

127 Ninth Avenue, North

Nashville, Tennessee

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
ORDER OF BUSINESS
SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION
June 2-5, 1954
Saint Louis, Missouri

J. W. Storer, President
E. H. Westmoreland, First Vice-President
R. C. Campbell, Second Vice-President
Joe. W. Burton, Secretary
Porter Routh, Executive Secretary, Executive Committee
Warren Angell, Director of Music for Convention

GENERAL THEME: Forward...In Christ Jesus

Wednesday Morning

Scripture: Philippians 3:8-15

- 9:00 Song and Praise
- 9:10 Scripture and Prayer - Charles H. Black, Oklahoma
- 9:15 Secretary's Report on Registration - Joe W. Burton, Tennessee
- 9:20 Committee on Order of Business - Dale Cowling, Arkansas, Chairman
- 9:25 Appointment of Committee on Committees and Committee on Resolutions
- 9:30 Special Music - Bison Glee Club, Oklahoma Baptist University, Oklahoma
- 9:35 President's Address - J. W. Storer, Oklahoma
- 10:00 Special Music - Bison Glee Club, Oklahoma
- 10:05 Executive Committee Administration Report
- Porter Routh, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
- 11:05 Committee on Amendment of Bylaw 18 - S. H. Jones, South Carolina, Chairman
- 11:15 Miscellaneous Business
- 11:25 Special Music - W. L. Huguen, Alabama
- 11:30 Denominational Calendar - Albert McClellan, Tennessee, Chairman
- 11:40 Southern Baptist Foundation, T. L. Holcomb, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
- 11:55 Southern Baptist Hospital Report - Frank Tripp, Louisiana, Administrator
- 12:10 Worship
Special Music - Bellevue Baptist Church Choir, Tennessee
- 12:30 Annual Convention Sermon - Slater A. Murphy, Tennessee
Alternate - H. Leo Eddleman, Kentucky
- 1:00 Adjourn

Wednesday Night

Scripture - Acts 13:1-3 and Romans 10:8-17

- 7:00 Song and Praise
- 7:10 Scripture and Prayer - Leroy Smith, Arizona
- 7:15 Committee on Baptist State Papers - W. Barry Garrett, Arizona, Chairman
- 7:35 Executive Committee Report on Promotion
- Merrill D. Moore, Tennessee, Director of Promotion
- 8:00 Foreign Mission Board Report - Baker James Cauthen, Virginia,
Executive Secretary
- 8:50 Worship
Special Music - Richard Lin, Kentucky
- 9:00 Sermon - Foreign Missions - Dr. Cauthen
- 9:30 Adjourn

Thursday Morning

Scripture - Isaiah 55

- 9:00 Song and Praise
- 9:10 Scripture and Prayer - G. Earl Guinn, Louisiana
- 9:15 Committee to Study Brotherhood Sponsorship of Royal Ambassadors
- Robert E. Naylor, Texas, Chairman
- 9:35 Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business
- 10:00 Memorial Service - John H. Buchanan, Alabama

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10:10 Special Music - Southwest Baptist College Choir, Missouri
10:15 Recognition of Fraternal Messengers
10:20 Address - Winfield Edson, California
10:45 Relief and Annuity Board - Walter R. Alexander, Texas, Executive Secretary
11:10 Election of Officers Concluded and Miscellaneous Business
11:30 Baptist World Alliance Representative - Joel Sorenson, Sweden
11:45 Sunday School Board Report - James L. Sullivan, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
12:25 Special Music - Men's Choir, Southern Seminary, Kentucky
12:30 Address - "A Million More in '54" - Dr. Sullivan
1:00 Adjourn

Thursday Night

Scripture - Isaiah 55 - 11th Verse, Key Verse
7:00 Song and Praise
7:15 Scripture and Prayer - Theron H. King, Illinois
7:20 Woman's Missionary Union - Mrs. George R. Martin, Virginia, President
7:40 Baptist Brotherhood - George W. Schroeder, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
8:00 Home Mission Board Report - Courts Redford, Georgia, Executive Secretary
8:50 Special Music - Mississippi College Band, Mississippi
Mrs. Harold Taylor, Illinois
9:05 Sermon - C. E. Matthews, Texas
9:30 Adjourn

Friday Morning

Scripture - Joshua 24:14-24
9:00 Song and Praise
9:10 Scripture and Prayer - M.O. Owens, Jr., North Carolina
9:15 Report of Committee on Boards - J. Ray Garrett, Washington, D. C., Chairman
9:35 Committee on Negro Ministerial Education - H. Leo Eddleman, Kentucky, Chairman
9:45 American Baptist Theological Seminary - L. S. Sedberry, Tennessee, Secretary
10:00 Special Music - Oklahoma Choir Directors' Quartet, Oklahoma
10:10 Report on Seminaries - Roland Q. Leavell, Louisiana
11:10 Committee on Committees
11:20 Miscellaneous Business
11:35 Radio Commission - Paul M. Stevens, Georgia, Director
11:50 Special Music - Ouachita College Choir, Arkansas
12:00 Worship - Emphasis on Christian Home - Joe W. Burton, Tennessee
12:30 Sermon - "The Christian Home" Olin T. Binkley, North Carolina
1:00 Adjourn

Friday Night

Scripture - 1 Timothy 4:1-16
7:00 Song and Praise - Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ireby, Arkansas
7:10 Scripture and Prayer - Robert D. Hughes, California
7:15 Committee on Public Affairs - C. Emanuel Carlson, Washington, D. C.
Executive Secretary
7:30 Historical Commission - Norman W. Cox, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
7:45 Chaplains Commission - Alfred Carpenter, Georgia, Director
8:00 Christian Life Commission - A. C. Miller, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
8:15 Education Commission - R. Orin Cornett, Tennessee, Executive Secretary
8:30 Youth Service - G. Kearnie Keegan, Tennessee
9:30 Adjourn

Saturday Morning

Scripture - Romans 10:1-11
9:00 Song and Praise
9:10 Scripture and Prayer - James F. Heaton, Missouri
9:15 Committee on Time, Place, Preacher
9:25 Committee on Resolutions
9:35 Miscellaneous Business
9:50 Special Music - Double Mixed Octet, Golden Gate Seminary, California
10:00 "The Country Church" - Sam W. Scantlan, Oklahoma
10:20 Committee on Baptist Circulation Campaign - Louie D. Newton, Georgia
10:30 American Bible Society, Thomas T. Holloway, Texas, Secretary

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10:40 Committee on Audio-Visual Aids - J. Norris Palmer, Louisiana, Chairman
10:50 Special Music - Chapel Singers, Southern Illinois College of Bible, Illinois
11:15 Sermon - Forrest C. Feezor, Texas
12:00 Adjourn

Dale Cowling, Arkansas, Chairman
John Ashcraft, California
V. Ward Barr, North Carolina
Robert J. Hastings, Illinois
Roger Hebard, Oklahoma
J. C. Murphy, Louisiana
Paul Weber, Sr., Missouri