

A CALL TO BECOME A MACEDONIAN CHURCH

Many Pastors and church leaders across the state have asked, "what does the Virginia Baptist State Convention have to offer the local church"? This administration has placed emphasis and has been strategic in approaching that question with clear answers to many of our constituent church's ministry qualms. Our aim is to be positioned to aid in the following areas: Christian and Ministry Education; Leadership in Social Justice endeavors; Home Missions and Disaster Relief; Foreign Missions Initiatives. Each VBSC Auxiliary is positioning themselves to aid and support our churches through lectures, workshops, training etc. Each church registering as a MACEDONIAN CHURCH will aid us in fulfilling a great void in many of our congregations. Help us today by supporting the plan below.

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They see and respond to ministry needs.

¹And now, brothers we want you to know about the grace that God has given the Macedonian churches. ²Out of the most severe trial, their overflowing joy and their extreme poverty welled up in rich generosity. ³For I testify that they gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability. Entirely on their own, ⁴they urgently pleaded with us for the privilege of sharing in this service to the saints. ⁵And they did not do as we expected, but they gave themselves first to the Lord and then to us in keeping with God's will. ~ 2 Corinthians 8:1-5

RATIONALE

The Virginia Baptist State Convention needs a steady cash flow to meet its ministry objectives all year long.

NEED

Virginia Baptist State Convention supports seminary education, children's home, home missions, foreign mission, disaster relief, convention administration and much more.

MEANS

100 churches are encouraged to give monthly to the Virginia Baptist State Convention. We want to encourage smaller churches to participate and larger churches to carry a fair share of the weight for the ministry of the VBSC. We have set Church participation as follows:

0-100 Members	\$50.00 per month	501-1000 Members	\$250.00 per month
101-250 Members	\$150.00 per month	1001 + Members	\$300.00 per month
251-500 Members	\$200.00 per month		

REGISTRATION

Each church is entitled to 10 voting delegates. Fees for 4 delegates are include with your registration. For each of the additional 6 voting delegates, a fee of \$25.00 must be paid. All other registrations are nonvoting.

APPRECIATION

- † Each Pastor will receive a special Medallion to be worn during the VBSC.
- † Each Church will receive 2 complimentary tickets to the President's Banquet and Preferred seating.
- † Each Church will receive a special recognition certificate during the President's Banquet.

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