

God in his Word—expecting that he will yet further and more gloriously open his word and the mysteries of his kingdom—applying to the blood of the everlasting covenant for the pardon of our many errors, and praying that the Lord would prepare and strengthen us for every good work to do his will, working in us that which is well pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

ACT OF INCORPORATION.

CAP. LXVII.

An Act for the incorporation of certain Bodies in connection with the Eastern and Western Baptist Associations.

SECTION 1. The Trustees of Baptist Chapel or other property, incorporated.

2. What property to be subject to this Act, and how the Corporation may hold it.
3. Trustees. election of, for Churches.
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5. Trustees to manage the temporalities.
6. Trustees for educational or other societies, election of.
7. A majority of the Trustees authorized to act.
8. Annual revenue, limit of.

Passed 12th April, 1855.

Whereas certain persons are associated together in Churches constituting a religious community known as the Baptist Church, in connection with the Eastern and Western New Brunswick Baptist Associations: And whereas sundry Chapels and other buildings have been erected, and lands purchased or otherwise conveyed or held in trust for the use of such Churches in the several Counties of this Province, or for educational or other benevolent objects in connection therewith, and inconveniences have been experienced in managing the same by Trustees without being incorporated for that purpose:—

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. Every Board of Trustees of any Chapel or Seminary for education, and land and buildings held therewith, or held for the purpose of erecting any Chapel or Seminary thereon for the use and benefit of any Baptist Church in connection with the Eastern and Western New Brunswick Baptist Associations, or in connection with any Baptist Education, or other Society, to be hereafter chosen for any such purpose, and their successors, shall be a body corporate by the name of "The Trustees of the Baptist Chapel," or other property as the case may be, in the place in which the trust property may be situate and by that name shall have perpetual succession, power to sue and be sued, a common seal renewable at pleasure, power to hold and receive real and personal estate, and improve, sell, let, or assign the same or any part thereof, or any interest in or arising out of the same, and make bye laws, and exercise such other powers as are conferred