

Florida State Primitive Baptist Church School Congress

Pensacola, FL

Tuesday, April 18, 2017 Workshop Schedule

“A Revolutionary Kind of Love”

Church School Congress President Elder Dr. James Chester, Presiding

9:00 A.M Opening Session

9:15 A.M. — 10:00 A.M. General Assembly

Pace-setter Address: Elder Robert Lovelace, President of
West FL/So. Ala/LA Primitive Baptist Church School Convention

Directions for Class Study

Dean Minnie Likely

Block I - CLASSES

10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. Classes in Study

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. Lunch

Block II - WORKSHOPS

1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

General Assembly Workshops

Presider: Dean Minnie Likely

“The Languages of God’s Love”

Presenter: Sister Donna Woodard, Pensacola, FL
Sister Ethel Davis, Facilitator

“New Age Evangelism / Purposeful Mission”

Panel of Presenters: Elder Alvin Ford,
Chairman FSPB Board of Evangelism;
American Red Cross Representatives:
Sisters Gloria Sullivan and Alberta Duffee
Sister Shirley Lewis, Facilitator

3:50 P.M.

Remarks, Announcements, Etc.

4:00 P.M.

Dismissal

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 2017

President Elder Dr. James Chester, Presiding

8:00 A.M. General Assembly

1. Opening Exercises

President Battle

a. Selection

b. Church School Creed

c. Invocation

d. Scripture

e. Selection

2. Appointment of Committees & District Solicitors for 2018

3. Directions for Study

Dean Minnie Likely

8:10 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.

Class Study Period

9:05 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.

General Assembly

1. Class Reviews

Classes: 1,2,3, 4&5

2. Reading of Tuesday and Wednesday's Minutes

Secretary

3. Closing Remarks

President Battle

4. Closing Song

"God Bless Our Church School"

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2017
Vice President Deacon Izeal Battle, Presiding

8:00 A.M.	General Assembly
1. Opening Exercises	Vice President Battle
Selection	
Church School Creed	
Invocation	
Scripture	
Selection	
2. Directions for Study	Dean Minnie Likely
8:10 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.	Class Study Period
9:10 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.	General Assembly
1. Class Reviews	Classes: 6,7,8, &9
2. Reading of Minutes	Secretary
3. Closing Remarks	Vice-President Battle
4 Closing Song	“God Bless Our Church School”

Church School Congress FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2017

President Elder Dr. James Chester, Presiding

8:00 A.M. - 8:20 A.M.	General Assembly
1. Opening Exercise	
a. Selection	
b. Church School Creed	
c. Invocation	
d. Scripture	
e. Selection	
2. Overview of Week’s Study	Vice President Battle
8:20 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.	Business Session
1. Election of Officers	
2. Committee Reports	
3. Registrar’s Report	
4. Solicitors Reports	
5. Stewardship Reports	
6. Reading of Minutes	Secretary
7. Closing Exercises	
a. Song	“God Bless Our Church School”
b. Prayer & Benediction	

2017 CLASSES

1. Primitive Baptist Church Doctrine and Polity - Elder Edward Hayes, Instructor
2. Purpose and Strategies for Evangelism - Sister Willow Britt, Instructor
3. Christian Leadership - Elder Ester Watson, Instructor
4. Church Decorum - Deacon Ed Duffee Instructor
5. New Testament Study – Elder Alvin Tyson, Instructor
6. Biblical Counseling and Christian Ethics - Deacon Joe Thomas, Instructor
7. The Dynamics of Children, Youth, & Teen Ministries – Sister Sandra Ming, Instructor
8. Church School Administration – Elder Connell Leonard, Instructor
9. Apologetics – Elder Samuel Hayes, Instructor

2017 Workshop Descriptions

Workshop #1: “The Languages of God’s Love”

This workshop will guide participants towards discovering the languages through which God’s love is communicated. Specific examples will be given as to how you can reflect that love back to God and to other people as well. Content is designed to revolutionize the way we understand life, and redefine our sense of purpose in this world.

Workshop #2: “New Age Evangelism / Purposeful Mission”

The panelist for this workshop will explore the many ways the mission of the Board of Evangelism in the Primitive Baptist Church may be demonstrated through the principal of the “good Samaritan” by giving physical and spiritual assistance to communities during times of natural disasters. Available resources, partnerships, and on-site trainings will be shared.

2017 Church School Courses Descriptions

1. Primitive Baptist Church Doctrine & Polity - Instructor: Elder Edward Hayes
Location: Fellowship Rm. #2
This course covers the history and doctrine of the Primitive Baptist Church. It is designed to further acquaint the Primitive Baptist membership with the practices and operations of the church from a biblical and historical view, thereby developing more continuity in the faith.
2. The Purpose and Strategies For Evangelism - Instructor: Sister Willow Britt;
Location: **Rm. 206**
Emphasis is given to the need for the Church to assume its Gods given responsibility to tell the world about Jesus. The why, the who, and the how the church and its representatives can prepare for the role of an evangelist.
3. Christian Leadership - Instructor: Elder Ester Watson; **Location: Fellowship Rm. #1**
This class explores a variety of areas with which the church must address today as it assist Christian caregivers in their efforts to understand their roles as leaders within the church and community. Issues such as development, training,, and conflict resolution are examined using Apostle Paul and Timothy as examples.
4. Church Decorum - Instructor: Deacon Ed Duffee; **Location: Rm. 205**
Emphasis is placed on the proper execution of Parliamentary Procedures when conducting meetings , and how to employ the proper behavior for Christians in the House of God.
5. New Testament Study - Instructor: Elder Alvin Tyson; **Location: Rm. 203**
The goal of this course is to lead participants in understanding the writings of the earliest disciples by exploring the setting and purpose of each book.
6. Biblical Counseling and Christian Ethics – Instructor: Deacon Joe Thomas
Location: Rm. 202
For the Christian, ethics must be rooted in the absolutes of God’s Word. This class will examine the moral question of abortion, capital punishment, Child Abuse, human sexuality and how the church is expected to respond on these critical issues as a means of reaching the masses.
7. Dynamics of Meeting the Needs of Youth & Young Adults In Ministry – Sister Sandra Ming, Instructor; Location: **Rm. 204**
This course will explore the aspects and benefits of training youth advisors, leaders, and others who Work with children, youth, and /or teen ministries.
8. Church School Administration- . Instructor: Elder Cornell Leonard; **Location: Main Sanctuary**
Covers all aspects of the ministry of bring children, youth, and adults to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ, enriching their lives, and preparing them to serve Christ; makes clear the traditional purpose and function of the Primitive Baptist Church School Ministry and its vital place in the church.
9. Apologetics - Instructor: **Elder Samuel Hayes**; Location: **Pre-K Rm.**
The goal of this course is to lead Christians in developing a better understanding as to what Christian Apologetics is and is not, how Christians are to go about fulfilling the the mandate of defending bible truths, and the relevance of Apologetics in today’s society.

Church School Song

“God Bless Our Church School”

(Tune of God Bless America)

God bless our Church School

Help it to grow

Stand beside it

And Guide it

That the knowledge of God we might know.

Bless our teachers

The superintendent

And the students that they teach.

God bless our Church School

That souls we might reach,

God bless our Church School

That souls we might reach

Primitive Baptist Church School Creed

By the help of the All Mighty God,

We as Primitive Baptist Church School members

Will strive with all our might and energy

To attend church school regularly,

To study the bible faithfully,

and to practice Christian principles among all mankind.

Church School Directory

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Sister Corine McNair, North Central Florida East Coast