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2nd Episcopal District
AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

2016 Mid-Year Convocation

November 3 -5, 2016

Renaissance Portsmouth-Norfolk
Waterfront Hotel
Portsmouth, VA

Daily Agenda

Thursday, **NOVEMBER 3, 2016**

07:00 a.m.	BREAKFAST
08:00 a.m.	Presiding Elders' Meeting with the Bishop
10:00 a.m.	Board of Examiners (<i>Conference Deans & Boards</i>)
10:30 a.m.	Conference Board of Trustees
11:00 a.m.	Conference Finance Committees
11:30 a.m.	Conference Secretaries
12:00 p.m.	Annual Conference Host Pastors & Committees

Thursday, NOVEMBER 3, 2016 - Con't

- 01:00 p.m. All Clergy Meeting with the Bishop
- 02:00 p.m. **LUNCH BREAK**
- 03:00 p.m. **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
✦ Praise and Worship Moment
- 03:30 p.m. **LEARNING INSTITUTE**
✦ **“Christ, Culture and Church”**
Dr. Joseph B. O. Okello
Assistant Professor of Philosophy of Christian Religion
Asbury Theological College, Wilmore, KY
- 05:30 p.m. **DINNER BREAK**
- 07:00 p.m. *Mid-Year Convocation*
OPENING WORSHIP SERVICE
Bishop John Richard Bryant, Guest Preacher
Retired Senior Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church
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Friday, NOVEMBER 4, 2016

- 07:00 a.m. **BREAKFAST**
- 08:00 a.m. ✦ Morning Glory Bible Study
- 09:00 a.m. **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
✦ Praise and Worship Moment
- 09:30 a.m. **“Let’s Dream”**
✦ **State of the 2nd Episcopal District**
Bishop James L. Davis
Presiding Prelate of the 2nd Episcopal District AME Church
- 11:00 a.m. **LEARNING INSTITUTE**
✦ **“It Could Happen to You” – What Should We Do?**
Mr. Benjamin Lloyd Crump, Esquire
President, National Bar Association

Friday, **NOVEMBER 4, 2016 - Con't**

- 12:15 p.m. **MINI BREAK**
- 12:30 p.m. **HOUR OF POWER WORSHIP SERVICE**
Reverend Dr. Cecilia Williams Bryant, *Guest Preacher*
Supervisor of WMS of the African Methodist Episcopal Church
"Retired-but not Tried"
- 01:30 p.m. **LUNCH BREAK**
- 3:00 p.m. **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
✦ Praise and Worship Moment
- 03:30 p.m. **BUSINESS SESSION I**
✦ WHAT? WHY? HOW?
✦ "Let's Dream"
Core Group Summary
- 05:30 p.m. **DINNER BREAK**
- 07:00 p.m. *Second Episcopal District Women's Missionary Society*
DORCAS EXTRAVAGANZA



Saturday, **NOVEMBER 5, 2016**

- 07:00 a.m. **BREAKFAST**
- 08:00 a.m. **GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
✦ Praise and Worship Moment
- 08:30 a.m. **BUSINESS SESSION II**
✦ "Let's Dream"
The Beginning of the Plan
- 11:00 a.m. **CLOSING MEDITATION SERVICE**