

2017

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION OF NEW MEXICO MESSENGER PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

This form should be returned to the BCNM for pre-registration. You may mail it to PO Box 94485, Albuquerque NM 87199; email it to nfaucett@bcnm.com; or fax it to (505) 924-2349.

_____ Baptist Church of _____

Current Number of Church Members: _____
(See Section 3 below)

Date Elected _____
(See Section 1 below)

Church Clerk/Moderator Signature

(Printed Name)

Messenger 1 (Please print)

Messenger 2 (Please print)

Messenger 3 (Please print)

Messenger 4 (Please print)

Messenger 5 (Please print)

Messenger 6 (Please print)

Messenger 7 (Please print)

Messenger 8 (Please print)

**Please note: it is still necessary for your messengers to check in at the registration table to receive their nametag. Nametags are necessary to vote.*

Baptist Convention of NM Bylaws

ARTICLE TWO: Seating of Messengers.

Section 1. At any meeting of the messengers, messengers shall be seated upon presentation of proper credentials or satisfactory authorization of their election by their churches. The required credentials shall be the BCNM registration form which can be submitted electronically or by paper copy and shall be presented to the Credentials Committee of the Convention before being seated.

Section 2. As an autonomous State Baptist Convention, the Convention in session reserves the right to determine what constitutes a cooperating Baptist church. *Churches shall be considered in friendly cooperation who are sympathetic with the purpose and work of this Convention, having demonstrated cooperation by contributing a percentage of their undesignated gifts through the Cooperative Program.* The faith and practices of each cooperating church, in the opinion of the Convention in session, shall not be in conflict with the Convention's affirmed Statement of Faith.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to two messengers and one additional messenger for every twenty-five members or major portion thereof above twenty-five; but in no case shall any church be entitled to more than eight messengers.

Please return this form by 10/19/17 for pre-registration