

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR



Greetings in the Name of Jesus the Christ, the path of time has brought us to this point in history that we celebrate the 143 Annual Session of the Alabama State Missionary Baptist Convention, Incorporated. The Alabama State Missionary Baptist Convention, Incorporated proclaims the Good News of Jesus Christ. We can echo the lyrics of Frederick W, Faber when he shouted, "Faith of our fathers, still in spite of dungeon, fire and sword O how our hearts beat high with joy whenever we hear that glorious word! Faith of our fathers, holy faith, will be true to the till death."

As we embark upon this momentous occasion we must reflect on the saints who went sorrowing here! But now they taste unmingled love, and joy without a tear.

Now there is much work to be done. We stand on the hemline of a year still declaring that Jesus is Lord to the Glory of God beckoning sinners to come to the Fountain of Living Water and get refreshment for your thirsty soul for soon and very soon God through His eternal purpose will call time into eternity.

We envision a great week of worship, praise, and fellowship. On behalf of the Elizabeth Baptist Church Family I extend a warm and hearty welcome. The City of Tuscaloosa hopes that when the Convention ends you will come back to visit our city.

"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:" Ephesians 1:3

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