

Faithful preachers proclaim without fear, Jamaican Baptist insists

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Preaching should be dangerous business, because faithful preachers dare to deliver a message from God — regardless of the consequences, Karl Johnson, general secretary of the Jamaica Baptist Union, told the Baptist World Congress.

World Baptists honor Lotz for human rights advocacy

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To be true to their heritage and principles, Baptists must continue the fight for religious liberty for all people, insisted Denton Lotz, who received the Baptist World Alliance's Human Rights Award July 30 in Honolulu.

Longtime mission leader Avery Willis dies

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Avery Willis, a former Southern Baptist missionary and administrator best known as developer of the MasterLife discipleship materials used around the world, died July 30, nearly eight months after being diagnosed with a rare form of leukemia. He was 76.

Christians commanded to love their Muslim neighbors, panelists insist

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A West Texas missions professor who served more than two decades in Indonesia and an Arab Baptist educator from Lebanon emphasized the need to reach out in love to Muslims.

North American Baptists examine series of “shifts”

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Baptists from across Canada and the United States examined seven key “shifts” July 29 that have impacted the North American Baptist Fellowship.

Faith & Fitness: Exercise good, but only in moderation

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The Bible portrays the body as the temple of the Holy Spirit. But some caution that too much focus on “temple care” can become a sin.

Preach good news, proclaim freedom, seminary president urges Baptists

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Preach Christ's good news and proclaim freedom, Argentine seminary president Pablo Deiros challenged participants at the 20th Baptist World Congress in Honolulu July 29.

Vietnamese churches join Baptist World Alliance

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Some of the globe's most persecuted Christians found an international home when the Baptist World Alliance admitted the Baptist Churches in Vietnam into the global organization.

Listen to the Spirit, receive the anointing, Coffey urges Baptists

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Human effort and creative strategies lead to futility apart from an anointing by God's Holy Spirit, British Baptist leader David Coffey told the opening session of the Baptist World Congress, July 28 in Honolulu.

U.S. denies visas to about 1,000 hoping to attend BWA Congress

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As many as 1,000 people who had registered for the Baptist World Alliance's Congress this year were unable to attend because they were denied visas by the U.S. government, leaders of the global Baptist organization said July 28.

South Africa to host continent's first Baptist World Congress in 2015

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For the first time, the Baptist World Congress will be held in Africa in 2015, according to a July 27 announcement from Baptist World Alliance General Secretary Neville Callam.

Should churches allow sex offenders in pews?

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“All are welcome” is a common phrase on many a church sign and website. But what happens when a convicted sex offender takes those words literally?