

Christian Education Summit 2018



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"...to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up."  
Ephesians 4:12

# JULY 17-21



61st Annual Session of the  
Fifth District Lay Convention July 20-21

**RENAISSANCE HOTEL**  
Glendale, Arizona

# Our EPISCOPAL LEADERSHIP

February 27, 2018

Dear Fifth District family,

I greet you with Jesus joy! The Epiphany Training institute is just around the corner. This will be a time of learning, worship, and fellowship as we gather to give God the highest praise.

Supervisor Alexia and I want to encourage the entire Fifth District to plan to gather in Glendale, Arizona as we examine what it means to create temple order. Every preacher and presenter will help us to build on the theme "Restoring the Temple Order."

I assure you that God will show up in this season of Epiphany. The joy of the Lord will be our strength and the strength of the Lord will be our joy! We look forward to meeting you in Glendale, Arizona!

In His service,  
Bishop Clement W. Fugh



**Bishop Clement W. Fugh, Presiding Prelate**  
**Supervisor Alexia Butler Fugh, Episcopal Supervisor**

## EPIPHANY TRAINING INSTITUTE COORDINATORS



**HOST PASTOR**  
**THE REV. BENJAMIN N. THOMAS, SR**  
HISTORIC TANNER CHAPEL AME CHURCH



**REV. DR. TIMOTHY E. TYLER**  
DEAN OF INSTRUCTION  
FIFTH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT AME CHURCH



**REV. DR. BARRY SETTLE**  
MEN'S  
CONVENTION COORDINATOR



**REV. ANN CHAMPION SHAW**  
WOMEN'S  
CONVENTION COORDINATOR



**MS. RICHELLE FRY SKINNER**  
CHILDREN AND YOUTH  
CONVENTION COORDINATOR



**REV. BENJAMIN N. THOMAS, JR**  
YOUNG ADULT  
CONVENTION COORDINATOR



**MR. SIMEON P. RHODEN**  
FIFTH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT LAY PRESIDENT  
LAY CONVENTION COORDINATOR



**HOST SITE**  
**THE RENAISSANCE HOTEL GLENDALE**  
GLENDALE, ARIZONA

### Hotel Information

Renaissance Glendale  
9494 W. Coyote Blvd.  
Glendale, AZ 85305  
1-800-931-1595

Rate: \$129.00 + tax

Code: Tanner Chapel  
Deadline: June 29, 2018

**Overflow Hotels:**  
Hampton Glendale  
6630 N. 95th Ave  
Glendale, AZ 85305  
1-623-271-7771

HOME2 SUITES by Hilton  
623-877-4600  
6620 95th Avenue  
Glendale, AZ 85305  
\$119 - Queen Studio  
\$129-2 Queen Beds Studio

# Epiphany Training Institute **AGENDA**

## TUESDAY JULY 17, 2018

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

REGISTRATION  
GENERAL PLENARY SESSION  
COMPONENT PLENARY SESSIONS  
Women's Convention  
Men's Convention  
Youth Convention

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Dinner on your own  
Opening Worship Service  
*Keynote Preacher: Bishop Adam J. Richardson*

8:00 PM - 10:00 PM  
10:00 PM - 11:55 PM

Youth/Young Adult Reception  
Youth Choir Rehearsal

## WEDNESDAY JULY 18, 2018

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

Epiphany Bible Study  
*Dr. Mary Minor*

9:00 AM - 12 Noon  
12 Noon - 1:00 PM

Temple Order Training Sessions  
Hour of Power:  
*Preacher: Dr. James Miller*

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Lunch on your own  
Temple Order Training  
*Instructor: Bishop Adam J. Richardson*

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Dinner on your own  
Youth/RAYC Worship Service  
*Preacher: Reverend David D. Price*

8:00 PM

Youth, Women's and Men's Convention Activity

## THURSDAY JULY 19, 2018

7:30 AM - 12 Noon  
8:00 AM - 12 Noon  
12 Noon - 2:00 PM  
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Men's & Women's Conference  
Youth Convention  
Lunch  
Conferences Continue  
Dinner on your own  
Conferences Continue

## FRIDAY JULY 20, 2018

8:00 AM  
  
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM  
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Fifth District Lay Convention Begins (7/20 - 7/21)  
Lay Breakfast: *Guest Speaker: Ms. Valerie Gary Bell, President, Connectional Lay Organization*  
Institute Reports  
Closing Worship Service



**ATTORNEY PATRICIA MAYBERRY**  
STEWARDSHIP BOARD TRAINING



**DR. CAREY ANDERSON**  
TRUSTEE BOARD TRAINING



**THE RT. REVEREND  
ADAM JEFFERSON RICHARDSON**  
PRESIDING PRELATE  
11TH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT, FLORIDA  
KEYNOTE SPEAKER / LECTURER



**MS. VALERIE GARY BELL**  
CONNECTIONAL LAY ORGANIZATION  
PRESIDENT



**REVEREND DAVID D. PRICE**  
YOUTH WORSHIP PREACHER



**DR. JAMES MILLER**  
WEDNESDAY HOUR OF POWER  
PREACHER / GUEST LECTURE

# Epiphany Women's Convention

JULY 18<sup>TH</sup> - 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2018

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 18th

### WHITE OUT: A CELEBRATION of 'US'

Kick-Off Party begins at 8:00 pm; *Bring yo 'Dancin' Shoes*

**ATTIRE:** *Classy, Casual White*

**Presenter:** Donna Watson, Estate Planning Attorney and Tax Researcher for H&R Block

## THURSDAY, JULY 19th

### 7:30-8:00 am - MORNING MANNA Devotion

Psalmist: Stacie Roberson Mason

Presenter: Rev. Karla Cooper

### 8:30 am-9:15 am EMPOWERMENT SESSION

#### PROPHETIC RESISTANCE in a CULTURE of IGNORANCE

**SPEAKER:** Dr. Traci Blackmon, Senior Pastor

Christ the King United Church of Christ, Florissant, MO/Executive Minister of Justice and Witness Ministries of the United Church of Christ

9:15 am-10:00 am

### CONVERSATIONS with SISTAH LEADERS: State of the Black Union Forum

**MODERATOR:** Jennifer Ellis

**PANEL PARTICIPANTS:**

Dr. Traci Blackmon; Arizona State Senator Leah Landrum Taylor

## THURSDAY, JULY 19th

### 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm - SISTAH'S EXPO

#### EXHIBIT HALL

Please support our 'Sistah' Entrepreneurs and learn more about their Business.

#### 'UPGRADE' DEMONSTRATIONS

"FIX MY HAIR" w/Tarsula Foster, Proprietor/Master Stylist, Design by Tarsula Hair Gallery, St. Louis, MO

"FIX MY NAILS" w/Stephanie Freeney Green, Master Nail Tech, Stephanie's Nails, St. Louis, MO

"FIX MY SPACE" w/Tamara Sisk, Professional Interior Decorator, San Francisco, CA

## BREAKTHROUGH SESSIONS I (Choose One) - THURSDAY, JULY 19th

10:15 am - 11:30 am

### FINANCES

"What is it Costing You?": How to Better Manage Your Finances and Get Out of Debt

**Presenter:** Donna Watson, Estate Planning Attorney and Tax Researcher for H&R Block

### MIND

"What's Your Issue?": Exploring our Mental/Emotional Baggage

**Presenter:** Rev. Lynette Sparkman-Barnes, PSY. D, Associate Director, University of Missouri, Kansas City Counseling Services

### SPIRIT

"Why am I Here?": Discovering YOUR Divine Purpose

**Presenter:** Rev. Karen Stewart, Director of Evangelism and Discipleship, First Institutional Baptist Church, Phoenix, AZ

### BODY

Healing through Aromatherapy

**Presenter:** Kristen Brady, Essential Oils

### \*\*\*HEART and SOLE LUNCHEON----HIGH NOON

Luncheon Speaker: Rev. Mila Cooper

Asst. Pastor Wayman AME Church and Vice President for Diversity and Inclusion Antioch College, Dayton, OH

## BREAKTHROUGH SESSIONS II (Choose One) - THURSDAY, JULY 19th

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

### FINANCES

"What is it Costing You?": How to Better Manage Your Finances and Get Out of Debt

**Presenter:** Donna Watson, Estate Planning Attorney and Tax Researcher for H&R Block

### MIND

"What if they don't like Me?": Mastering the FEAR of Rejection

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### BODY

#### FAITH FITNESS:

**Presenter:** Pamela Pritchard, Fitness Motivator/Trainer



REV. TRACI BLACKMON



THE HON. LEAH L. TAYLOR



REV. MILA COOPER



REV. CARLA COOPER



DR. LYNETTE SPARKMAN-BARNES



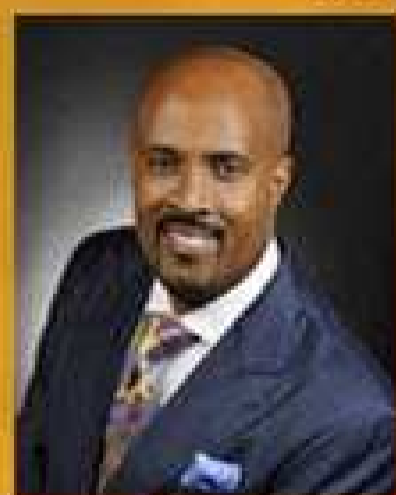
REV. KAREN STEWART



MS. DONNA WATSON

# Epiphany Men's Convention

## MEN'S CONVENTION FACILITATORS



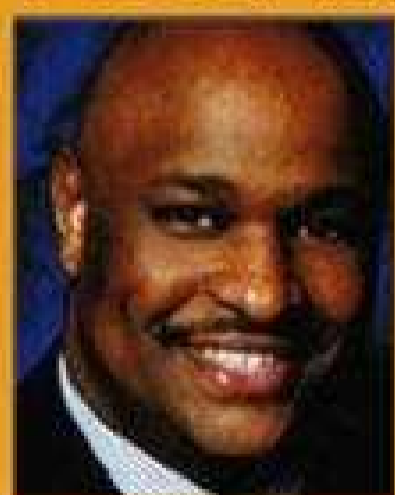
SPECIAL GUEST FACILITATOR

DR. FREDERICK DOUGLAS HAYNES, III, PASTOR  
FRIENDSHIP - WEST BAPTIST CHURCH  
DALLAS, TEXAS



MEN IN RELATIONSHIP

DR. CHARLES DORSEY, ASST. MINISTER  
CHRIST OUR REDEEMER AME CHURCH



MEN IN RELATIONSHIP

REV. KEITH CORDIER  
CHRIST OUR REDEEMER AME CHURCH



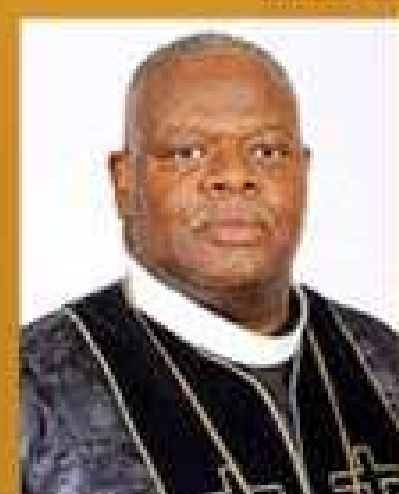
RECLAIMING OUR FUTURE

WE HEAR YOU/YOUTH SPEAK  
DR. CHARLES LEE-JOHNSON, PASTOR  
CROWN LAKE CHURCH

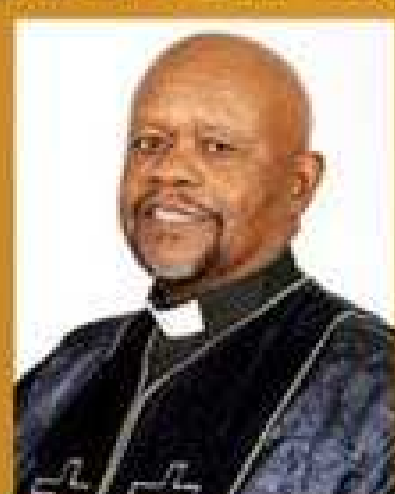


LUNCH OUTING AT DAVE & BUSTERS  
THURSDAY 11:00 - 2:00 PM

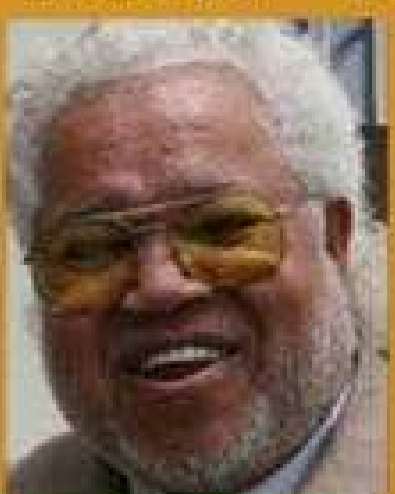
## MEN'S CONVENTION PANEL: "DO-OVER"



PRESIDING ELDER EDMUND E. LOWE



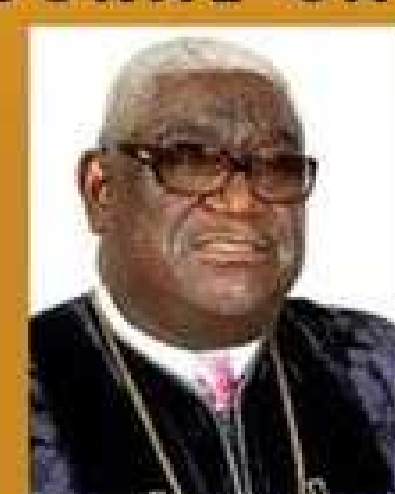
PRESIDING ELDER JONATHAN RHONE



REV. NORMAN COPELAND



REV. LESLIE R. WHITE



PRESIDING ELDER BOOKER T. GUYTON



MR. BILL DICKENS

## MEN'S CONVENTION: "PERSONAL CARE AND ETIQUETTE"

# REGISTRATION FORM

Age Group	Early Registration April – May 31st	Registration June 1st – 30th	On site-Registration July 1st – July 17th
Children: 5 – 11	\$100	\$110	\$120
Youth: 12 – 18	\$100	\$110	\$120
Adults: 19+	\$150	\$160	\$170

\* Registration includes materials, activities, and meal / food activities

## ONE FORM PER PERSON

### CONFERENCE

Pacific Northwest  Desert/Mountain  Midwest  California  Missouri  Southern California

Presiding Elder District: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Church: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please mark all that apply**

Male  Female

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Clergy  WMS

Lay Organization

Clergy Family Org.

Music Ministry

YPD  Church School

### EPIPHANY INSTITUTE TRAINING T-SHIRT

Child: **\$10**  Small  Medium  Large

Adult: **\$15**  Small  Medium  Large **\$20**  1X  2X  3X **\$25** Mark size if larger than 3X \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTRATION SUMMARY:** Payment Method  Check  Money Order/Cashier's Check  
 Credit Card Payment (3% service fee applies)  Visa  Mastercard  American Express  Discover  
 Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Zip Code of Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Signature is required for processing credit card payments*  
*Credit Card payments accepted via phone or mail-in registration only. We do not accept PayPal payments.*

**Make checks payable to: Desert Mountain Conference**  
*(Registration may be transferred/no refunds)*

Children/Youth (5 – 18)	\$ _____
Young Adult/Adult (19 +)	\$ _____
T- Shirt	\$ _____
5th District Lay Motivational Breakfast \$35	\$ _____
<b>Total Submitted:</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

**Temple Order Training Session Information**  
 indicate which position you hold in the local church:

Steward

Trustee

Classleader

### CONVENTION ACTIVITIES (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)

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**SISTAHS' EXPO**

#### MEN'S CONVENTION

Thursday 11:00 - 2:00 PM

Lunch outing at Dave & Busters

#### LAY CONVENTION

Friday Morning 8:00 AM

Lay Motivational Breakfast  
**\$35**  
 Guest Speaker: Ms. Valerie Gary Bell,  
 President, Connectional Lay Organization

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