

70th Sisters of Unity Convention

May 15th — 19th 2019

Women of Faith: Fearless Women

In memory of our former State and General Mothers and our former Church Mothers

Greeting Sisters,

Through this journey, we've had disappointments and we've shed tears, but we remained fearless because of our faith. The Bible speaks very highly of those who had faith, and there are many examples of women of faith in the Bible. They loved God and lived faithfully. These women were fearless! This year we challenge you to learn more about women of faith by studying their stories. We want all sisters to leave this convention being confident in who they are and what they believe, and in their example of fearlessness, encourage others to be courageous and make a difference.

Yours in Christ,

Mother Claudette Boyd, General Mother and

Mother Lilly Stafford, Assistant General Mother

Women of Faith Bible Challenge

Saturday at 12:00 noon in the Lucas Temple Sanctuary

Woman of Faith: Hannah

Study – 1 Samuel 1 - 2

Woman of Faith: Ruth

Study – The Book of Ruth

Woman of Faith: Esther

Study – The Book of Esther

Woman of Faith: Mary Magdalene

Study – Luke 8:2-3

Woman of Faith: Martha

Study – John 11, John 12:1-3, and Luke 10:38-42

*More Women of Faith may be added, and you will be notified of updates via on-line and/or by your church secretary.

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 8:00 PM

Praise and Worship - Mother Chancy Beckham, Sister Patricia Allen and Sister Calandra Miller

Offering, Reports and Speaker's Offering—Finance Committee

Mistress of Ceremonies - Mother Geneva Freeman

The Official Welcome - Mother Lilly Mae Stafford, Assistant General Mother

Testimony - Mother Hazel Battle - My Testimony of Hope
2 minutes or less

Duet - Sisters Charity Belford and Tina Hall

Inspirational Remarks - Minister Barry Miller

1 Selection - Henderson Temple Choir

The Word of God - Elder Willie Mann

Invitational, Prayer, and Benediction- Elder Thomas Davis

Announcements

Our General Mother is asking all Elders, Ministers, Deacons, Brothers, Mothers and Sisters to report \$20.00 in this convention. Please give your report to your church representative.

Thursday, May 16, 2019 8:00 PM

Praise and Worship - Mother Nancy Hutchinson and Sisters Dorothy Norton and Aretha Hutchinson

Offering, Reports and Speaker's Offering—Finance Committee

Mistress of Ceremonies (Includes Welcome) - Mother Lois Boyd

Testimony - Mother Rosa Auls - Pressing On In The Lord
2 minutes or less

Song - Sisters LaDema and Ashley Jones

Inspirational Remarks - Minister Irvin Boyd, Sr.

1 Selection - Abundant Grace Choir

The Word of God—Elder Marvin Jones, Sr.

Invitational, Prayer, and Benediction - Minister Marcus Taylor

Announcements

Mothers and Sisters, please wear red hats on Friday in honor of our late Mother Mozelle Jeffries.

Friday, May 17, 2019 8:00 PM

Praise and Worship - The Daughters of the Late Mother Velma Holmes

Offering, Reports and Speaker's Offering—Finance Committee

Mistress of Ceremonies (Includes Welcome) - Sister Belinda Jeffries

Testimony - Sister Ramona Murphy - Being a Woman of Faith
2 minutes or less

Duet - Mother Cassandra Camp and Sister Natasha Camp

Inspirational Remarks - Minister Dratin Castlin

1 Selection - Augusta and Girard Choir

The Word of God—Elder Emmitt Robinson, Jr.

Invitational, Prayer, and Benediction - Elder Dennis Jeffries, Sr.

Announcements

Women of Faith Bible Challenge starts at 12:00 noon on Saturday.

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Saturday Enrichment, May 18, 2019

8:30 AM

Prayer Conference Call

1-857-232-0476, Conference code: 951398

8:45 AM – 9:45 AM

Complimentary Breakfast

Lucas Temple Fellowship Hall

10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

Show-and-Tell

A common game for our little ones. This positive interaction builds confidence and self-esteem. It gives our little ones a chance to be the center of attention and show off what they have to discuss and in turn, makes them feel good about themselves. Mothers, please have your little one(s) bring in something that begins with the first letter of her first name. She will introduce herself and then show and tell us about the item she brought in. Ages 3-12

Facilitators: Sisters Beth Robinson and Natalie Turner

Location: Room A

10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

Moment-and-Memories

Some of us may remember “Show & Tell” from elementary school. It helped broaden our little one's imagination and creativity. So when it comes to providing a chance for self-discovery and getting to know one another, let's go back to the basics. Please bring in something that has been “tucked away for a long time. Show and tell why it is special to you. Prizes to the person(s) with the most interesting moment-and-memories presentation. Ages 13+

Facilitator: Mother Lucy Boston

Location: Room B

10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

Restoring Hope to Your Marriage|Great Marriages Just Don't Happen “For Married Women Only”

God has the power to restore broken marriages, renew excitement in marriages, and sustain the spark in a great marriage. Come hear what our facilitators have to say about marriage.

Facilitators: Mother Lilly Mae Stafford, Sisters Grindel Larry, and Patricia Robinson

Location: Lucas Temple Sanctuary

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM

YES, PLEASE!|Dazzling Manners

An etiquette class for girls and teens. They will be taught that true beauty comes from within while learning the basics in poise, common courtesies, table manners, and other etiquette rules that will be a blessing for them later in life. Ages 3-12

Facilitators: Mother Eva Bridges and Sister Venny Jones

Location: Room A or B

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM

Proper, Poised & Polished: The Power of You

An etiquette class for young ladies and women. We want every woman to confidently present the best version of herself. This class will offer some basic etiquette reminders we sometimes forget or tend to overlook in church, social or workplace settings. Ages 13+

Facilitator: Sister Ondra Washington

Location: Lucas Temple Sanctuary

12:00 PM to 12:55 PM

Women of Faith Bible Challenge

There are many examples of fearless women of faith in the Bible. How well do you know some of the women in the Bible? Are you ready for a challenge? All ages can participate.

PRIZES FOR WINNER(S)

Facilitators: Sisters Lilly Boyd, Crystal George, Crystle Kizer, and Kia Searcy

Location: Lucas Temple Sanctuary

1:00 PM to 2:30 PM

Luncheon

3:00 PM

Business Meeting

Mother Claudette Boyd, General Mother

Saturday, May 18, 2019 7:00 PM

Praise and Worship - Sisters Natoria Jeffries, Victoria Jeffries, Angelica Murphy and Andrea Stafford

Offering, Reports and Speaker's Offering—Finance Committee

Mistress of Ceremonies (Includes Welcome) - Sisters Meggan and Brooke Fedrick

Solo - Sister Alexia Boyd

Testimony - Sister Torie Washington - Keeping God in My Life While Pursuing Further Education
2 minutes or less

Mozelle Jeffries Woman of Excellence Scholarship Award Presentation
Mothers Claudette Boyd and Lilly Mae Stafford

1 Selection - Saint James Choir

Inspirational Remarks - Elder Vista Jeffries

Selections - Bryant Temple

The Word of God—Elder Stanley Gant, Bryant Temple

Invitational, Prayer, and Benediction- Minister Matthew Jones

Announcements

Mothers and Sisters, please wear all white on Sunday.

General Mother, Assistant General Mother and ALL Church Mothers, please sit on the center front pews on Sunday.

Sunday Morning Bible School

May 19, 2019 10:00 AM

Praise and Worship - Mothers Louise Robinson and Thelma Gould

Offering and Speaker's Offering—Finance Committee

Lesson—Minister Shedrick Pullin

Sunday Worship Service

May 19, 2019 11:30AM

Praise and Worship - Sisters Karina Boyd, LaTonya Dasher and Laverne Hollman

Offering, Reports and Speaker's Offering
Finance Committee

Mistress of Ceremonies (Includes Welcome) - Mother Barbara Jones and Sister Lizandrea Jones

Selection - The Family of Mother Arlene Jones

Address to the Sisters - Mother Lilly Mae Stafford
Assistant General Mother

Duet - Sisters LaSanja Gould and Helen Thomas

Inspirational Remarks - Elder Stacy Boyd

Selections - The True Church Mass Choir and Lucas Temple Choir

The Word of God - Bishop Oprie Jeffries

Invitational, Remarks and Announcements/Benediction - Elder Gary Battle

Our Church Mothers

Mother Claudette Boyd

General Mother

Mother Lilly Mae Stafford

Assistant General Mother

Mother Rosa Auls

Hope of Glory

Mother Bessie Boyd

Words of Life

Mother Christine Brown

Henderson Temple

Mother Cassandra Camp

Saint James

Mother Nell Davis

Saint Paul

Mother Louise Holmes

Girard

Mother Arlene Jones

Augusta

Mother Barbara Jones

Abundant Grace

Mother Louise Robinson

Lucas Temple

Bishop Oprie Jeffries

Presiding Bishop and General Overseer

Elder Marvin Jones, Sr.

General Superintendent

Elder Gary Battle, Sr.

Chairman of the Board of Elders

Elder Emmitt Robinson, Jr.

General Sunday School Superintendent

Elder Vista Jeffries

General Executive Secretary

Mother Claudette Boyd

General Mother

Mother Lilly Mae Stafford

Assistant General Mother

Mother Brenda Pullin

Sister of Unity Treasurer

Sister Latonia Taylor

Sister of Unity Secretary

The True Church of God In Christ Mission Statement

We work together to build families, to perfect the saints in love, and to evangelize the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ according to the Apostles' doctrine.