

# South Carolina Baptist Convention

## Church Protection Benefit Program

Through the Cooperative Program, The South Carolina Baptist Convention provides both a disability income benefit and a survivor protection benefit to eligible senior pastors and one other ministerial staff member who participate in GuideStone's Church Retirement Plan.

If you are enrolled in GuideStone's Church Retirement Plan, you may be eligible for the following benefits from the South Carolina Baptist Convention and GuideStone®:

- Disability income benefit (up to \$500\* per month)
- Survivor protection benefit (up to \$100,000\*)

### Please note that:

- To receive credit for the survivor protection benefit, you or your church must make a **minimum retirement contribution of at least \$50 per month.**
- To receive a disability income benefit, you must be **approved for disability before age 65,** and payout periods are **limited to 60 months.**

### Survivor Protection Benefits

YOUR AGE AT DEATH	MAXIMUM BENEFIT PAYABLE*
35 and under	\$100,000
36–45	\$75,000
46–55	\$50,000
56–65	\$25,000
66–70	\$16,000
71 and over	\$10,000