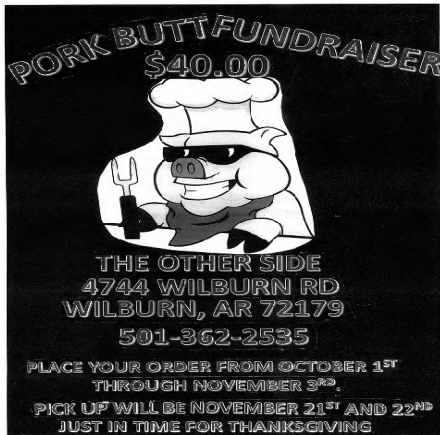


# News From Churches

October 22nd, at 5:00 pm join us at First Baptist Church Heber for an evening of Dr. Dennis Swanberg, known as THE SWAN. The Swan has been called "America's Minister of Encouragement" because of his constant work at lifting hearts and leading people to a richer life through his "one of a kind" humor. He delivers life enriching truths to the ear on wings of laughter. Come, listen, learn, and smile!

Southside Baptist Church will be hosting 5th Sunday Singing, Oct 29th at 6pm. They will also be having Trick or Treat through the Bible on Tuesday, Oct 31st from 6-8pm.



## Associational News

Little Red River Baptist Association

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The Next Associational Meeting will be November 13

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5:00	Supper	
6:00	Congregational singing, Welcome and Prayer, Seating of Messengers	
	Adoption of Programs & Book of Reports.....	Bennie Foster
6:10	Associational Missionary's Report.....	Kent Dixon
6:20	North American Mission Board.....	Kevin Ezell (video)
6:25	Arkansas Baptist Report/BCM.....	Warren Gasaway
6:40	International Missions Board.....	Paul Chitwood (Video)
6:50	Dixie Jackson State Missions.....	Connect Video
7:00	Congregational Singing, Missions Offering.....	Jason Jolley
7:10	Miscellaneous Business.....	Bennie Foster
7:15	Budget Presentation.....	Jim Cordes
7:20	Reports.....	Committee on Committees-Bennie Foster, Nominating Committee-Tony Criswell, Time, Place, Preacher—Matt Basford, Resolutions- Todd Spradlin, Audit- Linda Oaks
7:25	Congregational Singing/Missions Offering.....	Jason Jolley
7:30	Special Music.....	Chuck Hocking (Southside Choir)
7:35	Message.....	Dr. Stan Norman
8:15	Closing Time of Prayer for Spiritual Awakening.....	Homer Branscum



Dr. Stan Norman

Dr. Stan Norman began his service as the seventh President of Williams Baptist in April of 2018. He has more than two decades of experience in Christian higher education, most recently at Oklahoma Baptist University, where he served 9 years as Provost and Executive Vice President. Previously, Dr. Norman was Vice President for University Advancement at Southwest Baptist University in Bolivar, MO.

He earned his bachelor's degree at The Criswell College in Dallas, and he holds both a Master of Divinity and a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Systematic Theology from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth. He has completed additional studies at Oxford University, Texas Christian University, and Southeastern Oklahoma State University.

Dr. Norman and his wife, the former Joy Akin, are Oklahoma natives, and they have three grown sons, two daughter-in-law, and two granddaughters.

Proposed Budget 2023 - 24

	2023 - 24 Proposed Budget	2022 - 23 Monthly Budget	2022 - 23 Annual Budget
<b>MISSIONS</b>			
Arkansas Faith and Ethics Council	\$1,800.00		\$0.00
BCM ASU	\$1,200.00		\$0.00
BCM UCA	\$1,200.00		\$0.00
Send Wyoming	\$1,800.00	\$250.00	\$3,000.00
Deeper Still	\$1,800.00		\$0.00
Church Plant	\$1,800.00		\$0.00
Disaster Relief Unit	\$300.00		\$250.00
Evangelism	\$500.00		\$500.00
Local Missions	\$800.00		\$700.00
National Missions	\$2,000.00		\$3,500.00
<b>HONORARIUMS/TRAVEL &amp; LODGING</b>			
Honorariums/Travel & Lodging	\$1,500.00		\$1,000.00
<b>PERSONAL PAYROLL</b>			
DOM Salary	\$48,000.00	\$3,649.99	\$43,799.84
DOM Housing Allowance	\$30,000.00	\$1,916.68	\$23,000.16
DOM Annuity	\$3,000.00	\$100.00	\$1,200.00
DOM Christmas Bonus	\$500.00		\$400.00
Administrative Assistant Bonus	\$250.00		\$100.00
Administrative Assistant Hourly Pay	\$15,000.00		\$13,000.00
Payroll Taxes	\$1,500.00		\$1,000.00
<b>PERSONAL BENEFITS</b>			
DOM Denominational or Missions	\$1,000.00		\$1,000.00
DOM Discretionary Fund	\$500.00		\$500.00
DOM Mileage	\$2,400.00		\$1,000.00
<b>SPECIAL SERVICES</b>			
Brotherhood	\$600.00		\$200.00
Camp Program	\$3,000.00		\$2,700.00
Discipleship Train. Promo	\$100.00		\$100.00
Pastors/Staff Fellowships	\$800.00		\$600.00
Picnic	\$350.00		\$250.00
Secretary Workshops	\$200.00		\$200.00
SS Promotion	\$100.00		\$100.00
Women's Ministry	\$800.00		\$300.00
Youth Programs	\$200.00		\$300.00
<b>OFFICE EXPENSES</b>			
Utilities/Telephone	\$9,000.00		\$7,000.00
Repairs/Maintenance/Lawn Mowing	\$3,000.00		\$5,000.00
New Equipment	\$100.00		\$1,000.00
Insurance - Building and contents	\$4,700.00		\$4,500.00
Insurance - Van/Trailers	\$600.00		
Van/Trailer Maintenance	\$1,000.00		
Office/Copier/Supplies/Postage	\$7,500.00		\$4,700.00
Miscellaneous	\$300.00		\$200.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$149,200.00</b>		<b>\$121,100.00</b>

# September 2023 Financial Report

Gifts from Churches:

Brownsville	\$100.00
Concord	
Faith	\$381.50
First Baptist Heber	\$4,427.43
Harris Chapel	
Heber Springs Baptist	\$1,900.00
Higginson	
Lifeline	
Lone Star	\$733.25
McJester	\$142.36
Mt. Top Cowboy	\$2,431.85
New Bethel	
Palestine	\$104.47
Pines Baptist	\$169.00
Pleasant Ridge	\$50.00
Pleasant Valley	\$349.00
Post Oak	
Quitman	\$300.00
Southside	\$910.00
Sugarloaf	\$700.00
Tumbling Shoals	\$354.01
Woodrow	

**Total Church Contributions** \$13,052.87

**CAYA donation** \$ 350.00

**Flywheel**

**Youth Rally Donations**

**Love Offering From Aug Meeting**

**Asamblea Bauistista Berea** \$ 1,558.47

**Total Contributions** \$14,961.34

**First Security Bank CD** \$38,987.48

Expenditures:

Send Network Wyoming	\$250.00
Electric/Gas/Water	\$1,289.80
Telephone/Internet	\$112.48
Office Expense/Supplies/Postag	\$136.81
Ideal /Maintenance and Supplies	\$188.54
Repairs/Maintenance/Lawn mowing	\$2,791.45
Brazil National Missions	\$13,251.02
Evangelism	\$245.41
Miscellaneous	\$34.89
Local Missions (CAYA donation)	\$350.00
DOM Denominational Meetings	\$35.78
Building Insurance 4th Quarterly	\$1,166.75
Brotherhood	\$131.32
Honorariums Travel and Lodging	\$500.00
DOM Travel Reimbursement	\$371.87
Missionary's Salary	\$3,750.00
Housing Allowance	\$1,916.68
Missionary's Annuity withheld	(\$100.00)
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Admin Assistant Salary Amanda	\$1,020.00
Admin Assistant Less Taxes: Amanda	(\$78.03)
Visa cash back rewards	

**Total Expenses** \$27,464.77

**Previous Balance** \$63,110.24

**Total Expenditures** (\$27,464.77)

**Total Receipts** \$14,961.34

\$50,606.81

**Total in DR/Designated Funds** \$2,135.92