

**THE GATHERING**  
**ALABAMA BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION**  
**November 12-13, 2024**  
**Eastern Shore Baptist Church**  
**Daphne, Alabama**

**Order of Business**

**THEME: DifferenceMakers**  
**Scripture: Acts 4:13**

**TUESDAY MORNING**

	Pianist.....	Frank Jones
	Worship Leader.....	Lance Maddox
8:15	Pre-session Music .....	Alabama Singing Men and Women
8:35	Prayer.....	Charles Taylor
8:40	Call to Order .....	Craig Carlisle
	<b>Greetings</b>	
	Baldwin Baptist Association .....	Rick Ellison
	Eastern Shore Baptist Church.....	Stuart Davidson
	Congregational Music.....	Lance Maddox
8:50	Enrollment of Messengers.....	Debbie Oliver
8:55	Committee on Order of Business .....	Rusty Sowell
9:00	Committee Appointments .....	Craig Carlisle
9:05	Memorial Service.....	Hugh Richardson
9:15	Introduction of Resolutions.....	Temán Knight
9:20	Special Music .....	Alabama Singing Men and Women

9:30	<b>DifferenceMakers Through Evangelism</b> .....	Rob Jackson
9:55	<b>DifferenceMakers Discussion</b> <i>The Alabama Baptist</i> , Jennifer Davis Rash; Alabama Baptist Historical Commission, Wendy Westerhouse	
	<b>Committee Reports</b>	
10:10	Committee on Committees .....	Jim Cooley
10:20	Committee on Boards and Commissions .....	Mat Alexander
	<b>Recognitions</b>	
10:30	Recognition of Former Convention Presidents .....	Rick Lance
10:40	Recognition of New Pastors and New Church Staff Members .....	Mike Jackson
10:45	Celebrating the Cooperative Program .....	Jay Stewart
10:55	<b>DifferenceMakers Discussion</b> The Baptist Foundation of Alabama, John Ashworth; Shocco Springs Baptist Conference Center, Russell Klinner	
11:10	Miscellaneous Business	
11:15	Presentation of Convention President.....	Rick Lance
11:20	Special Music.....	Nathan Edwards and FBC Gadsden Choir
11:25	President's Address .....	Craig Carlisle
11:55	Benediction .....	Tyler Armstrong

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**TUESDAY AFTERNOON**

Pianist.....Frank Jones

Worship Leaders .....Chris Turner and Scott Lee

**Worship**

1:30 Congregational Music.....Chris Turner

1:40 Prayer .....Josh Noojin

1:45 Report of Executive Director.....Rick Lance

2:00 State Board of Missions Recommendations and Convention Recognitions

2:35 Report of Sexual Abuse Implementation Task Force .....Craig Carlisle

2:45 **DifferenceMakers Discussion**

Alabama Baptist Children’s Homes & Family Ministries, Rod Marshall; Alabama Baptist Retirement Centers, Ken Schroeder

3:00 Congregational Singing. ....Scott Lee

3:05 **DifferenceMakers Through Calling Out the Called** .....Kevin Blackwell

3:25 **DifferenceMakers Discussion**

Alabama Woman’s Missionary Union, Candace McIntosh; Alabama Citizens Action Program, Greg Davis

3:40 Miscellaneous Business

**Committee Reports**

3:45 Resolutions Committee .....Teman Knight

4:00 Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher .....John Nicholson

4:05 Audit and Insurance Committees.....Mike Jackson

4:10 Benediction.....Will Standridge

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**TUESDAY EVENING**  
6:30-8:00

6:15 Pre-session Music .....Frank Jones

6:30 Welcome and Prayer .....Rick Lance

6:35 Congregational Singing.....Karen Gosselin

6:40 Missions Recognitions.....Rick Lance

6:50 Instrumental Praise .....RamCorps

7:15 Congregational Singing.....Karen Gosselin

7:20 Message.....Jason Allen

8:00 Benediction.....Rick Lance

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**WEDNESDAY MORNING**

Pianist .....Frank Jones

Worship Leaders.....Corey Stringer and Joe Howell

**Worship**

8:30 Congregational Music .....Corey Stringer

8:35 Prayer .....Jared Cornutt

8:40 **DifferenceMakers Through Disciple Making** .....Albert Williams

9:05 Election of Officers

9:15 Previously Scheduled Business

9:45 Resolutions Committee Report .....Teman Knight

10:00 **DifferenceMakers Discussion**  
University of Mobile, Charles Smith; Samford University, Beck Taylor

10:20 Election of Officers

10:30 Congregational Music.....Joe Howell

10:35 Introduction of Convention Preacher and Alternate Preacher .....Craig Carlisle

Special Music.....Chris Duke

	Scripture .....	Andy John King
10:45	Convention Sermon.....	Ben Bowden
11:15	Introduction of Convention Officers .....	Rick Lance
11:20	Benediction and Adjournment.....	Eric Sexton