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The 83rd Free Will Baptist National Convention will be hosted by Ohio Free Will Baptists for the fifth time in our history. Keynote speakers Paul Keener (OH), Tim Eaton (OK), Terry Austin (DC), Daniel Edwards (IN), Tom Dooley (OH), and Diego Cueva (VA) will explore the theme “Lifted Up” from various Scripture passages, challenging attendees to Lift Up Their Eyes (Psalm 121:1), Lift Up the Discouraged (Hebrews 12:12), Lift Up the Son of Man (John 3:14; John 12:32), Lift Up the Promise of Christ’s Return (Luke 21:28), and Lift Up Our Eyes to the Harvest (John 4:35). In addition to worship services, dozens of seminars, workshops, and panel discussions will explore subjects vital to today’s congregation. Services are live streamed courtesy of the Media Commission, while a convention app and social media presence help attendees plan convention agendas and connect with other attendees. Even more importantly, Spanish language translation and translation for the Deaf are available for convention worship services.

Attendees are also encouraged to take part in **Impact Cincinnati**, a one-day evangelistic campaign of service and outreach. This year, Saturday, July 20, volunteers will participate in door-to-door outreach at Lighthouse FWB Church in Elsmere, Kentucky, or sponsor a neighborhood festival sponsored by a second Cincinnati-area church. For more details about Impact, or to register for the activities, visit www.fwbmastersmen.org.

While the business of the denomination is conducted, the 52nd **Vertical Three Conference** will focus on the theme “Identity” based on Ephesians 4:24, helping young people understand the importance of their identity in Christ. Between CTS Expo events, Engage seminars, and worship services, Free Will Baptist students are sure to grow in faith as they apply what they learn at the 2019 conference.

The **2019 Convention Choir and Orchestra**, guided by the Free Will Baptist Music Commission, needs vocalists and instrumentalists (age 15+). You will enjoy worshipping with other Free Will Baptists from all over the nation. If you wish to be involved or need more information about convention music, email: music@nafwb.org. You also can connect with the commission on Facebook to hear previews of this year’s music: facebook.com/fwbmusiccommission.



As I See It

by Glenn Poston

He's dead now but when I was young, my life was greatly impacted by a man named Laverne. He was a simple man with just an eighth grade education when I first met

him, but he was a hard worker and saw the value of a good education. When the local high school offered night classes in adult education, he decided to go back to school. It was tough supporting a family of six, working six days a week, and going back to school at night. But, he persevered and in a few years proudly earned his high school diploma. He even went into business for himself, though truthfully, he was not the best business man in the world. People took advantage of his good nature and often never paid him for services he rendered to them. But somehow, he managed to stay in business until he was over 70 years of age and enjoyed every minute of it. He died with a lot of people owing him money, though it never seemed to bother him all that much. He had a heart for helping people and he figured that God would always make a way for him. You see, although Laverne did not grow up in a Christian home, when he was in his early twenties, he accepted Jesus as his lord and savior and Jesus made all the difference in his life.

At the invitation of a Free Will Baptist pastor, Laverne started attending a small Free Will Baptist church a few miles from town. It was said that when Laverne put his hand to the plow, he never looked back. He and his family were faithful to all the services of the church. He might have struggled to pay his bills but he always managed to tithe on what the Lord gave him. He was not a big talker and often struggled to give a verbal witness to lost people God placed in his path. He taught Sunday School, served as the church treasurer, and the church honored him when they ordained him as a deacon which he served faithfully until the Lord called him home. Laverne was not super talented or super smart, but he, along with his wife, was successful in winning all four of his children to Christ and instrumental in winning dozens of others to Christ by his love and consistent testimony. I still remember the day when I stepped forward at the end of a church service to receive Christ. Laverne came and knelt beside me and led me in the sinners prayer. Laverne lived 76 years within five miles from where he was born. In that small town where he lived, nearly 500 people came to pay their respects to a man they knew was "the real deal." That man, Laverne, was my dad, and as I write this article the week before Father's Day, I am eternally grateful that God blessed me with a father who was "the real deal."



Greetings from SEVIERVILLE, TN

It has been an exciting few weeks as our team (the Kivette and Newland families) has made the move over to the Sevierville area. We were both able to close on a house during May and now we are well under way in our efforts to reach people for Christ. It seems that at every turn the Lord is putting people in our path to meet and share our faith and ministry with. Though we are still transitioning into our new homes, we are looking forward to everything that the Lord has in store for this church plant. We believe that God is going to do great things here to build His kingdom, and we are privileged to be a part of it.

We need your prayers and support. The Newland family is currently at 69% fund raised. We pray to be finished by the time school begins in August. We are connecting with people who are unsaved -- please pray that God would open their hearts to the Gospel in our efforts to reach them. Please pray about how your church can partner with us in this ministry. Thank you for all that you do.

In Christ,
The Kivette and Newland Families

Dr. J. D. Norris Retires

Dr. J. D. Norris who has spent more than 50 years in ministry, including many years in TN, has retired from active pastoral ministry. He most recently spent 22 years at the Virginia Beach Free Will Baptist Church. In January, he retired and moved to St. Augustine, FL. He is now available for revivals, camp meetings, and weekend services. Around the end of May, Norris learned he has cancer of the spine that has spread to other parts of the body. Dr. Norris states he is pressing on in spite of his illness and he does not believe the Lord is through with him yet. If you would like to contact him, you may write him at 4670 A1A S., Unit 16A, St. Augustine, FL 32080, call 757-343-8156, or e-mail jdnorrisjr@icloud.com.



Greetings from OAKLAND, TN

A hardy hello from Oakland, TN. For those of you who have been keeping up with our ministry here in West Tennessee, you are well aware that we have purchased property with a building. Things have

been moving at a constant pace. God has certainly been testing my patience in this endeavor. We were approved to purchase the building back in August, 2018 and I wanted to move in by Halloween. However, it's like they say, if you want to make God laugh show him your plans. The past several months have been filled with meeting city officials, and compiling a list of fire code requirements before moving in.

We know what we need to do to move in, we have a plan, and we have budgeted accordingly. We are only renovating what is necessary for us to legally move in. The building will not be exactly what we want until much later, or until God wills it. We are excited and nervous in equal measure.

We have good news and not so good news. The good news is that Faith church has had the best year financially and attendance wise than it ever has before. God truly provided and will continue to provide for us. The not so good news, is that the needed renovations will cost considerably more than we thought it would. I am told this is always the situation when it comes to construction. This will put us in a tight situation financially. However, God is good and as long as we are constant and intentional in our faithfulness I know he will take care of us. Of course any support that you can offer would be greatly appreciated.

Faith Church loves each and every one of you and is greatly appreciative of your continued prayer for us in this new chapter of our ministry. If you have any questions, email me at jordan@faithchurchfwb.com or call me at (901) 833-1235.

Your Brother In Ministry,
Pastor Jordan Osborn



Churches IN TENNESSEE

EXPERIENCE HARDSHIP

A 37 year old man, allegedly under the influence of drugs, vandalized the **Limestone Free Will Baptist Church** in Washington County in May, According to Pastor Tim Roach, the church had gone through a \$77,000 renovation of its sanctuary and classrooms just two months before. The perpetrator turned over A/C equipment on the outside, breaking lines and connections, then forced his entry inside through a window, wreaking havoc with a fire extinguisher, turning over book cases, etc. even tearing pages from a Bible. After being caught on surveillance cameras and losing his wallet on the church property, a man was arrested in the case.

Also in May, the **Unity Free Will Baptist Church** in White House had a man killed on their construction site. The man operating a heavy piece of excavation equipment was killed when the dirt gave way underneath the equipment and fell on top of him. Adding to the tragedy was the fact that the man, who had been attending the church for five or six months, had joined the church only one month earlier. Pastor Billy Bowers desires your prayers for their new congregation. The church is building their first building, having been meeting in a rented facility for the last several years.



It's not too late to send a contribution to the Mother's Day Offering for Family Ministries. Your gifts are greatly needed and would be greatly appreciated.



IM Announces New Director of Mobilization

General Director Clint Morgan announced Danny Gasperson, of Asheville, North Carolina, has accepted the position of director of mobilization. As part of his duties, he will also become the administrative director of The Hanna Project.

Gasperson will begin his new role on July 1, 2019. Morgan noted, "We are excited to have Danny join our home team. His work in missions, church mobilization, and discipleship clearly reveal his passion for missions. We look forward to the great impact his work and heart will have on IM's efforts to "labor with the Body of Christ to fulfill the Great Commission."

Gasperson has pastored Zephyr Hills Free Will Baptist Church in Asheville for 19 years. He and his wife Jackie have promoted missions awareness and involvement during their tenure. Danny once said, "We thought we were a 'missions-minded church,' but discovered we were just a church that didn't mind missions. As we examined our priorities and oriented them to God's priorities, missions went from being part of the program to the heart of the program. Our people developed personal ownership of missions." That heart for missions became evident as the congregation sponsored an annual prayer summit. Missionaries discovered Zephyr Hills attendees truly knew them—their prayer needs, their family members, their particular missionary efforts, and their fields of service. As a result, missionaries love to participate in this local church endeavor. Morgan affirmed, "We'd love to see Danny help churches across the country make a similar journey."

Zephyr Hills is consistently one of the top donating churches to the WMO (World Mission Offering) and overall missions support. Gasperson regularly promoted IM and THP at association meetings and other FWB churches. He has led multiple overseas trips with The Hanna Project, primarily in Central Asia. Many of his church members have participated in mission trips both overseas and in the States.

The 59-year-old was elected to IM's board at the 2018 National Association of Free Will Baptists. His acceptance of the Director of Mobilization position will necessitate the election of a new board member at the 2019 convention in Ohio. Danny graduated with a from Welch College in 1984 and also earned a masters from Bob Jones University in 1985. He has been married to his wife Jackie for 37 years.



McVay Resigns

Sam McVay, director of The Hanna Project, resigned in April. In his resignation letter, Sam stated, "It has been a dream come true to serve" in this capacity. McVay served in a number of ministry positions before working with The Hanna Project. He and his wife June worked in Spain for 17 years before Sam transitioned to stateside work. His role with THP kept him in the skies and overseas a good portion of each year as he oversaw short-term teams in many countries. Clint Morgan expressed, "I received the resignation letter of my dear friend and colleague with sadness. But I know the Lord has the next step prepared for Sam and I am confident he will follow it."

TENNESSEE STATE MEN'S RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 12-14
Cumberland Camp

2193 Happy Hills Acre Rd | Woodlawn, TN 37191



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NOAH TAYLOR

TOMMY SWINDOL

Dr. SAMUEL JATOR

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE
Archery | Trap Shooting*
Kayak/Canoeing
Giant Swing | Cornhole
Fishing | Frisbee Golf

COST: \$99

Mail check to Pardue Memorial FWB Church
1895 Memorial Dr, Clarksville, TN 37043

EVENT

5pm Thursday - Saturday Morning

QUESTIONS

For questions or more information, please contact either
Jason Bell at (615) 337-8624
or Chad Kivette at (931) 436-4776

*Trap Shooting cost an additional \$10

Tennessee Women's Active for Christ RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 19-21, 2019

By Sonda Finley

Chances are you know someone struggling with an addiction. It could be you are that person or you live with that person. If that is the case, I'm so sorry for your struggle and your pain. No matter the circumstances that brought you to this point, you or your loved one deserve better. This crisis is not only being faced within ourselves, but is affecting our families, friends, communities, and the church.

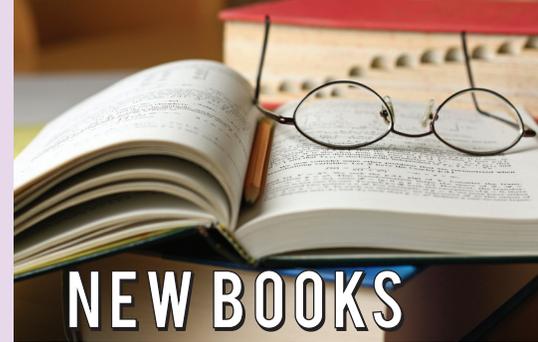
Join our TN FWB ladies on September 19-21, 2019, at Country Cascades, 204 Sharon Drive, Pigeon Forge for "Our Faithfulness to Our Faithful God". Each of our speakers will focus on a different aspect of addiction - Sterl Paramore will provide information on addiction and what we are facing; Jim McComas will share his personal story; and Sarah Bracey will discuss the hope that we have and what we can do. The Agee Family returns this year for a weekend of Worship and Praise beginning Thursday evening (the 19th) at 7:00 p.m. You don't want to miss out!

TWAC projects during the past two years include: (1) missionaries - The Jonathan Postlewaite family and the Josh Provow Family (each are serving in Bulgaria). Our goal - \$15,000. If the approximately 200 FWB churches within TN would provide a gift of \$100, we would not only meet our goal but exceed it by \$5,000; and (2) the 2021 National Convention in Memphis, TN. Our goal - \$15,000. "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations. . ." Matthew 28:19. Do you want to be a part of His work? Are you willing to sacrifice for His cause? Gifts and contributions (make checks payable to TWAC) may be forwarded to Jessica Edwards, Treasurer, 7112 Chessington Drive, Fairview, TN 37062 or you may bring them to the retreat. All financial gifts received will be divided equally between the two families.

Registration for this 3-day event is \$40.00 per person and the deadline is Monday, July 15. Hotel accommodations (each room sleeps up to four) is \$105.00 (tax included) per night. Registration forms, registration fee, and hotel room request/money should be sent to Jessica Edwards at the above address by Monday, July 15, 2019. All checks are to be made out to TWAC. The TWAC executive officers will take care of all reservations with the hotel upon receipt of registration. If you or your organization did not receive this registration information or have questions, contact Phyllis Gaw at PGaw@tntech.edu.

We are also in need of gift cards or gift baskets for retreat door prizes, as well as, donated books for this year's 2019 Book Sale.

Ladies, we have the potential to change the world! So let's pray that God will use this Retreat to His glory. That when we leave we will be better informed on how to minister to ourselves, our families, our churches, and our communities. "You are my hiding place and my shield; I hope in Your Word." Psalm 119:114.



NEW BOOKS

Dr. Robert Picirilli, general editor, recently announced the completion of **Luke**, written by Dr. Thomas Marberry, which is the twelfth and final volume of **The Randall House Bible Commentary**. This set of commentaries first began to be published in 1987 when the first two volumes, **Romans** and **1 & 2 Corinthians** were released. According to Picirilli, "The Randall House Bible Commentary provides a legacy resource for the library of anyone who studies, teaches, or preaches the Bible, one that is reliable, practical and represents our unique Arminian perspective."

Jon Forrest has written a new book called, **Fight Like Your Life Depends On It**. It is a group study guide for teens and is published by Randall House. For more information, contact Jon at fightbyforrest.com

Dr. Roy Harris has written a new book on sermon preparation, **Called To Preach, Now What**. The book is filled with practical suggestions, helpful ideas and great resources for preparing powerful, doctrinally sound, life changing and interesting sermons. Order a copy for yourself or for a young preacher you want to encourage at Amazon.com or contact Roy personally at: roy@royharrisministries.com

With The Lord

Absent from the body, present with the Lord!



Henrietta Harrison, 79, Gray, passed away on March 12, 2019. She was a charter member of Gray Free Will Baptist Church

where her son Darin Harrison is the pastor. Henrietta is survived by her husband of 60 years, George "G.N." Harrison; two daughters, one son, Darin Harrison, and three grandchildren. Pastor Darin Harrison and Rev. Dennis H. Spears officiated.



Rev. Chesley Ray "Bud" Hill, 85, Pleasant View, died Friday, May 24, 2019 at his residence. He is survived by his wife of 65 years,

Mary Hill; a son, Paul C. (Elaine) Hill; a daughter, Celecia (Baron) Cutts; three grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. Rev. Hill was born on May 4, 1934 in St. Louis, Missouri to the late Chesley and Nellie Mae Irene Hughes Hill. He served and preached for over 65 years in many churches among the Free Will Baptist denomination. He also taught school for 30 years and was an avid supporter of Welch College. He was a member of the Heads Free Will Baptist Church. Billy Ellis and Barry Simpson officiated.



Rev. Robert L "Bob" Baggett, 85, Dickson, went to be with the Lord on April 22, 2019 after an extended illness. Brother Bob

was married for 54 years to his wife, Ollie Mai, who died in 2011. He is survived by their three daughters, 17 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. Rev. Wayne Bess and Rev. James Carrington officiated. Brother Baggett preached all over the Western Quarterly of the Cumberland Association and was an avid supporter and promoter especially of Cumberland Camp, Berea Ministries, Free Will Baptist International Missions, and North American Ministries.



Graduation

Welch College conferred degrees on 52 students on May 10 in the Student Activities Center space that was converted into a 700 seat auditorium. The college awarded degrees in multiple programs, including two year associate degrees, four year bachelor degrees, and the Master of Arts Degree in Theology and Ministry.

TN Department of Education Approves Special Education at Welch College

Welch College recently received notification that the Tennessee Department of Education's Office of Educator Licensing and Preparation has approved Welch's Special Education licensure program for Pre-K through 5th grade and as an additional endorsement for licensed teachers, according to Dr. Greg Ketteman, Vice President for Strategic Initiatives and Dean of Graduate Education at Welch.

Welch College Signs Articulation Agreement With New Orleans Seminary

Welch College recently signed an agreement with New Orleans Baptist Seminary that will make it easier for Welch graduates to transfer credits to graduate degree programs at the seminary, according to Dr. Kevin Hester, Dean of the School of Theology and Vice President of Institutional Effectiveness at Welch College. "New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary is a conservative Baptist seminary that has given voice to the Arminian side of the Baptist tradition. I pray that this relationship will be fruitful for both institutions for many years to come."

Welch Golf Tournament

Welch College is sponsoring a golf tournament on Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019. The tournament will be held in Gallatin.TN Find Registration and sponsorship information at www.welch.edu/welchclassic . Please mark your calendars and make plans participate.



Tennessee State Association • March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019

INCOME

Appalachian Association

Appalachian Association	357.52
Doran Addition FWB Church - Kingsport	360.00
First FWB Church - Elizabethton	500.00
First FWB Church - Johnson City	2,807.00
Grace FWB Church - Johnson City	800.00
Harmony FWB Church - Hampton	600.00
Liberty Fellowship - Johnson City	600.00
Marbleton FWB Church - Unicoi	2,350.00
Watauga Valley FWB Church - Elizabethton	250.00

Cumberland Association

180 FWB Church - Clarksville	4,455.00
Ashland City FWB Church	4,400.00
Berean FWB Church - Fairview	1,027.00
Bethel FWB Church - Ashland City	14,324.35
Bethlehem FWB Church - Ashland City	9,291.00
Brandon's Chapel FWB Church - Bumpus Mills	2,281.00
Cane Ridge FWB Church - Nashville	3,127.81
Cofer's Chapel FWB Church - Nashville	15,442.00
Corner Stone FWB Church - Murfreesboro	1,196.00
Covenant FWB Church - Southside	647.00
Cross Roads FWB Church - Lawrenceburg	600.00
Cross Timbers FWB Church - Nashville	11,261.26
Donelson Fellowship - Nashville	37,412.48
Dunbar Chapel Church - Indian Mound	75.00
Faith FWB Church - Columbia	289.62
First FWB Church - Dickson	6,355.00
First FWB Church - Springfield	1,975.00
First FWB Church - Waverly	300.00
Good Springs FWB Church - Pleasant View	5,372.92
Heads FWB Church - Cedar Hill	4,257.00
Hendersonville FWB Church	4,011.00
Hurricane Chapel FWB Church - Dickson	1,269.40

LaVergne FWB Church	2,570.00
Loyal Chapel FWB Church - Columbia	600.00
Miller's Chapel FWB Church - Charlotte	1,042.00
New Hope FWB Church - Joelton	11,213.78
Oak Grove FWB Church - Charlotte	338.00
Oakwood FWB Church - Woodlawn	3,332.00
Olivet FWB Church - Clarksville	2,693.53
Pleasant Hill FWB Church - Dover	946.50
Rejoice FWB - Nashville	715.00
Richland FWB Church - Nashville	1,762.89
Rock Springs FWB Church - Charlotte	100.00
Shady Grove FWB Church - Clarksville	293.72
Stoney Point FWB Church - Vanleer	200.00
United FWB Church - Dickson	2,288.55
Victory FWB Church - Springfield	1,658.60
West End FWB Church - Springfield	150.00

Liberty Association

Cookeville FWB Church	1,200.00
Crossville First FWB Church	3,045.65

Mountain Empire Fellowship

Fellowship FWB Church - Kingsport	9,025.00
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Smoky Mountains

Fairview FWB Church - Knoxville	1,107.14
Hardin Valley FWB Church - Knoxville	75.00
Valley View FWB Church - Loudon	7,756.72

Toe River Association

Friendship FWB Church - Hampton	75.00
Morgan Chapel FWB Church - Hampton	900.00

Union Association

Community Chapel FWB Church - Talbott	150.00
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First FWB Church - Church Hill	800.00
First FWB Church - Newport	703.75
First FWB Church - Surgoinsville	700.00
Grove FWB Church - Smyrna	1,361.05
Harris Memorial FWB Church - Greeneville	1,072.00
Jackson Chapel FWB Church - Mosheim	300.00
Kingsley Ave. FWB Church - Chuckey	150.00
Limestone FWB Church	520.00
Oak Grove FWB Church - Greeneville	2,867.13
Peace FWB Church - Morristown	4,140.00
Unicoi FWB Church	180.00
Union Chapel FWB Church - Chuckey	600.00
West Greene FWB Church - Mosheim	469.65

West Tennessee Association

Faith FWB Church - Oakland	200.00
Victory FWB Church - Jackson	2,155.00

Other Churches

First FWB Church - McMinnville	1,196.00
Grace For The World - Dickson	9,150.00

Miscellaneous

Brotherhood Mutual	15,000.00
Re-Imbursement	281.00
Spring Retreat	3,271.80

Total Income \$236,350.82

Total Expenditures \$267,347.03

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The Unified Ministry Plan of Support • March 1, 2019 - May 31, 2019

INCOME

180 FWB Church - Clarksville	\$1,500.00
Appalachian Association	157.52
Berean FWB Church - Fairview	952.00
Bethlehem FWB Church - Ashland City	1,793.00
Brandon's Chapel FWB Church - Bumpus Mills	818.00
Cane Ridge FWB Church - Nashville	486.19
Cofer's Chapel FWB Church - Nashville	2,375.00
Corner Stone FWB Church - Murfreesboro	305.00
Covenant FWB Church - Southside	497.00
Cross Roads FWB Church - Leoma	600.00
Cross Timbers FWB Church - Nashville	402.60
Donelson FWB Church - Nashville	4,031.43
Faith FWB Church - Columbia	289.62
Faith FWB Church - Oakland	200.00
Fellowship FWB Church - Kingsport	150.00
First FWB Church - Elizabethton	500.00
First FWB Church - Johnson City	250.00
First FWB Church - Newport	703.75
First FWB Church - Surgoinsville	150.00
Friendship FWB - Hampton	75.00

Good Springs FWB Church - Pleasant View	2,905.84
Grove FWB Church - Smyrna	1,361.05
Hendersonville FWB Church	440.00
Hurricane Chapel FWB Church - McEwen	1,269.40
Jackson Chapel FWB Church - Mosheim	300.00
Liberty Fellowship - Johnson City	600.00
Loyal Chapel FWB Church - Columbia	600.00
New Hope FWB Church - Joelton	1,450.00
Oak Grove FWB Church - Charlotte	338.00
Oak Grove FWB Church - Greeneville	125.00
Rejoice FWB Church - Antioch	150.00
Richland FWB Church - Nashville	1,020.65
Unicoi FWB Church - Unicoi	180.00
Union Chapel FWB Church - Chuckey	600.00
United FWB Church - Dickson	2,058.55
Valley View FWB Church - Loudon	271.47
Victory FWB Church - Jackson	455.00
West Greene FWB Church - Greeneville	469.65

TOTAL INCOME \$30,830.72

DISTRIBUTIONS:

State Office	\$10,306.66
Scholarship Fund	1,528.65
Minister's Retirement Fund	1,910.83
TN Home Missions	2,312.35
TN International Missions	385.40
Family Ministries	3,468.53
TN Christian Education	847.91
TWAC	308.34
TN Master's Men	308.34
National Together Way	7,091.07
International Fellowship	77.11
National Convention Fund	764.32
Appalachian Association	58.73
Cumberland Association	898.93
Smoky Mountain Association	9.45
Toe River Association	1.50
Union Association	145.81
West Tennessee Association	24.60
Church Revitalization Fund	382.19

TOTAL DISTRIBUTIONS \$30,830.72

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Upcoming Events

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| July 20 | Impact Cincinnati |
| July 21-24 | National Association, Vertical III Expo, WNAC Conventions, Cincinnati, Ohio |
| Sept. 19-21 | TWAC Retreat, Country Cascades, Pigeon Forge |
| Sept. 26-28 | D-6 Conference, Orlando, FL |
| Oct. 1 | Welch Golf Tournament |
| Nov. 8-10 | TN State Youth Retreat
Mainstay Suites, Pigeon Forge |
| Nov. 11-13 | TN State Association,
Mainstay Suites, Pigeon Forge |
| Nov. 24 | Mission North America Offering |
| Dec. 9-10 | National Leadership Conference,
Airport Marriott, Nashville |

FOLLOW

2019 STATE YOUTH RETREAT

Join hundreds of students and sponsors from across Tennessee and surrounding states **November 8-10**. Take advantage of the fun of Pigeon Forge has to offer, from hiking in the Smoky Mountains to shopping, to the "fastest in Pigeon Forge" go-kart track two blocks from the retreat hotel. This year's retreat music will be led once again by Ryan Lewis, worship leader at Cofer's Chapel FWB Church in Nashville, Tennessee.

Register by Friday, October 18, to reserve your rooms! Rooms cost \$375 (approximately \$93 per attendee). However, a room can house up to six people, reducing per-student retreat costs if you choose to put more than four to a room. (Please complete the form below. If you need more than 10 rooms, please complete the form as many times as needed.)

For more information visit the official site at tncelink.com