

# ANNOUNCING

## Original Free Will Baptist Sunday School Teacher and Superintendent of the Year Awards

The Teacher and Superintendent of the Year Awards make up a program sponsored by the OFWB Christian Education Ministry. The purpose of the Awards Program is to advance, promote and improve the effectiveness of the Sunday School. By recognizing the effective Sunday School teacher and superintendent, the funds from the awards could be used to do something extra for the Sunday School that would not ordinarily be available or to further the education of the recipient in some way to make them more proficient in their calling. Please see the list below for other suggestions on how to use the funds.

Each award carries a monetary gift and a plaque. The recipients will be named at our Annual Sunday School Banquet. **The 2024 Banquet will be held at LaGrange OFWB Church on Aug. 19, 2024 at 6:00 pm.** Each nominee will also be recognized at the banquet with a certificate and a special gift of appreciation.

The selection of Teacher and Superintendent of the Year will be decided by an anonymous committee chosen by the director. When the committee receives the nominations, all references that would identify the nominee are blacked out. The decision is based solely on their qualifications.

Nominations can be submitted by anyone in the church. However, each nomination must be accompanied by **TWO** letters of recommendation, one from the pastor and one from someone in Sunday School leadership or a student. To simplify the process for the committee, only two letters are attached to each nomination form when it is submitted to them. Please be mindful and select the two best letters when submitting your nominations.

Nomination forms can be obtained by requesting them from Gail Heath at the Christian Education Ministry office or you may also download extra forms from our website: [www.ofwbchristianeducation.org](http://www.ofwbchristianeducation.org). Please have one person be responsible for submitting all nomination forms and letters of recommendation.

These are three suggested categories for the use of the funds by the recipients. They are as follows:

- \*Provide overall learning resources for the Sunday School officers and teachers
- \*Provide individual learning experiences for the recipient (funds to attend workshops, conferences, seminars that would help the recipient be more proficient in their job)
- \*Provide group learning experiences for Sunday Scholl as a whole or a particular class (retreats, local training programs, etc.)

**ALL FORMS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY JULY 22, 2024  
AND RECEIVED IN OUR OFFICE BY JULY 26, 2024.**

Mail to  
Gail Heath, Director  
OFWB Christian Education Ministry  
201 W James St.  
Mt. Olive, NC 28365  
919-299-4553 or 919-631-9407

Remember any active Sunday School teacher or superintendent can be nominated and there are no limits as to the number of nominations from any church.