

Pearl River Baptist Association
July 2025 Financial Report

Beginning Balance \$209,146.49 7/1/2025

Church Contributions:

	Month	Year-to-Date		Month	Year-to-Date
Bethel	2,494.04	13,561.26	New Life BC	113.90	1,304.79
Carriere FBC	0.00	0.00	New Palestine	3,277.38	16,722.89
Central	1,108.89	10,030.49			
College Heights	100.00	350.00	Nicholson FBC	250.00	2,500.00
Corinth	192.33	1,667.37	Oak Hill	560.36	6,232.55
Cornerstone	0.00	0.00	Olive	880.00	81,96.00
Crane Creek	1,466.41	9,154.75	Ozona FBC	0.00	0.00
Derby	0.00	1,419.00	Picayune FBC	4,854.02	33,782.18
Emmanuel Baptist	50.00	450.00	Pine Grove	0.00	12,219.89
Faith Memorial	65.00	585.00	Poplarville FBC	2000.00	7,000.00
Flattop Unity	0.00	493.63	Rolling Hills	1,532.94	6,998.41
Fords Creek	440.00	3,922.50	Roseland Park	1,513.47	20,469.12
Goodyear	611.23	5,817.05	Shiloh	150.00	600.00
Gumpond	460.44	1,229.69	Springhill	733.35	6,637.85
Harmony	0.00	1,598.65	Steep Hollow	500.00	5,000.00
Hickory Grove	0.00	0.00	The Beginnings	0.00	100.00
Hillcrest	169.37	1,419.95	Union	1,602.70	18,051.78
Journey	0.00	0.00	Unity	25.00	250.00
Juniper Grove	924.12	7,659.43	West Poplarville	150.00	275.00
Mill Creek	682.89	2,797.97	West Union	0.00	5,187.86
New Henleyfield	160.86	1,795.46	White Sand	0.00	0.00

Total Church Contributions \$ 27,068.70 \$215,480.52

Subsidy from MB Baptist Convention Board \$ 125.00

Total Monthly Receipts \$ 27,193.70

Disbursements:

01-Leader Labs	0.00	22-Evangelism/Promotions	0.00
02-Media	806.25	23-Church Planting/Revitalization	0.00
03-Ministry to Church Staff	238.69	24-Grounds/Building/Maint.	0.00
04-PRC BSU	0.00	25-Disaster Relief	9.62
05-Ministry to Children	0.00	26-Office Copier Lease	0.00
06-Mission Groups (Hosted by PRBA)	0.00	27-Community Events	0.00
07-Ministry to Singles	0.00	28-Office Supplies	34.57
08-Ministry to Senior Adults	0.00	29-Postage	0.00
09-Ministry to Youth	0.00	30-Utilities	641.75
10-Deacons & Wives	0.00	31-Insurance	356.24
11-Family Ministry	0.00	32-Computer Support	0.00
12-Bible Drills/Bible Clubs	0.00	33-Staff Salary & Benefits	7,253.48
13-Discipleship	0.00	39-Conventions & Conferences	7.57
14-Women's Conference	0.00	41-Convention Ministry Assistants	0.00
16-Mission Support Projects	0.00	43-FICA	152.79
17-Partnership Missions	0.00	45-Christmas Bonuses	0.00
18-WMU/Women's Ministry	0.00	46-Maintenance/Custodian Wages	655.03
19-Prison Ministry	25.68	47-Family Counselor	0.00
20-RA's Events	0.00	50-Annuity	755.00
21-Annual Meetings	0.00	51-Expense & Mileage Reimburse	1,400.02

Total Disbursement — \$ 12,336.69

Ending Balance — 7/31/2025 \$ 224,003.50

DESIGNATED FUND BALANCE

Christmas Donations	1,975.64	Mission Trip	8,640.02
Church Planting	61,584.74	Chaplain	1,000.00
Counseling Fees	160.00	Prison Ministry	3,675.21
Disaster Relief	14,543.31	Property Development	16,090.75
Emergency Fund	25,000.00	Special Events	7,460.00
Evangelism	9,683.83	WMU/Women's Ministry	3,410.52
Lodge/LCC Rental/ Deposits	29,820.55	Women's Conference	3,967.09
Mission Scholarships	25,622.64	Youth Fund	2,000.00

Total Designated Fund Balance — \$214,634.30

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30 am - 1:30 p.m.
Closed Fridays

September 2025 - Margaret Lackey State Missions Offering Emphasis

- Labor Day; Offices Closed
- Ministers Fellowship; 10:30 a.m.; Union BC
- Men's Ministry Meeting; 6:30 p.m.; TBD
- Deacons Day training event; 9:30 am-12:00 pm; FBC Poplarville

October 2025

- Associational Fall Meeting, 6:00 pm, Union BC
- 17-18 Women of Purpose Conference, LCC (see article)
- 27 Ministry Wives Conference; FBC Jackson (5th Floor); Jackson
- 28-29 MB Convention; FBC Jackson; Jackson

The Pearl



September, 2025
Pearl River Baptist Association
1376 McNeill Steephollow Rd.
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601-798-2372



One faithful lady's story began as a love for missions started to take root and sprout in the heart of a little girl born and raised in Copiah County, Mississippi. Life was not easy in 1858 Mississippi, but this adventurous young lady was determined to serve others. She eventually went to college to become a teacher, but her love for missions never dwindled. She loved learning about missions and teaching children in her church about missions. In 1912, Margaret Lackey was hired as the first paid leader of the Mississippi Woman's Missionary Union. She worked hard to support missions her whole life, and that is why we celebrate a special time each September to emphasize a Season of Prayer and giving for Mississippi Baptist State Missions.

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The Margaret Lackey State Offering is the primary funding stream for key mission efforts from our state: Garaywa Camp and Conference Center in Clinton and the Central Hills Retreat near West, as well as missions volunteers, church multiplication, community ministry, Disaster Relief, criminal justice ministries, collegiate outreach, Christian Women's/Men's Job Corps, cross-cultural evangelism, language/deaf ministry, and port ministry. Would you consider how you and your church can pray for and support the mission work of Mississippi Baptists as we keep making disciple-making disciples and moving South Mississippi to be known for the name of Jesus Christ? -Thanks, Bro. T



Deacons' Day
Saturday, September 27, 2025
FBC Poplarville 9:30-12:00

Veteran deacons, new deacons, and prospective deacons, your service to the church is greatly valued. We want to come alongside you in this service and equip you with this intensive training. We will offer two breakout sessions, and Bro. David Hayes will be our keynote speaker. We will finish with a time of fellowship and lunch.



PRBA Annual Fall Business Meeting
October 13, 2025
Union Baptist Church
Activities will begin with dinner at 6:00-6:45 pm
Business session begins at 7:00 followed by worship

LifeWise Update

We're excited to launch our second year serving the Pearl River County School District—and even more excited to expand into 6th grade. This year, we'll be serving both 5th and 6th grade students with character-based Bible education during the school day. We are up to 103 students between 5th and 6th grade! So the need for teachers and volunteers is becoming more urgent lol especially if we'd like to expand into more grades

Students can enroll at any time at www.lifewise.org/pearlriverms. As we grow, we're still in need of teachers, volunteers, a prayer team leader, board members, parent liaisons, and monthly donors or sponsors to help cover ongoing program costs. We'd also love to speak at your church about the impact LifeWise is making. Our goal is to connect students and their families to local churches that fit their family. To learn more, get involved, or invite us to share, contact Rindi Hariel at rindihariel@lifewise.org or 601-916-0483.

Tara Poolson - Women's Ministry
601-347-4850

Please mark your calendars for October 17 & 18 for the **Women of Purpose** conference at the Lee Conference Center at the Pearl River Baptist Association property. The cost is \$10 for Friday only (6:00 pm); \$15 for Saturday only (9:00 am-2:00 pm); or \$20 for both days. Please scan the QR code to register.



Church Clerks/ACP Contact Person
ACP is due September 25, 2025
sbcworkspace.com

You should have received a paper copy of your church's ACP directly from the Mississippi Baptist Building (if you didn't let me know). You can either fill that out and send it to our office at 1376 McNeill Steephollow Rd, Carriere, MS 39426 OR go directly to sbcworkspace.com and fill out your online ACP report. I use the numbers you enter to report to our association at the Annual Fall Meeting on October 13.

New PRBA office hours

Beginning September 8 we will have new office hours. The new hours will be:
Monday - Thursday 8:30 am-1:30 pm
You can still call 601-798-2372 and leave a voicemail or email prbapta@gmail.com outside of office hours, and we can return your call if there is an urgent need.

Mowing Needs

We are in need of volunteers to mow the association property September and October. Please contact the office at 601-798-2372 to sign your church up for mowing!



Pearl Submissions

If you would like to submit an article for the Pearl, please submit it to prbapta@gmail.com by the **12th** of the month that leads up to the next month's edition. If I don't receive it by that date, I can't promise that I'll be able to fit it in. Also, if you notice any corrections that need to be made in the Pearl or if there is address, birthday, or anniversary correction, please let me know.

Postage has gone up again, and we are seeing the increase even though we are non-profit! **Want to help us save paper and postage?** Sign up to receive the Pearl by email! Just send me your name and email address and I'll add you to the list. Also, let me know if you'd be okay with me taking you off of the snail mail list. Send all this to prbapta@gmail.com.

September

Birthdays:

- 2 Betty Robinson
- 3 Ruth Megehee
- 6 Phil Pearson
- 13 Regan Penton
- 21 Bud Putnam
- 24 Bruce McKenzie

Anniversaries:

- 8 David & Ashley Gray
- 20 Glenda & Clarence Wilson
- 24 Benjy & Tammie Rigney
- 28 Dan & Janice Young