



## MASTER SCHEDULE

**December 5 – 7, 2016**

Marriott Hotel

Naperville, IL

**Bishop Vashti M. McKenzie, *President***

**Bishop Gregory G. M. Ingram, *1st Vice President***

**Bishop Wilfred J. Messiah, *2nd Vice President***

**Bishop Paul J. M. Kawimbe, *3rd Vice President***

**Bishop John Franklin White, *Council of Bishops President***

**Bishop McKinley Young, *Senior Bishop***

**Dr. Richard Allen Lewis, *Treasurer/CFO***

**Rev. Dr. Jeffery B. Cooper, *General Secretary/CIO***



**Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie, President**  
**Marriott Hotel**  
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## **PRE-GENERAL BOARD ACTIVITIES**

### **MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2016**

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	General Board Orientation New and Returning members	Ballroom 4 & 5
8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Nominating Committee	Conference Room A

## **GENERAL BOARD AGENDA**

### **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2016**

9:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	General Board Opening Plenary Session	Grand Ballroom
	Call to Order	Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie <i>President</i>
	Devotion	
	Roll Call	Rev. Dr. Jeffery B. Cooper <i>General Secretary/CIO</i>
	Felicitations	Bishop McKinley Young <i>Senior Bishop</i> Bishop John Franklin White <i>President, Council of Bishops and Host Bishop</i>
	Acknowledgments	Bishop Gregory G. M. Ingram <i>1st Vice President, General Board</i>

## GENERAL BOARD MEETING (continued)

Approval of Agenda  
Minutes

July 13, 2016, Philadelphia, PA

Report of the Nominating Committee  
Logistics Ms. Anita Rankin  
*Meeting Planner*

11:30 – 12:30.	Commission Meetings – Session I Ministry and Recruitment Department of Retirement Services Global Development Health Commission on Chaplains	Naper 3 Bailey/Hobson Conference Room C Ballroom 6 Conference Room F
12:30 – 2:00	General Board Luncheon	Naper 1&2
2:15 – 3:15 p.m.	Commission Meetings -- Session II Publications Global Witness & Ministry Women in Ministry Christian Education Economic Development	Ballroom 6 Conference Room F Conference Room C Bailey/Hobson Naper 3
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Commission Meetings – Session III Seminaries, Universities, Colleges and Schools Church Growth and Development Lay Organization Strategic Planning Committee Social Action	Bailey/Hobson Ballroom 6 Naper 3 Conference Room C Conference Room F
4:15 – 5:30 p.m.	Commission Meetings -- Session IV Statistics and Finance	Naper 3
7:00	<b>Council of Bishops Service of Worship &amp; Investiture Worship Service</b> Bishop John Franklin White <i>President, Council of Bishops</i>	

**GENERAL BOARD MEETING (continued)**

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2016**

7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	AME Board of Trustees Breakfast	Conference Room A
9:00 – 12:00 p.m.	General Board Plenary	Grand Ballroom
	Call to Order     Bishop Vashti Murphy McKenzie <i>President</i>	
	Devotion	
	Institutional Development	
	Commission Reports	
	Ministry and Recruitment	
	Department of Retirement Services	
	Global Development	
	Health	
	Publications	
	Global Witness and Ministry	
	Women in Ministry (WIM)	
	Christian Education	
	Seminaries, Universities, Colleges & Schools	
	Church Growth and Development	
	Lay Organization	
	Social Action	
	Economic Development	
	Statistics and Finance	
	Other Business	
	Louisiana Flood Report	
	General Conference 2016 Awards	
	Adjournment	
12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m.	Luncheon	Naper Ballroom
1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	General Conference Commission Executive Board	Conference Room A
7:00 p.m.	Council of Bishops Dinner and Meeting Council of Bishops Public Statement	Naper 1 & 2

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2016**

8:00 a.m.	Council of Bishops Public Statement (if necessary)
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