# National Brotherhood Ministries (NBM) Church of Christ (Holiness) U.S.A.

Headquarters: Jackson Mississippi

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## I. MISSION Statement (i.e., why do you exist)

The National Brotherhood Ministries (NBM) of the Church of Christ (Holiness) U.S.A. is an organization comprised of men who are connected to God, empowered by Christ, and guided by the Holy Spirit. Our mission is to equip, develop, and inspire men in becoming men of spiritual valor, obedient disciples, and kingdom builders, as a result of our proliferating relationship with Christ and other Christian brethren.

#### II. VISION Statement (i.e., what are you doing or will do for COCHUSA and its membership)

The National Brotherhood Ministries (NBM) seeks to cultivate biblical masculinity through relationships of brotherly love and peer accountability, bible-based training, and Christian mentoring, resulting in Christ-like character, service, and leadership in our families, church, workplace, and community.

#### III. GOAL(s) for '23 – '24 Church Year

- 1. To create a culture of involvement that every male of COCHUSA will feel apart of as it relates to Men's Ministry (To meet the men on their level).
- 2. To establish a men's ministry in all local churches to meet the needs of every male in the church and community.
- 3. Monitor plans and goals set by the previous administration to see what we need to continue, stop, or start doing.
- 4. Continue to try and grow our monthly prayer session/call by monitoring it to see where changes may be needed.
- 5. To continue planning for 2025 Men's Retreat. Location (St. Louis, MO) has been finalized.
- 6. To continue planning for our NBM session during the 2024 National Convention.
- 7. To empower a nominating committee for selection of new officers. The Nomination committee has begun their work.

## IV. MINISTRY INIATIVES (e.g., what new things are you doing)

- 1. Push our theme of "No Man or Male Left Behind".
- 2. Continue our monthly meetings with our Diocese officers to establish what is needed to help them be successful.
- 3. Encourage our men to continue or establish a mentoring program in their local churches, and also remind them that they are mentors whether they want to be or not.
- 4. Plan to continue to pray for our NBM that we will lead it according to God's will. We current pray corporately every third Monday of each month.
- 5. Collaborate/support diocese men's ministries as they minister to their district and local ministries.
- 6. Empowered nominations committee to complete work of selecting officers for the new term.

Estimate of Current Operational Funds, Savings, and Investments: See attached financial report

Amount budgeted to spend or projected to spend during '23 - 24: See attached financial report

Means and Frequency of Board/Auxiliary Interaction during the Year:(e.g., written correspondence, email, teleconference, meetings, etc.)

12 times a year via Zoom, 1 time in person, and whenever needed for support to dioceses

## VI. MISSION INSIGHT (How will what you do help fulfill the mission of COCHUSA & how can COCHUSA help fulfill your mission?)

The Bible says in (Proverbs 11:30) He that Winneth Souls Is Wise. Our objective is to find ways to attract men and give them the word of God to keep them. If we all work toward saving souls, I believe our churches will grow and God will place men where they need to be in his body.

Sincerely,

Bro. Eric B. Tanner,

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Sr President

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