

**NINETY-EIGHTH
QUARTERLY SESSIONS
OF THE
MARTIN ASSOCIATION
1984**



MARTIN DISTRICT MEETING DATES 1985

January 18, 1985	-Ministerial Conference-	New Home No. 2
January 19, 1985	-Martin, First Session-	Thompson
February 7, 1985	-W. A. Missions Enrichment-	Colquitt
February 8, 1985	-W. A. Missions Enrichment-	Corinth
March 30, 1985	-Sunday School Convention-	Mt. Gilead
April 19, 1985	-Ministerial Conference-	Mt. Glory
April 20, 1985	-Martin, Second Session-	Mothers Home
April 25, 1985	-W. A. Spring Workshop-	New Salem
June 29, 1985	-C.T.S. Rally-	Mt. Gilead
August 2, 1985	-Ministerial Conference-	New Home (M.C.)
August 3, 1985	-Martin, Third Session-	Corinth
September 28, 1985	-W. A. Convention-	Thompson
September 28, 1985	-Sunday School Convention-	Hebrew
October 18, 1985	-Ministerial Conference-	Donalsonville
October 19, 1985	-Martin, Annual Session-	New Salem
December 28, 1985	-C.T.S. Rally-	Mothers Home

MARTIN DISTRICT MEETING DATES 1986

June 28, 1986	-C.T.S. Rally-	New Home (M. C.)
November 29, 1986	-C.T.S. Rally-	New Salem

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OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS OF MARTIN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

General Officers

Moderator *Rev. Mance Cason*
Assistant Moderator *Bro. Bobby Roberts*
Clerk..... *Bro. David Richardson*
Assistant Clerk..... *Bro. Lynn Frazier*

Executive Committee

Rev. Mance Cason *Colquitt, Ga.*
Bro. David Richardson *Colquitt, Ga.*
Bro. Abbie Calhoun *Colquitt, Ga.*
Rev. Walter Daniels..... *Iron City, Ga.*
Bro. Terry McVey *Colquitt, Ga.*

Ordaining Council

Rev. Lewis Williams..... *Term expires 1987*
Rev. Elzie Franks to serve unexpired term of
Rev. Wayne Sheffield..... *Term expires 1986*
Rev. Talmadge Worsley to serve unexpired term of
Rev. Mance Cason *Term expires 1985*

Investigating Committee

Bro. Louie Grimes *Term expires 1987*
Bro. Fred Ingram..... *Term expires 1986*
Bro. Benny Cumbie *Term expires 1985*

Nominations to State Boards

Mission Board..... *Rev. Rick Cason*
Board of Trustees *Bro. O. B. Everson*
Board of Christian Education *Rev. Mance Cason*
Board of Camp Mt. Bethel..... *Rev. Ken Murphy*
Promotional Secretary *Bro. Herbert Waid*

P.O. Box 1844, Moultrie, Ga. 31768

PROGRAMS FOR MARTIN QUARTERLY MEETING

FIRST SESSION

Thompson, January 19, 1985, 10:00 a.m.

Welcome *Bro. Edd Miller*
Response *Bro. Danny Guthrie*
Devotion *Bro. O. B. Everson*
Message *Rev. Jim Lugo*

SECOND SESSION

Mothers Home, April 20, 1985, 10:00 a.m.

Welcome *Bro. Terry McVey*
Response *Sis. Minnie Cobb*
Devotion *Bro. Jerry McNease*
Message *Rev. Ricky Cason*

THIRD SESSION

Corinth, August 3, 1985, 10:00 a.m.

Welcome *Bro. James Swanner*
Response *Bro. Herbert Boyd*
Devotion *Rev. Willie Dawson*
Message *Rev. Ken Murphy*

FOURTH SESSION

New Salem, October 19, 1985, 9:30 a.m.

Welcome *Bro. Tommy Newberry*
Response *Sis. Winnie Daniels*
Devotion *Bro. Emory Richardson*
Message *Rev. Mance Cason*

**MARTIN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST
FIRST QUARTERLY MEETING
January 14, 1984**

The first quarterly session convened at Mt. Gilead Church on January 14, 1984, at 10:00 a.m. Song service was lead by Bro. Albert Johnson; prayer by Rev. Wayne Sheffield. Bro. Louie Grimes gave the morning devotion from Rev. 3:20 and II Chronicles. The welcome was given by Bro. Stanley Kirkland, and Rev. Bob White gave the response.

After another song and a prayer by Rev. James Roland, it was MSC to seat the delegates. Seventeen ministers, 20 deacons, and 22 wives of ministers and deacons were recognized. The moderator then recognized the visitors present. Bro. Victor Neuenschwander told about the bookstore display that had been set up.

The minutes and treasury report were read. MSC to adopt.

The Executive Committee Report from November 14 and December 8, 1983, were read. MSC to adopt.

MSC for moderator to appoint a Credentials Committee. The appointees were: Bro. Richard McNease, Bro. Louie Grimes, and Bro. Robert Tully.

MSC for moderator to appoint Resolutions Committee. The appointees were: Rev. B. H. Parrish, Sis. Melody Houston, and Sis. Lucile Lane.

Moderator called for old business.

MSC to remove the tabled motion from the annual session pertaining to Article VIII, Section 2, Paragraph D from the table. The motion was amended to change the amount for clerk's honorarium from \$10 to \$25 for Sessions 1-3. MSC to make proposed constitutional change.

MSC to remove from the table proposed constitutional change pertaining to Article III (meeting date in July be changed to first Saturday in August). MSC to make proposed change.

Moderator called for new business.

Sis. Martha Everson, Sis. Janice Cason, and Sis. Margaret Ann Daniels gave Woman's Auxiliary Report. MSC to receive as information.

Rev. Mance Cason gave Master's Men Report. MSC to receive as information.

Rev. Bob White gave Camp Board Report.

After a 10 minute recess, the meeting was reopened with a song and a prayer for the deceased members of the association.

An offering of \$70.66 was received.

After special music by Bro. Edward Miller, Rev. Mance Cason brought the morning message from Matt. 16: 1-3.

After the message the meeting was reopened for business.

The attendance banner was retained by New Home No. 2 with 18 members present.

Rev. Wayne Sheffield gave the Ordaining Council Report.

MSC to receive Rev. Jim Lugo into association upon letter of recommendation.

MSC to receive Rev. Ken Murphy into association upon letter of recommendation.

Rev. Wayne Sheffield gave Mission Board Report. MSC to receive as information.

Rev. Mance Cason gave Christian Board of Education Report. MSC to receive as information.

Resolutions Committee Report was given by Rev. B. H. Parrish. MSC to adopt.

Credentials Committee Report was given by Bro. Robert Tully. MSC to adopt.

Moderator called for announcements.

MSC to adjourn. Dismissed with prayer by Bro. Jerry McNease.

FINANCIAL REPORT From Dec. 15, 1984

Balance Brought Forward	\$2,741.31
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Total Monies Received

Minutes (Mothers Home)	15.00
National Representation Fee (Mothers Home)	10.00
Total Monies Received	<u>\$ 25.00</u>

Total Expenditures

Automat Printers	\$ 549.75
Associational related phone calls & gas (Quincy)	20.00

Postage (Polar Branch Project)	10.20
Stamps	<u>4.00</u>
Total Expenditures	\$ 583.95
Balance Brought Forward	\$2,741.31
Plus Monies Received	<u>25.00</u>
Total	\$2,766.31
Minus Expenditures	<u>- 583.95</u>
Balance on Hand (1-14-84)	\$2,182.36

FINANCIAL REPORT..... From January 14, 1984

Beginning Balance \$2,182.36

Total Monies Received

Dues (Jan. 14, 1984)	365.50
Co-op Tithes (Mt. Glory)	35.00
Benevolent Fund	355.50
Offering	70.66
Minutes (Thompson)	30.00
Minutes (Mt. Glory)	6.00
Minutes (Janice Cason)	<u>1.00</u>
Total Monies Received	\$ 863.66

Total Expenditures

Moderator	5.00
Clerk	25.00
Sis. Bernice Mock	100.00
Sis. L. D. Scott	100.00
Rev. W. S. Driggers	100.00
Ga. State Co-op Tithes	133.35
Ga. State (Mt. Glory Co-op)	35.00
Hal Davis, Lawyer, Polar Branch	50.00
Phone Calls, Polar Branch Project	<u>9.20</u>
Total Expenditures	\$ 557.55

Beginning Balance	\$2,182.36
Plus Monies Received	<u>863.66</u>
	\$3,046.02
Minus Expenditures	<u>557.55</u>
Total to Date (4-14-84)	\$2,488.47

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

Number Churches Reporting	13
Number of Elected Delegates	45
Dues	\$365.50
Benevolent Fund	355.50
Cooperative Plan	35.00

Brothers Robert Tully, Louie Grimes,
and Richard McNease

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Jim Lugo - A petition by Colquitt Church to receive Rev. Jim Lugo into Martin Association pending a letter of recommendation from Paul Palmer Fellowship Conference.

Rev. Ken Murphy - a petition from Corinth Church to receive Rev. Ken Murphy into the Martin Association pending a letter of recommendation from South Georgia Association.

Rev. Lewis Williams, Rev. Mance Cason,
and Rev. Wayne Sheffield

STATE MISSION BOARD REPORT

The State Mission Board met at Norman Assembly, Norman Park, Ga., in November. We talked of starting a new work, and it was expressed to ask around and pray for the place God would want it to start.

Bro. Billy McKinney met with the Board and desired that we pay him a salary in his work at Gainesville. The Board refused at this time.

Dublin - Bro. Lysaker is doing a fine job. Have had many saved, offerings have increased, and with the Lord's help, will become self supporting in the not too distant future.

Gainesville - Bro. Billy McKinney has moved a double-wide trailer on the property that the church has purchased, has had some setbacks, but has great outlook for 1984.

Northside - Bro. Ronald Wallace - has a steady, consistent growth and ministry - needs financial help on land - owes \$12,000 - needs to pay off this year.

Rev. Wayne Sheffield

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Whereas, we resolve - that we not limit our meeting times to be finished before lunch, to allow time that is needed to attend to the Lord's business, if necessary to return after lunch to finish anything needed.
2. Whereas, we resolve - that we as a congregation be much in prayer concerning our presidential election this year, and everyone remember his Christian duty to vote.
3. Whereas, we resolve - to give Mt. Gilead Church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality in hosting this meeting of the Martin Association.

Rev. B. H. Parrish, Sis. Lucile
Lane, and Sis. Melody Houston

MARTIN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTIST SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING

April 14, 1984

The second session convened at New Home No. 2 Church on April 14, 1984, at 10:00 a.m. Bro. Paul Boutwell led the congregational singing. Bro. Boutwell also welcomed everyone, and Bro. Herbert Boyd gave the response. The morning devotion was given by Bro. Albert Johnson. Following another song, Bro. Claude Newsome led in prayer.

There was a MSC to seat the delegates. Thirteen ministers and 12 deacons were recognized. Moderator, Rev. Walter Daniels, recognized the visitors present.

The minutes and financial report of the last meeting were read and approved.

Rev. Mance Cason gave a report on Polar Branch Church.

Rev. Lewis Williams gave the Ordaining Council report. MSC to send a letter of good standing for Rev. David Cooper.

Rev. Mance Cason gave the Christian Board of Education report. MSC to receive as information.

Sis. Janice Cason and Sis. Margaret A. Daniels gave a Woman's Auxiliary report. MSC to receive as information.

Camp Board report was given by Rev. Bob White. MSC to receive as information.

The Cecil Mock Banner was retained by new Home No. 2.

After a short recess special music was presented by the CTS Competition contestants.

Received an offering of \$53.81.

The morning message was given by Rev. B. H. Parrish from Matthew 24. After the message the moderator re-opened the business session.

The Credentials Committee report was given by Bro. Robert Tully. MSC to adopt.

MSC to approve a recommendation that all benevolent giving be equally divided among recipients.

Announcements were made.

Rev. B. H. Parrish gave Resolutions Committee report. MSC to adopt.

MSC to adjourn. We were dismissed in prayer by Bro. Robert Tully.

FINANCIAL REPORT From April 14, 1984

Beginning Balance	\$2,488.47
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Total Monies Received

Dues (April 14, 1984)	361.50
Co-op Tithes (Mt. Glory)	50.00

Benevolent Giving	389.00
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00
Minutes (Unity)	25.00
Offering	53.81
Total Monies Received	<u>\$ 904.31</u>

Total Expenditures

Ga. State Co-op Tithes	130.55
Ga. State Co-op (Mt. Glory)	50.00
Rev. W. S. Driggers	320.26
Sis. Bernice Mock	320.26
Sis. L. D. Scott	320.26
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00
Rev. Walter Daniels, Moderator	5.00
Bro. David Richardson, Clerk	25.00
Travel & phone calls (Polar Branch)	65.55
Stamps	4.00
Total Expenditures	<u>\$1,265.88</u>

Beginning Balance	\$2,488.47
Plus Monies Received	904.31
	<u>\$3,392.78</u>
Minus Expenditures	1,265.88
Total to Date (8-4-84)	<u>\$2,126.90</u>

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

Number of Churches Reporting	13
Number of Elected Delegates	38
Dues	\$361.50
Benevolent Fund	389.00
Co-op (Mt. Glory)	50.00
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00
Minutes (Unity)	25.00

Brothers Robert Tully, Louie
Grimes, Richard McNease

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

We resolve to give New Home No. 2 a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality in hosting this meeting of the Martin Association.

Rev. B. H. Parrish, Sis. Lucile Lane, and Sis. Melody Houston

MARTIN ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

August 4, 1984

The third session of the Martin Association met at Colquitt Church on August 4, 1984, at 10:00 a.m. Song service was led by Bro. Bobby Roberts; prayer by Rev. Elzie Franks. Bro. Bobby Roberts gave the morning devotion from Exodus 14. The welcome was given by Bro. Buddy Bush, and Bro. Terry McVey gave the response. After another song, it was MSC to seat the delegates. Twelve ministers, 13 deacons, wives of ministers and deacons, visitors, and our promotional secretary were recognized. The minutes and treasury report were read. MSC to adopt.

Moderator appointed Bro. O. B. Everson to serve with Credentials Committee, and Bro. Buddy Bush was appointed to serve on the Resolutions Committee.

Rev. J. J. Scott addressed group pertaining to the Cool Springs FWB Church.

Bro. Herbert Waid gave a report on state work and the Camp Board Report.

The Credentials Committee report was given by Bro. Louie Grimes. MSC to adopt.

MSC that Moderator appoint replacement for Rev. Bob White on Board of Camp Mt. Bethel. Rev. Ken Murphy was appointed.

Rev. Lewis Williams gave Ordaining Council report. MSC to grant letter of recommendation to Midway Association for Rev. W. S. Driggers and Rev. Damon Dodd.

Mission Board report was given by Bro. Herbert Waid.

After a short recess, Bro. Edward Miller led the congregation in a song.

An offering of \$74.45 was received.

An inspiring and informative program was presented by the Martin District Woman's Auxiliary.

The attendance banner was won by Thompson Church with 32 members present. Bro. C. A. Powell, Chairman of Deacon Board, was presented the banner by the Moderator.

Rev. Mance Cason gave a report on the Polar Branch Project. MSC to receive report.

MSC that moderator appoint Nominating and Program Committees. Rev. Walter Daniels, Bro. Buddy Bush, and Bro. David Richardson were appointed to serve on the Nominating Committee. Rev. Talmadge Worsley, Rev. J. J. Scott, and Bro. Charles Grimes were appointed to serve on the Program Committee.

The Resolutions Committee report was given by Sis. Melody Houston.

Moderator called for announcements.

MSC to adjourn. Bro. O. B. Everson prayed dismissal prayer.

FINANCIAL REPORT..... From August 4, 1984

Beginning Balance \$2,126.90

Total Monies Received

Dues	361.50
Benevolent Giving	344.00
Offering	74.45
Total Monies Received	\$ 779.95

Total Expenditures

Ga. State Co-op Tithes	130.55
Rev. W. S. Driggers	158.14
Sis. L. D. Scott	158.14
Sis. Bernice Mock	158.14
David Richardson, Clerk	25.00
Walter Daniels, Moderator	5.00
Phone calls & gas (Polar Branch)	52.29
Stamps	4.00
Total Expenditures	\$ 691.26

Beginning Balance	\$2,126.90
Plus Monies Received	<u>779.95</u>
	\$2,906.85
Minus Expenditures	<u>691.26</u>
Total to Date (10-20-84)	\$2,215.59

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

No. of Churches Reporting	13
No. of Elected Delegates	53
Dues	\$361.50
Benevolent Giving	\$344.00

Brothers Louie Grimes, O. B.
Everson, and Richard McNease

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

August 4, 1984

Be it resolved that we give our host church a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality.

Bro. Buddy Bush, Sis. Melody Houston,
Sis. Lucile Lane

FOURTH QUARTERLY MEETING

October 20, 1984

The annual session convened at New Home (M. C.) on October 20, 1984, at 9:30 a.m. Song service was led by Bro. Albert Johnson; prayer by Bro. J. W. Nix. The morning devotion was given by Rev. Rick Cason from Romans 10. Bro. Scot Roberts welcomed everyone, and Sis. Eva Middleton responded. After another song, Rev. Lewis Williams led in prayer.

Moderator asked all elected delegates to stand. MSC to seat the delegates. Fourteen ministers, 6 ministers' wives, 10 deacons, and 6 deacons' wives were recognized.

Moderator appointed Bro. Albert Johnson and Bro. Clifton Powell to serve on Credentials Committee. The minutes and treasury report were read. MSC to adopt.

Moderator called for old business. Sis. Martha Williams gave a report from last camp session. Midway Association requested that

someone from Martin Association serve on joint camp committee. Sis. Martha Williams and Rev. Jim Lugo vounteered to serve on this committee.

Board of Christian Education report was given by Rev. Mance Cason. Moderator asked Sis. Eva Middleton to serve on Resolutions Committee. Ordaining Council reports were given by Rev. Lewis Williams. MSC to receive reports.

Moderator asked Rev. Jim Lugo to come forward to be welcomed into association. Moderator asked Rev. Rick & Sis. Debbie Cason to come forward & tell about themselves. Rev. Rick's father, mother, & brother were asked to come forward also.

Polar Branch Project report was given by Rev. Mance Cason.

After a 10 minute recess Sis. Martha Everson gave Woman's Auxiliary report. Bro. Richard McNease gave the Credentials Committee report. MSC to adopt.

MSC for moderator to appoint delegates to state meeting. Moderator appointed Sis. Janice Cason, Sis. Margaret A. Daniels, & Sis. Ann Murphy.

After a song, and a prayer by Bro. David Clements, we received an offering of \$60.66. Special music was presented by Rev. Reuben Cason. Rev. Lewis Williams brought the morning message from Numbers 16. The count for the Cecil Mock Attendance Banner ended in a tie between New Home No. 2 and New Salem. The delegates from New Home agreed to let New Salem take the banner home since they had kept it for so long, and New Salem had never won before.

The Program Committee report was given by Rev. Talmadge Worlsey. MSC to adopt. Nominating Committee report was given by clerk. MSC to adopt. Resolutions Committee report was given by Rev. B. H. Parrish. MSC to adopt. MSC to give retiring officers a rising vote of appreciation. MSC to adjourn. Rev. Jim Lugo dismissed with prayer.

FINANCIAL REPORT From Oct. 20, 1984

Balance brought forward \$2,215.59

Total Monies Received

Dues (Oct. 20, 1984)	365.00
Benevolent Fund	347.50
Minutes	194.00
Printing of minutes (Ministers & Deacons)	75.00
Printing of minutes (Sunday School)	100.00
Printing of minutes (Woman's Auxiliary)	50.00
Printing of minutes (CTS)	50.00
National Representation Fees	80.00
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00
Offering (Oct. 20)	60.66
Total Monies Received	<u>\$1,347.16</u>

Total Expenditures

Ga. State Office (Co-op Dues)	\$ 115.50
Ga. State Office (Delegates Fees)	45.00
Ga. State Office (National Dues)	130.00
Rev. W. S. Driggers (B. gift)	152.55
Sis. L. S. Scott (B. gift)	152.55
Sis. Bernice Mock (B. gift)	152.55
Clerk	50.00
Moderator	5.00
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00
Stamps	4.00
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 832.15</u>

Beginning Balance	\$2,215.59
Plus Monies Received	<u>1,347.16</u>
Total	\$3,562.75
Minus Expenditures	<u>-832.15</u>
Total to Date (Dec. 10, 1984)	\$2,730.60

ORDAINING COUNCIL REPORTS

The Ordaining Council of the Martin Association met on August 21, 1984, New Home (M. C.) to interview Rev. Talmadge Worsley for membership in good standing with this association. We

recommend Bro. Talmadge be accepted pending a letter of recommendation from the Paul Palmer Conference.

We also met with Bro. Buddy Bailey at his request to discuss his licensing and ordaining. Referred back to church with information he desired.

Rev. James Roland requested a meeting with the Ordaining Council. We did meet at New Home Church and listened to Bro. James' statements. In as much as it was a matter of the Ordaining Council's hands, we referred the matter to the Executive Committee of this association.

Move by Bro. Mance Cason to purchase folders and a box to maintain records. Also secure copies of state guidelines for ordaining ministers, copies of treatise, and copies of Faith for today, and licensing and ordination certificates.

Rev. Lewis Williams, Chairman

Rev. Mance Cason

Rev. Wayne Sheffield, Clerk

The Ordaining Council met October 12, at New Home (M.C.). The Council met with Rev. Ricky Cason at the request of New Salem Church. The Council recommends Rev. Ricky Cason be received into the Martin Association in good standing pending a letter of recommendation from the Union Association.

A letter from the Paul Palmer Association has been received commending Rev. Jim Lugo into our fellowship.

Rev. Mance Cason

Rev. Lewis Williams

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

October 20, 1984

No. of Churches Reporting	13
No. of Elected Delegates	39
Dues	\$365.00
Benevolent Fund	347.50
Minutes	194.00
National Representation Fees	80.00
Children's Home (Highway)	25.00

Brothers Clifton Powell, Albert

Johnson, & Richard McNease

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

October 20, 1984

We resolve to give New Home (M.C.) a rising vote of thanks for their hospitality in hosting this meeting of the Martin Association.

Rev. B. H. Parrish, Sis. Lucile
Lane, Sis. Melody Houston

BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE

Colquitt	Bro. Robert Tully
Corinth	Bro. James Swanner
Donalsonville	Sis. Elnora Rose
Hebrew	Bro. Edd Hill
Highway	
Mother's Home	Bro. Jerry McNease
Mt. Gilead	Bro. Herbert Boyd
Mt. Glory	Bro. Albert Johnson
New Home (M.C.)	Bro. Harvey D. Cox
New Home No. 2	Bro. Paul Boutwell
New Salem	Bro. Frank Newberry
Thompson	Bro. Edward Miller
Unity	Bro. John Thomas

BENEVOLENT FUND REPORT

Receipts

Benevolent giving received from churches	\$1,979.00
Offerings received at associational meetings	585.66
30% of associational dues	<u>328.20</u>
Total Receipts	\$2,892.86

Disbursements

Rev. Damon Dodd	\$ 100.00
Rev. W. S. Driggers	930.95
Sis. L. D. Scott	930.95
Sis. Bernice Mock	<u>930.95</u>
Total Disbursements	\$2,892.85

Total Receipts	\$2,892.86
Minus Total Disbursements	<u>-2,892.85</u>
Balance in Benevolent Fund, Oct., 1984	\$.01

HARVEST DRIVE-CHILDREN'S HOME

Highway	\$ 25.00
Mt. Gilead	\$396.00
Charles & Mona Harrell	\$ 10.00

MINISTERS AND DEACONS CONFERENCE

OFFICERS

Moderator	Bro. Don Roberts
Assistant Moderator	Rev. Ken Murphy
Clerk	Bro. Claude Newsome
Assistant Clerk	Bro. J. R. McNease

FINANCIAL REPORT

Brought Forward	\$100.20
Received	<u>77.60</u>
Total	177.60
Paid-out for minutes	<u>75.00</u>
Balance	\$102.80

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE PROGRAMS

First Session - New Home No. 2 - January 18, 1985 - 8:00 p.m.

Second Session - Mt. Glory - April 19, 1985 - 8:00 p.m.

Third Session - New Home (M.C.) - August 2, 1985 - 8:00 p.m.

Fourth Session - Donalsonville - October 18, 1985 - 8:00 p.m.

NOTE: The host pastor will be responsible for the message and submitting of someone to give welcome. The moderator will appoint someone to give response.

MARTIN ASSOCIATION SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

April 28, 1984

The Martin Association S.S. Convention convened at Donalsonville FWB Church on April 28, 1984. The session was opened with a song "Victory in Jesus", led by Bro. Ronnie McNease. Rev. Lewis Williams then led in prayer. The welcome was given by Sis. Lillian Rogers, and the response by Bro. Jimmy Bellflower. The devotion was presented by Bro. Charles Grimes, reading II Tim. the 4th chapter. Recognized all the delegates from other churches. Call for church letters. Bro. Stanley Kirkland appointed a Digest Committee as follows: Bro. David Richardson, Bro. Charles Harrell, and Bro. Charles Grimes. Then Bro. Kirkland recognized 9 ministers, 4 S.S. superintendents, and 8 S.S. teachers.

Asked for any old business. There was none. Then asked for new business. Rev. Lewis Williams talked about dismissing covered dish suppers. MSC to do so. Start meetings at 7:30 sharp. Also discussed poor attendance to S.S. Conventions.

Digest Committee reported the following:

Number of churches	9
No. on roll	410
No. teachers	49
No. officers	17
Average attendance	332
Total offering	\$2,908.03
Paid out for literature	\$2,060.61
Misc. expenses	\$ 367.54

MSC to adopt this report. Minutes of last meeting and treasury report were read and approved. The men of Mt. Gilead sang for us. Also Mothers Home sang. This was enjoyed by all. Then Bro. Buddy Bailey gave his testimony. A rising vote of thanks was given to Donalsonville Church. Bro. Wayne Sheffield dismissed with prayer.

TREASURY REPORT

Balance brought forward	\$53.72
Paid out for stamps	<u>-4.00</u>

Balance	\$49.72
Dues to convention	<u>44.00</u>
Balance on hand	\$93.72

MARTIN ASSOCIATION S.S. CONVENTION

September 29, 1984

The Martin Association S.S. Convention was held at New Home II, Sept. 29, 1984. The meeting was opened with a song "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow." Rev. Lewis Williams led in prayer. Bro. Wayne Scott gave the welcome, and Bro. Smiley Bailey responded. Bro. Earl Coker gave the devotion reading Matt. 4:1-11.

Call for church letters. Recognized delegates. Digest Committee appointed--Bro. Claude Newsome, Bro. Lowell McNease, and Bro. Ken Murphy. Recognized 8 ministers, 6 S.S. superintendents, and 19 S. S. teachers.

Moderator called for old business. There was none. Then he called for new business. MSC to give \$100 toward printing of associational minutes.

Digest Committee reported the following:

No. churches	8
No. on roll	405
No. of teachers	48
No. of officers	18
No. of departments	47
Average attendance	302
Total offering	\$2,920.09
Paid for literature	\$1,858.79
Misc. expenses	\$ 299.37
Dues to convention	\$ 39.00

MSC to adopt this report. Minutes and treasury report were read and approved. Several men from New Salem Church sang for us. It was enjoyed by all. Thompson Church presented a puppet show. concerning the "Summer Sunday School Slump" and how to help with this problem. They also sang for us. Then New Home II put on a skit for us entitled "A Day at the Tempter's School."

Rev. Walter Daniels dismissed our meeting with prayer. The host church served refreshments that were enjoyed by all.

TREASURY REPORT

Balance brought forward	\$ 93.72
Dues to convention	<u>39.00</u>
Total	\$132.72
Printing of minutes	<u>-100.00</u>
Balance on Hand	\$ 32.72

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION OFFICERS

Moderator.....	Bro. Stanley Kirkland
Assistant Moderator.....	Bro. David Richardson
Secretary-Treasurer.....	Sis. Joyce McNease
Ass't Sec. - Treas.....	Sis. Melody Houston
Director of Organization	Bro. James Swanner
Director of Publicity.....	Sis. Martha Williams

PROGRAMS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTIONS

First Session, March 30, 1985
Place: Mt. Gilead
Welcome: Bro. Herbert Boyd
Response: Bro. Scot Roberts
Devotional: Bro. Jimmy Bellflower
Programs: Mt. Gilead & Corinth
Special Singing: New Home (M.C.) & Unity

Second Session, September 28, 1985
Place: Hebrew
Welcome: Bro. Edd Hill
Response: Bro. David Richardson
Devotional: Bro. James Swanner
Programs: Hebrew & New Salem
Special Singing: Thompson & Donalsonville

CTS CONVENTION REPORT

January 28, 1984

The Martin District CTS Convention convened with Corinth on January 28, 1984. Bro. Scot Roberts, Assistant Moderator, called the meeting to order. Song service was led by Bro. Edward Miller, prayer by Rev. Walter Daniels, welcome by Rev. Ken Murphy, response by Bro. Herbert Boyd. Devotional was given by Rev. Ken Murphy from I Corinthians 3:1.

Bro. Scot Roberts asked assistant secretary to give reading of last minutes. MSC to adopt. Letters were received. The Digest Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Wayne Sheffield, Bro. Hubert Cox, and Bro. Edward Miller.

Next, program was given by New Salem with Tina White giving a piano special. Thompson youth choir presented special singing. Bro. Edward Miller rendered two specials.

Digest Committee gave report. MSC to adopt.

Rev. Bob White explained about CTS competition to be held in Macon on May 11th and 12th. He made a move which was seconded to organize a youth day to be held April 7th. New Salem asked this to be held at their church. Rev. Bob White, Rev. Wayne Sheffield, and Rev. Mance Cason were appointed to head this competition. Motion carried. Rev. Lewis Williams made a motion to give this committee authority to buy needed materials, and the churches were to notify the committee two weeks before the meeting date who would compete. Motion seconded and passed. Rev. Walter Daniels made a move to let the committee set a time and notify the churches. Seconded. Carried.

After no other business, teachers, deacons, ministers, and CTS directors were counted. There were 7 ministers, 5 deacons, 9 teachers, and 1 CTS director present. The body gave Corinth a rising vote of thanks for hosting the convention. We were dismissed with prayer by Rev. Wayne Sheffield.

DIGEST COMMITTEE REPORT

No. of Churches Reporting	5
No. Enrolled	198
Average Attendance	155
Condition of CTS	Good

Total Amount of offerings	\$663.77
Amount spent for literature	582.54
Amount spent for supplies	58.95
Miscellaneous	175.00
Total Expenditures	\$839.04

TREASURY REPORT

Old Balance	\$152.29
Dues to Convention	<u>25.00</u>
New Balance	\$177.29
Randall Book Store	<u>31.35</u>
New Balance	\$145.94
Printing of letters	<u>2.60</u>
New Balance	\$143.34
Envelopes	<u>2.40</u>
New Balance	\$140.94

Sis. Johnnie Ogg
Secretary & Treasurer
Sis. Gertrude Roberts
Assistant Sec. & Treas.

CTS CONVENTION REPORT

July 28, 1984

The Martin District CTS Convention convened at New Salem on July 28, 1984. Bro. David Richardson called the meeting to order. Song service was led by Bro. Billy Roland, prayer by Rev. Lewis Williams, welcome by Bro. Emory Richardson, response by Bro. David Richardson.

Devotional was presented by Bro. David Richardson taken from Psalms and Proverbs about church training. Devotional was closed with prayer.

Next, secretary gave reading of last minutes. MSC to adopt. Letters were received. The Digest Committee was appointed as follows: Bro. Jimmy Bellflower, Bro. Ronnie McNease, and Bro. Leroy Driggers. Song leader led congregation in singing while Digest Committee was working up report. Digest Committee

report was given by Bro. Ronnie McNease. MSC to adopt. Program was presented by New Salem with inspiring hymns by the men's quartet.

Moderator asked for any old business. This was the time to appoint Program and Nominating Committees for the next convention term. Program Committee was appointed as follows: Sis. Johnnie Ogg, Sis. Martha Williams, and Sis. Allie Mae Richardson. Bro. Herbert Boyd made move to elect officers from the floor on this night. Seconded and carried.

Rev. Lewis Williams moved that the program committee go ahead with setting up of programs for printing of minutes by October. Move seconded and carried. Rev. Williams also moved for CTS to pay \$50 to associational clerk for printing of minutes. Move seconded and carried.

After no other business, the counting of ministers, deacons, teachers, and CTS directors was taken. There were 2 ministers, 1 deacon, 4 teachers, and 3 CTS directors present.

The body gave New Salem a rising vote of thanks for hospitality. We were dismissed with prayer by Bro. Billy Roland.

DIGEST COMMITTEE REPORT

No. of Churches Reporting	5
No. Enrolled	184
Average Attendance	75
Condition of CTS	Good
Total Amount of offerings	\$555.19
Amount spent for literature	500.27
Amount spent for supplies	37.35
Miscellaneous	50.00
Total expenditures	\$293.71

TREASURY REPORT

Old Balance	\$140.94
Dues to Convention	25.00
New Balance	<u>\$165.94</u>
Printing of minutes	50.00
New Balance	<u>\$115.94</u>

Sis. Johnnie Ogg
Secretary & Treasurer

OFFICERS

Moderator	Bro. Ronnie McNease
Assistant Moderator	Bro. Jimmy Bellflower
Secretary & Treasurer	Sis. Johnnie Ogg
Ass't Sec. - Treas.....	Sis. Allie M. Richardson

CTS PROGRAMS FOR 1985 & 1986

FIRST SESSION--MT. GILEAD

June 29, 1985

Welcome	Bro. Jimmy Bellflower
Response	Bro. Johnny Dozier
Devotional	Bro. Herbert Boyd
Responsible for Program	Sis. Elise Williams
	Sis. Veda Bellflower

SECOND SESSION--MOTHERS HOME

December 28, 1985

Welcome	Bro. J. R. McNease
Response	Bro. Billy Roland
Devotional	Bro. Lowell McNease
Responsible for Program	Sis. Joyce McNease
	Sis. Marsha Worsley

FIRST SESSION--NEW HOME (M.C.)

June 28, 1986

Welcome	Bro. Bobby Roberts
Response	Bro. Herbert Boyd
Devotional	Bro. Scot Roberts
Responsible for Program	Sis. Pam Roberts
	Sis. Mary Cox

SECOND SESSION--NEW SALEM

November 29, 1986

Welcome	Bro. David Richardson
Response	Bro. J. R. McNease
Devotional	Bro. Billy Roland
Responsible for Program	Sis. Sue Mock
	Sis. Cheryl Newberry

MINUTES OF THE MARTIN DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION

September 22, 1984

The Martin District Woman's Auxiliary met at New Home (Miller County) on September 22, 1984. The theme for the convention was "Ask of Me." (Psalm 2:8) The theme song was "I Asked the Lord."

The convention was opened by singing "Jesus Call Us" and "I Asked the Lord." Prayer and devotion were led by June Lugo. A group of ladies from Mt. Gilead entertained with special music. New Home ladies presented the welcome and each auxiliary president and the guest speaker, Ms. Ramona Miley, with a flower. A report on the Ridge Crest Retreat was then given.

The business session began by Gertrude Roberts giving the Credentials Report, which was read and adopted. It was MSC to

seat delegates and recognize visitors. The Resolutions were read item by item and voted on. All items carried with the exception of number 18. Number 17 is on a trial basis (See Resolutions Report). Reports from Mission chairmen then were heard. Janice Cason was elected to fill the unexpired term of Prayer Chairman, Helen Wiggins, for one year. Margaret A. Daniels gave report of Study Course Chairman. No report was given from Action Chairman, Melody Houston. Treasurer, Allie M. Richardson, gave her report (See Report). It was MSC to adopt. The Finance Committee report was also given by Mrs. Richardson (See Report). It was MSC to adopt. Eva Middleton gave the Registration Report. Colquitt won the banner with 8 members present. A total of 34 ladies composed of 6 auxiliaries was present.

The following were elected to serve on the Nominating Committee for officers for 1985-87: Lorraine Bush, Gail Everson, Eudene Boyd, Lucille Lane, and Pam Roberts, Chairman.

Delegates to State W. A. Convention, Nov. 14-15 are: Ann Murphy, Janice Cason, Veda Bellflower, Elise Williams, Eva Middleton, Allie Richardson, Nancy Houston, and June Lugo.

Eva Middleton was elected to serve on the State Nominating Committee. At this time Gertrude Roberts presented the attendance banner.

The minutes were then read and approved. (See Report) A Home Mission and Evangelistic Conference was to be held at New Home on Oct. 22-23. Lunch would be served on the 23rd with each auxiliary helping to furnish food.

After singing and offering, Lorraine Bush presented the group with special music.

The guest speaker, Ramona Miley, a missionary from France, gave the group a very inspiring talk of God's guidance, provision, and protection for us. She concluded her talk by encouraging each of us to pray for people.

The benediction and the blessing were then asked. After lunch everyone enjoyed talking with Ms. Miley, the guest speaker.

Jean Tully, Secretary

MARTIN DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CREDENTIALS REPORT

We, your credentials committee, wish to submit the following report according to Article 4 of the Constitution and Article 5 of the By-Laws.

The following 6 Auxiliaries have properly reported with the proper reports and fees:

Colquitt
Corinth
Mt. Gilead
New Home, Miller County
New Salem
Thompson

We recommend that this report be received and the delegates be seated.

Respectfully submitted,
Debra Middleton
Ruth Henry
Gertrude Roberts

MARTIN DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTIONS RESOLUTIONS 1984-1985

1. That we adopt the 84-85 theme, "ASK OF ME," Scripture, (Psalms 2:8) and the song "I ASKED THE LORD."
2. WHEREAS, The 1984-85 theme, "Ask of Me" stresses petitionary prayer, BE IT RESOLVED that we re-enforce our emphasis on prayer in the following ways:
 - A. Private devotions
 - B. Family alters
 - C. Intercessory prayer:
Telephone prayer chains, prayer groups, prayer fellowship hour, mission pray-ers (homebound), special seasons of prayer for home, State, and Foreign Missions, monthly Auxiliary Meetings, Church Prayer Meetings.
 - D. Prayer retreats
 - E. Prayer hymns and songs
 - F. Plays/skits

G. Posters, prayer reminders, prayer diaries, tracts

H. Prayer study courses

3. That we adopt and use as our guide the CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS FOR A DISTRICT CONVENTION AS PUBLISHED BY WNAC.
4. That the Executive Committee plan and prepare the convention program in time to mail an advance copy to each CHURCH, each PASTOR, each PRESIDENT or local auxiliaries, each DISTRICT officer and each person on the program in the Martin Association by September 1 every year.
5. That the president appoint the convention committees (with the exception of the Nominating Committee which is elected bi-annually at the convention) at the Spring Workshop every year, naming a chairman of each committee and supplying her name and address to all the Auxiliaries so they can get their suggestions and requests for the committee's consideration to her in ample time for the committees to meet BEFORE THE CONVENTION and prepare their report.
6. That the TREASURER, SECRETARY, and chairman of the RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE be responsible for mimeographing copies of their reports to be given out at the convention.
7. That the president be responsible for special promotion of manual study and WNAC emphasis month programs in our district.
8. That the vice-president plan and promote BIG "M" MONTH (January) in our district as suggested by WNAC.
9. That the FIELD-WORKER be responsible for promoting the Georgia State WA Retreat in our district.
10. That we accept the Georgia State WA project and the district TREASURER be responsible for special promotions through out the year to encourage our District Co-laborers to reach our goal.
11. That the STUDY COURSE CHAIRMAN be responsible for planning, conducting, and promoting the Martin Auxiliary Workshops.
12. That we adopt and support the suggestions presented by the Missions Prayer, the Missions Study and the Missions Action Chairmen for the year.

13. That we continue the Mission Action Projects suggested by WNAC as long as needed:
 - (1) Discarded plastic medicine bottles for Ivory Coast.
 - (2) Used postage stamps (keep foreign and U.S. separate)
 - (3) Old eyeglasses
 - (4) Old Bibles
 - (5) Bandages
14. That each Auxiliary send with dues a REGISTRATION FEE of \$6.00 to take care of operational expenses.
15. That the Martin District WA Convention's minutes be included in the Martin Associational Minutes with the District paying \$50.00 for printing.
16. That RESOLUTIONS numbers 3, 4, 5, 11, and 14 be standing resolutions and printed in each year's resolutions report with necessary changes made in costs of printing and office supplies.
17. That the 1985 Martin District WA Spring Workshop be changed to a night meeting on (4th Thursday in April) a trial basis.
18. That the 1985 Martin District WA Convention be changed to a night meeting. (Defected)
19. That each Auxiliary in the Martin District give a love gift of \$20.00 to Mrs. Pursell in honor of her 22 years of service as our executive secretary upon her retirement next year. This to be sent to our District TREASURER by June 1, 1985. Each State will present its gift to Mrs. Pursell at the National Association in July 1985. (District Treasurer will send to STATE TREASURER by June 15, 1985)
20. That because printing, postage, and mailing costs have increased. Each local Auxiliary include one dollar per Auxiliary minute money with their annual membership fees to WNAC beginning in 1985.
21. That we give a rising vote of thanks to those on program and to New Home Woman's Auxiliary for their hospitality today.

Margaret Ann Daniels, Chairman
Winnie Preston
Vonnie Calhoun
Diane Bellflower
Cheryl Newberry

FINANCIAL REPORT

Beginning Balance \$67.69

Receipts:

Mission Enrichment offering	\$ 66.71	
Film rental fees (\$15 per aux.)	90.00	
Spring Workshop offering	29.06	
Convention Dues (\$2 per 74 mem.)	148.00	
Gifts for C. speaker	60.00	
Convention expenses (\$6 per aux.)	36.00	
Total Receipts	<u> </u>	\$429.77
Total Available		<u>\$497.46</u>

Payments:

Film rental & postage	\$ 83.36	
Supplies & postage	10.38	
Minutes - Martin Association	50.00	
Dues to State Convention	129.50	
(\$1.75 per 74 members)		
Speaker gift	<u>175.00</u>	
Total payments		<u>\$448.24</u>
Balance in Treasury		\$ 49.22

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Allie Mae Richardson, Chairman
Veda Bellflower, Minnie Cobb,
Grace Nix, Ann Murphy

DESIGNATED GIVING REPORT

10-1-83 - 9-15-84

Home Missions	\$ 389.97
Foreign Missions	836.32
Bible College	324.38
WNAC Office	<u>295.20</u>
GRAND TOTAL OF DESIGNATED GIVING	\$1,845.87
TOTAL PAID TO GA. STATE W.A.	\$1,845.87

MARTIN DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT

1984

Number active members on roll	74
Membership fees enclosed at \$1.75	\$129.50

Other Disbursements:

Home Missions	
Pre-Thanksgiving offering	\$183.50
State missions	25.00
Special projects:	
State	323.84
District	118.04

Foreign Missions	
Pre-Easter offering	128.89
Special projects:	
State (State project)	220.00
District	259.00

Bible Colleges	
Student loan funds	50.00
Special projects:	
State (Word Processor)	193.76

Woman's National Auxiliary	
WNAC GENERAL FUND (Emphasis Month)	100.20
Co-Laborer offerings	217.00
Special projects	52.10
Children's homes	5.00
Retired ministers	22.00
Youth camps and projects	
Local church activities	1,015.45
Auxiliary literature and supplies	372.00
Other special offerings	<u>117.74</u>
Total disbursements	\$3,532.92

Cash gifts sent directly to:

Foreign Missions	\$438.35
Children's homes	<u>100.00</u>
Total	\$538.35

Non Cash Gifts (evaluate):

Missionary provision closet	181.64
Other (St. Croix Project)	<u>150.00</u>
Total non cash gifts	\$331.64

Grand total disbursed \$4,402.91
Allie Mae Richardson, Treasurer

MARTIN DISTRICT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CONVENTION REGISTRATION REPORT

New Home	7
Mt. Gilead	6
Colquitt	8
Corinth	4
New Salem	6
Thompson	3
District Officers	5
Delegates	16
TOTAL	34

HISTORY OF NEW HOME FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

According to the best information available, New Home Free Will Baptist Association. There were 51 members with Rev. E. A. Drake serving as pastor and G. R. Newberry as clerk. Services held monthly on fourth Sunday. Pastor was paid \$13.24 for the year.

About 1903, land was given, and the first frame building was erected where the old sanctuary now stands. Rev. W. H. (Pap) Stevens was pastor. In 1909, Rev. J. W. Norris was pastor, and W. L. Lambert was clerk.

In 1927, New Home voted to replace the old building. A Methodist church building in Boykin was bought, torn down, and moved to the present location where it was rebuilt on the site of the existing sanctuary.

By 1958, services were held on the 2nd and 4th Sunday. Membership had increased to 122, and the pastor was paid \$524.10.

Sunday School rooms were added onto the north side of the sanctuary in 1965. Sunday School attendance had risen to 60, and 56 attended league.

In 1967, the church was having full time services. The Woman's Auxiliary had 20 members with Mrs. Terrell Mock as president. Rev. Bobby Whitaker was pastor, and Leonard Varnum was clerk.

In 1971, an eight-room two-bath brick parsonage was built beside the church, and by 1974 it was debt-free. In 1974 the Sunday School building was completed and debt-free in 1975. In addition, the church was furnished with new pews and carpet. Air conditioning was installed, and the existing sanctuary renovated.

Ground-breaking ceremonies were held on May 23, 1976 to begin the new church building. Howard Roberts was in charge of the project with Lewis Melton in charge of masonry work. Much labor was done by the church men, and some labor donated by men of the community. The first service (wedding) was held in the new church on December 4, 1976. Dedication Day was May 15, 1977.

Masters Men was organized in 1974 with Curtis Williams as president.

A new kitchen was built and equipped in 1976 adjacent to the social hall (or old sanctuary), and the parsonage property has been improved.

Other pastors have been Reverends E. F. Williams, M. A. Sheffield, A. P. Norris, A. B. Ard, H. L. Catrett, B. W. Clenney, W. H. Horne, J. B. Lumpkin, I. O. Cook, B. H. Parrish, J. J. Scott, W. S. Driggers, Larry Williams, Bobby Whitaker, Kenneth Kirby, Damon C. Dodd, and Mance Cason.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF MT. GLORY CHURCH

Mt. Glory Free Will Baptist Church began its work as a mission. In 1912 it was organized into Mt. Glory FWB Church. There were 7 charter members. Bro. Dave Braswell was the first pastor. In 1929 Bro. J. L. Johnson was called and served until his death in 1930. Bro. J. L. Johnson gave the land for the church. In 1920 members from the First Presbyterian Church of Quincy, Fla. helped to organize Sunday School.

OBITUARY REPORT

Bro. Frank Mears -- October 5, 1983 -- Colquitt
Sis. Grace Houston -- March 4, 1984 -- Colquitt
Bro. R. L. "Tump" Grimes, Sr. -- April 12, 1984 -- Colquitt
Sis. Lucy Tully -- August 10, 1984 -- Colquitt
Sis. Nannie H. Howard -- April 21, 1984 -- Donalsonville
Bro. W. D. Brock -- November, 1983 -- Mt. Glory
Bro. Cullen Barbaree -- New Salem
Sis. Alma Grimes -- Thompson

CHURCH DIRECTORY

CHURCH	PASTOR	CLERK
COLQUITT	Rev. Jim Lugo Route 5 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2975	Sis. Minnie W. Cobb 163 E. Crawford Street Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-3562
CORINTH	Rev. Ken Murphy P.O. Box 125 Iron City, Ga. 31759 774-2513	Bro. Jim Swanner P.O. Box 182 Donalsonville, Ga. 31745 524-5914
DONALSONVILLE	Rev. Leon Culpepper Route 1, Box 77 Sneads, Fla. 32460 904-592-8968	Sis. Edna Hagler Route 1, Box 110L Donalsonville, Ga. 31745 524-2671

HEBREW	Rev. James Roland Route 5 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-5304	Sis. Doretha Stewart Route 2, Box 149 Donalsonville, Ga. 31745 861-3171
HIGHWAY	Rev. J. J. Scott Box 105 Brinson, Ga. 31725 246-1978	Sis. Jewel Barber Route 1, Box 26A Brinson, Ga. 31725 246-4184
MOTHERS HOME	Rev. Talmadge Worsley Route 5 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2526	Bro. Terry McVey Route 2 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2594
MT. GILEAD	Rev. Lewis Williams P.O. Box 398 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2846	Bro. Herbert Boyd Route 1, Box 148A Brinson, Ga. 31725 246-0498
MT. GLORY	Rev. Willie Dawson Route 3, Box 81 Havanna, Fla. 32333	Bro. Albert A. Johnson P.O. Box 853 Quincy, Fla. 32351 904-627-8318
NEW HOME (Miller Co.)	Rev. Mance Cason Route 5 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2330	Bro. Scot Roberts Route 5, Box 192 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-5335
NEW HOME NO. 2	Rev. Elzie Franks P.O. Box 46 Poulan, Ga. 31781 776-6384	Bro. Wayne T. Scott Route 2, Box 130-A Climax, Ga. 31734 246-8685
NEW SALEM	Rev. Rick Cason Route 5 Donalsonville, Ga. 31745 758-2559	Bro. Tommy Newberry P.O. Box 133 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-5017
THOMPSON	Rev. Walter Daniels Route 1 Iron City, Ga. 31759 758-3840	Bro. Louie Grimes Route 3, Box 52 Colquitt, Ga. 31737 758-2102
UNITY	Rev. B. H. Parrish 417 Louise Street Bainbridge, Ga. 31717 246-6763	Sis. Linda Grigsby Route 2, Box 179 Whigham, Ga. 31797 762-4085

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT

	COLQUITT	CORINTH	DONASON- VILLE	HEBREW	HIGHWAY	MOTHERS HOME	MT. GILEAD	MT. GLORY	NEW HOME (M.C.)	NEW HOME NO. 2	NEW SALEM	THOMPSON	UNITY
No. of Baptisms	1	1	0	1		3	1	1	3	-	1	17	0
Members Added	4	5	1	1	3	8	5	5	4	5	1	10	0
Members Lost	7	4	1	0	6	2		1	1	-	1	5	23
Total Membership	120	46	20	42	16	65	57	12	72	60	179	108	32
No. of Ordained Ministers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	3	1
No. of Licensed Ministers			1				0	0	2	1	0		
No. of Ordained Deacons	2	5	1			4	2	0	6	5	8	6	3
Sunday School Enrollment	95	47	25	25		60	40	11		60	66	65	30
SS Average Attendance	63	30	15	20		58	30	9	46	30	41	51	25
CTS Enrollment	-	-	-	-	-	50	35	8		-	35		-
CTS Average Attendance	-	-	-	-	-	48	30	8	27	-	26	44	-
Woman's Auxiliary Enrollment	18	11	-	10	-	12	10	-		-	15	14	-
WA Average Attendance	12	7	-	8	-	7	10	-	10	-	11	7	-
Master's Men Enrollment	18	-	-	-	-	12	8	-		-	-	-	-
MM Average Attendance	10	-	-	-		8	6	-	8	-	-	-	-
Total Tithes & Offerings	\$30,531.05	\$21,060.31	\$12,760	\$5,359.50		\$18,907.22	\$15,741	\$4,204.42	\$34,160.96	\$7,517.75	\$25,672.93	\$21,077.79	\$7,980
Value of all Church Property	\$100,000	\$90,000		\$60,000	\$25,000	\$95,000	\$75,000	\$7,500	\$280,000	\$70,000	\$245,000	\$135,000	-

CHURCH COVENANT

Having given to God, by faith in Christ, and adopted the Word of God as our rule of faith and practice, we now give ourselves to one another by the will of God in this solemn covenant.

We promise, by His grace, to love and obey Him in all things, to avoid all appearance of evil, to abstain from all sinful amusements and unholy conformity to the world, from all sanction of the use and sale of intoxicating beverages, and to "provide things honest in the sight of all men."

We agree faithfully to discharge our obligations in reference to the study of the Scriptures, secret prayer, family devotions, and social worship; and by self-denial, faith, and good works endeavor to "grow in grace and the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

We will not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for church conferences, public worship, and the observance of the ordinances of the Gospel; nor fail to pay according to our ability for the support of the church, of its poor, and all its benevolent work.

We agree to accept Christian admonition and reproof with meekness, and to watch over one another in love, endeavoring to "keep the unity of the Spirit" in the bonds of peace, to be careful of one another's happiness and reputation, and seek to strengthen the weak, encourage the afflicted, admonish the erring, and as far as we are able, promote the success of the church and of the Gospel.

We will everywhere hold Christian principles sacred and Christian obligations and enterprises supreme; counting it our chief business in life to extend the influence of Christ in society, constantly praying and toiling that the kingdom of God may come, and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

To this end we agree to labor for the promotion of educational and denominational enterprises, the support of missions, the success of Sunday Schools, and evangelistic efforts for the salvation of the world. And may the God of peace sanctify us wholly, and preserve us blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.