



GBSC REPRESENTATION FORM

155th ANNUAL SESSION

October 23-27, 2022

Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church, Wilmington, NC

Date: _____

Church Membership:

PLACE NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON ROLL IN BOX ABOVE

Name of Church: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Pastor's Name: _____

Attendance (circle one):

In-Person

Virtual

SECTION A: FEES

Representation (Based on size of congregation) _____

State Missions (\$500.00 or contribution of your choice) _____

Individual _____ (additional registration (\$20 per person) _____)

TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

SECTION B: MESSENGERS ***Print in all caps legibly

NAME

E-MAIL ADDRESS

1 _____

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- N** 1. Please return form and fees to Baptist Headquarters.
O 2. Please remember to include a STATE MISSIONS contribution with registration.
T 3. Please leave a daytime contact number below if we have questions.
E 4. Not attending the Session? Please mail your fees to Baptist Headquarters.
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Pastor's Signature: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Clerk's Signature: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

155th Annual Session Representation

Instructions October 23-27, 2022

Pre-Registration Deadline: 10/10/22

On-site registration begins at 10am

1. You may register on-site for this session. Registration will begin at 10:00 a.m. on October 24 at the Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church, (4925 New Centre Dr, Wilmington, NC 28403). All checks should be made payable to GBSC.
2. **We encourage Churches to pre-register.** The pre-registration form must be received at the Baptist Headquarters (PO Box 28061, Raleigh, NC 27611) by 5:00 p.m. on or before Monday, October 10, 2022. You may mail or hand deliver your form and fees. If you choose to mail it, please mail it far enough in advance so that it will arrive on or before October 10, 2022. **Forms received after this date will be processed on-site.**
3. If your Church will not send representatives to this session, you may send your registration form, fees and your contribution for State Missions to the Baptist Headquarters (PO Box 28061, Raleigh, NC 27611).
4. The following chart outlines the Constitutional requirements for registration. Please use this chart to determine the amount you must pay to register and the number of messengers that your Church is entitled to send to this session.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP	AMOUNT TO REPRESENT	NUMBER OF MESSENGERS
1 -- 50 Members	\$50.00	2 Messengers
51 – 100 Members	\$75.00	3 Messengers
101 – 250 Members	\$150.00	4 Messengers
251 – 500 Members	\$175.00	5 Messengers
501 – 750 Members	\$200.00	6 Messengers
751 – 1000 Members	\$225.00	7 Messengers
1001 – 1499 Members	\$250.00	8 Messengers
1500 and up Members	\$350.00	9 Messengers

5. Representation forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fee shown in the chart above PLUS a contribution for State Missions.
6. You are entitled to send the number of persons indicated in the chart above based on the size of your Church and your representation fee. Each person listed on your representation form as a messenger is entitled to one (1) badge and one (1) registration bag. The special messenger badge will entitle a person to vote in this year's election. List the names of your voting messengers in Section B on the form. REMEMBER: If your pastor will attend, the Pastor's name should be listed in Section B and included with your list of voting messengers.
7. Persons who are not sent as messengers from a Church may register for a fee of \$20.00 per person. However, persons who are not official messengers from Churches will not be able to participate in the 2022 election. List the names of your non-voting attendees in Section C on the form. Attach a separate sheet listing non-voting attendees' names if needed.
8. To be considered a "cooperating congregation" in good standing with the Convention, a Church must have paid representation fees for at least two of the last four sessions of the Convention along with this session: Annual Session 2020, Mid-Year Session 2021, Annual Session 2021, or Mid-Year Session 2022. To send voting messengers, a church must qualify as a "cooperating congregation." If your church is in arrears, you may pay to catch up. Call Baptist Headquarters for details.
9. The representation form must be signed by the Pastor and the Church Clerk; if the Church is without a pastor, an officer of the Church and the Church Clerk must sign the representation form. Phone numbers are necessary if we need additional information from you. If you have a cell phone, please give that number because we may need to contact someone during the Annual Session if there is an issue with your messengers or registration.
10. Churches may choose to name alternate messengers on the representation form if a named messenger is not able to attend. Changes in named messengers may be made on-site during the Annual Session upon appeal to the Registration Committee and verification by a Church's pastor, clerk, or other church officer.
11. If you need assistance in completing this form for pre-registration or if you have other questions, please call the Baptist Headquarters at (919) 821-7466 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Online Registration Available at: WWW.GBSCONLINE.ORG/REGISTRATION

