

# THE SOUTH CAROLINA BAPTIST CONVENTION

## MONDAY EVENING BULLETIN

Nov. 8, 2021

201<sup>ST</sup>

Annual Meeting



### MONDAY EVENING HIGHLIGHTS

To say that this year's Annual Meeting of the South Carolina Baptist Convention is historic is an understatement! In the same place we began in 1821, we are so thankful to be back at Columbia First Baptist Church for this momentous occasion! A special thank you to Pastor Wes Church, the congregation, and the staff of Columbia FBC for extending the kind invitation to return to share their space, time, and efforts with us. We are the first state convention to celebrate a 200th birthday!

For anyone who could not be here today but wants to watch the events, we are streaming the meeting at [Facebook.com/scbaptist](https://www.facebook.com/scbaptist) or on our website at [scbaptist.org/annualmeeting](https://www.scbaptist.org/annualmeeting). The Sending Celebration will also be streamed live through the IMB Advance the Kingdom App or at [imb.org/send](https://www.imb.org/send).

Tonight we have the honor of participating in a Sending Celebration of the International Mission Board. We will watch as the newest global missionaries are commissioned and sent out to spread the Gospel to the ends of the Earth. As a reminder, photography during the Sending Celebration will not be permitted so that we can protect the safety and identity of individuals being sent out. Thank you for your understanding!

We are so excited for tomorrow's events, as well, and hope to see you there! Dr. Tony Evans will be our guest preacher for the closing session on Tuesday evening. Our President, Pastor Alex Sands, has done a fabulous job of casting a vision for this incredible meeting.

#### PLEASE NOTE

The City of Columbia is under a mask mandate. Thank you for helping to protect one another and minimize illness so that ministry can continue.

All SCBC Staff can be identified by a blue lanyard and name tag.



**GUEST SPEAKER**  
**PAUL CHITWOOD**  
PRESIDENT, IMB

Paul Chitwood was elected president of the International Mission Board in 2018. He previously served as Executive Director of the Kentucky Baptist Convention and prior to that pastored churches in Kentucky. His short-term mission involvement includes work in South America, Asia, Europe, and Africa.

Chitwood is a graduate of Cumberland College, earned the Master of Divinity and Ph.D. from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and a master's in nonprofit administration from the University of Notre Dame. He and his wife, Michelle, have four children.



#### LEGACY MOMENTS

To celebrate our 200<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, our "Legacy Moments" will feature some of the great highlights of the first two centuries of ministry through the South Carolina Baptist Convention.

We will be hosting a filming station for you to share memories and thoughts about our 200 years of ministry. We would love for you to come by Ellis Hall and record your thoughts on camera with the help of our Creative Team.

#### TOMORROW

Bylaws Committee presents at 9:35  
Committee on Committees presents at 10:20  
Nominations Committee presents at 10:45  
Executive Board Report at 11:10  
The Convention Message presented by  
Convention President Alex Sands at 11:30

Don't forget to pick up your commemorative gift for our 200<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting before you leave today!



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6:15	Pre-service Worship	Convention Worship Leaders
6:30	Organization of the Convention	Keith Lancaster, <i>Registration Secretary</i>
6:35	Call to Order	Alex Sands, <i>President</i>
6:40	Order of Business Committee	Jason Dorriety, <i>Chair</i>
6:45	Welcome from Columbia First Baptist	Wes Church, <i>Pastor</i>
6:50	Legacy Moment	
7:00	Sending Celebration: IMB	Paul Chitwood, <i>President</i>

### OTHER LOCATIONS

Restrooms: In the Foyer

First Aid: Bride's Room

Connections Desk: In the Foyer

Partner Exhibits: Ellis Hall

