



GUIDE TO THE SBC

June 8th - 11th, Dallas, Texas

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Sunday, June 8th

Sunday Afternoon & Evening

(2:00PM): Registration

Location: **Convention Center - Hall C**

(3:00PM): Exhibit Hall Opens

Location: **Convention Center - Halls C-E**

(6:00PM): 2025 SBC Pastors' Conference

Location: **Convention Center - Hall F**

(8:00PM): Crossway Pastor's Fellowship

Location: **FBC Irving — 403 S. Main St. Irving, TX**

Details: **B21's Nate Akin** will be one of the panelists for this event;
registration and more info at: <https://crossway.txpc.org/>

(All Day): Prayer Room Open

Location: **Convention Center — Lobby F**

For a schedule of all auxiliary events and other SBC Annual Meeting Information visit: <https://sbcannualmeeting.net/>



Monday, June 9th

Monday Morning

(8:00AM): Exhibit Hall Opens

Location: **Convention Center — Halls C-E**



(8:00AM): Registration

Location: **Convention Center - Hall C**

(8:00AM): 2025 SBC Pastors' Conference

Location: **Convention Center - Hall F**

Monday Afternoon/Evening

(11:45AM): NAMB Luncheon

Location: **Convention Center - Halls A/B**

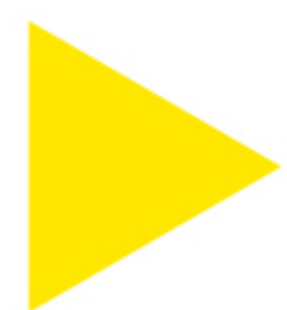
(4:45PM): SBC Annual Meeting Messenger Orientation

Location: **Convention Center - Ballroom D2-3**

(9:00PM): 9Marks @ 9

Location: **Theater (backside of Convention Center)**

Details: B21's Nate Akin will be one of the panelists for this discussion on "Church-Centered Missions"




Tuesday, June 10th

Tuesday Morning

(7:30AM): Registration

Location: **Convention Center - Hall C**



A few notes about the Annual Meeting that will help you prepare to be engaged:

- 1). Plan to be in the room during all the sessions as it is impossible to fully know when business will arise or that things will run according to the proposed schedule.
- 2). Read the Book of Reports available on the SBC Annual Meeting App ahead of the meeting.
- 3). Daily Bulletins will be released on the App and handed out as you enter the main hall each day to help you stay up to date on the most important information.
- 4). Follow the Baptist21 Twitter Account for breaking news and important updates.
- 5). For a more detailed explanation of all things SBC Annual Meeting, listen to this past podcast [Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#) of our interview with Amy Whitfield where she explains business, motions, resolutions, and many other aspects of our annual meeting.
- 6). Listen to the Baptist21 Leaders SBC Preview podcast at <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/baptist-21/id1441454363>

(8:00AM): 2025 SBC General Sessions

Location: **Convention Center - Hall F**

General Session Morning Schedule

8:00AM - Worship

8:10AM - Opening Prayer

8:15AM - Welcome and Call to Order/Celebrating Freedom

8:35AM - Registration Report and Constitution of Convention

Details: The registration secretary will announce how many messengers are registered and that is important because it will help establish a quorum (25% of registered messengers) for votes moving forward.

8:40AM - Committee on Order of Business Report (First)

Details: The Committee on Order of Business Report will propose an agenda which has to be approved by the messengers.



This is an important time to be in the room because messengers can amend the proposed agenda.

Note: In subsequent Committee on Order of Business Reports, the Committee will “dispense” with motions. Meaning it will be decided if they will be referred to a specific entity, be scheduled for debate, or ruled out of order.

8:50AM - Committee on Resolutions Report (First)

8:56AM - Guidestone Financial Resources Report

9:08AM - Introduction of New Motions (First)

Details: Any number of things could be proposed here for new motions but will not be voted on at this time.

9:23AM - North American Mission Board Presentation & Crossover Report

9:58AM - Send Relief Presentation

10:08AM - International Mission Sending Celebration

Details: This will be a time of recognizing and praying over missionaries being sent from Southern Baptist churches through the IMB to the mission field.

11:08AM - Worship

11:15AM - President’s Address

11:55AM - Closing Prayer

12:00PM - Baptist21 Lunch Panel

Location: **Omni Hotel - Trinity Ballroom Level 3**

General Session Afternoon Schedule

(Plan to be in the room for the whole session)

2:00PM - Worship

2:10PM - Opening Prayer

2:15PM - Election of Recording Secretary

2:20PM - Election of Registration Secretary

2:25PM - Election of President

Details: At this point, current SBC President Clint Pressley is running unopposed

2:30PM - Election of First Vice President

2:40PM - Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program

2:55PM - Committee on Resolutions Report (Second): On the 100th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program

3:00PM - Executive Committee Report (First)

Details: The EC sort of acts ad-interim for the SBC the 363 days we are not in session.

3:40PM - Election of Second Vice President

3:50PM - Committee on Order of Business Report (Second)

Details: See above on Committee on Order of Business Report (First).

4:10PM - Introduction of New Motions (Last Opportunity)



4:25PM - Miscellaneous Business

Details: Important time to be in the room because something of note may be scheduled for this time for both discussion and vote, we will try to keep people up to date on what that might be on our twitter account.

4:45PM - Committee on Committees Report

Details: The Committee on Committees, appointed by the SBC President, appoints the Committee on Nominations. **This could be an important time to be in the room as names to the Committee on Committees can be challenged.**

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5:10PM - Committee on Resolutions Report (Third)

Details: Southern Baptists will have submitted resolutions for the messengers to consider and vote on. During this time, messengers will discuss, possibly amend, and vote on the resolutions that the Resolutions Committee brings to the floor. An approved resolution is non-binding on both the SBC as a whole and her entities, but it does represent the opinions of the messengers who are present for that specific SBC meeting. This will be an important time to be in the room. Resolutions will be posted ahead of time.

5:55PM - Closing Prayer



Wednesday, June 11th

Wednesday Morning

8:00AM - Worship

8:10AM - Opening Prayer

8:15AM - Committee on Order of Business Report (Third)

8:36AM - Lifeway Christian Resources Report

8:48AM - The Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission Report

9:00AM - Worship

9:05AM - Convention Sermon - Tony Wolfe

9:45AM - Joint Seminary Reports

11:00AM - Executive Committee Report (Second)

11:45AM - Previously Scheduled Business

Details: If any of the motions need to be scheduled for debate they would be scheduled here. If so, this would be an important time to be in the room.

11:55AM - Closing Prayer

Lunch - Seminary Alumni Lunches

Wednesday Afternoon

2:30PM - Worship

2:45PM - Opening Prayer

2:50PM - Celebrating 100th Anniversary of the Baptist Faith & Message

3:00PM - Committee on Resolutions Report (Fourth)

3:25PM - Previously Scheduled Business

Details: If any of the motions need to be scheduled for debate they would be scheduled here. **If so, this would be an important time to be in the room.**

3:35PM - North American Mission Board Report

3:47PM - Woman's Missionary Union Report

3:55PM - International Mission Board Report

4:07PM - Committee on Order of Business Report (Fourth)
Election of 2026 Convention Preacher, Alternate Preacher,
and Music Director

4:17PM - Presentation of Officers

4:30PM - Closing Prayer