. Philippians 4:8
- Abortion and euthanasia (mercy killing). Exodus 20:13

Grant Brant  
Virginia Polston  
Shannon Owensby

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

We your committee on Sunday school, believe it is an essential work of the Church and is the primary method of teaching the Word of God. Our superintendents and teachers should be spiritual and have a sincere desire to know the Word themselves and teach it to others. Our Superintendents should encourage our churches to invite others to attend Sunday school.



Teachers should use the King James Bible as their guide for teaching, along with object lessons, stories, and real life events to help make the Bible come to life. Christ left us a wonderful example of his teaching. He taught many things in his Sermon on the Mount, he also showed a personal interest in the children. “Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the Kingdom of God.” (Mark 10:14)

Sunday school is an excellent opportunity to reach and teach children and families God’s Word. Lessons taught in our Sunday Schools can have a lasting impression and influence. “Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it.” (Proverbs 22:6)

We encourage our churches to hold Sunday school in high regard and work for its success. “Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest” (John 4:35). “My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: Because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee,” (Hosea 4:6)

Jerry Ridge, Suzan Brown, Kelly Satter

## **EDUCATION**

“Learn of me;” Jesus states in Matthew 11:29.

The church is given the task of providing a means whereby the world is exposed to the truth of Christ and can learn of Him. Education is a vital mission of the church.

We, the Education Committee, believe that every Christian should have a time each day for the study of God’s Word. We believe group study is for all ages in church and in our homes and will help us become more spiritual. We believe that Sunday School is an essential part of the education, especially for our young people. “Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it.” (Proverbs 22:6).

We as adults should always set a good Christian example before our children and the world. It is necessary that the role and conduct of young Christian men and women be taught by example and by our elder brothers and sisters in Christ. We believe that all Sunday School teachers should earnestly study the lesson and pray before teaching. All pastors and preachers should study, pray, and earnestly seek the leading of God before entering the pulpit. We encourage our churches to hold annual Vacation Bible Schools. We believe that all our churches should financially support and attend as well as provide transportation for anyone wanting to attend our Central Indiana Youth Camp. These are excellent means of furthering our outreach.

Today, education is more important than ever, (2 Timothy 4:2-5) therefore, it should be expressed and encouraged from the pulpits in a positive manner. The Central Indiana Association conducts the Separate Baptist Bible Institute. The curriculum for these classes is carefully chosen to emphasize important Bible subjects. The classes are available to anyone who wishes to attend. We

encourage everyone to further their education to the level that the Spirit directs them so that they can best be used in God's service.

Eddie Freeman, Roger Sink, Stacy Wiggington

## MISSIONS

We your committee on missions, wish to remind the body of how important the work of missions is. Jesus said, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost" Matt. 28:19. This commandment is first and foremost the function of the church. If we fail to obey this commandment, then all of our other labors are in vain.

The work of missions is not limited to missionaries, pastors or deacons. It is the responsibility of every believer. Jesus likened the kingdom of Heaven as to a man who took a far journey and gave to every man a work. Mark 13:34

Missions are the lifeblood of the church. Without missions, our churches will continue to decline. If we desire to see our churches grow we must recognize that the mission field is beyond the four walls of the church building. We cannot expect sinners to be interested in coming to us for they are already at enmity against God. We must deliver the gospel message to them. "How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard?" Rom. 10:14

We urge our churches to consider this calling and find opportunities and ways to deliver the gospel message outside of their regular church meetings. We urge all members to realize that they have a stake in the mission field and that if they want to be in God's will they will work together in the mission field. We believe senders are as important as goers. I Sam. 30:24

We would like to encourage the churches to give on a regular basis, to the support of foreign mission work and also to pray in support of the work in the Ivory Coast, Africa.

"The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life; and he that winneth souls is wise." Prov. 11:30

"Awake to righteousness, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God: I speak this to your shame." 1Cor. 15:34

Every saved individual receives from God a burden for lost souls. May we pray as did David of old that God would search us to see where we stand with God for if our hearts are right we will seek ways to reach others.

"But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear:" 1 Peter 3:15

When we leave church on Sunday morning, we enter the mission field. May our lives be a light to others.

"Say not ye, there are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? Behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto

life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.”  
John 4:35-36

Mike Hardwick  
Lonzo Wiggington  
Matt Satter

### YOUNG PEOPLE

We the Young People Committee believe our association has a great challenge in increasing the interest of our youth in the work of God. We believe that our Youth Camp, Youth Union Meetings, our Sunday Schools and our Vacation Bible Schools are an important way to encourage and increase our youth in our churches. “I love them that love me; and those that seek me early shall find me” (Proverbs 8:17) “Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them;” (Ecclesiastes 12:1)

We need to encourage our youth to seek wisdom and with wisdom, get understanding. (Proverbs 4:7)

**It must be a priority in our homes to conduct daily Bible study and prayer as well as counseling our children in the way of the Lord.** “And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up” (Deuteronomy 6:7).

We must free ourselves from the many worldly concerns to devote more time to the spiritual growth of our families. (Ephesians 5:15,16 Colossians 3:20,21). “But godliness with contentment is great gain”. (1 Timothy 6:6)

We must as a church show the love that Jesus showed to us and be excited about all His blessings He has bestowed on us and to our youth. This will in turn encourage and excite our youth to tell their friends and family about Jesus. “Return to thine own house, and shew how great things God hath done unto thee. And he went his way, and published throughout the whole city how great things Jesus had done unto him.” (Luke 8:39)

We as adults and youth must strive harder to get more young people involved in our church services and use them in our Church to bring more laborers into the field. (Matthew 9:37,38) The young people are not only the church of tomorrow, but the church of today also. God will continue to bless the youth and all future generations who follow Him.

“Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.” (1 Timothy 4:12) We would encourage our churches to have a Youth Program and weekly youth meetings in their individual churches. We encourage parents, grandparents, neighbors and lay people to help bring our youth to our services and to help uplift and pray for our youth.

Jesus said in Mark 10:14 “Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.”

Anthony Wiggington  
Nathan Hunter  
Johnny Perkins

## **WAYS and MEANS**

We your Ways and Means Committee believe we should all have the goal of bringing the plan of salvation to the lost. In order to do this, we must use any means that God may grant us to accomplish this goal.

Moses was asked of God, "What is in thine hand?" (Exodus 4:2) Moses' response was, "A rod." God then used this rod as a means to help deliver the children of Israel.

We must then ask, "What is in our hands and what means do we possess to see souls saved?"

God has given us the ability to fast and pray for the effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. (James 5:16)

God has given us the opportunity to encourage and financially support the mission work abroad and at home.

Our Missionaries are using a new tool to help evangelize in the Ivory Coast, West Africa, showing a video in the French language portraying a very biblical account of the life of Jesus Christ. Each showing is followed by a preaching service. The results are very encouraging with larger crowds and many souls being saved and great interest among the people.

Another tool that God has blessed us with is to be living examples to our youth and young converts, being actively involved in efforts to reach the lost.

We should prayerfully search for ways to reach the lost in all the world. Our God will provide the means to accomplish the work. The thought of one soul dying without the knowledge of Christ is a terrible thing. 1 Corinthians 15:34.

We encourage people to use their electronic devices to promote the church and spread the gospel, not just for social communication.

Jimmie Wheeler  
Ray Unger  
Kentlin Floyd

## **RESOLUTIONS**

We your committee on Resolutions wish to thank the committees and officials of the Association for their effort in making our Camp Meeting and Association possible and extend our thanks to the ladies for the good food and service in the kitchen by a special word of thanks by the moderator, representing the whole body.

Be it resolved that we have an Association at the regular time in 2015, being the Friday and Saturday before the second Sunday in September, (September

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>) and the clerk have the necessary minutes printed and distributed to the churches with an ample supply for the 2015 association.

Be it resolved that we have a Youth Camp in 2015 (June 15-19).

Be it resolved that we have a Camp Meeting in 2015 starting August 9<sup>th</sup> and continuing through August 16<sup>th</sup> and that the Camp Meeting evangelist or evangelists be selected by the Camp Meeting Committee. The Camp Meeting committee shall notify all associational churches with a flyer stating times and dates of the Camp Meeting by July 1, 2015. As your committee we suggest each church consider dismissing evening services to attend Camp Meeting, and to support the camp meeting with their finances.

Be it resolved that we continue the Separate Baptist Bible Institute in the upcoming Associational year, and the Moderator appoint a committee of five to oversee, plan and select teachers for each class.

Be it resolved that a Camp Meeting Committee, Youth Camp Committee, and Kitchen Committee be appointed by the Moderator and the Moderator divide the churches into three groups and assign members of each group to assist the Kitchen Committee with one meal in the 2015 Association and the Kitchen Committee divide the churches into three groups (Friday noon, Friday evening, Saturday) to bring desserts, salads, and breads for one day only of the Association. We your committee urges the churches to consider the financial needs of the Kitchen Committee in supplying the meats and vegetables for the Association.

Be It resolved that this Association meet the General Association by letter and delegates and send \$500.00 from the Association Treasurer to the General Association Treasurer and \$250.00 from the Association Treasurer to SBMI.

Be it resolved we invite the General Association to convene at the Central Indiana Association campground for the 2015 General Association.

Mike Wilson  
Olis Popplewell  
Allen Wiggington

## FINANCIAL REPORTS

### *ASSOCIATION TREASURERS REPORT*

<b>Beginning Balance-September 7th, 2013</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,272.30</b>
<b>Income</b>		
Associational Church Letters	\$	4,175.00
Associational Offerings	\$	492.00
Donations	\$	6,000.00
Checking Account Interest	\$	0.19
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,667.19</b>
<b>Total Working Balance</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>11,939.49</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
General Association	\$	500.00
SBMI	\$	250.00
Mennonite Mutual Insurance Company	\$	2,492.00
Campground Maintenance (includes carpet)	\$	7,644.13
Clerk Fee	\$	100.00
Duke Energy	\$	120.72
Wood-Mizer LLC -printing of minutes	\$	563.50
Checking Account Service Fee	\$	12.00
New Check charge	\$	37.90
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>11,720.25</b>
<b>Ending Balance-September 13, 2014</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>219.24</b>
<i>Benny Walden - Treasurer</i>		

### *FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING FINANCIAL REPORT*

<b>Balance on hand September 2013:</b>	<b>\$463.29</b>
Offerings:	+ 115.44
Donation to Eddie Freeman Ivory Coast trip	- 200.00
Donation to Johnny Perkins tent revival	<u>- 200.00</u>
<b>Ending Balance as of Sept., 2014</b>	<b>\$178.73</b>
<i>Robin Abbott - Treasurer</i>	

### ***KITCHEN COMMITTEE REPORT***

<b>Balance Brought Forward:</b>	<b>\$ 910.54</b>
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Donations & Offerings	\$1,689.00
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<b>Total Balance</b>	<b>\$2,599.54</b>
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#### **Expenses**

Kroger (supplies)	\$ 10.95
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Wal-Mart (food and supplies)	\$ 192.00
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Ishmel's Catering (fish)	\$ 650.00
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Gordon's Food Service (food & supp.)	\$ 197.13
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Jay C (ham & chicken)	\$ 230.65
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<b>Total Expenses:</b>	<b>\$1,280.73</b>
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<b>Ending Expenses: Sept 12, 2014</b>	<b>\$1,318.81</b>
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*Glenda Swanson, Chairperson*

### ***CAMP MEETING FINANCIAL REPORT***

Received from offerings	\$1,527.00
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#### **Paid out**

Evangelist Rev. Carl Barnett	\$1,327.00
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Midway Church (Utilities)	\$200.00
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<b>Total Paid Out</b>	<b>\$1,527.00</b>
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Ending Balance	\$0.00
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*Matt Satter*

### ***MISSION BOARD TREASURER REPORT***

<b>Beginning Balance – September 7, 2013</b>	<b>\$ 1,550.18</b>
Received from church letters	\$ 1,600.00 *
Savings Account Interest	\$ .29
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,150.47</b>
Paid out to Megan Sink for Haiti Trip	\$1,000.00
<b>Ending Balance:</b>	<b>\$2,150.47</b>

\* Note – Page 12 in the 2013 minute book there is an error in total Mission Contributions. The book says \$1,325.00 but the actual total was \$1,600.00

*Mission Board: Charles Tichenor, Donnie Wiggington,  
Lonzo Wiggington, Mike Hardwick, Matt Satter*

### ***YOUTH UNION TREASURER REPORT***

<b>Balance on hand Sept. 2013</b>	<b>\$470.56</b>
Offerings	\$1,132.01
Expenses	\$1,277.00
<b>Balance on hand</b>	<b>\$325.57</b>

*Susan Wiggington, Treasurer*

### ***BIBLE INSTITUTE FINANCIAL REPORT***

Balance from 2013-2014:		\$5,238.80
	Tuition/donations	\$955.00
	Sub-total	\$6,193.80
Expenses:		
	Paid to instructors	\$800.00
	childcare	\$360.00
	Materials/Supplies	\$117.75
	Sub-total	\$1,277.75
Ending balance Sept. 12, 2014:		\$4,916.05

*Stacy Wiggington*



### ***SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION REPORT w/ FINANCIALS***

13 Total Churches, 2 Churches had an increase this year. See Church Statistics on page 12 of this minute book for more information.

<b>Beginning Balance May 2014</b>	<b>\$465.15</b>
Stamps/Envelopes	-\$ 6.44
<b>Balance</b>	<b>\$458.71</b>
2014 Sunday School Convention offering	\$109.00
Prizes awarded	-\$100.00
<b>Ending Balance May 2014</b>	<b>\$467.71</b>

*Shannon Owensby, Treasurer*

### ***MINISTERS AND DEACONS INSTITUTE FINANCIAL REPORT***

<b>Beginning Balance September 2013</b>	<b>\$481.26</b>
Offering	\$154.53
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$635.79</b>
Rev. Eddie Freeman for Africa mission trip	\$200.00
Paid out for Flowers for Wayne Emerson	\$ 60.00
Paid out for flowers for Ilene Wilson	\$ 60.00
Paid to Rodney church cemetery	\$ 50.00
Total paid out	\$370.00
<b>Ending Balance September 2014</b>	<b>\$265.79</b>

*Donnie Wiggington., Treasurer*

### ***YOUTH CAMP TREASURER REPORT***

<b>Beginning Balance</b>		<b>\$ 3,735.72</b>
Received Tuition	\$ 2,325.00	
Received from Churches and Individuals	\$ 5,536.88	
Memorial donation for Paul and Elda Owensby and Sheila McGaha	\$ 1,380.00	
<b>Total Received</b>	<b>\$ 9,241.88</b>	
 <b>New Balance</b>		 <b>\$12,977.60</b>
<i>Expenses</i>		
T-shirts	\$ 1,255.75	
Kitchen Supplies	\$ 4,030.54	
Evangelist Rev. Johnny Perkins	\$ 500.00	
Carpet Cleaning	\$ 228.00	
Knights Trash Pick-up	\$ 125.00	
Miscellaneous (Overnight supplies, teacher reimbursement, playground equipment, faucet for kitchen and prizes)	\$ 320.77	
 <b>Total Expenses</b>		 <b>\$ 6,460.06</b>
 <b>Ending Balance</b>		 <b>\$ 6,517.54</b>

*Lora Sink, Treasurer*

## **ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE REPORT**

Total enrolled 117

### **Ministers**

Donnie Wiggington, Michael Wilson, Ray Unger, Lonzo Wiggington, Samuel Freeman, John C. Anglea, Johnny Perkins, Eddie Freeman, Nathan Hunter, Rick Owensby, Mike Fields, Charles Tichenor, J.B. Wilson, Guy Hardin, Kentlin Floyd, Matt Satter, Nick Whited, Homer Whited, Harold Summers, Ed Tharpe, Jim Stump, Jerry Ridge, Jimmy Polston

### **Deacons**

Allen Wiggington, Mike Hardwick, Bill Ridge, Benny B. Walden, Grant Brant, Roger Sink, Don Curry, Dan Sink, Chester Caudill, Jimmie McGaha

### **Delegates**

Virginia Polston, Donald Wiggington, Ruth Ann Walden, Mary Ann Sink, Shannon Owensby, Zach Owensby, Olis Popplewell, Anthony Wiggington, Marie Roberts, Margaret Waltz, Greg Erdman, Kelly Satter, Suzan Brown, Laura Perkins, Stacy Wiggington, Robin Abbott, Edna Caudill, Jimmy R. Wheeler, Larry Calhoun, Jim Tucker, Martha Lewis, Kentrina Freeman, Dan Swanson,

### **Central Indiana Visitors**

Kim Wilson, Jewell Anglea, Frances Ridge, Jean Brant, Roy McGaha, Lula McGaha, Sheila Cook, Arcena Burton, Larry Burton, Donald Bryant, Deanie Bryant, Judi Curry, Evangeline Burton, Merci Satter, Margaret Wiggington, Mildred Stephens, Clyde Polston, Louisa Smith, Lily Perkins, Lucille Whited, Sheryle Calhoun, Susie Fisette, Pricie McGaha, Jessica Hounshell, Glenda Swanson, Carla Tharpe, Phyllis Wiggington, Margaret Polston, Bryan McGaha, Susannah Freeman, Lance Freeman, Valerie Polston, Randy Polston, Ethridge Burns, Rochelle Burns, Jackie McGaha, Kim Wiggington, Isaiah Perkins, Hailey Perkins, Morgan Perkins, Kathy Ridge, Susan Wiggington, Jeffrey Wiggington, Caleb Wiggington, Rick Popplewell, Mattie Satter, Marqi Satter, Lance Freeman, Brittney Wiggington, Lauren Whited, Lindsay Whited, Lora Sink, Barbara Floyd, Kayla Freeman

### **Visiting: Ministers**

James Goff - Nolynn

### **Visiting: Deacons**

Charles E. Jordan Sr. – Nolynn; Rick Goff - Nolynn

### **Visitors: Sister Association or others**

Joe Cooper – S.KY; Phyllis Cooper – S.KY; Eva Johnson- S.KY; Helen Caudill – S.KY

Sis. Kentrina Freeman

Sis. Robin Abbott

## **LETTERS OF CORRESPONDANCE.**

### **Christian Unity Association**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are happy to greet you again with letter when your Association convenes September 13 and 14, 2014. Our prayers are with you as you meet and conduct business for the Lord. We pray for love, peace and unity among the brethren. This year our Association was held at Pleasant View Church with a week of revival preceding the association. Our evangelist was Brother David Irwin. With spirit-filled messages, he challenged and encouraged us to remain faithful and work together to reach the lost for Christ. We are thankful for the fellowship and love throughout the services.

Our next Association will be held at Pleasant View Church on July 24 and 25, 2015, with the revival beginning on Sunday evening, July 19. We extend a warm welcome to all to join us next year for the services. We desire your prayers for our churches as we continue in the work of the Lord.

May God continue to bless and keep you as you continue in His service.

Yours in Christ,

David Barr, Corresponding Secretary

Tim Roten, Moderator

PO Box 302, Warrensville, NC 28693

### **Mount Olive**

Greetings to the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptist in Christ from the Mt. Olive TN Association of Separate Baptist in Christ when in session Sept. 12 & 13, 2014 at the Midway Campground.

We are happy to meet you by letter, we have no delegates.

We just had our Association last Saturday, September 6, 2014 at the Pleasant Home Separate Baptist Church.

We were blessed with a wonderful day in the Lord. We had wonderful services during each session. Also there were great spirit-filled messages. We praise God for His wonderful goodness.

We pray that God will bless you all with peace and harmony as you do business for Him. May all your services be spirit-filled.

Our next Association will be held the September 5, 2015 at the Pleasant Home Separate Baptist Church at Rugby, Tn. We extend a warm and hearty welcome to you all to come be with us.

We need your prayers for our Association. We are struggling to keep our church and Association going. So please remember us that we will be able to continue on.

May God richly bless you all in your Association. We send our love to you all. Mt. Olive Association of Tennessee

Rev. Leonard Bertram- Moderator

Sis. Thelma Bertram- Corres. Sec'y     *love2quilt2003@yahoo.com*

## **Nolynn Association**

The Nolynn Association of Separate Baptist in Christ of Kentucky, Inc. sends greetings to the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptists in Christ when convening at the Midway Campground on September 12-13, 2014. We wish to greet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates are Bro. Charles E. Jordan Sr., Bro. Michael Jordan, Sis. Cozetta and Bro. Olyn Sprowles, Bro. Rick Goff, Rev. Jim, Goff, Sis. Dianna and Rev. Melvin Underwood.

On the week of June 15-20, 2014 we had the Nolynn Association Youth Camp with Rev. Donnie Wiggington as the evangelist. We had an average attendance of 143 students at the youth camp bible school. Of those youth 18 came to the altar 10 rededicated their lives to the Lord and 8 got saved. We were truly blessed in the Holy Spirit this week. Our next youth camp will in the week of June 21-26, 2015.

Our Associational Revival was on July 20-25, 2014 with Rev. Jerry Ridge as the evangelists. The Nolynn Association will host the 102<sup>nd</sup> General Association of Separate Baptist this year held on October 10-11, 2014 (which will be held at our camp ground.) The next Nolynn Association meeting will be held on September 18 and 19, 2015 at the Nolynn Association Camp Ground located on 2745 Bailey Road Magnolia, KY 42757. We invite each of you to attend our next General Association, Nolynn Association, associational revival, or youth camp. May God bless this session of the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptists in Christ.

Yours in Christian Fellowship,

Rev. Melvin Underwood, Moderator  
Bro. C. Michael Jordan, Corresponding Secretary  
7418 E Orchard Grass Blvd.  
Crestwood, KY 40014

## **South Kentucky Association**

The South Kentucky Association of Separate Baptist in Christ sends greetings to the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptist in Christ. May God be with you as you do business for our Lord. We are happy to greet you with letter and delegates. Our delegates are as follows:

Rev. Danny Bailey, Bro. Joe and Sis. Phyllis Cooper, Bro. Albert and Sis. Mildred Polston, Rev. Josh Polston, Rev. David Coffey, Rev. Johnny and Sis. Shirley Davis.

We are proud to report that we had a wonderful Camp Meeting July 27<sup>th</sup> thru August 6<sup>th</sup> 2014. Rev. Richie Curtis and Rev. Robert Conner delivered soul stirring messages each night of the camp meeting. Reminding us that whatever we strive to do in life do it for the Glory of God.

Our Association was held August 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> 2014. The Lord blessed us with wonderful messages at each session uplifting and encouraging us with God's Word. We ended our association with communion and feet washing service. There were 56 Christians participating and rejoicing around the altar.

Please keep our Association in your prayers that we will continue to grow in number and spirit. We extend a warm welcome to each of you to join us at our Association next year August 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015. May God bless you is our prayer.

Yours in Christ,

Rev. David Coffey, Moderator

Rev. Rodney Smith, Assistant Moderator

Sister Michelle Kerr, Corresponding Secretary

e-mail: *michelle.kerr@russell.kyschools.us*

## **Sis. Megan Sink – Missionary**

From June 1 to June 9, I spent time spreading God's Word to the people of Carrefour-feuilles, Haiti. I was a part of a team of 12 fellow Christians ranging in ages from 18 to mid-fifties. The organization we were a part of is called Mission Journeys, and it is based out of Lexington, Kentucky. We stayed in a compound that included not only our sleeping arrangements and a kitchen, but also the church we worked at all week. We were hosted by Dr. Jean Marcel Sule, a dentist and OB/GYN, who was also the pastor of the Carrefour-feuilles Church of Christ, the church we worked at. Our work for the week included construction-type work like carrying buckets of gravel, rock, and water to help make concrete. The concrete was then used to help finish walls and ceilings in some of the rooms of Dr. Sule's church and clinic. Our work would begin at about 7 am. After lunch we would start preparing for vacation bible school, which took place each afternoon starting at 3 pm until about 5 pm. Vacation bible school each day consisted of singing several songs, teaching the children a memory verse in their native language, Haitian Creole, teaching them a Bible lesson, doing a craft, and singing again before sending them off to their homes. At the beginning of the week, we started with about 50 kids. By the end of the week, we were able to witness to about 200 children and adults alike. While the children were having their lesson inside each night, there was a lesson taught to the young adults outside the church. The two preachers who were on our team helped teach the adult class, along with some of the elders of the church. After vacation bible school and dinner each night, we would have devotional/prayer time on the roof of the church. We would share what God had revealed to us on that day, as well as sing a few worship songs and pray. Evening devotional time was probably my favorite part of the day, second to vacation bible school. Our work and vacation bible schedule remained the same from Monday to Friday. On Saturday, we traveled about three hours up in the mountains to a village named Dufailly. This village was very primitive compared to the city where we had been all week. While in Dufailly, we visited the orphanage and saw the house that the missionaries stay at. We were able to see much of the country on that day. On Sunday, we attended Sunday school and the worship service. The service was very spiritual, and lasted several hours. We also attended church in the evening, much like we do here in the United States. During the entire nine days, we were very blessed to be able to share the Gospel with several hundred Haitian people. We had a great group of young translators, and our mission team had great chemistry, feeling like a family. There is still much work to be done in Haiti, and I pray that God willing, I will return again. I want to especially thank the Central Indiana Separate Baptist Mission Board and the First Separate Baptist Church of Franklin for their monetary support, as well as thank everyone who supported me through prayer and the many other ways. Bondye bon (God is good). May God bless you all.

Megan Sink

## **ARTICLES OF DOCTRINE**

1. We believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the infallible Word of God and the only safe rule of faith and practice, using the King James version of the Holy Bible. \* II Tim. 3:16-17; I Cor. 10:11; II Peter 1:20-21

2. That there is in the God-Head three divine personages; Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit. I John 5:7; Matt. 28:19; Matt. 3:15-17

3. That man is in a fallen state before God, and is unable to liberate himself by any ability we possess by nature. Isa. 63:1-5; I Cor. 15:22; Ps. 51:5; John 14:6

4. That salvation, regeneration, justification, sanctification and redemption are through faith in the life, death, resurrection, ascension, and intercession of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. John 17:19; Acts 13:39; Titus 2:14; Rom. 3:24-26

5. We believe that he who endures to the end the same shall be saved. Rev. 2:10; Matt. 24:13

6. That the joys of the righteous and punishment of the wicked will be eternal. Matt. 25:46; Dan. 12:2; Rom. 5:21

7. We believe that baptism, the Lord's Supper and feet washing are ordinances of Jesus Christ, appointed in the Church, and none but true believers are proper subjects, and the only proper mode of baptism is immersion of believers. Matt. 28:19-20; Acts 2:41; John 13:14; I Peter 3:21; Matt. 3:14; I Cor. 11:23-26

8. We believe in the sanctity of the first day of the week or Lord's Day, which ought to be observed and spent in public or private worship of God and that we should abstain from worldly concerns except in cases of necessity or mercy. Acts 20:7; I Cor. 16:2

9. We believe in the resurrection of the body, both of the just and the unjust, but every man to his own order. Those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil to the resurrection of damnation, and that God hath appointed a day in which He will judge the world in righteousness by Jesus Christ. I Thes. 4:16; I Cor. 15; John 5:28-29

10. That it is our duty to be tender and affectionate one to another and in honor preferring one another, to study the happiness of God's people in general and do all we can to support, promote, and spread the Gospel. Rom. 12:10; Luke 14:23

11. We believe that Jesus Christ, by the grace of God, tasted death for everyone, and that all may partake of his Divine benefits through repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Also, infants and those who have never developed the mental ability to receive regeneration, are included in the covenant of God's grace. John 3:15-17; Acts 4:12

\* the King James Version of the Bible being the choice for English speaking people.



## **CONSTITUTION**

### **THE PREAMBLE**

The name of this Association shall be called the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptist in Christ, Incorporated, and we agree to be governed by the following Constitution:

### **ARTICLE I**

Section 1. This body shall be composed of lay delegates sent from different churches, and Ministers, Deacons and the Sunday School Superintendents from Sunday Schools of the churches comprising the body, if they are members of the Separate Baptist Church.

Section 2. Each church comprising the body of this Association shall be entitled to 2 lay delegates for the first 25 members or fraction thereof; one lay delegate for each additional 25 members or fraction thereof.

### **ARTICLE II**

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall include the following: Moderator, Assistant Moderator, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer, who shall be elected and hold their office one associational year, and a Board of Trustees composed of five members selected by vote of delegates appointed by the churches; each church to be allowed one delegate. No church is to have more than one Association Trustee serving at one time. If a trustee is from your church he will automatically be the voting delegate when the new trustee is to be elected. The Chairman of the Trustees will preside over the meeting. Members of the first Board of Trustees shall serve 1,2,3,4 and 5 years respectively. Thereafter, each member shall be elected for five years, one members term of office to expire at each annual session.

Section 2. The duties of the Moderator shall be to preside at all meetings, be it either business or divine worship, and to appoint all committees except the Constitutional Committee, and to cast the deciding vote in case of a tie.

Section 3. The Assistant Moderator shall perform all duties of the Moderator in the absence of the Moderator.

Section 4. The duties of the Clerk shall be to make complete written record of the proceedings of all meetings of this body and keep a file record of the same, and carry on all correspondence.

Section 5. The duties of the Assistant Clerk shall be to perform the duties of the Clerk in the absence of the Clerk.

Section 6. The duties of the Treasurer shall be to receive all money and pay out the same upon order of the Trustees.

Section 7. The duties of the Assistant Treasurer shall be to perform the duties of the Treasurer in case the Treasurer is not able to perform his duties or is deceased.

Section 8. The duties of the Board of Trustees shall be to decide all questions arising under the constitution and by-laws of the association and to have the responsibility of the care and upkeep of all associational properties.

### **ARTICLE III**

This body shall meet once each year (or more often) if called by the Moderator.

### **ARTICLE IV**

No delegate shall absent himself from this body while in session without permission from the Moderator.

## **ARTICLE V**

No person has the right to perform the Ordinance of God's House unless legally ordained according to the mode adopted by the Separate Baptist Association.

## **ARTICLE VI**

Section 1. This association shall have a Mission Board consisting of five members. The members of this Board, shall be appointed by the Moderator.

Sections 2. The duties of the Mission Board shall be to solicit the support of our churches and ministers, and to organize new churches and Sunday Schools. The churches of the association shall raise a fund necessary for this. The Mission Board shall solicit each church for support.

Section 3. The duties of the Mission Board shall be also to take care of any mission money sent in by the different churches.

## **ARTICLE VII**

Section 1. This body shall have a Presbytery composed of five ordained ministers appointed by the moderator.

Section 2. The duties of the Presbytery shall be to attend the examination and ordination of all candidates for the ministry and deacons in the churches.

Section 3. If any church of this association wishes to ordain a deacon, they shall notify the Presbytery by letter, not less than three members of the Presbytery shall be present to examine the candidate and if found worthy to set apart or ordain. The Presbytery then may, if needed, ask any ordained personnel of this association to assist in the ordination only at which time the candidate shall be given a certificate of ordination.

Section 4. The qualifications required of those seeking ordination to the ministry are set forth in the by-laws of this association. The duties of the board shall extend from one session to another, and said board shall make a report at each meeting.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

This association shall have a Young Peoples Department, to be known as the Young Peoples Separate Baptist Union. Its officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. It will include all the Young Peoples Separate Baptist Unions of the association and will hold at least one meeting a year for the purpose of promoting the Young Peoples Work. Other meetings may be held upon call by the President. All officers shall be elected at the regular annual meeting. The Union may draft its own by-laws, but no by-laws shall be accepted which will conflict with or be in disagreement with the belief of the Separate Baptist Church. Said Young Peoples Separate Baptist Union shall make a report at each association.

## **ARTICLE IX**

This constitution, By-Laws and Articles of Doctrine may be changed or amended by a two-thirds vote of the association after an amendment has been submitted by a committee selected by the association for that purpose and after having been tabled for a period of one associational year. All amendments shall be submitted to the committee before being voted upon by the association. Said committee shall be composed of three members elected by the associational delegates. Members of the first Constitutional Committee shall serve one, two, three years respectively. Thereafter, each member shall be elected for three years, one members' term of office to expire at each annual association.

## **BY-LAWS**

### **ARTICLE I**

Any church applying for membership in this body by letter or delegate shall be requested to give evidence of orthodoxy and agree to comply with the rules of this body before being received.

### **ARTICLE II**

When any minister seeks membership in this body, or licentiate seeks ordination, his church shall notify the Presbytery by letter, the Presbytery shall be appointed at each association. Not less than three members of the Presbytery shall be present to examine him on his faith and doctrine, his standing in the church to which he belongs, his ability to expound the Gospel, and his educational qualifications. Any minister shall be licensed for two years before being set apart or ordained by the Presbytery. Then if found in complete accord with the association's Article of Doctrine, able to intelligently expound the Gospel, and worthy, then the Presbytery may if needed ask any ordained personnel of this association to assist in ordination only.

### **ARTICLE III**

Should any church or any member minister of this body fail to report to this body, the Presbytery shall investigate the cause of such failure and report the same to the association.

If any minister fails to report to the association or fails to pick up his minister's card within 2 years, they shall be placed on file with the association papers.

### **ARTICLE IV**

When more than one candidate is nominated for any office in the association, the election shall be by ballot.

### **ARTICLE V**

This body shall have the power to expel any church, minister, deacon, pastor or member from membership in the body for heterodoxy and disorderly conduct, and shall demand the surrender of credentials to the association. No church shall employ a minister as pastor who is not identified with the Separate Baptist Church, except in case of shortage of ministers, and then only by and with the consent and approval of the Presbytery. Said ministers so employed shall sign an agreement that their preaching shall be in accord with the Articles of Doctrine adopted by this body during his pastorate. The Separate Baptist Church is opposed to the doctrine of sanctification as a second definite work of grace and a thousand years literal reign of Christ, and will not permit its being preached in its churches.

### **ARTICLE VI**

In case of a discussion with any church of this body, and inability of the members of such church to settle such discussion, any member of such church shall have the privilege of calling upon the Board of Trustees of this body, and not upon the association, for settlement, upon giving due notice to the church of said appeal from the decision of such church to said board. The board shall take such action as it shall see fit and necessary in the case. Any member or church, if dissatisfied with the decision and action of the board, may appeal the decision of said board to the association.

### **ARTICLE VII**

It shall be the duty of the moderator of each church body to remind the church body to support the Central Indiana Association and Mission Board with their financial aid.

### **ARTICLE VIII**

The clerk shall receive one hundred dollars annually for his/her services as clerk and shall draw on the treasury to defray expenses in the printing and distribution of the minutes of the association.

### **ARTICLE IX**

No officer of this association shall hold the same office more than five years in succession.

### **ARTICLE X**

All elected and appointed officers of this association shall serve the time for which they are elected and until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

### **ARTICLE XI**

This association may act prudently as protectorate for a limited time toward any church of this association which fails to have any meetings.

### **ARTICLE XII**

This association shall not issue minister cards to licentiate ministers.

### **ARTICLE XIII**

This association forbids the ordination of women as ministers of this body.

### **ARTICLE XIV**

This association prohibits the ordination of homosexuals as ministers or deacons of this body. Also, no person shall be ordained who has more than one living wife or whose wife has more than one living husband.

## **RULES OF PROCEDURE**

1. This association shall be opened and closed with prayer.
2. All officers of this association shall be elected by a majority vote of delegates present.  
No one shall be allowed to vote by proxy.
3. All nominations of officers shall be by delegates.
4. Only members who presented the motion under discussion may speak more than once upon the motion, except when he be given permission by the moderator.
5. Any member wishing to speak shall arise and address the moderator and when given permission to speak, must adhere strictly to the subject without casting any reflections upon any previous speaker.
6. No person shall be interrupted when speaking as long as he adheres to the rules and decorum of the association and is casting light upon the subject.
7. Any delegate shall have a right to rise to a point of order any time one speaking is thought out of order by the objector. When recognized by the moderator, the objector may state his point of order. The moderator's decision on the point of order shall be final, unless appealed to the body.
8. Creating disturbances, speaking harshly to a brother, sowing discord, talking off the subject under discussion, or any act creating disturbances, shall be considered out of order.
9. There must be at least twenty delegates present to constitute a quorum.
10. All grievances or complaints that come before the association shall be heard by a committee appointed by the moderator and approved by association. Said committee shall immediately hear the evidence on the complaint or grievance and immediately report their decision to the association. Said decision shall be final unless an appeal is taken to the association.
11. Where these rules fail to provide, the moderator shall be governed by "Robert's Rules of Order."
12. These rules may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present at the regular association.

## **RULES & GUIDELINES FOR YOUTH CAMP**

Last revised September 10, 2004

1. No Camper shall be permitted to leave the campgrounds without the permission of the committee.
2. All campers must stay out of the woods and stay on the playground.
3. Each camper will be under the supervision of his or her teacher.
4. There will be no smoking while at the campground.
5. All girls must wear dresses or skirts to a length no higher than the knees.
6. Slacks will not be permitted for girls.
7. Boys must wear sleeved shirts and long pants.
8. Shorts will not be permitted for any camper.

**MINISTERS AND DEACONS INSTITUTE**  
**CONSTITUTION**

**PREAMBLE**

The name of this association shall be the Ministers and Deacons Institute of Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptists in Christ.

**Article I**

This body shall be composed of all pastors, licentiate/ordained ministers and ordained deacons of the Central Indiana Association of Separate Baptist Churches.

**Article II**

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be a Chairman, Assistant Chairman, Secretary/Treasurer and Assistant Secretary/Treasurer, who shall be elected and shall hold this office one year.

Section 2. No member shall be allowed to serve in the same office more than two consecutive years.

Section 3. All committees shall be appointed by the chairman.

Section 4. The Secretary/Treasurer shall make a complete written record of each meeting and keep on file, carry on all correspondence, and keep a record of receipts and expenditures.

**Article III**

This body shall meet on the third Friday night before the Fifth Sunday Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.

**Article IV**

Section 1. This institute shall have a program committee of two members of the Institute.

Section 2. The committee will have the responsibility of providing a program that will be acceptable to the chairman and pastor of the host church.

**Article V**

No one shall be eligible to make motions or speak in the business meeting except pastors, licentiate/ordained ministers or ordained deacons of the Central Indiana Separate Baptist Churches.

## **YOUNG PEOPLE'S SEPARATE BAPTIST UNION BY-LAWS**

**JULY 14, 1991**

1. The purpose of YPSBU is to gather the Central Indiana Association Young People together for worship and fellowship and to encourage young people to attend church and to be Christians.
2. The YPSBU will have quarterly meetings to be held in accordance with YPSBU President.
3. Officers for the YPSBU will be elected annually at the second quarterly meeting.
4. No officer is to hold the same office for more than three (3) consecutive years.
5. Officers for YPSBU will be as follows:
  - President - conducts quarterly meetings and appoints committee.
  - Vice-President - assist President; hold the position of President in the absence of the President.
  - Secretary and Treasurer - record minutes of meetings; control bank account; handle any correspondence.
  - Assistant Secretary and Treasurer - assist Secretary and Treasurer; hold office in their absence.
  - Song Leader - lead congregational singing at YPSBU quarterly meetings.
  - Assistant Song Leader - assist Song Leader; hold office of Song Leader in their absence.
6. Each quarterly YPSBU meeting will have a program for Young People especially designed by a program committee.
7. There will be a program committee of three members (or one church) appointed by the President at each quarterly meeting. They will be responsible for the following quarterly program.
8. Young People from the ages 10-45 will be eligible to vote in business if they attend one of the Central Indiana Association Churches.
9. The by-laws can be amended by two-thirds majority vote at the YPSBU quarterly meeting.

***NOTE: Piano player and assistant piano player removed as officers at the May 18, 2002 meeting.***

## **SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION**

The next meeting of the Sunday School Convention will be held  
May 3, 2015 @ 1:45p.m.  
*Chairman- Nathan Hunter*

## **FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING**

November 30, 2014  
March 29, 2015  
May 31, 2015  
August 30, 2015  
*Chairman- Matt Satter*

## **YOUTH CAMP**

June 15 thru 19, 2015  
*Committee: Chair- Benny Walden, Rick Owensby, Stacy Wiggington*

## **CAMPMEETING**

August 9-16, 2015  
*Committee: Chairman- Matt Satter, Guy Hardin, Daniel Sink*

## **CENTRAL INDIANA ASSOCIATION**

September 11 & 12, 2015  
*Moderator: Rev. Donnie Wiggington*

## **GENERAL ASSOCIATION**

October 9 & 10, 2015  
*Moderator: Rev. Jimmy Polston*  
Midway Campground  
8329 State Road 135 N. Morgantown, IN 46160

## **MINISTERS & DEACONS INSTITUTE MEETINGS**

*Chairman- Roger Sink*  
November 21, 2014  
March 20, 2015  
May 22, 2015  
August 21, 2015

## **SEPARATE BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE**

Fall 2014: Nov. 1, 8, 15, 22 – Rev. Johnny Perkins “*Creation vs. Evolution*”  
Spring 2014: Feb. 15, 22, Mar. 1 – Rev. Randy Brown “*The Church today-  
conforming instead of transforming*”  
*Committee: Chairman- Jimmie McGaha, Stacy Wiggington,  
Benny Walden, Johnny Perkins, Nathan Hunter*



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Reverend Wayne J. Emerson, 79, of Columbus, passed from this life on Monday, March 31, 2014. He was born in Liberty, Kentucky, May 28, 1934, the son of Elmer W. and Ethel A. Delp Emerson. He married Clara R. Bidwell on May 9, 1953.

Bro. Wayne retired in 1986 as a machine operator with Milestone Contractors where he had worked for 16 years. He was owner of Emerson Auto Sales from 1986 to 1996 and had been a minister since 1975, serving at Shiloh Separate Baptist Church for 18 years.

Bro. Wayne enjoyed fishing, going to flea markets and collecting fishing rods. He was a devoted Christian and family man.

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