

**PROGRESSIVE M. & E. BAPTIST STATE CONGRESS
YOUTH and CHILDREN'S MINISTRY PROGRAM**

THEME: THRIVE25!

(TRANSFORMING, HEARTS, REJOICING, IN, VICTORY, EVERLASTING)

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 15:7; JOHN 10:10; GALATIANS 5:22-23

LOCATION: Tampa, Florida

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Youth Convention Program & Schedule:

TIME:	SESSION:
DAY 1- Monday, July 21, 2025	
2:00 - 4:00 P.M.	Youth Choir and Ushers Rehearsal & Mandatory Staff Meeting Location: TBA ON-SITE REGISTRATION FOR: Churches/Associations, Competitive Activities, and Poster Contest
6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.	Youth Welcome Social (Sneaker Ball- \$20.00 per person)
7:00 P.M.	Worship Service - Welcome Program <i>(All evening services will be held at: St. John Progressive Missionary Baptist Church 2504 Chipco Street Tampa, FL 33605)</i>
DAY 2- Tuesday, July 22, 2025 (RELIGIOUS SPORTS JERSEY DAY)	
6:30 - A.M.	MORNING BIBLE COMPETITIVE ACTIVITIES (See scheduled times and assigned rooms)
8:30 - A.M.	MORNING WORSHIP & GENERAL ASSEMBLY <i>President, Sis. Yasmyne Rudolph, Presiding</i>
	Devotional Worship: Youth State Officers
	GREETINGS - Introduction Of Staff & State Officers: Rev. Paul M. Buster, Youth Director Rev. Hugh Strafford, Assistant Director Sis. Tina Brown, Executive Directress Sis. Yasmyne Rudolph, President
	Theme Development: Bro. Adonia Vaughn, New Macedonia M.B. Church (Tampa)
	Star Search Presentation: Sis. Priscilla Upshaw, Music Directress
	Offering: Progressive M& E State Finance Committee
10:30 A.M. 12 Noon	Youth & Children Instructional Period
12 Noon - 1:30 P.M.	Lunch (on your own)
1:30 P.M. - 2:30 P.M.	AFTERNOON WORSHIP & GENERAL ASSEMBLY <i>2nd Vice-President, Sis. Sharnyce Williams, Presiding</i>
	Devotional Worship:
	Star Search Presentation: Sis. Priscilla Upshaw, Music Directress
	Preaching Presentation: Min. Lionel Camel, II (Mt. Calvary M.B. Church - Belle Glade)
	Invitation to Discipleship: Min. D'Marre Craddock
2:30 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.	Offering: Progressive M& E State Finance Committee
	Youth & Children Instructional Period Ages 3-8 will return to their same class areas from the morning session. Ages 9-24 will go to the afternoon classes for which they have registered.
7:00 P.M.	PROGRESSIVE M. & E. BAPTIST YAC STATE CHOIR ELIZABETH ROSIER MEMORIAL CONCERT


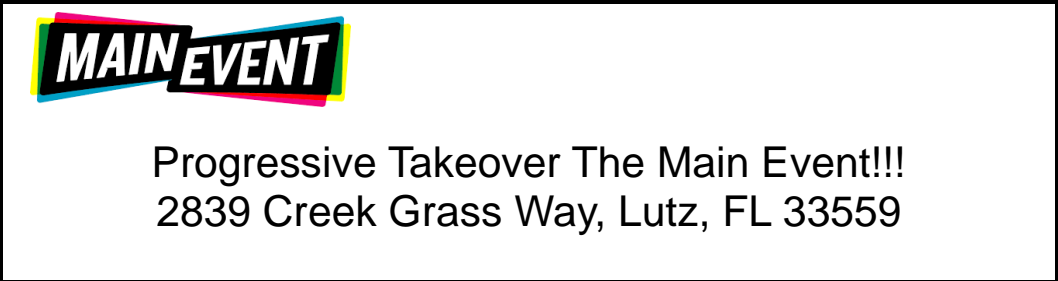
	Youth/Children Choir ~ under the direction of Sis. Priscilla Upshaw, Music Directress) Youth Ushers ~ under the direction Bro. Harry Copeland & Sis. Bonnie Williams
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TIME:	SESSION:
DAY 3- Wednesday, July 23, 2025 (STATE T-SHIRT DAY)	
8:30A.M. – 9:00 A.M.	MORNING WORSHIP & GENERAL ASSEMBLY
	<i>3rd Vice-President, Min. Lionel Camel, II, Presiding</i>
	Devotional Worship: St. John Progressive M.B. Church
	Theme Development: Sis. Ariyana Adams ()
	Offering: Progressive M& E State Finance Committee
9:00 A.M – 12:00 P.M.	Youth & Children Instructional Period
12 Noon - 1:30 P.M.	Lunch (on your own)
1:30 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.	AFTERNOON WORSHIP & GENERAL ASSEMBLY
	<i>4th Vice President, Sis. Je'Maria Newsom, Presiding</i>
	Devotional Worship:
	Star Search & Drill Teams Presentations
	Preaching Presentation: Min. D'Marre Cradock (Zion Hope M.B. Church, Jacksonville)
	Invitation to Discipleship: Min. Lionel Camel, II
	Offering: Progressive M& E State Finance Committee
2:30 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.	Youth & Children Instructional Period
5:30 P.M.	Executive Staff, Youth And Children Officers & Support Staff Line-Up
6:00 P.M.- 7:30 P.M.	DIRECTOR'S HOUR & WORSHIP SERVICE HONORING DIRECTOR REV. PAUL M. BUSTER Convention Youth/Children Choir & Youth Ushers To Serve (Supplemental Program To Be Provided)
7:30 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.	STATE CONGRESS DIRECTOR'S HOUR REV. RILEY J. HENDERSON
DAY 4- Thursday, July 24, 2025 (State Youth President's Hour) ATTIRE: SHADES OF PURPLE/SILVER/WHITE	
7:30 A.M.	Counselors And Officers Line-Up
8:00 - 10:00 A.M.	STATE YOUTH PRESIDENT'S HOUR SIS. YASMYNE RUDOLPH Convention Youth/Children Choir & Youth Ushers To Serve (Supplemental Program To Be Provided)
	<i>1st Vice-President, Min. D'Marre Craddock, Presiding</i>
10:30 A.M. 12 Noon	Youth & Children Instructional Period
12 Noon - 1:30 P.M.	Lunch (on your own)
1:45 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.	ORATORICAL CONTEST & PRESENTATION OF BIBLE ACTIVITY AWARDS
6:30 P.M.	CLOSING GENERAL ASSEMBLY WORSHIP SERVICE PRESIDENT REV. DR. BARTHOLOMEW BANKS, SR. Convention Youth/Children Choir & Youth Ushers To • CONVENTION BUSINESS SESSION

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TIME:	SESSION:
DAY 5- Friday, July 25, 2025 (Progressive M&E Youth Fun Day!)	

11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.



Progressive Takeover The Main Event!!!
2839 Creek Grass Way, Lutz, FL 33559

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PROGRESSIVE M&E YOUTH & CHILDREN WEEK-IN-GLANCE

THRIVE25

JULY 21

Time: 6PM -9PM

\$20.00 Per Person

Sneaker Ball

**St. John Progressive M.B. Church
Fellowship Hall**



Elizabeth Rosier Memorial Concert
Progressive M&E Baptist Convention
Youth & Children & Youth Usher
Attire: Jersey Day (Morning Session)

JULY 22

Time: 7:00PM

JULY 23

Director's Hour & Worship Hour Time: 6PM
Honoring: Moderator Paul M. Buster

State Congress Director's Hour- Time: 7:30PM
Rev. Riley J. Henderson

Attire: State T-Shirt Day (All Day)

State Youth President's Hour

Madam Yasmyne Rudolph

Time: 8:00AM- 10:00AM

JULY 24

Closing General Assembly Worship Service

President Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Banks, Sr

Time: 7:00PM

JULY 25

**Progressive's Take Over
Main Event**

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