

## Partners in *Personal Witnessing*

### Our Effectiveness *(per 100 members)*

- ✓ Higher Baptism Ratio
- ✓ Higher Sunday School Average Attendance
- ✓ More New Churches Planted
- ✓ Significant Ministry in our Support Vocation



Scott Walters witnessing in Richland  
Mobile Home Park



Dr. Mel Phifer witnessing in the  
Metrocenter Mall

## Partners in *Planting Churches*



Bryan Presson baptizing at Eagle Ridge



Chuck Hampton and members at  
the Church of Northshore Dedication

### Our Heritage

Melchizedek  
Amos  
Paul  
John Bunyan  
William Carey  
Robert Baylor

*King and Priest*  
*Shepherd and Prophet*  
*Tentmaker and Missionary*  
*A pilgrim who made progress*  
*Manager of Indigo Plant*  
*Educator-Preacher-Judge*



## Partners in *Missions*

### Our Names



- Worker Priests
- Tentmakers
- Dual Role Ministers
- Double Duty, Twice-Blessed Servants



Calvary Baptist Church, Parchman  
Mission Trip to Mexico



Mountain Creek/Briar Hill/Hickory  
Ridge/Good Hope Mission Trip to the  
Dominican Republic

## PURPOSES OF THE MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST BIVOCATIONAL COUNCIL

- *Celebrate your unique ministry.*
- *Focus on first things; your family, your friends and God's will.*
- *Go where you are sent and bloom where you are planted.*
- *Never stop learning. When you stop learning, you stop growing, and when you stop growing, you begin to die.*
- *Realize we are life long learners.*
- *Love little children and big children.*
- *Learn that being sensitive takes precedent over being sensible.*
- *Accentuate the positive, eliminate the negative. Bring gloom down to the minimum; spread joy the maximum.*
- *Learn Jesus' teachings and walk in Jesus' steps.*



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## PARTNERS

### *Feeding Sheep and Mending Nets*

Our mission is doing whatever it takes to affirm, encourage and serve bivocational churches, ministers and families in Christ Kingdom service within local congregations and communities, the Southern Baptist family and the larger Christian movement.

Visit our website at [www.mbc.org](http://www.mbc.org), click on "Bivocational."