



# Metrolines

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If there's something special happening at your church that you feel needs to be shared with the Region, please feel free to email us with any items to be included in the newsletter. The deadline for items to be included is the first of the month. Please send all material to <u>socialmedia@philadelphiabaptist.org</u>.

## Applications for Next PBA Executive Minister Being Accepted Through June 30th

The Philadelphia Baptist Association (PBA) is seeking a dynamic and visionary Executive Minister to join our team as a key leader in fostering unity, growth, and impactful ministry within our diverse region of churches. Nominations and applications are now being accepted. The deadline to submit nominations is June 1, 2025. The deadline for applications is June 30, 2025. For complete information about the position and region and for application instructions read the descriptions below.



**Region Profile** 





#### Reflections on the PBA Missiological Conversation

As I sit at my desk this rainy Friday morning, I pray the rain will cleanse the air, washing away the pollen falling like snow over the





#### Reflections on the 318th Annual Meeting & Mission Cafe

The thematic exploration of baptism from the Missiological Conversation event continued into the PBA 318th Annual Meeting and Mission Cafe where Rev. Dr. Starlette



Reflecting as a Pastor and consultant, my initial curiosity about the Philadelphia Baptist association's Missiological Conversation on baptism's implications for transformed life



AMERICAN BAPTIST WOMEN'S MINISTRIES Philadelphia Baptist Association ABWM-PBA

# Is God Calling You to Serve as a Leader?

The American Baptist Women's Ministries-PBA is looking for dedicated women to serve as its regional officers and/or AB Girls coordinator/assistant. Is God calling you to serve? **Click this link to complete the application.** To see the open positions descriptions click below

Flyer

**Position Descriptions** 

From the Interim Executive Regional Minister's Desk



#### A Word from the Interim Executive Regional Minister

Words could never express my appreciation to each of you for supporting the Missiological Conversation, Annual Meeting & Mission Cafe the weekend of May 2nd.

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#### **PBA Ministers Council**

Are you a member of the PBA Ministers Council (MC)? PBA encourages and supports its pastoral leaders and missionaries to attend its regional MC meetings and to support the ministry with your annual dues. Please see the flyer for details.





#### Intergenerational Spiritual Formation Initiative

This project hosts monthly virtual training sessions and quarterly onsite workshops. Read more to learn how to join and for complete details.



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#### Take Care of Your Soul

MMBBCares is offering eight (8) FREE coaching sessions to all clergy. Read more tofind out futher details.

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#### Our Story, Our Faith Hybrid Conference

Our Story, Our Faith: South Asian American Christian Histories and Futures, a two-day hybird conference exploring the rich and





#### Why is Church So Hard?

Is a new 5 part online series for ministry leaders presented by the Center for Career Development and Ministry. See the flyer for registration information.





#### Sojourner Truth Women's Ministry Conference

An event of the American Baptist Women's Ministries, all women are invited to attend the September 26-27 conference. Read more for details.



### **News and Notes**



#### Reverend Gus Roman

The Reverend Gus Roman, pastor emeritus of Canaan Baptist Church passed away on April 23rd at the age of 92.





# Interested in Reaching Generation Z

All are invited to join the PBA's Social Media Learning Community. The next meeting is Monday, May 19 @ 6:00 pm online.





#### PBA Youth/Young Adult Game Night

PBA is planning a youth/young adult game night and is looking for your help to plan and/or chaperone the event. Read more to find out how to volunteer.





#### 18th Annual Neighborhood Job Fair

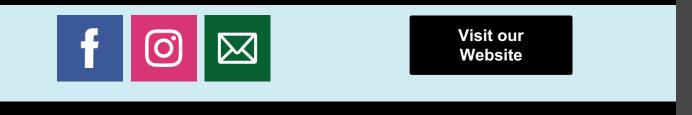
Philly's largest citywide employment event will be held on June 6, 2025 from 9am - 2pm at the Aramark Star Complex.



## **Upcoming Events**

- June 1, 2025 Annual Pennepack Day 337th Anniversary Pennepack Baptist Church
- June 1, 2025 Nomination deadline for Executive Minister Position
- June 6, 2025 18th Annual Neighborhood Job Fair 9am-2pm Aramark STAR Complex
- June 6-7, 2025 South Asian American Christian Histories & Futures Hybrid Conference
- June 17, 2025 PBA Ministers Council Meeting & Lunch 10:00am PBA Office
- June 30, 2025 Application deadline for Executive Minister Position
- July 3-6, 2025 ABCUSA Biennial Omaha, NE
- October 4, 2025 PBA Minister's Council Retreat St. Rapheala Retreat Center
- November 8, 2025 Annual Mission Banquet Drexelbrook Events Center

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