AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH - FIFTH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT

2014 MIDYEAR CONVOCATION AGENDA  (PUBLICATION DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 2014)

A Prescription to Rebuild the Wall - Hand Me Another Brick!

The Right Reverend Theodore Larry Kirkland, Presiding Prelate
Mrs. Mary L. Kirkland, Episcopal Supervisor

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 2014

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM     Bishop Kirkland’s Conference with the Presiding Elders
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM     MidYear Information Stations Open
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM     Women’s Missionary Society Registration Opens
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM    Clergy Family Organization (CFO) Outing

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2014

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM    Call to Prayer - Positioning Ourselves on the Wall for Intense Prayer!
                      The Reverend Lucilla Miller
                      St. James AME Church - Odessa, Missouri
7:00 AM               Breakfast
7:30 AM – 9:00 AM     Women’s Missionary Society ‘World Day of Prayer’ Breakfast (Ticketed Event)
7:30 AM - 6:00 PM     Mid-Year Information and Health Station Open (closed during Worship Service)
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM     DEVOTION AND BIBLE STUDY
                      The Reverend Dr. James Arthur Rumph, Pastor
                      Grant AME Church   Los Angeles, California
9:15 AM - 10:15 AM    Components Meet - Board of Examiners, Women in Ministry, Clergy, Lay, WMS
10:30 AM - 11:45AM    Clergy/Laity Forum:
                      We’re in This Together: Issues Facing the Church from the Clergy/Lay Perspective
                      Moderators: The Reverend Dr. Kelvin T. Calloway/Judge Patricia Mayberry
Noon - 1:30 PM        HOUR OF POWER
                      The Reverend Dr. Phillip R. Cousin, Jr., Pastor
                      Bethel AME Church   San Francisco, California
1:30 PM - 3:30 PM     Bishop’s Lunch
                      Hosted by The Reverend Dr. Allen Williams for Bishop 2016
                      WMS Lunch and Preparation for Mission Outreach
                      Lunch Break
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM     FIFTH DISTRICT SOCIAL JUSTICE ACTION
                      Press Conference/Wreath Laying for Justice in the Marvin Booker Slaying
                      The Van Cise-Simonet Detention Center   490 West Colfax, Denver
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM     District Choir Rehearsal
5:15 PM- 6:45 PM      Dinner Break
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM     OPENING WORSHIP SERVICE
                      The Right Reverend Carolyn Tyler Guidry, Retired
                      African Methodist Episcopal Church
9:00 PM - 10:00 PM    Bishop and Supervisor Kirkland’s Welcome Reception
                      Hosted by the Tyler for Bishop 2016 Campaign
Midnight             Call to Prayer
THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2014

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM  Call to Prayer - Positioning Ourselves on the Wall for Intense Prayer!
   The Reverend Christine Stancil, Wayman AME Church St. Louis, Missouri

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM  Breakfast

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM  Bishop Kirkland’s Breakfast with the Conference Deans and Board of Examiners

7:30 AM - 5:00 PM  Mid-Year Information Stations Open (closed during Worship Service)

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM  DEVOTION AND DISTRICT BIBLE STUDY
   The Reverend Dr. James Arthur Rumph, Pastor
   Grant AME Church   Los Angeles, California

9:15 AM - 10:15 AM  Components Meet - Clergy, Women in Ministry, Lay, WMS

10:30 AM - 11:45 AM  General Plenary - Episcopal Candidates Forum
   How Do We Improve the Image of African Methodism?

Noon - 1:30 PM  HOUR OF POWER
   The Reverend Sherielyn Curry Lasley, Pastor
   Greater Bethel AME Church   Phoenix, Arizona

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM  Bishop’s Lunch

3:00 PM - 4:15 PM  Components Meet – Clergy Family Organization, Lay Organization

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM  Lay Organization: Evening of Elegance Scholarship Event (Ticketed)

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM  District Choir Rehearsal

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM  EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE
   The Reverend Dr. Eugene Downing, Pastor
   New Hope Baptist Church   Denver, Colorado

Midnight  Call to Prayer

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2014

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM  Call to Prayer - Positioning Ourselves on the Wall for Intense Prayer!
   The Reverend Dr. John D. Hill, Pastor
   Grant Chapel AME Church   Albuquerque, New Mexico

7:00 AM - 8:30 AM  Breakfast

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM  Devotion, Fifth District Business Session

10:00 AM - 11:45 AM  District Reports and Presentations

Noon - 1:30 PM  HOUR OF POWER
   The Reverend Jonathan Rhone, Presiding Elder
   Desert Mountain Conference, Rocky Mountain District

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM  Pastoral Appointments and Closing

2:30 PM  Bishop’s Lunch
Young People’s and Children’s Division MidYear Agenda

Friday, March 14, 2014
5:00 PM Registration
6:00 PM Opening Session
6:30 PM – 7:30 PM Dinner
8:00 PM – 10:00 PM Workshop: Are you a Team Player? Facilitator: Southern California Conference
Workshop: So You Think You Can Dance? Facilitator: Kendall Manning
10:30 PM Announcements/Closing

Saturday, March 15, 2014
8:30 AM – 8:45 AM Devotion Facilitator: Mitchell Keeper
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Breakfast
10:45 AM - Noon Workshop: No Texting While Driving Facilitator: Desert Mountain Conference
Noon - 12:15pm Break
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Workshop: Gun Violence Prevention Facilitator: Desert Mountain Conference
2:45 PM - 4:30 PM Workshop: Quadrennial Training Facilitator: Ka’Dijah Brown
4:30 PM - 5:00 PM Break
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Dinner
7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Executive Board Meeting
9:30 PM - 10:00 PM Wrap up/Closing

Sunday, March 16, 2014
8:30 AM – 10:00 AM Worship through the Arts
10:30 AM Breakfast