



MINUTES
Of The
**ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINTH ANNUAL
SESSION**
Of
THE MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE
Of
THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH
At
THE MISSISSIPPI HEADQUARTERS
And
CAMPGROUNDS

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June 24-26, 2020*

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Rev. Reggie Smith	Jan Russell

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Rev. Billy Frazure	Angel Hosey
Rev. Dan Henry, III	Robert Johnson
Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers	Dianne Reid

STATIONING COMMITTEE

Rev. Dan Henry, III	Angel Hosey
Rev. James Roy Killingsworth	Robert Johnson

CAMP MEETING COMMITTEE

1 yr	Rev. LaDon Dawson	Dianne Reid
2 yrs	Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins	Debbie Little
3 yrs	Rev. Bobby Dawson	Gloria McConnell
4 yrs	Rev. Matt Lambert	Angel Hosey

MINISTERIAL EDUCATION AND RELATIONS COMMITTEE

1 yr	Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers	Gloria McConnell
2 yrs	Rev. Dan Henry, III	Shawn Sellers
3 yrs	Rev. Reggie Smith	Richard Garrett
4 yrs	Rev. Mike Tullis	Jan Russell

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1 yr	Rev. Carlos Dawson, II	Donis Chatham
2 yrs	Rev. James Roy Killingsworth	John Weston

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1 yr	Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins	Dianne Reid	Duffy Bankston
2 yrs	Rev. Mrs. Bailey	Angel Hosey	Jeff Little
3 yrs	Rev. James Roy Killingsworth	Cathy Frazure	Mike Lambert

CHURCH EXTENSION

1 yr	Rev. Billy Frazure	Henry Carmichael
2 yrs	Rev. Reggie Smith	Jeff Little

CHURCH RELATIONS

1 yr	Rev. Newton Pertuit	Robert Johnson
2 yrs	Rev. Mike Tullis	Jan Russell

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

1 yr	Pete Boyd	2 yrs	Rev. Bobby Dawson
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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BIBLE CAMPGROUND
AND HEADQUARTERS**

1 yr	Richie Little	2 yrs	Rev. Carlos Dawson, II
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HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

Rev. James R. Killingsworth	Lessie Carmichael
Rev. Newton Pertuit	Mike Lambert

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL
OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

2 yrs	Teresa Williamson	1 yr	Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers
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STATEWIDE LAYMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

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Secretary/Treasurer	Jerry Bounds

GROUP I

Not Appointed

Rev. Maxine Jenkins
Rev. Beth Bailey

Rev. Carlos Dawson
Rev. Matt Lambert

Gloria McConnell
Taurus Hutchinson
Keith Rutland

Rev. Billy Frazure
Rev. LaDon Dawson

Pete Boyd
Duffy Bankston

APPEALS COMMITTEE

Rev. Newton Pertuit
Rev. Donna Sellers

Dustin Walley
Donis Chatham

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AUDIT COMMITTEE

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Duffy Bankston
Pete Boyd

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE

Not Appointed

FINANCE COMMITTEE

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Robert Johnson
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FRATERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Not Appointed

MEMORIALS COMMITTEE

Not Appointed

THANKS COMMITTEE

Not Appointed

PLAN OF APPOINTMENTS

Bear Creek.....	Vernon Murry
Castle's Chapel	Steven Carter
Clear Creek	Marc Williams
Youth Pastor.....	Billy Martin
Coxburg.....	Hands of the President
Cross Roads.....	Dan Henry, III
Cross Point.....	LaDon Dawson
Associate Pastor	Carlos Dawson, II
Divide Memorial	Hands of the President
Associate Pastor	Matt Lambert
Youth Pastor.....	Cameron Burge
Forest Grove.....	Bobby Dawson
Friendship	James Roy Killingsworth
Golden Grove.....	Donna Sellers
Hickory Grove.....	Newton Pertuit
Laurel	James Roy Killingsworth
Monticello	Hands of the President
Neely	Reggie Smith
New Hope	Carl Grice
Newton.....	Mike Tullis
Pineville	Maxine Jenkins
Schamberville.....	Gary Briden
Shiloh	Billy Frazure
Caribbean Resource Ministries	Wayne Sellers
U.S. Army Chaplain Corps	Rev. Peter Lanigan
Pulpit Supply.....	Cameron Burge
Pulpit Supply.....	Matt Lambert
Pulpit Supply.....	Billy Martin
Pulpit Supply.....	Vernon Murry
Pulpit Supply.....	Marlon Seaney
Pulpit Supply.....	Dianne Reid
Pulpit Supply.....	Bethany Bailey

CONFERENCE MINUTES

Wednesday, June 24, 2020, 10:00 A. M.

The Mississippi Annual Conference was called into the One Hundred Seventy-Ninth Session by President Rev. Marc Williams.

Prayer: Rev. Billy Frazure

President Rev. Marc Williams presented the program to the Conference for consideration. Motion to adopt the program by Rev. Billy Frazure, seconded by Rev. James Roy Killingsworth. The program was adopted.

Group I Committees were appointed.

Recessed for committee work in prayer by Rev. Marc Williams.

Wednesday, 11:00 A. M. Business Session

Piano: Jan Russell

Song Service led by Rev. Billy Frazure

Song: *'Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus*

Called to order by President Rev. Marc Williams.

Rev. Billy Frazure presented the report from the Committee on Rules of Order. Rev. Billy Frazure moved its adoption. Seconded by Rev. Carlos Dawson II. The report was adopted.

Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins presented the report from the Credentials Committee. Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins moved its acceptance. Seconded by Rev. LaDon Dawson. The report was accepted.

All members of the Conference were called within the bar at this time.

Roll Call

Ministers	13
Unstationed Ministers	0
Superannuates	0
Undergraduates	5
Deaconess	2
Lay Delegates	15

Floor turned over to the Secretary for the President's Report.

The President's Report was given by President Rev. Marc Williams. Motion to accept by Rev. LaDon Dawson, seconded by Rev. James Roy Killingsworth. Report was accepted.

Floor returned to the President

The Treasurer's Report was presented as prepared by Robert Quimby, Treasurer. Rev. LaDon Dawson moved it be accepted. Seconded by Donis Chatham. Report was accepted.

Rev. Dan Henry III presented partial report from the Ministerial Education and Relations Committee, Rev. Dan Henry III moved its adoption. Rev. Reggie Smith seconded the motion. The report was adopted.

Group II Committees were appointed at this time.

Recessed in prayer and blessing for lunch by Rev. Wayne Sellers.

Wednesday, 1:00 P. M. Business Session

Piano: Jan Sellers

Song Service led by Rev. Billy Frazure

Song: *Higher Ground*

Introduction of Speaker by President Rev. Marc Williams

Devotion Speaker: Rev. Beth Bailey

How choices affect your life.

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President Rev. Marc Williams called the Conference to order.

Rev. Dan Henry III presented the report from the Ministerial Education and Relations Committee. Rev. Dan Henry III moved the report be adopted. Seconded by Rev. Reggie Smith. The report was adopted.

Rev. Carlos Dawson II presented the report from the Finance Committee. Rev. Carlos Dawson II moved the report be adopted. Seconded by Donis Chatham. The report was adopted.

Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins presented the report from the Deaconess Board. Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins moved it be adopted. Seconded by Rev. Mrs. Beth Bailey. The report was adopted.

The Elections Committee was called to hold elections.

Prayer for elections by Rev. Carlos Dawson II.

Elections were held by the Elections Committee.

Gloria McConnell was nominated as Treasurer.

Rev. Dan Henry III was nominated as Treasurer.

Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers was nominated as Treasurer.

Rev. Carlos Dawson II was nominated as Treasurer.

Rev. LaDon Dawson made a motion that the nominations from the Nominating Committee be elected and the secretary cast the ballot. Doyle Whitehead seconded the motion. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Recessed in prayer by Rev. Dan Henry III.

Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Worship Service

Song Service led by Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers

Song: *When We All Get To Heaven*

Song: *Count Your Blessings*

Speaker: President Rev. Marc Williams

Topic: From Here To Eternity

Scripture: Jude 20-25

Prayer: Rev. Marc Williams

We must progress in the Faith.

Our faith can be destroyed in minutes and take years to rebuild.

We must be praying.

We must be preserved in the faith.

We must be participating in the things of God.

We must prevent some from eternal loss.

“We’re not here to sulk, sit or sour until Jesus comes.”

We must be praising.

Recessed in prayer by Rev. Marc Williams.

Thursday, 8:30 A. M. Business Session

Prayer: Rev. James Roy Killingsworth

Song Service led by Rev. Billy Frazure

Song: *He Keeps Me Singing*

Introduction of devotion speaker by President Rev. Marc Williams.

Devotion Speaker: Rev. Matt Lambert

Topic: Where Are the Soldiers?

Scripture: Matthew 28:19-20

This country, this world needs Revival. Where are the Soldiers? Where is the joy?

2 Chronicles 7:14 If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I

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hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

Prayer: Rev. Matt Lambert

Called to order by President Rev. Marc Williams.

All members called to the bar at this time.

Roll Call

Ministers	12
Unstationed Ministers	0
Superannuates	0
Undergraduates	0
Deaconess	0
Lay Delegates	12

Minutes were read by the Secretary. Motion to accept by Rev. Wayne Sellers. Rev. Matt Lambert seconded the motion. The minutes were accepted.

Recessed for Council of Religious Education Committee Meeting.

Floor returned to the President.

President Rev. Marc Williams called session to order and turned the floor over to the General Conference Secretary for the Presentation of General Conference Work.

Floor returned to the President.

Recessed for committee work .

Called to order by President Rev. Marc Williams

Angel Hosey presented an addition to the Credentials Committee. Angel Hosey moved it be adopted. Rev. Newton Pertuit seconded the motion. The motion was adopted.

Rev. James Roy Killingsworth presented the report from the Superannuate Fund Board. Rev. James Roy Killingsworth moved it be adopted. Seconded by Rev. Matt Lambert.

Rev. James Roy Killingsworth presented a report from the Committee on Thanks. Rev. James Roy Killingsworth moved it be adopted. Seconded by Robert Johnson. The report was adopted.

Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers presented the report from the Audit Committee. Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers moved it be adopted. Seconded by Rev. Matt Lambert. The report was adopted.

Rev. Marc Williams presented the Plan of Appointments.

Rev. Newton Pertuit reported that the Appeals Committee received no appeals.

The reading of the Minutes were dispensed.

Motion to adjourn by Rev. Billy Frazure.

The One Hundred Seventy-Ninth Session of the Mississippi Annual Conference adjourned with prayer by Rev. Benny Crawford. The next Regular Session convenes at 10:00 A.M. on June 23, 2021, at the Mississippi Headquarters and Campground of the Methodist Protestant Church, five miles west of Collins, Mississippi.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Greetings to the One Hundred and Seventy-Ninth session of the Mississippi Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church.

The stationing committee was able to assign a minister to every church but four this past conference year. Coxburg church was not assigned a pastor. Mr. Tracy Eldridge has filled the pulpit for some time, pray for Coxburg Church, they haven't sent a delegate to conference for several years. The other three are Bear Creek, Monticello, and New Hope they were "left in the hands of the president." Mr. Vernon Murry has filled the pulpit at Bear Creek and on the recommendation of Mr. Doyle Whitehead, Mr. Carl Grice has filled the pulpit for New Hope. We are still praying and seeking God for the preacher/Pastor that He has for Monticello.

Monies were donated to erect a cabin on our grounds to help with overcrowding at our events. I run so thankful for those that have donated their time and resources to this project. We had all intentions of having this completed by conference, but we never dreamed we would be living through a pandemic but here we are. Lord willing and a couple more weekends it should be completed.

We suffered from straight lined winds back in the fall of 2019 and had most of our building damaged. The roof of the girl's dorm was completely replaced. The tabernacle and the pavilion were repaired to former status. Thanks to River Oaks Construction for their excellent work.

I have been honored to speak at many events representing the MS Conference. Revivals, Homecoming services all types of presidential visits but probably my favorite is an ordination of a new minister. I was blessed this past week to attend the ordination of Rev. Matt Lambert and Rev. Beth Bailey. I pray God's blessing on their work for Him and that many souls will be saved.

I appreciate each of the pastors, their spouses and congregations in the Mississippi Methodist Protestant Conference. I pray for each of you and hope you know you can call on me anytime with your needs and concerns.

In His service

Rev. Marc Williams, President

Mississippi Annual Conference President

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the One Hundred Seventy-Ninth Session of the Mississippi District of the Methodist Protestant Church, the following reports are submitted:

1. Conference Properties
2. Receipts and Disbursements from Checking and Savings Accounts.
3. Comparative Statement of expenses, listed by account.
4. Individual Churches' receipts, listed by account.
5. Miscellaneous statements.

Funds received after June 10, 2020, are not included in this report. Funds received after this date will be reported on the next fiscal year's report.

Loans receivable consist of funds on loan to Cross Point Methodist Protestant Church.

Thank you for the honor of serving as your treasurer and for your prayers and support during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert E. Quimby, Treasurer

CONFERENCE PROPERTY

The Campgrounds, located near Collins, Mississippi, was purchased in 1952. There are six (6) buildings on this property: a tabernacle with dining room and kitchen area, a girl's dorm, a boy's dorm, a metal storage building, a worker's cottage and a pavilion.

In 1986, Mrs. Sonja Sharp Metrolis was asked to appraise the real property. This appraised value at that date (as recorded in the minutes of 1985-86) was \$520,000.00. The appraisal did not include any personal property or furnishings in any of the buildings. Improvements made since the appraisal include renovation of the girl's dorm, construction of a cafeteria, a metal storage building, metal roofs on the girls' dorm, the boys' dorm and the tabernacle, the kitchen renovated, a workers' cottage and the Carmichael-Sellers Pavilion. During the past year, additional repairs and renovations have been made to the facilities. All of these repairs and additions add to the value of the property. At this time a camper site is being developed.

This past year we had storm damage at the Camp and the roof on the Girl's Dorm had to be replaced, the Tabernacle roof was repaired, the Dining Hall roof and the pavilion roof. The Insurance covered most of this.

MAGEE Property: The Antioch Church property is in the hands of the Conference. We have been paying the utilities and cutting the grass for the past six years. During 2012, the title to the property and the bank balance was transferred to the Conference. We have invested \$17,000.00 in the property. This property was sold on May 9, 2019 for \$56,40.00 and a CD was purchased for 23 months at 2.50% interest.

OTHER PROPERTIES: None.

NOTES RECEIVABLE CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

Cross Point Church Daycare ----- (60 Mo. @ 6%)	\$23,874.98
Clear Creek M P Church----- (120 Mo. @ 6%)	\$27,547.51

MISSISSIPPI DISTRICT OF THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FISCAL YEAR ENDED
31 MAY 2020

<i>Account</i>	<i>Checking Account</i>				<i>Transfers</i>	<i>Disbursements</i>	<i>Balance 05/31/20</i>
	<i>Balance 06/01/19</i>	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Interest Earned</i>				
Annual Conf.							
Budget.....	\$1,064.43	\$22,106.05	\$1.79			\$24,944.27	(\$1,772.00)
Bible Camp	\$26,231.37	\$58,717.30	\$42.84			\$67,132.98	\$17,858.53
Church Ext.	\$69,048.45		\$116.03			\$11,677.39	
Int. Vicksburg			\$933.27				
Int. Clear Creek.....			\$703.18				
Prin. Vicksburg.....		\$4,380.55					
Prin. Clear Creek.....		\$962.12					
Total	\$69,048.45	\$5,342.67	\$1,752.48			\$11,677.39	\$64,466.21
Superannuate.....	\$3,879.56	\$5,418.57	\$5.35			\$5,242.00	\$4,061.48
Annual Conf. Expense	\$3,422.55	\$2,250.00	\$3.57			\$1,717.93	\$3,958.19
Girls Dorm Fund.....	\$3,314.63	\$25,000.00	\$7.14				\$28,321.77
Coun.Rel.Ed.....	\$0.00	\$3,819.51				\$3,819.51	\$0.00
Home Missions	\$2,118.74	\$317.59	\$1.80				\$2,438.13
Gen. Conf. Budget	\$0.00	\$31,843.73				\$31,843.73	\$0.00
Mission Shares.....	\$0.00	\$3,712.00				\$3,712.00	\$0.00
Totals	\$109,079.73	\$158,527.42	\$1,814.97			\$150,089.81	\$119,332.31

**MISSISSIPPI DISTRICT OF THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FISCAL YEAR ENDED
31 MAY 2020**

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

<i>Account</i>	<i>Balance 06/01/19</i>	<i>Interest Earned</i>	<i>Trans.</i>	<i>Balance 05/31/20</i>
Church Extension.....	\$195,932.39	\$4,958.10		\$200,890.49
Totals	\$195,932.39	\$4,958.10		\$200,890.49

CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT

BEGINNING BALANCE 5/24/19	INTEREST EARNED... WDRAW	ENDING BALANCE 5/31/20
\$56,400.00	\$1,415.69	\$57,815.69

**CERTIFICATE OF DEPORIST
SUPERANNUATE FUND**

BEGINNING BALANCE 06/01/19	INTEREST EARNED	ENDING BALANCE 05/31/20
\$25,657.40	\$578.56	\$26,235.96

ANNUAL CONFERENCE BUDGET ANALYSIS

	Fiscal Year End 5/31/20	Fiscal Year End 5/31/19
Presidential Expense		
Salary.....	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00
Expense		
Mileage.....		
Other (Printed Material)		
Total Presidential Expense.....	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00
Secretarial Expense		
Salary.....	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
Expense		
Postage/Envelopes	\$218.21	
Elder's Credentials		
Total Secretarial Expense	\$1,718.21	\$1,500.00
Treasurer's Expense		
Salary.....	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
Expense		
Stamps	\$139.70	\$231.85
Supplies	\$167.58	\$693.56
Forms & Paper.....	\$760.93	\$236.47
Total Treasurer's Expense.....	\$3,068.31	\$3,161.88
Other Annual Conference Expense		
Printing Minutes.....	\$454.75	\$532.86
Conference Speaker.....	\$1,200.00	\$1,999.00
Printer for Secretary.....	\$307.63	
Insurance.....	\$8,469.00	\$7,795.50
Kentucky Mountain Bible Col.....	\$400.00	
Pastor's Christmas Banquet.....	\$1,406.37	
General Conference President.....	\$4,320.00	\$4,320.00
Total Other Annual Conf. Expense	\$14,647.36	\$19,349.42
Total Annual Conference Expense	\$22,909.24	\$25,406.02

BIBLE CAMP EXPENSE ANALYSIS

	Fiscal Year End 5/31/20	Fiscal Year End 5/31/19
Water	\$1,301.50	\$604.90
Electricity	\$5,460.06	\$6,360.04
Butane (Includes Tank Rental)	\$636.44	\$636.44
Air Conditioning & Units	\$3,344.60	\$3,344.60
Guard	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00
Maintenance & Misc.....	\$128.40	\$128.40
Gas & Mower Parts	\$27.00	\$27.00
Grass Cutting	\$0.00	\$600.00
Cleaning	\$0.00	\$1,110.00
Septic Tank.....	\$2,390.00	
Storm Damage Repair.....	\$49,916.88	
Total Bible Camp Expense.....	\$67,132.98	\$14,002.38

SUPERANNUATE FUND EXPENSE ANALYSIS

Mrs. Lessie Carmichael	\$600.00	\$700.00
Mrs. Helen Jenkins	\$600.00	\$700.00
Mrs. Marlene Renfroe.....	\$600.00	\$700.00
Rev. John W. Gerald.....	\$560.00	\$1,060.00
Rev. John Jenkins	\$960.00	\$1,060.00
Rev. Paul Edwards.....	\$960.00	\$1,060.00
Rev. Ralph Gerald	\$960.00	\$1,600.00
Mrs. Annette Gerald		\$100.00
Mrs. Cindy Lambert.....		\$100.00
Total Superannuate Fund Expense	\$5,240.00	\$6,540.00

ANNUAL CONFERENCE EXPENSE

	Fiscal Year End 5/31/20	Fiscal Year End 5/31/19
Food for Conference.....	\$1,067.93	\$1,247.51
Cooks for Conference.....	\$650.00	\$650.00
Total Annual Conference Expense	\$1,717.93	\$1,897.51

Mission Share Analysis

Receipts:

Belize Missions.....	\$320.00
Brand Memorial Fund.....	\$1,335.00
General Conf. Missions.....	\$1,300.00
Missions (One Day I Give)	\$757.00

Total Receipts.....\$3,712.00

Sent to General Conference Treasurer	\$3,712.00
Balance in Mission Share Fund 05/31/19.....	0.00

HOME MISSIONS

<u>Balance (6/1/19)</u>	<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Disburse</u>	<u>Balance (5/31/20)</u>
\$2,118.74.....	\$317.59	\$1.80.....		\$2,438.13

RECEIPTS BY CHURCHES
MISSISSIPPI DISTRICT METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH
FISCAL YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2019

Church	Assessments	Annual Budget	Bible Camp	Council of Religious Education	General Conf. Budget
Bear Creek	\$2,057.34	\$374.20	\$337.07	\$74.78	\$623.68
Castle Chapel	\$1,350.00	\$327.24	\$313.56	\$65.40	\$545.40
Clear Creek	\$3,349.32	\$913.44	\$456.70	\$182.67	\$1,522.41
Coxburg					
Cross Point	\$2,763.58	\$753.68	\$376.81	\$150.70	\$1,256.15
Crossroads	\$1,643.90	\$407.41	\$203.70	\$81.47	\$679.03
Divide Memorial	\$20,022.00	\$5,211.76	\$2,755.85	\$1,042.31	\$8,686.32
Forest Grove	\$6,491.84	\$1,686.66	\$994.30	\$337.65	\$2,814.44
Friendship	\$1,261.37	\$262.19	\$281.09	\$52.43	\$437.04
Golden Grove	\$975.12	\$184.12	\$242.06	\$36.82	\$306.87
Hickory Grove	\$1,842.74	\$461.94	\$230.94	\$91.33	\$769.92
Laurel	\$4,805.00	\$863.15	\$731.56	\$172.61	\$1,438.61
Monticello	\$7,613.47	\$1,892.31	\$1,096.12	\$378.42	\$3,153.85
Neely	\$4,365.13	\$835.89	\$417.92	\$167.11	\$1,393.19
New Hope	\$1,412.78	\$385.30	\$192.63	\$77.03	\$642.17
Newton	\$6,000.00	\$1,554.48	\$927.24	\$310.80	\$2,590.80
Pineville	\$300.00		\$150.00		
Schamberville	\$7,158.45	\$1,788.66	\$1,194.32	\$357.72	\$2,981.11
Shiloh	\$4,706.07	\$1,201.62	\$750.79	\$240.26	\$2,002.74
Totals	\$78,118.11	\$19,106.05	\$11,652.66	\$3,819.51	\$31,843.73

RECEIPTS BY CHURCHES
MISSISSIPPI DISTRICT METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH
FISCAL YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2019 Continued

Church	S & MS	Home Missions	Superannuate Fund	Conference Expense	Totals
Bear Creek	\$385.00	\$6.15	\$106.46	\$150.00	
Castle Chapel		\$5.40	\$93.00		
Clear Creek		\$15.20	\$258.90		
Coxburg					
Cross Point		\$12.52	\$213.72		
Crossroads		\$6.78	\$115.51	\$150.00	
Divide Memorial	\$612.00	\$86.81	\$1,476.95	\$150.00	
Forest Grove		\$28.09	\$478.70	\$150.00	
Friendship		\$4.35	\$74.27	\$150.00	
Golden Grove		\$3.06	\$52.19	\$150.00	
Hickory Grove		\$7.64	\$130.97	\$150.00	
Laurel	\$1,040.00	\$14.36	\$244.71	\$300.00	
Monticello	\$375.00	\$31.48	\$536.29	\$150.00	
Neely	\$1,300.00	\$13.86	\$237.16		
New Hope		\$6.38	\$109.27		
Newton		\$25.80	\$440.88	\$150.00	
Pineville				\$150.00	
Schamberville		\$29.75	\$506.89	\$300.00	
Shiloh		\$19.96	\$340.70	\$150.00	
Totals	\$3,712.00	\$317.59	\$5,416.57	\$2,250.00	

BIBLE CAMP UPKEEP

RECEIPTS:

Monticello.....	\$150.00
Laurel.....	\$150.00
Shamberville.....	\$150.00
Forest Grove.....	\$150.00
Bear Creek.....	\$150.00
General Conference	\$1,200.00
Rev. & Mrs. John Jenkins.....	\$150.00
Pineville.....	\$150.00
Golden Grove	\$150.00
Newton	\$150.00
Castle Chapel.....	\$150.00
Shiloh.....	\$150.00
Friendship	\$150.00
Divide	\$150.00
Laurel.....	\$150.00
Shamberville.....	\$150.00

Total: \$3,450.00

OTHER MISCELLANEOUS INCOME

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. McKinney -----	Girl's Dorm Bldg	\$25,000.00
Springfield M.P. Church -----	Camp Fund	\$1,000.00
Council of Rel. Ed. -----	Insurance 2 Yrs.	\$3,000.00
Southern Pine Elec. Power -----	Capital Credit.....	\$12.67
Southern Pine Elec. Power -----	Capital Credit.....	\$21.55
Southern Pine Elec. Power -----	Capital Credit.....	\$24.00
Southern Pine Elec. Power -----	Capital Credit.....	\$14.10
Strickland C of C -----	Camp Rental	\$1,700.00
Brotherhood Mutual-----	Storm Damage	\$41,867.32
Mr. & Mrs. Otis Rutland -----	Camp Fund	\$250.00
MS Branch WMS-----	Tabernacle Lighting.....	\$820.00
MS Branch WMS-----	Camp Fund	\$5.00

Total..... \$73,714.64

APPOINTED COMMITTEE REPORTS

RULES OF ORDER

We, the Committee on Rules of Order, present the following rules to apply to all sessions of the One Hundred Seventy-Ninth Conference:

1. We will be governed by Roberts Rules of Order, and the Constitution and Discipline of the Methodist Protestant Church.
2. The center section of the auditorium to be designated as the conference bar.
3. That Rev. Bobby Dawson be designated as the parliamentarian.
4. Cell phones be silenced while in the auditorium.
5. All new business must be presented at least one session prior to being voted on.

Submitted by,
Rev. Billy Frazure

AUDIT COMMITTEE

We, the Audit Committee, have examined the financial records of the Mississippi Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, on June 19, 2019, and have found them in excellent order.

We commend the treasurer, Mr. Robert Quimby, for his accuracy and dedication in keeping proper financial records of the Mississippi Conference Treasurer's office.

We recommend that all finances for each year be submitted to the treasurer by the 10th of June of said year in order to be recorded in the present year. We also recommend that all local church treasurers adhere to the Finance Committee's report which have been set forth in prior conferences including, but not limited to the percentages which should be sent per church, and turning in forms in a timely manner.

Submitted by,
Rev. Donna Sellers
Mr. Duffy Bankston
Mrs. Donna Rose

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE

Committee was not appointed.

MEMORIALS

We present this list of warriors from our local churches and Conference that have gone to be with the Lord during the Conference year 2019-2020:

Ministers:

Rev. John Gerald – Clear Creek Church

Cross Point:

Pauline Miller

Forest Grove:

Willie Carroll Rutland

Hickory Grove:

Fredrick M. Clark

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New Hope:

Margie Rollins

Shiloh:

Johnny Roby

Joe Jones

Submitted by,
Memorials

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee submits the following for adoption:

1. That the churches continue to be consistent with their stewardship giving, based on regular receipts into the Annual Conference Treasury, and that this money be prorated as follows:
 - A. Annual Conference 6.00%
 1. Annual Budget 4.00%
 2. Bible Camp 0.50%
 3. Home Mission..... 0.05%
 4. Superannuate..... 0.85%
 5. Council of Rel. Ed... 0.60%
 - B. General Conference..... 5.00%
 1. Missions 3.00%
 2. General Budget 2.00%
- Total..... 11.00%
2. That Special Offerings for all Mission Shares, Bible Camp Funds and other special projects be exempt from the 11% assessment.
3. That all churches remit assessments of 11% on a monthly basis on the forms provided by the Annual Conference.
4. That the Annual Conference President be paid by the churches the prevailing governmental rates of travel for any Presidential visit. Also, that expenses of the President in connection with his official duties, including the prevailing governmental rates for travel not otherwise provided for, be logged and paid out of the budget.
5. That the Secretary of the Annual Conference and the Treasurer be paid actual expenses for any supplies and equipment needed, and for any special activities that they may be called upon to attend.
6. That the incidental expenses of the Conference be paid out of the Annual Conference budget.
7. That each church make a \$150.00 annual contribution for upkeep of the Church Camp and that those with permanent campers/trailers be assessed an annual fee of \$150.00. Other campers or travel trailers will be charged \$25.00/week, to be paid to the Annual Conference Treasurer.
8. That \$360.00 per month be given, as assessed by the General Conference, to the General Conference for the President's salary to be paid from the Annual Conference Budget.

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9. That each church be assessed \$150.00 for the expenses of the meeting of the Conference.
10. That Minutes of this conference be printed and that the cost be paid from the Annual Conference budget.
11. That the treasurer be given the authority to manage any excess funds to the best interest of the Conference.
12. That the Conference Treasurer be given permission to use money from the Home Mission account at the request of the conference President for the use of home mission work in the Mississippi District Boundaries.
13. That each church be reminded to submit the single form Annual Church Report.

Respectfully Submitted by,
Rev. Carlos Dawson, II

FRATERNAL RELATIONS

Committee was not appointed.

COMMITTEE ON THANKS

We the Committee on Thanks would like to thank the following:

First, we would like to thank the Lord for His love, guidance and sweet Spirit during this conference.

Rev. Marc and Joy Williams for their faithful service and work for the Conference as President.

Rev. Bobby Dawson for his continued work as Conference Secretary and Parliamentarian during conference.

Mr. Robert Quimby for his many years of services as Conference Treasurer.

Rev. Carlos Dawson, II, Rev. Mike Tullis, Rev. Matt Lambert and Luke Williamson for running the sound system.

Thanks to Joy Williams and Vicky Cobb for preparing the meals.

Thanks to Rev. Billy Frazure for leading the music and Mrs. Jan Russell for playing the piano.

Thanks to Mrs. Kay Pugh at Bo-Kay Florist for the beautiful flowers.

Thanks to Mr. Willie Bailey for assisting with maintenance, trash and helping anyone and everyone that needed help.

We would also like to thank each pastor and delegate for their time and talents to the Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church.

Humbly Submitted,
Committee on Thanks

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

No resolutions were submitted.

APPEALS COMMITTEE

No appeals were made.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

SUPERANNUATE FUND BOARD

We, the Superannuate Fund Board, wish to make the following recommendations:

That Pastors be paid \$960.00 each year, to be paid \$80.00 each month and that the beneficiaries be paid \$600.00 each year at \$50.00 per month.

Rev. John Jenkins.....	\$960.00
Rev. Ralph Gerald.....	\$960.00
Rev. Paul Edwards.....	\$960.00
Mrs. Lessie Carmichael.....	\$600.00
Mrs. Helen Jenkins.....	\$600.00
Mrs. Marlene Renfroe.....	\$600.00

Respectfully Submitted,
Superannuate Fund Board

THE MINISTERIAL EDUCATION AND RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the MEAR Committee, submit the following report for consideration.

- Bethany Bailey has completed all work for the course of studies. We recommend she be considered for ordination during this Conference.
- We recommend Cameron Burge be retained in the first level of the course of study pending receipt of a letter of recommendation from a church.
- Mrs. Melba Holt contacted the MEAR Committee Chairman and asked to be removed from the course of study. She had met all study requirements, but was lacking one-year probation. Met with the MEAR Committee and asked to have her ordination reinstated and be placed on the ministerial role. The committee recommends that she be placed under the MEAR Committee for one-year probation and that she attend all meetings throughout the year either in person, or if health interferes, by phone conferencing.
- Matt Lambert has completed all work for the course of studies. We recommend he be considered for ordination during this Conference.
- We recommend Billy Martin be retained in the first level course of study pending receipt of a letter of recommendation from a church.
- We recommend Vernon Murry be retained in the first level course of study pending receipt of a letter of recommendation from a church.
- We recommend Rev. Marlon Seaney be retained in the first level course of study pending receipt of a letter of recommendation from a church.
- The Committee received a letter of recommendation from Monticello Methodist Protestant Church for Luke Williamson. We recommend he be advanced to the third level course of study.
- Mr. John Weston is auditing the course of study as a lay person, therefore no action was taken on his behalf as he is not seeking ordination.

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CEU's issued by the MEAR Committee this year are yet to be confirmed. There were three educational opportunities presented during the year. These numbers will be reported to the Conference Secretary when the count is completed.

The Committee will meet with the candidates on the following dates and will have educational opportunities open to anyone interested for CEUs in the afternoon of these same days:

Saturday, September, 12, 2020 at 9 AM

Saturday, January 9, 2021 at 9 AM

Saturday, April 10, 2021 at 9 AM

Thursday, June 24, 2021 immediately following the first morning session of Conference.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Dan Henry, Chairman
Rev. Reggie Smith
Rev. Donna Sellers
Rev. Mike Tullis
Mrs. Jan Russell

CHURCH RELATIONS

No report was given.

DEACONESS BOARD

The Deaconess Board heard the report from Deaconess Dianne Reid and approved her report.

The Board retained all officers from the next year.

We also encourage pastors to promote the office of Deaconess in their respective churches.

Submitted by the Secretary
Rev. Mrs. Maxine Jenkins

The Deaconess Board Mississippi Conference Methodist Protestant Church

1. The purpose of the Board shall be to create and maintain interest in the Deaconess Work, and to form policies and make recommendations regarding Deaconess work.
2. The duties of the Board shall be: (a) To review, evaluate, and report annually to the Conference the names, work, and standing of all Deaconesses within the Conference District, (b) To study and act upon Credentials received from Quarterly Conferences, (c) To arrange for the licensing and consecration services for those candidates who have completed the necessary requirements of the Deaconess Board, (d) Initiate and develop plans and pamphlets for the promotion of Deaconess work, (e) Determine the Course of Study for qualifications and standards of Deaconess Candidates, (f) To consider complaints and charges against Deaconesses; to act as a trial Court in case of a trial; and to make recommendations to the Annual Conference in regard to this aspect of their duty.

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3. To meet annually and elect its officers, including an Executive Committee to act, if needed, during the interim of the Annual Meeting.
4. The Board's Annual report to the Conference shall be printed in the Conference Minutes.

DEACONESS COURSE OF STUDY

First Year:

Foundations of Doctrine, Harry E. Jessop
Life Of Christ, Dr. James Stalker
All About the Bible, Sidney Collett
Knowing Your Old Testament, W. T. Purkiser

Second year:

A Right Conception of Sin, Richard Taylor
A Plain Account of Christian Perfection, John Wesley
The Methodist Protestant Discipline
A Handbook for Personal Soul Winning, Chester Wilkins
Binney's Theological Compend, Amos Binney and Daniel Steele

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

No report was given.

DISTRICT COMMITTEE

No report was given.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

No report was given.

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

No report was given.

STATEWIDE LAYMAN'S FELLOWSHIP

No report was given.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BIBLE CAMPGROUND AND HEADQUARTERS and CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

No report was given.

COUNCIL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Council of Religious Education Meeting, 9a.m., June 25, 2020

--There will be no 2020 Bible Camp due to government regulations/guidelines from COVID-19

--Michael Tullis presented the financial report from CORE and the Camp Meeting. There was much discussion about CORE and the Camp Meeting monies being combined; possible need for separate treasurers. CORE balance: \$14339.28 -- Camp Meeting balance: \$4773.61

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--Elections

President: Mrs. Glo McConnell nominated Rev. Carlos Dawson; Rev. Marc Williams moved that nominations cease; Mr. Pete Boyd seconded the motion; Rev. Carlos Dawson was elected president

Vice-President: Rev. Marc Williams nominated Rev. Michael Tullis; Mr. Robert Johnson moved that nominations cease; Rev. Marc Williams seconded the motion; Rev. Michael Tullis was elected vice-president

Treasurer: Mrs. Donic Chatham nominated Mr. Richie Little; Rev. Marc Williams moved that nominations cease; Rev. Matt Lambert seconded the motion; Mr. Richie Little was elected treasurer

Secretary: Rev. Mrs. Donna Sellers nominated Mrs. Donna Rose; Rev. Marc Williams moved that nominations cease; Mrs. Glo McConnell seconded the motion; Mrs. Donna Rose was elected secretary

--Meeting adjourned with prayer by CORE President, Rev. Carlos Dawson

MS Council of Religious Education			
MS Conference, Methodist Protestant Church			
June 22, 2019 – June 23, 2020			
Balance brought forward:		\$18,469.08	
CAMP RECEIPTS:			OTHER RECEIPTS:
REGISTRATION			SPONSORSHIP
CANTEEN	\$14,667.01		
CONFERENCE AID	\$3,019.32		
DONATIONS	\$5,000.00		
CAMP COMMITTEE	\$2,996.54		
CAMP RECEIPTS:	\$25,682.87		OTHER RECEIPTS:
			\$0.00
	NET TOTAL:	\$44,151.95	
EXPENSES:			
BIBLE CAMP:			SPRING RETREAT:
GROCERIES	\$9,145.71		SPEAKER
COOKS	\$600.00		MUSICIANS/SINGERS
WATER PARK	\$3,498.90		GROCERIES
T-SHIRTS	\$2,161.40		
KMBC	\$1,200.00		
INSURANCE			FALL RETREAT:
MISC	\$5,433.05		SPEAKER
PIZZA			MUSICIANS/SINGERS
CORE Sub Total		\$22,039.06	
BANQUET			GROCERIES
MUSIC			
INSURANCE	\$3,000.00		
FLOWERS			WINTER CONCERT:
EVANGELIST			BAND
MILEAGE			GROCERIES
KID EVANGELIST			
SUB TOTAL		\$3,000.00	
TOTAL EXPENSES:			\$25,039.06
FINAL BALANCE:		19112.89	

BY-LAWS OF THE CONFERENCE

1. In the course of discussion or debate, no one shall speak more than five minutes at one time, nor more than twice on any subject.
2. No minister or preacher may hold membership in this Conference or be employed as pastor or evangelist, who does not definitely preach the doctrine of sanctification as that instantaneous act of God's grace subsequent to regeneration as taught by the Discipline in Article 10 of the Articles of Religion.
3. No pastor or preacher should accept an invitation to hold revival meetings or fill appointments in another pastoral charge without an invitation from the pastor of the said charge, but this should not apply to a charge not having a regular pastoral service.
4. Be it understood that this Conference condemns all unholy conversation and foolish jesting as it is grievous to the Holy Spirit.
5. All donations made by this conference are contingent upon the applicant for donation showing deed properly recorded and made in the approved form of The Methodist Protestant Church with no reservations. It is also understood that the amount donated is to be paid back to this conference should the same ever be sold as an extinct property of the church, in conformity to previous requirements of this conference.
6. It shall be the duty of each pastor to send the names of his respective delegates to the president sixty days before the assembling of each Annual Conference.
7. The Superannuate Fund shall be apportioned to the Superannuated or his Beneficiary, in proportion to the number of years he has served in active service to The Mississippi Conference of The Methodist Protestant Church.
8. The Conference shall appoint each preacher and minister a specific territory for pastoral service, and require each person so assigned to report to the Annual Conference each year as to the effort put forth in any way of forwarding the interest of The Methodist Protestant Church, said report to include the number of regular preaching places, number of sermons preached, number of churches organized, etc.
9. The legal title of property now owned, and to be acquired by the Mississippi Annual Conference, shall be vested in the Board of Trustees, composed of three members, namely the Conference President, who shall be chairman of said Board, and two members to be elected by said conference for a period of one and two years, respectively; and said title or titles to remain in said trustees and their successors in office until conveyed by them to their successors in office: but no conveyance shall be made unless previously authorized by a majority vote of said conference. The said trustees shall be made the custodians of said property with the same rights, duties and powers as is vested in the trustees of our local churches; and the President is given authority to fill any vacancy that might occur on said Board in vacation, and said appointee shall serve until the said conference meets and fill this place by election.
10. The Stationing Committee of the conference shall be composed of two (2) ministers and two (2) laymen, to be elected by ballot by the conference, and the President of the Conference shall be the Chairman of the committee. The four mem-

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bers so elected shall serve for twelve months only and act in an advisory capacity to the President during the interim of the conference.

11. Ministers and preachers coming from other denominations shall be regarded as probationers for three years, and they shall be required to study and pass examinations on the discipline, history and policy of our church. They shall not be deprived of the rights and privileges of an ordained minister, but their names may be dropped or placed on the itinerant roll at the expiration of their probation.
12. Delegates are allowed the same right of appeal as ministers from the action of the Stationing Committee.
13. The legal title of all land for the purpose of erecting church edifices to be acquired by the Mississippi Annual Conference of The Methodist Protestant Church from the date of this conference (December 1942) shall be vested in the board of trustees chosen of the membership of the local church, and said title or titles to remain in said trustees and their successors in office. The following shall be the only form of deed accepted by this conference: "In consideration of \$_____, we convey and warrant to (Name of local church) Methodist Protestant Church Trustees and their successors in office, the following described land, to wit: (Here describe the land). Said land can be used for the advancement of The Methodist Protestant Church only and can never be transferred to any other purpose than as stated above."
14. The Ministerial Education and Relations Committee shall be a continuous active committee, consisting of four ministers who are high school graduates or equivalent, and four laymen: one minister and one layman to be replaced each year by conference election: the Annual Conference President shall be ex-officio member, the Committee to elect its own chairman and secretary, who shall keep in contact with all undergraduates and who shall keep records.
15. Ordination shall be dependent upon serving a minimum of one year under the supervision of a pastor selected by the Ministerial Education and Relations Committee. Requirement may be waived by the Ministerial Education and Relations Committee based on prior ministerial experience.
16. The time of meeting of the Mississippi Annual Conference shall be Wednesday before the fourth Sunday in June, annually.
17. The president of The Mississippi Annual Conference is required to visit the churches of the district on the basis of need, or by specific request of the pastor and/or laity of the church until such a time as a full-time president shall be elected.
18. The Mississippi Annual Conference Trustees and one other minister and one other layman, elected by the conference to serve two years, the terms of office to expire in alternate years, shall now be elected and hereafter compose the Board of Directors of the Mississippi Methodist Protestant Bible Campground and Headquarters. This Board of Directors are hereby authorized to:
 - A. Approve plans, negotiate contracts, employ personnel, or any other acts necessary to construct, maintain and/or repair facilities at the camp.
 - B. Buy, sell, lease or mortgage camp facilities and any lands appertaining there-

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to, except that in no case shall any camp property be sold or mortgaged without the prior approval of the Mississippi Conference by a majority vote.

- C. Elect its own chairman, secretary and treasurer.
 - D. Minutes shall be printed each year as part of the Mississippi Annual Conference minutes.
19. No minister or layman of the Mississippi Conference shall be eligible to serve on more than two (2) standing committees, with the exception of the Stationing Committee, Nominating Committee and District Committee.
 20. Any minister who gives up his Elder's Credentials for whatever cause, whether voluntarily or by request or requirement of the conference, shall have them restored only on examination by the Ministerial Education and Relations Committee, and after serving a period of three years probation.
 21. The Methodist Protestant Bible School Campground near Collins, Mississippi, is the place of meeting for all major functions of the Mississippi District of the Methodist Protestant Church, and this facility is designated, **MISSISSIPPI HEADQUARTERS OF THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH**, and any permanent sign affixed thereto for publicity purposes shall bear this title.
 22. The fiscal year of the local churches shall be June 1 — May 31, and the Conference Treasurer shall close the books on June 10.
 23. The President's report shall be the first matter of business after the seating of the delegates to the Mississippi Annual Conference each year, so that the conference may be informed of his activities, along with appointments, etc., and also the recommendations that he may have for the conference. The Treasurer's report and standing committee reports shall be given along with the President's report.
 24. The Superannuate Fund Board is responsible for the management and disbursements of the funds under the by-laws of the conference.
 25. The Camp Meeting Committee and the Council of Religious Education of the Mississippi Conference shall unite their efforts and conduct a Camp Meeting and Bible School concurrently. All decisions concerning the Camp Meeting and Bible School shall be made in a joint meeting of the two committees including but not limited to the selection of all personnel, programs, plans, schedules, guest speakers, music leaders, and children's workers. This joint committee shall also select a Director of the Camp Meeting and Bible School who will be charged with contacting and inviting any guest speakers, musicians or other persons. The President of the Mississippi Conference shall act as chairman at all joint meetings.
 26. Each church in the Mississippi District is to send an amount specified by the conference and the Finance Committee to the conference Treasurer to cover the expenses of the meeting of the Mississippi Annual Conference at the campgrounds.
 27. The Treasurer of the Mississippi Conference is authorized to handle only official money of the conference.
 28. The Nominating Committee shall be a permanent standing committee of the Mississippi Annual Conference, comprised of three (3) ministers, three (3) laymen and the President of the Annual Conference, to meet at least two (2) weeks prior

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to the sitting of the Annual Conference for the purpose of nominating persons to hold office and serve on the standing committees of the Mississippi Annual Conference, with the exception of the offices of President, Secretary, Treasurer, District Committee, Stationing Committee and Committee on Nominations, which are to be elected by secret ballot. This is not to impede the democratic process and every possible means shall be used to insure said process.

29. The District Committee of the Mississippi Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church be authorized to serve as an advisory committee to the president of the Mississippi Conference.
30. All resolutions to be considered at a sitting of the Conference must be submitted to the president at least sixty (60) days prior to the convening of the Conference.

The District Committee shall act as the Resolutions Committee and consider all resolutions submitted and provide each delegate a copy of those considered worthy to be presented to the conference at least thirty (30) days prior to the assembling of the Conference.

31. Members of the Board of Church Extension shall be elected to serve for two years, one lay person and one minister to be elected each year.
32. The Church Relations Committee shall be designated a Standing Committee with staggered terms of two years, consisting of two ministers and two laymen.
33. The final order of business of the Mississippi Annual Conference shall be an installation service conducted by the sitting president at which time the President Elect shall assume all duties and responsibilities of President of the Mississippi Annual Conference. This shall only be effective when a new President is elected by the Conference.

The President Elect shall attend all committee meetings with the sitting President at which time the President Elect will receive a full update regarding the current state of the conference.

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Asset Stats Church	Value of Buildings	Value of Parsonage	Other Assets
Bear Creek	\$285,000.00	—	—
Castle Chapel	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00
Clear Creek	\$180,000.00	\$125,000.00	\$285,000.00
Coxburg			
Cross Roads	\$70,000.00	\$75,000.00	—
Cross Point	\$1,500,000.00	\$125,000.00	\$425,000.00
Divide Memorial	\$1,309,000.00	\$131,000.00	\$148,000.00
Forest Grove	\$456,000.00	\$198,000.00	\$30,000.00
Friendship	\$320,500.00	—	—
Golden Grove	\$40,000.00	—	—
Hickory Grove	\$100,000.00	—	—
Laurel	\$111,200.00	\$65,000.00	\$54,000.00
Monticello	\$1,822,000.00	260,000.00	\$231,000.00
Neely	\$350,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$75,000.00
New Hope	\$232,400.00	\$162,400.00	—
Newton	\$300,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$50,000.00
Pineville	\$60,000.00	—	—
Schamberville	\$180,000.00	\$100,000.00	—
Shiloh	\$200,000.00	—	\$50,000.00

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Church	Total Offerings	Total Auxiliaries	Benevolence
Bear Creek	\$9,290.41	\$150.00	\$2,098.74
Castle Chapel	\$18,904.25	—	—
Clear Creek			
Coxburg			
Cross Roads	\$15,570.00	—	—
Cross Point			
Divide Memorial	\$173,683.70	\$6,295.48	\$8,252.00
Forest Grove	\$53,652.49	—	\$600.00
Friendship	\$16,275.00	—	—
Golden Grove	\$5,626.00	\$123.00	—
Hickory Grove	\$13,914.00	—	\$500.00
Laurel	\$30,927.27	\$740.00	\$900.00
Monticello	\$69,471.05	\$5,025.82	—
Neely	\$63,732.82	—	\$3,700.00
New Hope			
Newton	\$81,922.29	\$2,640.53	\$450.00
Pineville	\$8,930.00	—	—
Schamberville	\$53,703.28	—	—
Shiloh	\$46,058.78	\$675.00	\$3,409.00

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Church	Operational Expenses	Evangelistic Outreach	Conference Tithes	Missions Expenses	Other
Bear Creek	\$14,993.65	—	\$1,021.95	\$1,258.50	\$150.00
Castle Chapel	\$2,630.17	—	\$1,200.00	—	\$14,081.16
Clear Creek					
Coxburg					
Cross Roads	\$14,013.00	—	\$1,557.00	—	—
Cross Point					
Divide Memorial	\$112,450.00	\$8,733.92	\$18,347.00	\$2,076.08	—
Forest Grove	\$47,779.29	\$2,521.00		—	\$1,491.85
Friendship	\$6,000.00	—	\$856.19	—	—
Golden Grove	\$9,694.00	\$400.00	\$975.12	—	\$930.00
Hickory Grove	\$5,215.82	—	\$1,788.60	0	\$6,900.00
Laurel	\$20,580.07	\$925.00	\$2,931.00	\$960.00	\$1,053.35
Monticello	\$67,517.95	\$1,556.06	\$7,641.82	—	—
Neely	\$46,677.68	\$650.00	\$2,745.09	\$2,400.00	\$2,865.33
New Hope					
Newton	\$47,577.93	\$2,487.00	\$6,000.00	\$500.00	—
Pineville	\$7,693.51	—	—	—	\$300.00
Schamberville	\$25,386.83	\$1,850.00	\$6,858.45	—	—
Shiloh	\$46,058.78	\$600.00	\$5,032.22	—	\$544.59

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Church	Members Previous Year	Members Current Year	Average Attendance AM/PM	Sunday School Membership	WMS Membership
Bear Creek	27	27	10/—	12	—
Castle Chapel	46	46	—	6	0
Clear Creek	150				
Coxburg					
Cross Roads	32				
Cross Point	69				
Divide Memorial	193	191	84/26	82	22
Forest Grove	67				
Friendship	6	6	6/—	—	3
Golden Grove	19	19	12/—	—	—
Hickory Grove	19	7	9/—	4	0
Laurel	84	84	20/—	—	—
Monticello	85	89	55/15	30	6
Neely	83	82	40/20	28	—
New Hope	28				
Newton	75	73	40/20	30	10
Pineville	9	5	5/—	—	—
Schamberville	21	25	19/19	16	13
Shiloh	75	78	35/25	28	7

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Church	Laymen's Fellowship	JMS Membership	Youth Ministries	Number Justified	Number Baptized	Number Sanctified
Bear Creek	—	—	—	—	—	—
Castle Chapel	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clear Creek						
Coxburg						
Cross Roads						
Cross Point						
Divide Memorial	0	—	58	6	4	—
Forest Grove						
Friendship	3	—	—	—	—	—
Golden Grove	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hickory Grove	0	0	0	0	1	0
Laurel	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monticello	—	—	15	—	1	—
Neely	—	—	—	—	—	1
New Hope						
Newton	—	—	8	—	—	—
Pineville	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schamberville	7	0	5	—	—	—
Shiloh	6	—	6	—	1	—

