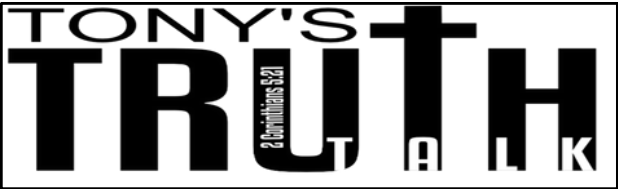


The Pearl



November, 2025
Pearl River Baptist Association
1376 McNeill Steephollow Rd.
Carriere, MS 39426
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November brings a wonderful sense of gratitude and thanksgiving that remind us to slow down and thank God for the many blessings He has bestowed on us. Sometimes those acts of kindness done by a team or individual live on in a person's heart and mind for years. They think back to when they were going through a difficult time in life and how someone came to their aid, encouraged them, supported them, and lifted them up. In October, 2016, Hurricane Matthew hit the US East Coast. During that time, many people faced some of the worst days of their lives, and Mississippi Baptist Disaster Relief teams were quickly on the scene ready to give a hand wherever they were needed.

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Pearl River Baptist Association September 2025 Financial Report

Beginning Balance \$236,772.32		9/1/2025			
<u>Church Contributions:</u>					
	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>			
Bethel	1,348.13	16,213.94	New Life BC	96.81	1,471.10
Carriere FBC	0.00	0.00	New Palestine	3,590.43	22,191.55
Central	1,044.03	12,087.92			
College Heights	50.00	450.00	Nicholson FBC	250.00	3,000.00
Corinth	137.45	1,988.92	Oak Hill	628.24	7,342.95
Cornerstone	0.00	0.00	Olive	586.00	9,782.00
Crane Creek	784.88	10,444.36	Ozona FBC	0.00	0.00
Derby	0.00	1,419.00	Picayune FBC	2,727.40	46,095.02
Emmanuel Baptist	100.00	600.00	Pine Grove	1,086.00	14,515.89
Faith Memorial	65.00	715.00	Poplarville FBC	1,000.00	9,000.00
Flattop Unity	0.00	680.05	Rolling Hills	0.00	6,998.41
Fords Creek	510.00	4,832.50	Roseland Park	1,875.50	24,350.24
Goodyear	530.52	6,809.61	Shiloh	150.00	900.00
Gumpond	0.00	1,229.69	Springhill	1,534.58	8,172.43
Harmony	0.00	2,108.89	Steep Hollow	500.00	6,000.00
Hickory Grove	0.00	0.00	The Beginnings	0.00	100.00
Hillcrest	167.15	1,587.10	Union	2,189.83	21,665.79
Journey	0.00	0.00	Unity	0.00	300.00
Juniper Grove	815.48	8,474.91	West Poplarville	0.00	275.00
Mill Creek	0.00	2,797.97	West Union	5,592.73	14,619.52
New Henleyfield	372.13	2,167.59	White Sand	0.00	0.00
Total Church Contributions			\$ 27,360.16	\$271,387.35	
Subsidy from MB Baptist Convention Board			\$ 125.00		
Total Monthly Receipts			\$ 27,485.16		
<u>Disbursements:</u>					
01-Leader Labs	250.00	22-Evangelism/Promotions	1000.00		
02-Media	22.40	23-Church Planting/Revitalization	0.00		
03-Ministry to Church Staff	242.05	24-Grounds/Building/Maint.	1100.00		
04-PRC BSU	750.00	25-Disaster Relief	0.00		
05-Ministry to Children	0.00	26-Office Copier Lease	241.23		
06-Mission Groups (Hosted by PRBA)	0.00	27-Community Events	0.00		
07-Ministry to Singles	0.00	28-Office Supplies	285.60		
08-Ministry to Senior Adults	0.00	29-Postage	259.37		
09-Ministry to Youth	0.00	30-Utilities	958.23		
10-Deacons & Wives	145.00	31-Insurance	6,596.25		
11-Family Ministry	0.00	32-Computer Support	0.00		
12-Bible Drills/Bible Clubs	0.00	33-Staff Salary & Benefits	7,024.81		
13-Discipleship	0.00	39-Conventions & Conferences	45.00		
14-Women's Conference	0.00	41-Convention Ministry Assistants	0.00		
16-Mission Support Projects	0.00	43-FICA	135.32		
17-Partnership Missions	0.00	45-Christmas Bonuses	0.00		
18-WMU/Women's Ministry	0.00	46-Maintenance/Custodian Wages	845.45		
19-Prison Ministry	0.00	47-Family Counselor	0.00		
20-RA's Events	0.00	50-Annuity	755.00		
21-Annual Meetings	0.00	51-Expense & Mileage Reimburse	606.14		
		Total Disbursement —	\$ 21,261.85		
		Ending Balance — 9/30/2025	\$242,995.63		
<u>DESIGNATED FUND BALANCE</u>					
Christmas Donations	1,975.64	Mission Trip	2,818.59		
Church Planting	61,584.74	Chaplain	1,000.00		
Counseling Fees	160.00	Prison Ministry	3,180.88		
Disaster Relief	14,543.31	Property Development	17,960.88		
Emergency Fund	25,000.00	Special Events	10,486.74		
Evangelism	9,683.83	WMU/Women's Ministry	3,410.52		
Lodge/LCC Rental/ Deposits	24,915.39	Women's Conference	3,967.09		
Mission Scholarships	26,402.64	Youth Fund	3,616.71		
		Staff Support	-210.00		
Total Designated Fund Balance —			\$210,496.96		

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Closed Fridays

November 2025
2 Daylight Saving Time Ends (Fall Back)
3 Ministers Fellowship, 10:30am, Steephollow BC
6 Facilities & Operations Meeting; 6:30 p.m.; Association office
26-28 Thanksgiving; Office Closed

December 2025 - Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
11/30-12/7 Week of prayer for international missions
2 Men's Ministry Meeting; 6:30 p.m.; TBD
15 Ministers & Spouses Christmas Dinner, 6:00 p.m., LCC
22-Jan. 1 Christmas Holiday; Office Closed
25 Christmas Day
31 New Year's Eve

Among those crews was a team from the Pearl River Baptist Association. Many of the ones serving on that crew have probably forgotten every place they worked on that call out, as they have been on many since that time. However, in one man's heart, their acts of service lived on and on. Earlier this year we received a letter in the mail with this simple thank you written to our team.

*To the members of the Disaster relief team:
“After Hurricane Matthew your team helped me clear my lot of downed pine trees. I will always remember your act of kindness and be eternally grateful.”
Harold Moody*

We don't always get to hear about the impact of our service, but I am thankful for those who answer the call to go and minister to those in disaster.

Let's keep making disciple-making disciples and see South Mississippi become known for the name of Jesus Christ, Bro. T

OCC Drop Off Locations

Goodyear Baptist 2710 Hwy 43 Picayune	First Baptist Poplarville, The Net 403 S. Main St. Poplarville
Mon, Nov 17 4:30 - 6:30 pm	Mon, Nov 17 3 - 5 pm
Tues, Nov 18 4:30 - 6:30 pm	Tues, Nov 18 3 - 5 pm
Wed, Nov 19 4:30 - 6:30 pm	Wed, Nov 19 10 am - 12 pm
Thurs, Nov 20 4:30 - 6:30 pm	Thurs, Nov 20 3 - 5 pm
Fri, Nov 21 4:30 - 6:30 pm	Fri, Nov 21 10 am - 12 pm
Sat, Nov 22 9 - 11 am	Sat, Nov 22 3 - 5 pm
Sun, Nov 23 2 - 4 pm	Sun, Nov 23 2 - 4 pm
Mon, Nov 24 8-10 am	Mon, Nov 24 8-10 am

Journey Church 7539 Hwy 11 Carriere	White Sand Baptist 207 Hwy 26 E Poplarville
Mon, Nov 17 5 - 7 pm	Mon, Nov 17 2 - 4 pm
Tues, Nov 18 5 - 7 pm	Tues, Nov 18 2 - 4 pm
Wed, Nov 19 5 - 7 pm	Wed, Nov 19 2 - 4 pm
Thurs, Nov 20 5 - 7 pm	Thurs, Nov 20 2 - 4 pm
Fri, Nov 21 5 - 7 pm	Fri, Nov 21 2 - 4 pm
Sat, Nov 22 9 – 11 am	Sat, Nov 22 2 - 4 pm
Sun, Nov 23 12 - 2 pm	Sun, Nov 23 2 - 4 pm
Mon, Nov 24 8-10 am	Mon, Nov 24 8-10 am



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

What a fantastic weekend! The Women of Purpose Conference (Oct 17-18) absolutely exceeded expectations, bringing together a vibrant community of over 143 amazing ladies from more than 15 different churches. We laughed, we ate (so much good food during fellowship!), we had some truly powerful moments of worship, and we all got to dive deeper into God's word together. The whole event was filled with warmth and inspiration, and we're already planning our next bible conference! Get ready for next year!

Church Clerks/ACP Contact Person
sbcworkspace.com

Thank you to the 24 churches in the PRBA who have completed their ACPs. If you haven’t yet completed it, there is still time! I can still use your information in the 2025 Annual that will be sent to all the churches later this year. You can go to sbcworkspace.com and complete it online, or fill out your paper copy and send it to me at the PRBA office, and I can complete it for you online.

You can still give to our state offering!



New PRBA office hours
As of September 8, we have new office hours. The new hours are:

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.

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**.

November

Birthdays:	Anniversaries:
1 Janice Young	17 Carl & Karen Myers
3 Dr. Tony Inmon	
12 Breaux Tageant	
15 Cassie Garrett	
27 Tammy Smith	