

28th Annual Gathering  
Retired American Baptist Ministers & Spouses Reunion

***State of the American Baptist Church Today***  
Thursday, September 7, 2017, Hoosier Village Chapel

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM  
Hosted by Hoosier Village & BHI Senior Living, Inc.

**2017 Reunion  
Planning Committee**

**Rev. Ray & Luann King**

**Rev. Stan & Betty Nicol**

**Rev. Dr. Gene Ton**

**Rev. Jim & Wilma Waters**

**Chaplain Ron May**

Please accept this **invitation from the Reunion Planning Committee, Hoosier Village & BHI Senior Living staff** to attend the **28th annual reunion** open to any retired American Baptist minister, missionary, denominational leader, spouse, or widow(er) who has served in Indiana and/or who has served elsewhere but now resides in Indiana.

A **friend, current pastor, or family member** is certainly welcome to **register and accompany anyone** who would like to **share the day** of travel, inspiration, and good Christian fellowship with others.

**Registration begins in the Chapel hallway at 9:00 AM** with the traditional continental breakfast and coffee fellowship time—a great time for reflecting and renewing friendships. The registration fee of **\$15 per person** will assist with meal and program expenses.

The **morning program begins at 9:40 AM** with **Ray King and Bob Welling** opening the session with favorite hymns.

Our focus this year is on the ***State of the American Baptist Church***. This will be a great opportunity to hear from some of our national and regional leaders as they share the blessings and challenges in the ABC today.

Our special music program just before lunch will feature Jill Birch, Music Director at Hoosier Village Chapel, playing the piano and singing. We will also hear from the Hoosier Village Chapel Chime Choir.

We'll enjoy another fine lunch and fellowship at the Roosevelt Dining Hall before we return to the chapel for the afternoon session and hear about our IN/KY Region.

The reunion activities will **conclude** in plenty of time for you to be **ahead of the afternoon rush traffic** out of Indianapolis.

**Registration due** before/by **September 1**. Please allow 3-5 days for US Postal delivery.



ABC/USA President, **Rev. Judy Fackenthal** begins our morning session sharing from her perspective on the ***State of the American Baptist Church Today***.

**Rev. Dr. Joseph Huse**, Special Assistant for Christian Stewardship Development in India, will be our 2nd speaker of the morning. His presentation is on ***The Old, Old Story - The New Verse in International Missions.***

Following our lunch break **Rev. Soozie Whitten Ford**, Executive Minister of the ABC-IN/KY, will share with us on ***The State of the ABC IN/KY Region and Greater Indpls.***

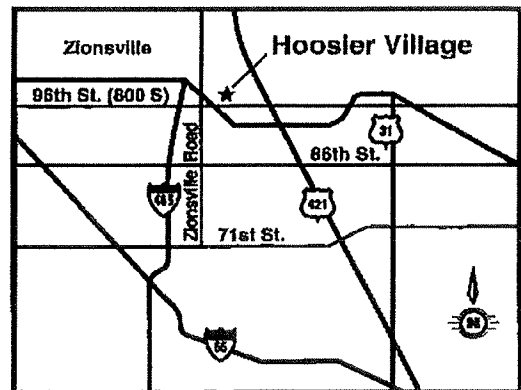
## Traveling Assistance to Hoosier Village Chapel

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# HOOSIER VILLAGE

A BHI Senior Living Community

**9875 Cherryleaf Drive  
Indianapolis, IN 46268**



### From I-465, Exit 27 (Michigan Road or Route 421)

- At the end of the ramp turn right (north) on Michigan Road (Route 421) to the traffic light at 96th Street - there is a McDonald's on the right (east) corner and a car dealership on the left (west) corner.
- Turn left (west) on 96th Street; proceed approximately 1 mile on 96th Street.
- Hoosier Village is on the right (north) side of the street.

### From I-465, Exit 23 (86th Street) from NW side of Indianapolis

- At the end of the ramp turn right (east) on 86th Street; go to Zionsville Road (third traffic light not including the exit ramp light - there is a Wendy's on the left and an Arby's on the right).
- Turn left (north) on Zionsville Road and follow until you come to the first stoplight, which is 96th Street.
- Turn right (east) onto 96th Street; proceed approximately 1 mile.
- Hoosier Village is on the left (north) side of the street soon after you go under the highway overpass.

***Check your favorite map/directions website for directions from your local area and estimated time, and allow time for possible road construction.***

Upon entering Hoosier Village campus, please follow the signs to park in the designated "Ministers & Spouses Reunion" areas. Hoosier Village staff will be available to assist you with directions and/or provide shuttle from the parking areas to the entry doors.



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**MISSION OPPORTUNITY ~ ANNUAL BOOK DRIVE**

**SEPT 7, 2017 ~ RETIRED AMERICAN BAPTIST MINISTERS & SPOUSES REUNION**

*Sending the Word to the world ...* The reunion remains your annual opportunity to **bring Bibles, theological books, commentaries, and Bible dictionaries** you wish to **donate to the outreach ministry** of Montgomery Community Baptist Church in Cincinnati, Ohio. **Bibles are especially needed!**

Please note, the depository can **no longer accept** SS or VBS materials, hymnals, or magazines/books specifically aimed at the American audience.

When you **enter Hoosier Village**, note the **signs directing** you to the **drop off area** for the **book donations**. Then follow the signs for reunion parking.

Donated **resources will be transported** to the Cincinnati church where their ministry volunteers will prepare for mailing to **ABC missionaries** and other **correspondents around the world!**

Contact Polly Sedziol if you are interested in learning more about this ministry: 513.489.0892 or [rssps@fuse.net](mailto:rssps@fuse.net).



**TO REGISTER FOR THE 2017 REUNION, RESPOND BEFORE / BY SEPTEMBER 1:**

- √ Complete the registration section below; cut along dotted lines.
- √ Include **\$15** per person to assist with food & program expenses.
- √ Return by September 1 (allow 3-5 days for US Mail delivery).
- √ Mail to: Ron May, Hoosier Village, 9875 Cherryleaf Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46268

First & Last Name(s):	
If applicable, deceased spouse's name (e.g. Rev. Bob K. Smith):	
Street/P.O. Box:	
City, State, Zip	
Phone Number: (    )	E-Mail:
Please register _____ persons at \$15 each, totaling \$ _____; check # _____.	
Make <b>check payable to BHI Senior Living / AB Reunion</b> .	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sorry, I / we cannot attend the 2017 retiree's reunion on September 7.	
<input type="checkbox"/> I / We give permission for contact information to be included in the annual retiree's directory.	
<b>Signature:</b>	E-RegRegion

Even if you are unable to attend, feel free to send a letter, note, and/or picture to be shared with attendees. Send by **September 1** via US Mail (allow 3-5 days for US Mail delivery):

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