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# The PROGRESSIVE

Progressive Missionary and Educational Baptist State Convention of Florida, Inc.

## *The President Speaks...*



week of study during this 40th Annual Session of our State Congress of Christian Education! Our Congress Director, Dr. H. G. McCollough and his staff have been working all year in order to bring us the best curriculum and best teachers and presenters. Special thanks to our host Association; New Central, Reverend Otis Raines, Moderator, along with Reverend James Wilson and the Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church, also Reverend David Strapp, Sr. and the Mount Mission Missionary Baptist Church, for their assistance in hosting this 2013 session.

It is my prayer that each of you will enjoy your week but more importantly I pray that men and women, boys and girls, will be impacted by our presence and that lives will be transformed by the preaching and teaching of the word. Welcome to each of you our constituency, visitors, and friends. Have a great week and a safe trip home.

*Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Banks, Sr.,  
President*

**G**reetings, to all Pastors, Ministry Leaders, and delegates! Oh how we praise God for this opportunity to come together in another congressional setting where we will once again study the word of God! We have come to the city of Daytona Beach with great anticipation for a wonderful

**The 40th  
Annual Session of the  
Congress of Christian  
Education**

**THEME:**

**“The Church...Christ Centered, Mandate  
Cultured, Ministry Commissioned”**

**THEME SCRIPTURES:**

*Matthew 16:13-18; 1 Corinthians 1:3; 1 Corinthians 12:12-31;  
Luke 24:44-48; Acts 2:38; 41-47; Matthew 28:18-20*



## Greetings From Lady Banks

**G**reetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ:

It is with Jesus joy that I say thank you for all of your prayers during my time of illness. I would like to say thank you for all of your many gifts and acts of kindness shown to me and my husband during the March session in Jacksonville. You really outdid yourself! There are no words in the English language or any other language to express the kindness or thoughtfulness that you showed us. "Thank you" Progressive for all that you do.

We are happy to share with Director McClough, Directress Rosier, Director Cooper, the youth convention and all the staff and delegates in the scenic Daytona Beach.

God bless you all! Hope to see you at my second recording Christmas in July of which the Lord has inspired me to write a song "Challenged But Not Conquered" with an accompanying book "Challenged But Not Conquered" on Sunday, July 28th at 6:00 p.m. at the St. John Progressive Missionary Baptist Church where our President, the Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Banks is our Pastor.

All praises go to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as we continue this journey together!

To God be the glory,  
*Lady Vanessa Banks*

### Meeting Locations

The Plaza Resort and Spa  
600 North Atlantic Avenue  
Daytona Beach, FL 32118

WELCOME PROGRAM/  
DIRECTOR'S HOUR

PASTORS' CONFERENCE, ADULTS,  
YOUTH & CHILDREN'S CLASSES

NIGHTLY SERVICES/  
LATE NIGHT SERVICES



## A Word From President Wright

**G**reetings to each of you in the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! It is with fervent joy that we humbly recognize and celebrate that God has allowed us another opportunity to come together in Christian love and fellowship to praise, worship and study His Word!

It is most astounding that we are a few days past the half year mark! The first part of 2013 has been quite busy and spiritually fulfilling. We have traveled across the state and beyond carrying out the vision of our ministry of Mission. In so doing, we have been able to touch lives, near and far, spiritually and physically in meeting needs, showing love, sharing a Word, and reaching out as far as Africa. We, therefore praise God for the wondrous things that He has allowed us to do.

With all that we've done as a result of His grace and mercy, we know that there is so much more to do. We recognize that as long as our world, nation, and communities remain in the condition we find ourselves, we must remain true to our calling. We must continue in our efforts, as missionaries, to align our work with our spiritual purpose as we daily walk on this missionary journey. Please be reminded,

God had specifics in mind when HE established the church. He wanted it to be productive and beneficial to both God and man. Therefore, he created the church to be:

- A LIGHTHOUSE....Shining forth it's light upon a dark and stormy world.
- A RESTAURANT....Feeding the souls of men with the pure satisfying Word of God.

- A HOSPITAL.....Ministering to those that are sick of sin and shame.
- A LIFEBOAT.....Rescuing victims from the raging sea of life.
- AN ORCHARD....Producing wholesome fruit of the Spirit.
- A FORTRESS....Giving security to those person's facing life's battles.
- A CLOTHING STORE....Adorning men and women with the virtue of holiness and righteousness.
- A BAKERY....Dispensing the Bread of Life to starving souls.

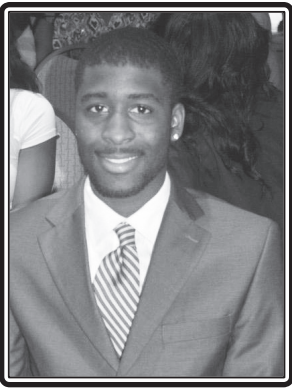
We must reclaim the mission of the church as written in Matthew 28:19-20. The message is clear that we must "Teach"! The magnitude is "to all nations". The messenger is "Ye." Our motivation is that "all power is given unto me....Lo, I am with you always. It's Urgency is "Go Ye....For multitudes are perishing without Christ and without hope. This message to us is not optional! It is a mandate of the Master! Remember, there is an even greater work to be done. We must move forward in the work that is set before us!

Finally, I am prayerful that we will have a blessed session as we begin a new book entitled, "The Legacy of Biblical Womanhood" with Sister Dorothy Jenkins and Sister Ola W. Johnson serving as our teachers.

Your Servant,  
**Barbara F. Wright**

## Senior Women's Expression of Pride and Joy!

We are so proud of our students at Florida Memorial University. We share this letter from James Fielder, currently a student at the University. We're proud of you James and pray that God will continue to bless you in every endeavor.



**James Fielder**

*My name is James Fielder, a Florida native out of Tampa and raised by my mother, Twyla Sampson. My church home is Greater Hope Missionary Baptist Church where the Rev. Dr. W.J. Haynes is Pastor and Teacher.*

*I am entering my Senior Year at the immaculate Florida Memorial University majoring in Psychology with a 3.5 G.P.A.*

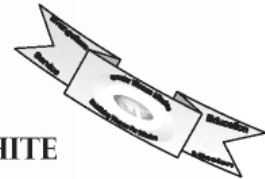
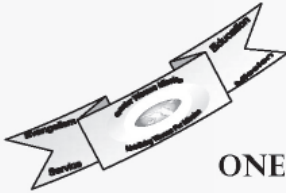
*This past school year, I was vying to be the King of Florida Memorial University, known as Mr. Florida Memorial University. I did not attain the title, but I learned a lot from this experience. I learned that my voice was heard by students and I was able to empower the student body. I found that I have abilities and talent*

*that I never knew I had. Most of all, I learned that I can speak and be heard, people follow me, and as long as God is my leader I will not fail. I don't count this as a loss, for God has bigger and better for me. As long as you give your all in everything you do, failing and a loss will never take place. You will always be a winner.*

*I just want to give thanks to all those that supported me. I won't call names, but if you are reading this letter, you know who you are. Thanks to each of you and love to all of you.*

*All I can say now is there is more to come.*





## EIGHTH ANNUAL ONE THOUSAND WOMEN IN WHITE Mission Mobilization for Education

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### **Senior Women's Ministry**

*Progressive Missionary and Educational Baptist State Convention of Florida, Incorporated*

*Sister Barbara F. Wright, Ministry President*

*Dr. Bartholomew Banks, Sr. Convention President*



**Guest Preacher:**     **Dr. Mack King Carter**  
**Pastor Emeritus**  
**New Mount Olive M.B. Church**  
**Ft. Lauderdale, Florida**

**SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2013 - 3:00 P.M.**

**New Mount Zion M.B. Church**  
**2511 East Columbus Drive**  
**Tampa, Florida 33605**

**The Reverend Larry Roundtree II, Pastor**

*(An affiliate of First South Florida M.B. District Association - Rev. Dr. C. R. Taylor, Moderator*

**Dr. Mack King Carter**     *And Congress Number Four, Reverend Clem Bell, President)*



*Reverend Dr. Bartholomew Banks*  
*Convention President*



*Sister Barbara Wright*  
*President Ministry*



*Reverend Larry L. Roundtree II*  
*Host Pastor*

## 2013 PROGRESSIVE M&E BAPTIST YOUTH CAMP

(By Sis. Sheila Emanuel, Second Missionary Baptist Church of Jacksonville, FL)

**U**nder the presence and leadership of Sister Barbara Wright, President of the State Senior Women's Auxiliary, New Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Tampa, FL; Sister Aquila Morgan, 1st Vice President of the State Senior Women's Auxiliary, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL; Sister Annette Dozier, serving as Camp Directress, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL; and Rev. Kenneth J. Emanuel, Sr., serving as Camp Pastor, Second Missionary Baptist Church of Jacksonville, FL; along with a host of other staff members, the Progressive M&E Baptist Youth Camp convened the week of June 30 – July 6, 2013, on the beautiful campus of the Florida Memorial University in Miami Gardens, FL. The camp was blessed with approximately 77 participants from throughout the State of Florida with many of them being first-time campers.

This year's curriculum continued the focus on current issues of the children and youth of today. Lessons for the Children reminded students that the Bible is a road map for life (Memory Scripture ~ Psalm 16:11), and if a choice they make leads to a dead end (Memory Scripture ~ 2 Peter 2:21), Jesus will be there to help them get back on the right path (Memory Scripture ~ Acts 26:18). Lessons for the youth were taken from "Tasty Scriptures" and were designed to challenge teens to let Christ change their actions and attitudes. Psalm 34:8 encouraged teens to have a relationship with Christ; 1 Peter 2:2-3 encouraged teens to grow spiritually in their relationships with Christ by thirsting for His word; and Matthew 5:13 encouraged teens to be salty and to show their saltiness by spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. The youth also attended an afternoon Bible-based Abstinence class taught by Reverend Kenneth & Sister Sheila Emanuel.

In addition to daily biblical lessons for life application, students met at the Campus Chapel each morning for a spiritual feast of congressional songs and sermons by Camp Pastor Emanuel and other ministers in attendance: Pastor Gregory Davis, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Arcadia, FL; Reverend Deldrick Leonard, First Missionary Baptist Church of Winter Haven; Reverend Lawrence Johnson, New Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Tampa, FL; and Minister Timothy Chaneyfield, New Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Haines City, FL.

For the first time in known Camp history, during one of the Chapel services, Teens were asked to share their testimonies about how God had and is working in their lives. This sharing led to one of the most powerful services ever imagined with strongholds visibly broken as prayer was led by Minister Chaneyfield, and campers and staff crying out sincerely to the Lord in consecration, admonition, and praise. Truly this was the highlight of the week. We thank Camp Pastor Emanuel for allowing the Lord to lead him in this service format ... awesome!

The afternoons and evenings were filled with entertaining events that allowed for full participation from all campers, i.e., recreational activities to include a co-ed boys and girls basketball game complete with cheerleaders, a fashion show, a talent show, and an oratorical competition under the leadership of Sister Victoria Roberts with the winners emerging as follows: For Children: 1st Place, Shanyah Sallye, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL; and 2nd Place, Jhamari Jones, First Missionary Baptist Church of Winter Haven, FL. For Teens: 1st Place, Fakaira Gabriel, New Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Haines City, FL; 2nd Place, Keyunna James, St. Mary

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Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL; and 3rd Place, Alexis Lee, Christ the Rock Community Church of Cooper City, FL.

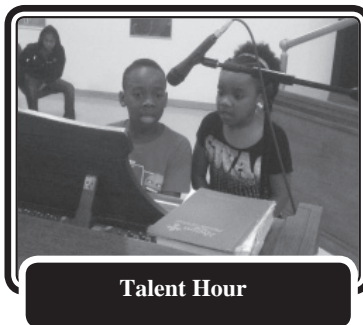
The camp week culminated in a spectacular Friday evening Youth & Children's Choir Concert under the leadership of Sis. Cynthia Kendrick and Rev. Gregory Davis, and the annual royal crowning of Camp Prince & Princess from the children's age group and Camp King & Queen from the Youth age group with all nominations coming from the camp staff members based on camp activity participation and behavior. The recipients of these prestigious crownings for 2013 were as follows: Camp Princess, Shanyah Sallye, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL, and Camp Prince, Larry (Bishop) Roundtree, New Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Tampa, FL; Camp Queen, Keyunna James, St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church of Parrish, FL; and Camp King, Steven Hall, St. John Progressive Missionary Baptist Church of Tampa, FL.

Indeed it was a spiritually packed and busy week with divine accomplishments and many beautiful moments that will form life long memories for all. As Saturday morning quickly rolled around once again with the camp staff and campers packing their buses, church vans, and cars, many of the camp staff drove away from campus ... already thinking about plans for Baptist Youth Camp 2014!

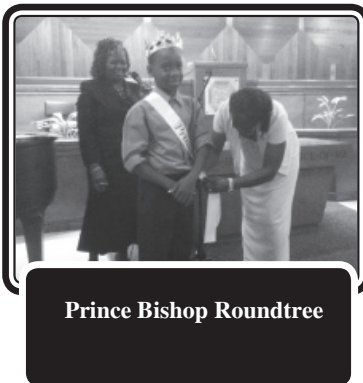
The Baptist Youth Camp is sponsored annually by the Senior Women Auxiliary of the Progressive M&E State Convention, Sister Barbara Wright, President, and Sister Aquila Morgan, 1st Vice President.



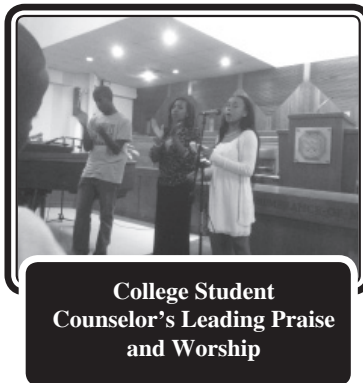
**The Royal Court**



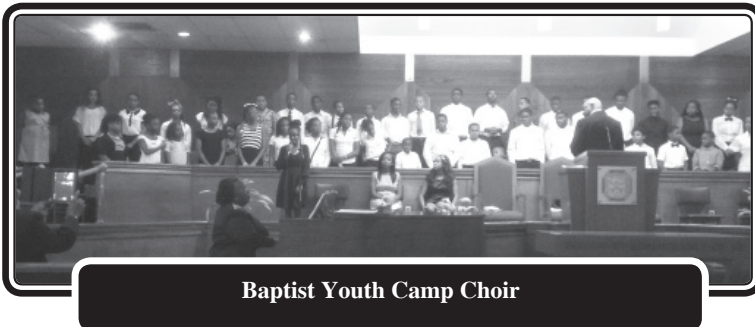
**Talent Hour**



**Prince Bishop Roundtree**



**College Student  
Counselor's Leading Praise  
and Worship**



**Baptist Youth Camp Choir**

# Deaconess Council



“Come now let us reason together  
saith the Lord.” *Isaiah 1:18*

*Sister Gerri McCallister*

**G**reetings, to all of my most faithful and dedicated fellow laborers in Christ. I count it another blessed opportunity to gather in His Name for the 40th Annual Session of the Progressive M&E Baptist State Convention Congress of Christian Education. How grateful we are that God has made it possible for us to assemble in the beautiful city of Daytona Beach to study His Word so that we might be better prepared to fulfill His commandment in Matthew 28:19. All praises to Him for another chance to fellowship as one body in unity!

We thank God for the privilege of having this great commonalty that unites us as Christians – our faith

and belief in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. For we do believe that “There is one body, and one

Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; One Lord, one faith, one baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all and through all, and in you all.” Ephesians 4:4-6.

Let me encourage all Deaconesses to come and participate in the teaching and training component of our great Convention. The Deaconess Council Ministry workshop will be under the leadership of Sister Ruth Johnson, Workshop Directress for the Council. Therefore, let us come study and learn God’s Word together as we continue our spiritual growth in Him. Colossians 1:9-10.

Blessings always,

*Sister Gerri McCallister*

President, Deaconess Council

## Children and Youth Convention

*Children obey your parents in the Lord for this is right.*



**A**ll praises to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

I greet you in the precious name of Jesus.

Thanks be to God for He is truly the head of my Life, for sparing me once again. All praises and power belong to Him. I do thank Him that He allowed me to see this day.

Thanks to all the Directresses and Directors for all of your preparations. Your steadfastness does not go unnoticed. Thanks to all the parent, pastors, and grandparents. We appreciate you.

There is a song that says I need You to survive. It is so true, Progressive, I need you. I thank God for you, every day - my sitters, my Goddaughters, President Banks (the best Son-in-law that God has given me), my daughter Lady Vanessa, and the best Church family, Greater St. Paul.

Thank You Progressive,

TO GOD BE THE GLORY  
WELCOME,

*Directress Elizabeth Rosier*



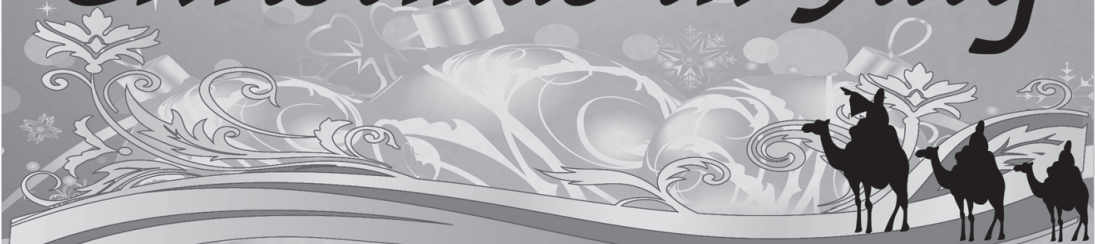


The Friends of Lady Vanessa Banks and the  
St. John Progressive M. B. Church Family  
cordially invite you to attend

*Lady Vanessa Banks'*

*Live Recording of Her Second Solo Gospel Album*

# Christmas in July



*Sunday, July 28, 2013*

*6:00 P.M.*

*St. John Progressive M. B. Church*

*Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Banks, Sr., Pastor  
2504 E. Chipco Street  
Tampa, FL 33605*



## **LADY BANKS' WORKS**

- Gospel Music Workshop of America, Guest solo artist (2011, 2012)
- Bobby Jones Gospel, Guest solo artist, 2012
- Author: "What To Do While You Wait for Your Godly Mate"
- Released CD: "Lady Vanessa Banks Sings the Gospel in a Live Recording"

*For more information, please call (813) 989-1056*

## PROGRESSIVE M&E WIA ARE VICTORIOUS

For several years, the Women's Intermediate Auxiliary (WIA) of the State of Tennessee has dominated the Saints on Parade Pageant during the annual session of the National Baptist Convention of America, Inc., Int'l. (NBCA). Not so during the 2013 Annual Session. Florida walked away with the victory! Sister Gloria Broadnax, a member of St. John Progressive M. B. Church in Tampa was crowned during the Tuesday afternoon pageant. Excitement filled the room when Vice President Octavia Brooks named Tennessee as first runner up – a clear indication that Florida was victorious! Sister Broadnax had the honor of having her Pastor and our President, Rev. Bartholomew Banks, present when the announcement was made. Many thanks to the WIA of Florida who helped make this victory possible. We look forward to a repeat on next year as Sister Vivian Walker of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church of Tampa prepares to bring home the victory!



Caption for group picture – Seated, left to right: Belinda Lawson, Patricia Bailey, Gloria Broadnax, Caletha Drayton, Betty Love. Standing, left to right: Shirley Hendley, Patricia Pinkard, Sandra Collins, Stephanie Levins, Joanna Douglas, Bonnie G. Belford, Catherine Waddell, Kathy Jackson, Vivian Walker, Octavia Brooks (Pageant Coordinator), Pastor Brian K. Brown. Not pictured: Helen Smith (photographer), Eliza McGill, Dorine Norman

Compared to recent years, Florida had a large delegation of WIA in attendance at this year's session and everyone reports a wonderful annual session! Rev. Brian K. Brown, State and National WIA Advisor, presented a dynamic workshop entitled "Mission Accomplished with TEAM." He used the book of Nehemiah as his point of reference.

### SAVE THE DATES

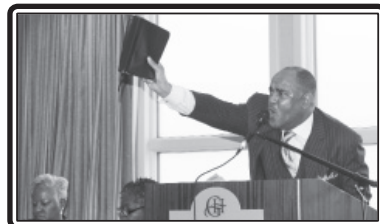
August 3, 2013  
Cluster #2 – Rainbow of Worship, Praise and Fellowship – New Mt. Zion, Tampa

August 10, 2013  
Mt. Pilgrim – An Evening of Glitter and Glitz – St. Paul M. B. Church, Bradenton

September 6-7, 2013  
Mission Encounter 2013 – First Missionary Baptist Church – Winter Haven



President and Lady Banks with Queen Sis. Gloria Broadnax



Rev. Brian K. Brown, State and National WIA Advisor

# Brotherhood

## Come Join Us

August 23-24, 2013

4th Annual Marlvyn Phillips Brotherhood Unity Day

&

Deaconess Council Summit

Host: Mt Calvary First Baptist Church &  
Greater South Florida Association  
Rev. Roosevelt Cooper, Pastor and Moderator

Address: 180 Sw 10th Ave  
South Bay, FL 33493  
(561) 996-3116

### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

The Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites  
1024 West Sugarland Highway  
Clewiston, FL 33440  
(863) 983-5100

**BLOCKED UNDER CODE: "Unity Day/Summit"**

#### *Special Notes:*

- 1. 30 Rooms Blocked:**
  - 25 Doubles w/2 queens @ \$119.99 per night
  - 5 Kings @ \$109.99 per night
- 2. Hotel will honor Tax-exempt Form using cash or credit card**
- 3. If paying by Church or Personal Check, payment must be made 14 days in advance (by Aug 9<sup>th</sup>)**

# 40th Annual Session

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*Monday, July 22*

7:00 P.M.

## **Welcome Program**

New Central Association,  
*Reverend Otis Raines, Moderator*

Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church,  
*Reverend James Wilson, Pastor*

DeLeon Spring  
and

Mount Mission Missionary Baptist Church,  
*Reverend David Strapp, Sr., Pastor*  
Daytona Beach

## **Official Opening of Congress**

*Director H. G. McCollough, Presiding*

8:00 P.M. .... Worship Service

Devotional Period ..... Deacons of Macedonia  
M.B. Church, Maitland

Deacons of Christian Fellowship, Sanford

Selections ..... Macedonia and Christian  
Fellowship Choirs

Sermon ..... *Reverend Dr. W. C. Barnes, Pastor*  
Macedonia M. B. Church, Maitland

Alternate..... *Moderator Otis Raines*  
Christian Fellowship, Sanford

Offering, Announcements and Dismissal

## **Late Night Service**

*Reverend O'Hara Black, Chairman*

*Tuesday, July 23*

ALL CLASSES WILL BE HELD AT THE  
PLAZA RESORT & SPA HOTEL

*Reverend Dr. Fred Brown, Presiding*

8:30 A.M. .... Devotion  
Brotherhood Ministry

8:45 A.M. .... Registration and  
Class Instructions  
*Dean Downing*

9:00 A.M. – 9:50 A.M. .... FIRST CLASS  
PERIOD



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## PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

BROTHERHOOD & MEN'S MINISTRY  
*"No Man Left Behind"* (Books Available)

WOMEN'S MINISTRY & MINISTERS' WIVES  
*"A Life Embraced:  
A Hopeful Guide For the Pastor's Wife"*  
(Books Available)

SENIOR WOMEN'S MINISTRY  
*"The Legacy of Biblical Womanhood"*  
(Books Available)

DEACONESS MINISTRY  
*"21st Century Deaconess  
Meeting the Urban Challenges"*  
(Books Available)

WOMEN'S INTERMEDIATE MINISTRY  
*"By Design"* (Books Available)

JUNIOR WOMEN'S MINISTRY  
*"Leading Women Who Wound"*  
(Books Available)

MUSIC MINISTRY  
*"The Art of Devotional Praises"*  
(Materials Provided)

HOSPITALITY/USHERS  
*"History, Leadership and Technique  
of Ushers/Hospitality Ministry"*  
(Materials Provided)  
Computer Science-Advance  
Mornings - (Materials Provided)

## 10:00 A.M. – 10:50 A.M. ....SECOND CLASS PERIOD

(Continue First Period Studies)

## PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

## 11:00 A.M. – 11:50 A.M. ....GENERAL ASSEMBLY

(State Congress in Charge)

Sermon: *Reverend Dr. H. T. Rhim,*  
St. Joseph, Jacksonville  
Alternate: *Reverend Dr. Kelly Brown,*  
Greater Mt. Vernon, Jacksonville

## 12:00 P.M. .... Offering, Announcements and Adjourn for lunch



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1:30 P.M. – 2:20 P.M. .... **THIRD CLASS PERIOD**

GENERAL ELECTIVES “ONLY”

\*\*\*All students are to select an afternoon course from the following:

Electives  
*Computer Science – Beginners*  
*Dance & Drama*  
*Culture Shift*

Ideal Plays for your Church will be given to the ones participating in this course:

*The Way we were by Timothy Winters*  
*Communicating God’s Truth*

**PASTORS’ and MINISTERS’ CONFERENCE**

2:20 P.M. – 3:25 P.M. .... **FOURTH CLASS PERIOD**

(Continue Third Period Studies)



3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. .... **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Sermon: *Reverend Alonzo McKenzie,*  
New Bethel, La Belle

Alternate: *Reverend Kenneth C. Holly,*  
St. Matthew, La Belle

Offering, Announcements and Adjourn for  
Dinner

7:00 P.M.

## **Youth & Children’s Convention Musical**

(See Supplemental Program)

**Late Night Service**

*Reverend O’Hara Black, Chairman*



# 40th Annual Session

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*Wednesday, July 24*

*Reverend Dr. Fleming Tarver, Presiding*

**8:30 A.M.**..... **Devotion**  
Brotherhood Ministry

**9:00 A.M. – 9:50 A.M.**.....**FIRST CLASS PERIOD**  
(See Tuesday's Classes)

**PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE**

**10:00 A.M.-10:50 A.M.**.....**SECOND CLASS PERIOD**

(Continue First Class Period Studies)

**PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE**

**11:00 A.M. – 11:50 A.M.** .....**GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
(State Congress in Charge)

Sermon: *Reverend Remer Baker, Jr.*  
Shiloh, Kissimmee

Alternate: *Reverend Dr. T. D. Leonard*  
Mt. Tabor, Tampa

**12:00 P.M.** ..... **Offering, Announcements and Adjourn for lunch**

**1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.** ..... **THIRD CLASS PERIOD**

**PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE**

**2:30 P.M. – 3:30 P.M.** ..... **FOURTH CLASS PERIOD**

**3:30 P.M - 4:30 P.M.**..... **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Sermon: *Reverend Dr. Rufus Wood,*  
Love Center, Panama City

Alternate: *Reverend Sanford H. Hayes,*  
New Life, Crestview

**Offering, Announcements and Adjourn**

**6:30 P.M.**  
**TRIBUTE**

*Rev. Roosevelt Cooper, Youth Director and Sister Elizabeth Rosier, Youth Directress*

**8:00 P.M.** ..... **Worship Service**  
Greater St. Paul, Lakeland  
New Mount Zion, Tampa

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Devotional Period ..... Deacons of  
Greater St. Paul and New Mount Zion

Music..... Choirs of  
Greater St. Paul and New Mount Zion

Sermon .....*Reverend William Leonard, Jr.*  
Greater St. Paul, Lakeland

Alternate.....*Reverend Larry Roundtree*  
New Mount Zion, Tampa

## Offering, Announcements and Adjourn

### Late Night Service

*Reverend O'Hara Black, Chairman*

*Thursday, July 25*

*Dr. Samuel Maxwell, Presiding*

8:30 A.M.....**Devotion**  
Brotherhood Ministry

9:00 A.M. -9:50 A.M.....**FIRST CLASS PERIOD**



**10:00 - 10:50 A.M. ....SECOND CLASS PERIOD**

*(Don't forget to complete an  
Evaluation Sheet in your Class)*

## PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

**11:00 A.M. - 11:50 A.M. ....GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

*(State Congress in Charge)*

Sermon .....*Reverend K. T. Turner*  
Bethel, Winter Parks

Alternate.....*Reverend Lionel Camel*  
Mt. Calvary, Belle Glade

**12:00 P.M. .... Offering, Announcements  
and Adjourn for Lunch**

**1:30 P.M. - 2:40 P.M. .... THIRD CLASS PERIOD**

## PASTORS' and MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

**2:45 P.M. - 3:20 P.M. .... FOURTH CLASS PERIOD**



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**3:25 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. ....GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Sermon ..... *Dr. Kendrix J. Gardner,*  
New Mount Zion, Lakeland

Alternate..... *Reverend Dr. A. L. Phillips Sr.,*  
New Bethel, Sarasota

**7:00 P.M. .... GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

## **The State Director's Hour**

(See Supplemental Program)

\*\*\* Second West Florida Association\*\*\*

*Friday, July 26*

*First Vice President, H. D. Rucker, Presiding*

9:00 A.M. .... Inspirational Devotion  
Brotherhood Ministry

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*Vice President Kelly Brown*

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Board of Trustees ♦ Corresponding Secretary

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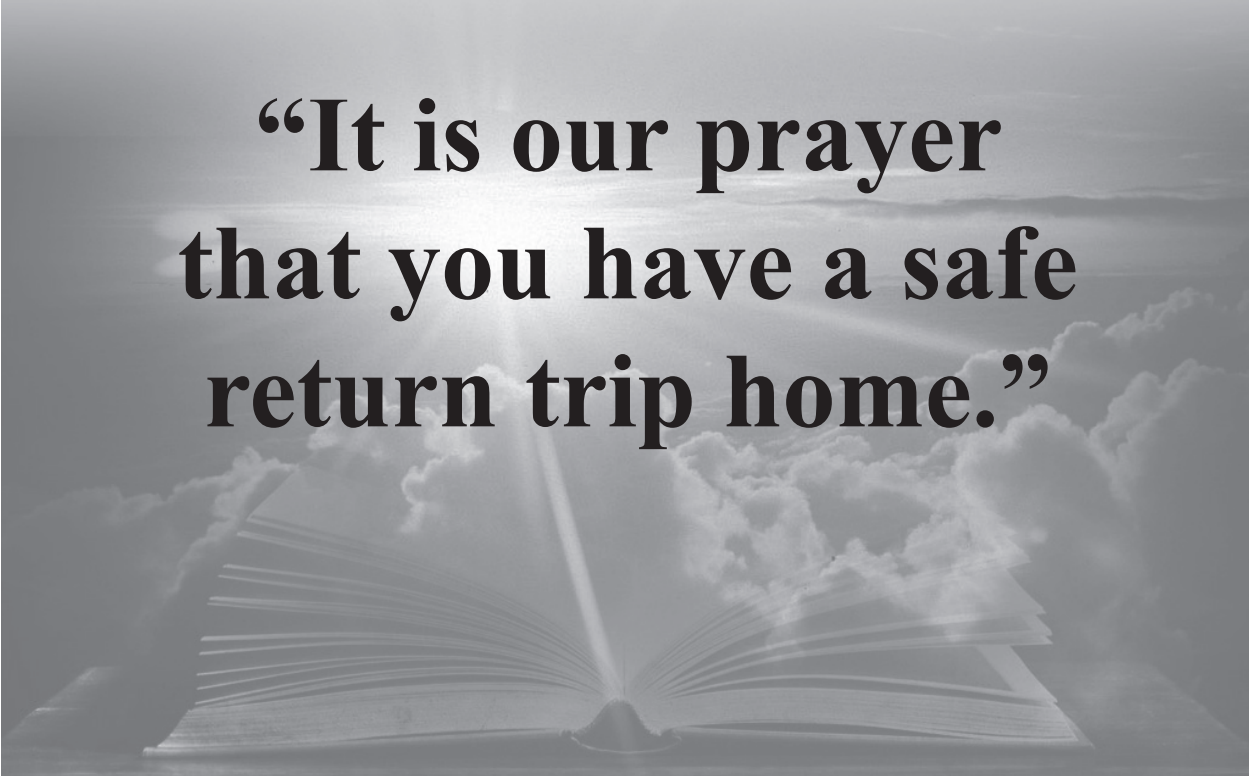
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