

The Programme

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Pastor Fredrick E. Brabson, Sr.

Senior Pastor, New Covenant Baptist Church



*Prelude Brother Aaron Staples
District Musician, KDBA*

*Invocation Pastor Joe B. Maddox
Senior Pastor, New Hope Baptist Church
Moderator, Knoxville District*

Selection..... "Lift Every Voice and Sing"

Welcome/Occasion

*Pastor Fredrick E. Brabson, Sr.
Chairman, Scholarship Committee*

Solo..... Minister Tomma Battle

~ Dinner is Served ~

*Introduction
of Speaker Pastor Christopher Battle
Vice-Moderator, Education, Trustees,
Administration & Youth*

Solo..... Minister Tomma Battle

*Banquet Speaker Pastor Melvin Wright
Senior Pastor, Bethany Baptist Church
Director, Knoxville District Youth*

Remarks

Benediction..... Pastor Fredrick E. Brabson, Sr.

"LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING"



*Lift every voice and sing,
till earth and heaven ring,
Ring with the harmonies of liberty;
Let our rejoicing rise,
high as the list'ning skies,
Let it resound loud as the rolling sea.*

*Sing a song full of the faith
that the dark past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope
that the present has brought us;
Facing the rising sun of our new day begun,
Let us march on till victory is won.*

*Stony the road we trod,
bitter the chast'ning rod,
Felt in the days when hope unborn had died;
Yet with a steady beat,
have not our weary feet,
Come to the place for which our fathers sighed?*

*We have come over a way
that with tears has been watered.
We have come, treading our path
thro' the blood of the slaughtered,
Out from a gloomy past,
till now we stand at last,
Where the white gleam
of our bright star is cast.*

*God of our weary years,
God of our silent tears,
Thou who has brought us thus far on the
way; Thou who hast by thy might,
led us into the light,
Keep us forever in the path, we pray.*

*Lest our feet stray from the places,
Our God, where we met Thee,
Lest our hearts drunk with the wine
of the world we forget Thee;
Shadowed beneath Thy hand,
May we forever stand,
True to our God, true to our native land.*

Menu

MEET AND GREET HOUR
Fruit/Cheese/Cracker Display

DINNER
Tossed Salad
Strawberry Spinach Salad

Chicken Breast
Pork Loin

Potato Bar (mashed and sweet)
Steamed Vegetable Medley
Rolls, Butter
Assorted Desserts
Tea, Lemonade, Water, Coffee



Culinary Group

Soul Elegance Catering
(CAROLYNE THOMAS)



Decor

PamelaByDesign
(PAMELA B. DEATHRIDGE)



Custodian Service

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church



The Knoxville District Baptist Association and the members of the Scholarship Committee would like to thank everyone for their generosity and support of our scholarship endeavors.

This event would not have been the same without YOU!

American Baptist College, and The Liberty Baptist Theological Seminary where he obtained a Masters of Arts degree in Religion where his concentrations were Pre-Pastoral and Christian Ministry. Relevant papers written include: "Contemporary Images of Christian Ministry", "Modern Pre-suppositional Apologetics", "A Contrast of Historical Views of Salvation", "The role of Women in Ministry", and "The History of Race Relations and The National Baptist Convention".

Pastor Wright is the son of the late Willie and Mary S. Wright. He is married to the former Deborah Ann Sanford, also of Philadelphia. They have two children, Eric and Kristen, both of Philadelphia, PA

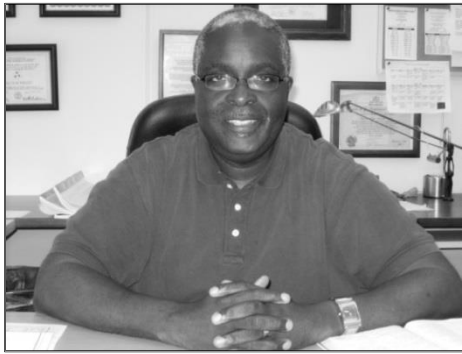


Official Roster

2012 - 2013

Elder Dr. Joe B. Maddox.....Moderator
Pastor Christopher R. Battle, Sr...... Vice-Moderator
Education, Trustees,
Administration, and Youth
Pastor Ralph J. Miller, Jr......Vice-Moderator
Missions, Women, and Laymen
Pastor Joseph Tolbert..... Vice-Moderator
Evangelism, Ushers, and Choirs
Sister Robin Whitmore..... General Secretary
Sister Joyce Echols..... Assistant General Secretary
KDBA Website Coordinator
Pastor Richard S. Brown, Sr...... Chairperson
Finance Commission
Sister LaDalia V. Logan..... Treasurer
Sister Aleda Douglass..... Financial Secretary
Sister Thelma Baxter.....Statistician
Brother Dan Mason..... Laymen President
Brother Jimmie McRae.....Ushers President
Sister Henrietta Caldwell..... Women's President
Pastor Melvin Wright..... Youth Director
Sister Lakenya Middlebrook...Young Adult Chairperson
Sister Carolyn Wilkerson.....Choir President
Brother Aaron Staple..... KDBA Musician

The Speaker



Melvin Wright is the Pastor of the Bethany Missionary Baptist Church of Knoxville, TN where he has held the watch since he was called there in March of 2007. Prior to that, he was the Assistant Pastor and director of Evangelism at the Tabernacle Baptist Church. While there, he also served as the outreach leader for almost 10 years. Since being called into the ministry in 1996, he has consistently been placed, by the Holy Spirit in positions where the gifts of teaching and administration could be best utilized by our Lord. His special areas of concentration have been teaching and evangelism. He is also employed by the City of Knoxville as a Plans Examiner where he leads an on-going organized Bible study for City employees. He is a missionary with several trips to the Island nation of Jamaica where he is the missionary pastor of the Middleton Baptist Church, St. Thomas District, which was adopted in 2011 as the sister church of the Bethany Baptist Church.

Additional Positions

Vice Chairman, Board of Directors, Knoxville Interdenominational Bible Institute

Youth Director, Knoxville District Baptist Association of the Tennessee Baptist Missionary & Educational Association

Education

Pastor Wright was trained in the Philadelphia public school system where he attended Dobbins Technical High School. After a tour in the US Navy, he attended Temple University and obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology and Design. He also attended Purdue University,

THE BAILEY-WOOD-MCAFEE *Scholarship Fund*

The Knoxville District Baptist Missionary and Educational Association, out of a concern for encouraging the youth, created annual scholarships to be given to graduating seniors each year. The Association expanded the original scholarships given, and now we award eight (8) one thousand dollar (\$1,000) scholarships to high school graduates and three (3) five hundred dollar (\$500) to ministerial students enrolled in seminaries.

The KDBA annual scholarships are recommended by the Woods-Bailey-McAfee Scholarship Committee. The committee is named for the following:

MRS. FRANCES "FANNIE" WOODS, wife of the late Rev. J. C. Woods. Mrs. Woods was a former President of the Women's Department of the Knoxville District and former President of the Tennessee Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention.

REV. H. J. BAILEY served for more than 45 years as Pastor of the Payne Avenue Baptist Church and a stalwart for educational support. Other places served were: Martha Davis Baptist Church and Nelson-Merry School in Jefferson City, Tennessee.

REV. EDMOND MCAFEE served churches in Kentucky and served as Pastor of True Light, Victory View, and Bethany Baptist Churches. He served for a number of years as Chairman of the Finance Commission of the District.

Members of the Scholarship Committee are:

*Pastor Fredrick E. Brabson, Sr., Chairman
Sister Julia McGlown
Sister Betty Middlebrook
Sister Jill Waters
Sister Dorothy Whiteside*

General Theme:



*The Annual
Scholarship
Banquet*

of the

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MISSIONARY AND EDUCATIONAL
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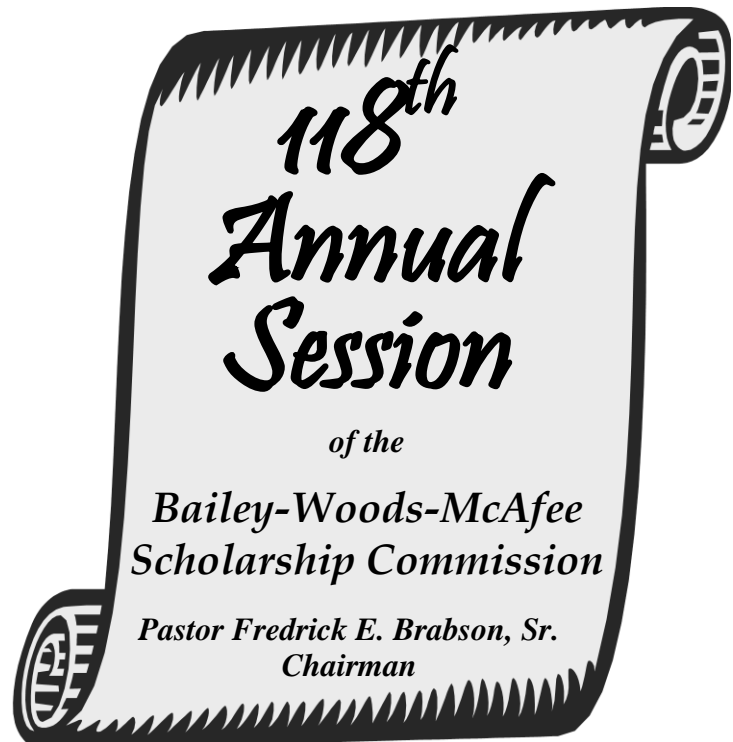
on the occasion of the

***“In the year that king Uzziah
died I saw also the Lord
sitting upon a throne,
high and lifted up,
and His train filled the
temple.”***

Isaiah 6:1

Emphasis:

“WITNESSING”



**FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2013
6:00 P.M.**

**NEW HOPE
MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2504 Cecil Ave, Knoxville, Tennessee 37921**

Elder Dr. Joe B. Maddox, Pastor

