

## Mission Trip Sees About 200 Salvations

About 200 people gave their lives to Christ during the Cuban mission trip that Chris Hubler, senior pastor of New Day Baptist Church, participated in January 4<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Chris met 3 other volunteers in Miami and they all traveled to Cuba to help with preaching and with a pastors and wives conference. The trip was arranged by Larry Frisby, founder of Great Commission Ministries in Kentucky. Chris



met Larry about 4 years ago. Not only have they worked together on mission trips, they have also helped each other with their church building projects.

Cuba).” He is looking forward to returning there later this year. If you are interested in joining him for this mission trip please contact Chris at 765-623-5424.

The team ministered in Holguin, Bayamo,



and Santiago. It was a fantastic trip in a very poor area. The people there live on the equivalent of \$20 US dollars a month. The average weekly tithe is around 5 pesos or 8 cents.

Chris said, “God has done some great work in the Eastern Baptist Conference (in

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Dr. Ron Ross

# The Katecheo

Numerous Southern Baptist pastors decide each January to emphasize the importance of stewardship. Your ECBA Educational Coordinator prepared a five-part stewardship brochure that is being used by one of our ECBA churches. As an afterthought (and so close to the end of the month) the realization of offering the brochure to any church interested in distributing it in their weekly bulletins came to mind. It could be used for five consecutive weeks or formatted to be used as an one piece, six-paneled brochure. If interested, the five part series includes these topics:

1. Everything Belongs to God
2. Satan Has Distorted What Belongs to God

3. God Has Entrusted His Possessions to Us
4. A Believer's Response to God's Provisions
5. A Warning to Disobedient Stewards

God directed the apostle Paul in his letter to the Corinthian church to remind them, *...it is required of stewards that one be found trustworthy.* Many congregations, if they really took note, would conclude they have a widespread lack of trustworthiness in reference to the matter of stewardship. Just something to ponder as we journey through 2023. If interested in knowing more about the offer, simply call Ron Ross at (765) 748-6633.

## More Cuban Mission Trip Pictures



Please pray for our pastors and their wives on these special occasions.

### ***Birthdays***

**February 12**—Greg Haisley (Integris Community Church, Albany)

### ***Anniversaries***

None

### ***Church Anniversaries***

None



## **Upcoming Events In February**

*SBC Emphasis for February*

**February 5**—Church Planting, Evangelism and Missions Sunday

**February 19**—Focus on WMU

**February 26**—Racial Reconciliation Sunday

## East Central Baptist Association Profit and Loss Statement for November 2022

|                                      |  |                        |
|--------------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| <b>Income</b>                        |  |                        |
| 4000 · Church Receipts               |  |                        |
| 4060 · New Day                       |  | 500.00                 |
| 4120 · Halteman - Muncie             |  | 134.70                 |
| 4140 · Kingston - Anderson           |  | 175.59                 |
| 4160 · North Delaware - Muncie       |  | 266.98                 |
| 4170 · Old Town Hill - Muncie        |  | 5,501.26               |
| 4180 · Redeemer - Anderson           |  | 0.00                   |
| 4190 · First - Montpelier            |  | 0.00                   |
| 4210 · Faith Christian Fellowship    |  | 150.00                 |
| 4230 · Integris                      |  | 111.00                 |
| 4240 · Remedy City                   |  | 154.95                 |
| Total 4000 · Church Receipts         |  | <u>6,994.48</u>        |
| Total Income                         |  | 6,994.48               |
| <b>Expense</b>                       |  |                        |
| 7000 · Administrative Ministry       |  |                        |
| 7010 · Other Expense                 |  | 15.52                  |
| 7090 · Payroll                       |  | 835.15                 |
| Total 7000 · Administrative Ministry |  | 850.67                 |
| 7100 · Church Health                 |  | 198.00                 |
| 7500 · Trustee                       |  | -1,900.00              |
| Total Expense                        |  | <u>-851.33</u>         |
| Net Income                           |  | <u><u>7,845.81</u></u> |

## East Central Baptist Association Balance Report November 2022

|                                          | <u>Nov 22</u>            | <u>Oct 22</u>            | <u>\$ Change</u>       |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>1000 · ONB</b>                        |                          |                          |                        |
| 1010 · General Budget                    | 45,581.36                | 37,850.55                | 7,730.81               |
| 1011 · Discretionary Admin Team          | 7,493.99                 | 7,493.99                 | 0.00                   |
| 1020 · Disaster Relief                   | 474.28                   | 474.28                   | 0.00                   |
| 1025 · Mission Building Capital Fund     | 9,842.19                 | 9,727.19                 | 115.00                 |
| 1035 · Church P&H Fund                   | 25,520.98                | 25,520.98                | 0.00                   |
| 1040 · OMC                               | 1,307.84                 | 1,307.84                 | 0.00                   |
| 1055 · Funds Temporarily Restricted      | 10,458.78                | 10,458.78                | 0.00                   |
| 1111 · Church P&H ROI                    | 7,065.72                 | 7,065.72                 | 0.00                   |
| 1125 · BCMH Temp Restricted              | <u>149,357.73</u>        | <u>149,357.73</u>        | <u>0.00</u>            |
| Total 1000 · ONB                         | 257,102.87               | 249,257.06               | 7,845.81               |
| <b>1100 · Indiana Baptist Foundation</b> |                          |                          |                        |
| 1110 · ECBA Endowment                    | <u>12,820.47</u>         | <u>12,820.47</u>         | <u>0.00</u>            |
| Total 1100 · Indiana Baptist Foundation  | <u>12,820.47</u>         | <u>12,820.47</u>         | <u>0.00</u>            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                             | <u><u>269,923.34</u></u> | <u><u>262,077.53</u></u> | <u><u>7,845.81</u></u> |

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Taking Leadership to the Next Level

**February 11, 2023**

**Virtual Zoom Gathering**

**9 am-12 pm EST**

Register online at <https://scbi.wufoo.com/forms/z1kpthe51iw4xiz>