



# Annual Statistical Report

REPORTING ON 2022 DATA



INTERNATIONAL  
MISSION BOARD



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**OUR VISION IS A MULTITUDE FROM  
EVERY NATION, TRIBE, PEOPLE AND  
LANGUAGE KNOWING AND WORSHIPING  
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST.**

*Revelation 7:9-10*



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**OUR MISSION** IS TO SERVE SOUTHERN  
BAPTISTS IN CARRYING OUT THE  
GREAT COMMISSION TO MAKE  
DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS.



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**THE GREATEST  
PROBLEM IN THE WORLD  
IS LOSTNESS.**

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**THE BIBLICAL EXAMPLE  
FOR GETTING THE GOSPEL  
TO THE LOST IS BY  
PHYSICAL MISSIONARY  
PRESENCE.**

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**FOR SOUTHERN BAPTISTS,  
THE IMB IS THE MEANS  
FOR SENDING MISSIONARIES TO THE  
PEOPLES AND PLACES WHERE JESUS  
IS NOT KNOWN OR NAMED.**



# WHERE WE WORK

59% PERCENT OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION  
**(4.6 BILLION PEOPLE) ARE CONSIDERED UNREACHED.**

This means there are less than 2% evangelical Christians within their people group or nearby. Unless something changes, they have little to no chance of hearing the gospel in their lifetime.



# 2022 Global Highlights

**173,451**

LOST PEOPLE  
DIE EVERY DAY

(2 people every second)

Global Population **8,003,918,234**







# 2022 Global Highlights

**67**

NEW PEOPLE GROUPS  
AND PLACES  
ENGAGED

Total number of unique people groups  
**12,019**



# 2022 Global Highlights

**728,589**

PEOPLE  
HEARD THE GOSPEL

**4.6 BILLION** PEOPLE ARE STILL  
CONSIDERED UNREACHED







# 2022 Global Highlights

**556,035**

OPPORTUNITIES  
TO RESPOND



# 2022 Global Highlights

**178,177**

NEW BELIEVERS

**345,692** ONGOING BIBLE STUDY  
PARTICIPANTS







# 2022 Global Highlights

**102,417**

BAPTISMS



# 2022 Global Highlights

**21,231**

NEW CHURCHES

1<sup>ST</sup> Generation **1,437**

2<sup>ND</sup> Generation **1,087**

3<sup>RD</sup> Generation and higher **18,707**







# 2022 Global Highlights

**146,026**

RECEIVED LEADERSHIP  
TRAINING

Pastoral Training **27,169**  
Church-Planting Training **68,239**  
Theological Training **50,618**

Other Training **65,703**

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# STRATEGIC ANCHORS

1

ADVANCE THE MISSIONARY  
TASK AMONG UNREACHED  
PEOPLES AND PLACES

2

ADVANCE RELATIONSHIPS  
WITH SOUTHERN BAPTISTS  
AND GLOBAL PARTNERS

3

ADVANCE EFFICIENCY  
AND EFFECTIVENESS OF  
GLOBAL OPERATIONS



# CORE CONVICTIONS

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WE WILL GLORIFY GOD THROUGH:

- Biblical faithfulness
- Fervent prayer
- Walking in the Spirit
- Proclaiming the gospel
- Advancing the church



# CORE VALUES

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AS MATURING DISCIPLES,  
WE WILL WORK TOGETHER WITH

- Humility
- Integrity
- Accountability
- Transparency
- Sensitivity

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## COMPONENTS OF THE MISSIONARY TASK





# Strategic Objectives

1

**Send an additional 500 missionaries to the nations**

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**Mobilize 500 global missionary partners on IMB teams**

3

**Engage 75 global cities with comprehensive strategies**

4

**Mobilize 75% of Southern Baptist churches to prayerfully and financially support the IMB**

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**Increase giving to the IMB by 6% annually**



# PRAY FOR

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- The number of people who die daily without Christ to drop as more follow Him.
- Missionaries to engage and reach the 3,180 UUPGs.
- New believers to grow in their faith as they abide in Christ.



# PRAY FOR

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- New churches to be faithful to God's Word.
- Teams and their global missionary partners to work in unity.
- 75% of Southern Baptist churches to prayerfully and financially support the work of the IMB by 2025.



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