



For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given...

Isaiah 9:6

Your WMA officers wish you the happiest of seasons!  
As you go through the holidays, it is our wish that you are  
able to enjoy the true spirit of the season.

Christmas is proof that God loves us more than we can  
imagine. He gave a gift we did not deserve for  
a purpose we cannot fathom. May you find time to slow  
down and reflect on that during this season.

*Merry Christmas*

*and*

*Happy New Year*



## Report from our President presented at the Texas State Meeting

Your Texas State WMA has been very busy this year.

We were excited to be able to partner with the missions department and participate in the Pastors Retreat at the beginning of the year. Goody bags and door prizes were presented to the wives in attendance and I very much enjoyed the meeting and getting to know some of these ladies.

At the National WMA meeting in April, 9 Texas ladies were installed as National WMA officers. This makes for a very busy group of ladies.

Our theme for the year has been “Broken Crayons Still Color” based on Ps 147:3 “He heals the broken hearted and binds up their wounds.” Mental picture.

Our retreat in July was hosted by Northside Baptist Church in Conroe. They were wonderful hostesses. We were blessed by having many of our Spanish speaking sisters join us for this meeting. A big shout out to Wendy Garcia for translating the conference for them. Another huge blessing from the retreat was the literal van load of school supplies our ladies collected for the kids served through the Children’s Home.

Jacksonville College was the recipient of our fund-raising efforts this year. I am excited to say we exceeded our rather lofty goal and raised \$31,399.65 that went directly to renovations at the college.

At our meeting this morning we installed a new slate of officers who are ready to hit the ground running. Our new project will be Texas Baptist Home for Children with a goal of \$30,000.00. Our retreat will again be in July next year, at Rosewood Baptist in Gilmer. We invite ALL ladies to join us in our meetings, our studies, our giving, and support of all things BMA. If you have a ladies group at your church, you are a part of our group. Please visit our website and like us on facebook to keep up with our goings on and let us know if there is any way we can help you.

I want to publicly thank all the ladies who work so hard at every level of WMA. You are making a difference and God is blessing your efforts. I am so appreciative to the officers of the Texas WMA. They go above and beyond and many people reap the benefits of that. Thank you to the churches and pastors who support ladies groups and allow their shenanigans. I am kind of biased but I think the BMA of Texas is better because of our WMA.

Cindy Allen, Texas WMA President

# Texas WMA Officers 2024-2025



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# WOW!

The final totals have been tallied and we raised a total of \$34,161.28 for our 2023-2024 Texas WMA project. Our project was to help replace the roof and the A/C on the chapel at Jacksonville College. Jacksonville College received \$31,399.65 of this total and we added \$1,380.81 to both our General Fund and Youth Fund.

Our project for 2024-2025 will be Texas Baptist Home for Children. 90% of the funds raised will go to TBHC. They need the funds for new signage since their current signage is obsolete. It is difficult to direct people who don't know TBHC around the campus. This is an urgent need and will serve to increase community awareness and name recognition. The approximate cost will be \$15,000. Anything raised above the amount needed will be used for any other TBHC needs.

We encourage everyone to start raising money for our new project. Send money along with your quarterly report form enclosed in this newsletter. Mail the report to: Texas WMA, c/o Jo Strong, 413 Junell, Sulphur Springs, TX 75482. Please make checks payable to: Texas WMA.

Check out our website: [texaswma.com](http://texaswma.com) or our Facebook page: Texas WMA for more information about WMA.



## SAVE THE DATE

**Texas Sunbeam Excursion will be July 28, 2025  
@ Jacksonville College**

**Sunbeams and friends will go on a "Sweet" adventure to learn more about  
European Missions and God's "sweet gifts"**

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