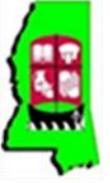




MISSISSIPPI FREE WILL BAPTISTS



MESSENGER UPDATE

March 10, 2026

“Called to Love, Sent to Serve”

THE MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

[Mississippi State Association of Free Will Baptists \(msfwb.org\)](http://msfwb.org)

msafwb22@gmail.com text at (662)213-0231

PRAYER REQUEST



MSAFWB Missions Treasurer, George Kimbrough’s wife, Kay, received a clean P.E.T. scan in December from stage 4 liver cancer. Another scan this month shows its back again. She’ll be starting chemo treatments on the 24th.

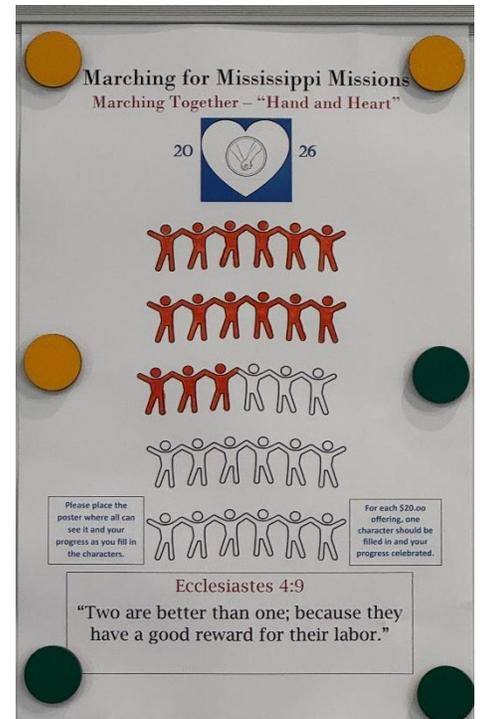
CROSSWALK – NEW ALBANY



March for Mississippi Missions is here and Crosswalk FWB Church is off to a great start! Our poster is half filled already! I spoke with a pastor whose church has already filled a poster and started on the second one. We are thankful that our church family as well as other church families across Mississippi are excited about Mississippi missions!

Praise the Lord!

We were blessed to be with our friends at the Northeast Mississippi Association Meeting this past Saturday. Thank you to Pastor Rich Dilling and the great folks at Springdale FWB Church. You all did an awesome job! Also, special thanks to Bro. Cody Henderson and Dr. Gerald Gann for the encouraging messages!



Thank you Mississippi for your continuing prayers and support!

Pastor Thomas and Lisa Loyd

HISPANIC MINISTRY- Rick Bowling



Brother Rick Bowling and the Hispanic Ministry. Mississippi Free Will Baptist's partnership is positively impacting many families. Our continued involvement is essential to its success and service within the Hispanic community.

Thanks Mississippi for YOUR faithfulness!!



We are grateful for Doctor Rich Dilling and the congregation at Springdale for hosting the Northeast Association meeting last Saturday.

The Word was preached by Dr. GERAL GANN and Rev. Cody Henderson. Pastor John Johnson is the Northeast Mississippi F.W.B. Association moderator. Pastor Aaron Baldrige is the clerk of the Association.

The Springdale congregation was awarded the attendance banner.



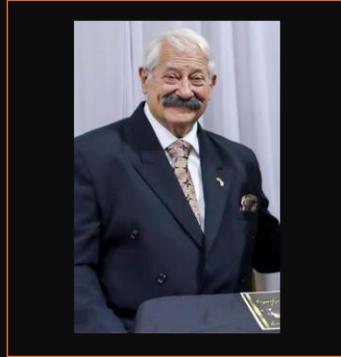
**THE SOUTH MISSISSIPPI
FWB ASSOCIATION MEETING**
Saturday, March 21, 2026
starting at 9:00 AM

**Hosted by Gulf Coast FWB
Church**
13040 Three Rivers Rd,
Gulfport, MS 39503



**Dr. Larry Reynolds will be
preaching ther Word.**

**All are encouraged to
support by your
attendance !**



• **SOUTH MS ASSOCIATION MEETING** was rescheduled – **March 21, 2026** @ Gulf Coast FWB Church- meal will be served.

MISSION FUNDRAISERS
\$10 MISSION FUNDRAISERS

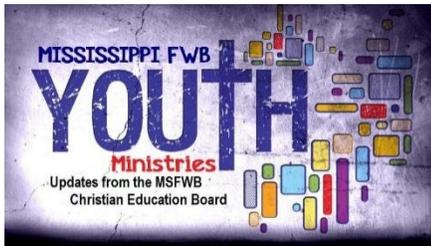
\$10 MISSION TRIP LUNCH
March 21 | 10:30 AM – 3:00 PM
146 Free Will Ln, Saitillo, MS

Menu Includes:
• Burger or Hotdog
• Chips
• Baked Beans
• Dessert
• Drink

\$10 CROCHETED COFFEE CLUTCHES
Handmade coffee sleeves
\$10 each
Perfect gift idea!
All sales go toward supporting our mission team.

SUPPORT OUR SUMMER MISSIONARIES

 Bulgaria —	 Ikebukuro, Japan	St. Croix ✦
 Eden Greer	 Ikebukuro, Japan	 St. Croix
		



State Youth Competition will be held at Beech Springs Free Will Baptist Church April 11th at 9am.

- Registration Deadline is March 15th.
- Please Mail Entry forms from this link ([<https://msfwb.org/syc>] and mail to the following address by March 15th:
 - MSFWB CE Board
 - 8515 MS-363, Mantachie, MS 38855

• **2026 MSAFWB ANNUAL MEETING** will be held April 17 & 18, 2026. will be held at Beech Springs Free Will Baptist Church



**HELP US UPGRADE
MORGANWOOD YOUTH CAMP!**

WE NEED AT LEAST 10 CHURCHES WHO WILL
DONATE \$500 EACH TO HELP US **BUY NEW
TABLES AND CHAIRS!**



Consider donating \$500 towards
the purchase of new tables and chairs
for **Morganwood Youth Camp!**

YOUR SUPPORT WILL HELP PROVIDE
FACILITIES FOR YOUTH
CAMPERS!



Morganwood FWB Youth Camp

*“Investing in God’s Kingdom – Involvement in the
Future of Our Youth”*

Administrator’s Report - Quarter One 2026

Thank you for your prayers and participation in the Ministry of Morganwood Youth Camp. God continues to graciously bless this ministry. I am thankful for the dedicated team who serve faithfully at Morganwood Youth Camp.

We praise the Lord that we were able to plan camp in 2026.

MAY 31ST TO JUNE 5TH TEEN (7-12 grades completed) - Rev. Paul Bryant is the director and Charles Cook is the evangelist.

JR CAMP (4,5 & 6 grades completed) - **LOOKING FOR A DIRECTOR. JUNE 7TH -12TH**

ELEMENTARY (1,2 & 3rd grades completed) – **LOOKING FOR A CO-DIRECTOR. JUNE 14TH -17TH**

PS KG ages day camp only. **LOOKING FOR A CO-DIRECTOR. JUNE 18TH**

BE IN PRAYER FOR THE STUDENTS AND STAFF.

NEEDS:

WE ARE IN NEED OF A COUPLE OF CAMP DIRECTORS FOR THE JR WEEK AND THE ELEMENTARY WEEKS.

- **WE NEED SOME ADULT COUNSELORS FOR THOSE WEEKS, AND WE NEED A LIFEGUARD FOR ALL THREE WEEKS.**

WITH THAT IN MIND, WE WILL HAVE TWO TRAINING DAYS

THIS SATURDAY, MARCH 14TH 9AM &

APRIL 25TH, AT 9AM

- **WE ARE TRYING TO PURCHASE NEW TABLES AND CHAIRS. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP, PLEASE GO TO THE MORGANWOOD YOUTH CAMP FACEBOOK PAGE OR REACH OUT TO ME.**

Please pray for the team and myself as we make decisions to improve the camp.

I am grateful for the churches in the MS associations and the individuals who contribute to the financial needs of Morganwood.

Please continue supporting the ongoing ministry of Morganwood Youth Camp, ie MY CAMP. Consider including Morganwood in your church budget.

**Funds can be sent through MTW or directly to
Morganwood Youth Camp, 385 COUNTY ROAD 1371,
Booneville, MS 38829.**

If you have any questions about Morganwood, feel free to call @ 209-380-0505.

Yours in His Service,
RYAN SMITH
Camp Administrator



1. Fellowship Free Will Baptist Church (South MS Association) 2626 Union Road Richton, MS 39476 Contact Justin Walley 803 Umpqua Road Richton MS 39476 (601) 525-6357

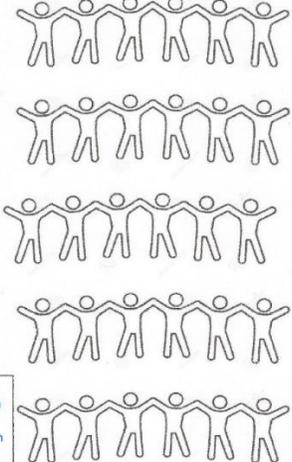
2. Bethlehem Free Will Baptist Church - Pontotoc, MS, looking for bi-vocational Youth Pastor- Contact Pastor Mike Ratliff @ 662-871-8791
3. Bethel Free Will Baptist Church 200 Freewill Church Rd, Richton, MS 39476 (South Mississippi FWB Association) Contact: Brother Joel Garner 62 Phillips Nursery Rd. Richton, MS 39476 Ph. 601 964-0049
4. Antioch Free Will Baptist Church (Little Brown Creek Association) – Brother Russell Clouse is serving as interim Pastor.
5. White Hill Free Will Baptist Church (NE MS Assn.) 3702 Clarkston Rd. Eupora, MS 38744– contact: Donna Fowler@ (662) 263-7809

The new month of March STARTED our annual *“March for Mississippi Missions.”* This is our annual emphasis on mission work in Mississippi. This is an important opportunity for fulfilling our responsibility to support missions in our state.



Marching for Mississippi Missions
Marching Together – “Hand and Heart”

20  26



Please place the poster where all can see it and your progress as you fill in the characters.

For each \$20.00 offering, one character should be filled in and your progress celebrated.

Ecclesiastes 4:9
“Two are better than one; because they have a good reward for their labor.”



We would like to share your event in the UPDATE!

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