Tuesday, November 6, 2018
5:00pm OTJ Teachers Meeting

Wednesday, November 7, 2018
10:15am—11:20am Training Institute Class Sessions
11:20am—12:00 Noon OTJ Doctrinal Message -Bishop Bobby Henderson

4:00 pm ASBC Tri-State Board
Bishop David Daniels, Chairman of the Board of Education

Thursday, November 8, 2018
10:15am—11:20am Training Institute Class Sessions
11:20am—12:00 Noon OTJ Doctrinal Message -Bishop David Hall

Friday, November 9, 2018
2:00pm Annual Education Luncheon

Saturday, November 10, 2018
10:15am—11:20am Training Institute Class Sessions
11:20am—12:00 Noon OTJ Doctrinal Message -Pastor Jerry L. Givens Sr.
Welcome to the Sessions

The Committee

Bishop Oliver J. Haney, Jr., Chairman Emeritus
Atlanta, GA

Dr. Goldie Wells
Greensboro, NC

Evangelist Sarah Gooch
Freeport, NY

Minister Jupiter Wilson
Chesapeake, VA

Evangelist Carly Gilmore
Orlando, FL

Elder Charles Johnson
Detroit, MI

Bishop Ozro T. Jones Sr. (1891-1972) Ozro T. Jones Sr. accepted Christ in 1912 and immediately started his evangelistic ministry. He was appointed president of the Young Peoples Willing Workers (YPWW), the national youth department of the Church Of God In Christ, in 1914 and became a pioneer in youth work. In 1916 he founded, authored and edited the Young Peoples Willing Workers Quarterly Topics, a series of weekly Bible lessons addressing timely issues facing Christian youth. His many accomplishments range from being appointed pastor of Holy Temple Church in Philadelphia in 1925, appointed state overseer 1926, founding the international youth congress in 1928, consecrated a Bishop in 1933, authoring the Official Manual of the Church Of God In Christ (COGIC) in 1957, to being elected 2nd Senior Bishop of the Church Of God In Christ in 1962 after the death of COGIC founder, Bishop C.H. Mason.

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13 “You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt loses its flavor, how shall it be seasoned? It is then good for nothing but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot by men.

14 “You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden.

15 Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house.

16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.
IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Pearl Page Brown
Former Bishop O. T. Jones Sr. Memorial Educational Institute Instructor

Sewing Circle/Artistic Fingers
Remembering You, Thank You For Your Service.

Bishop James L. Whitehead, Jr., Chairman
Bishop Oliver J. Haney, Jr., Chairman Emeritus
Dr. Goldie Wells, Class Coordinator—Evangelist Sarah Gooch, Administrative Coordinator
Minister Jupiter Wilson, Evangelist Carly Gilmore
Willie Samuel Foster, III is the fifth child of fifteen children born to Elder and Mother Willie Samuel Foster, II on New Year's Day in 1961. Being his father’s namesake, ‘Lil Willie’ was destined to follow in his father’s footsteps as a minister of the Gospel. Willie learned about the Lord as a child through the examples set by his parents and the daily prayers and bible teachings conducted in the home by his father.

His father, Elder Foster was called home to be with the Lord in 1976 leaving Willie's mother, Ceola Foster, to raise the family alone. One day, while a teen, his mother posed the question to him; “Willie, why aren't you saved?” Willie honestly didn’t have an answer, but the question prompted him to ponder within himself that evening and he decided to accept Christ as his personal Lord and Savior the following day at Tuesday evening service, May 12, 1978. After many years, he is still employed at Variety Manufacturing Corporation of Dexter as an Internal Quality Systems Auditor where he shares the “Good News” of Christ to many including the company leadership.

Elder Foster was ordained as an elder by the late Bishop Willie Leroy Harris in 1989. Today he serves as District Chairman under the leadership of Superintendent Willie J. Powell, Pastor of Grace Fellowship COGIC of Ypsilanti.

Elder Foster discovered ‘love’ right in his local church, Sister Sherrie Ann (Sheryl) Robinson. They were married on April 16, 1988. First Lady Sheryl Foster is a great support to him and the ministry.

The Lord showed great favor and blessed Pastor Willie and First Lady Sheryl with two beautiful daughters, Amber Joy and Charity Grace.

With much study and prayer, Pastor Foster is blessed with the gift of rich and accurate teaching of the gospel. He is a true man of God! Consecrated and dedicated from his youth, our Pastor has led his congregation in the face of challenges and changes with an eye that is steady reaching for the high calling in Christ Jesus; steadfast and unmovable. Our small ministry has not deterred his professional growth as a pastor, nor his dedication to sanctification, study and prayer. Our pastor is truly gifted in his teaching, retention and exhortation of the Word of God. He is known to recite entire chapters of the bible in a sermon. He has an amazing memory and is accurately able to quote and explain an abundance of scriptures while sharing the history of the bible in Hebrew and Greek. Pastor Foster truly believes that every one person his ministry can reached has the potential to change the world. Our church history reveals this truth. Members that have moved on to other ministries have become leaders in their own right – ministers, pastors, missionaries, musicians – making a difference wherever they are. This is our Pastor’s greatest legacy – leading people to Christ and encouraging them to become true disciples at home and abroad. Pastor Foster is the leader and teacher of our weekly Christian Education: Bible Study.

Pastor Willie Foster’s resolve is steadfast and totally dedicated to the work of the Lord. He is determined to see the ministry continue the great commission as stated by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in Matthew 28:16-20.
Dr. Harold Bennett is a native of Winston-Salem, North Carolina. He has been saved for forty-seven years, and he has been in ministry for thirty-seven years. He was ordained in 1987 by Bishop L.B. Davenport, in the Greater North Carolina Jurisdiction.

Dr. Bennett received a Doctorate of Philosophy in Religion and Ethics from Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee. He is the current Dean of our School, the Charles Harrison Mason Theological Seminary, the Church of God in Christ affiliate of the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta, Georgia, and is one of the Online Teaching Faculty at the ITC. Follow our Seminary on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/MasonSeminary/; Twitter (@CHMasonSemin1), or visit its website (masonseminaryitc.org).

Dr. Bennett has published books, commentaries, and several articles on issues in Hebrew Bible/Old Testament studies and Ethics. These publications include but are not limited to the following: Injustice Made Legal, (Eerdmans Publishing Company); “Triennial Tithes and the Underdog: A Revisionist Reading of Deut 14:22-29 and 26:12-15.” This article appears in Yet With A Steady Beat (Scholars’ Press); “Justice” which appears in the New Interpreters Dictionary of the Bible (Abingdon Press); an article on Deuteronomy, which appears in the Cambridge Dictionary of Christianity (Cambridge University Press); Deuteronomy, which appears in The Africana Bible Commentary; “Deuteronomy” in the Fortress Commentary on the Old Testament; “Deuteronomy” in the Fortress Commentary on the Pentateuch (both published by Fortress Press). His most recent publication is “The Bible and Afr(i)centric Pentecostal Moral Decision-Making” (Journal of the ITC). He is working on an article on “Old Testament Hermeneutics” for T&T Clark and on a devotional/couples book entitled “The Marriage that is A Blessing”, which he is co-authoring with Valerie P. Bennett, PhD, his wife.

Dr. Bennett has served as Senior Content Editor of the Sunday School Curriculum and as a writer of the Y.P. W.W. Topics for the Church of God in Christ. He is a member of the Standardized Ordination Committee and is a member of the Manual Review Committee of the Church of God in Christ. Dr. Bennett is involved in the Society for Biblical Literature and the Society for Pentecostal Studies. He served the Senior Program Director for the Boys and Girls’ Club of America; a Commentator/Guest on National Public Radio, and a commentator on Religion, Pentecostalism, and the Black Community in newspapers and on radio stations in the Atlanta area. He is the current co-host of the Pentecost 4 Life Radio Broadcast, which is a Bible teaching ministry that airs on Wednesdays from 2:30-3pm on WYZE 1480 AM in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a special guest commentator on Religion, Ethics, and Public Life, from 7-10am EST on 1380AM WAOK radio in Atlanta, Georgia. Follow the Pentecost 4 Life Ministry on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/PentecostForLife/ and on Twitter (@Pentecost4Life).

Dr. Harold Bennett has been married for twenty-three years to Dr. Valerie P. Bennett. They are the parents of one son, Quinton (21 years old), and one daughter, Imani (17 years old). The Bennetts attend the Temple of Faith Church of God In Christ in Decatur, Georgia. Dr. Bennett is the First Administrative Assistant to his Pastor, Superintendent and First Administrative Assistant Thomas L. Frazier, and Norman O. Harper is their Jurisdictional Bishop. Dr. Harold Bennett can be reached at hbennett@itc.edu.
Scott A. Bradley, Minister, Author and Lecturer started preaching at the age of 16 and by the age of 20 was traveling the length and breadth of America. Eventually the ministry began to take him to foreign counties as well as he has ministered in West & South Africa, Germany & England as many have been blessed by his preaching and teaching. In 1994 he started the Rivers of Life Ministry and has been heard via radio and TV throughout the country.

Bradley is the author of several books, most notably, THE BLACK MAN: CURSED OR BLESSED? a best-seller and in 1994 was the recipient of an Achievement Award given by the Black Literary Arts Society based in Hampton, Virginia. His most recent book, MANHOOD: the ORIGINAL PRIESTHOOD is also gaining notable recognition.

He has been a presenter and teacher for the National Church of God in Christ (COGIC) since 1995 and has presented in such meetings and United National Auxiliaries Convention (UNAC), National Auxiliaries In Ministry (AIM), COGIC National Men’s Conference, COGIC National Leadership Conference, and annually in the National COGIC Convocation. His subjects included, BIBLICAL BLACKNESS: Identifying Persons and Nations of Color in the Scriptures, Christianity vs. Islam, and Christianity vs. Cultism.

Scott Bradley has served as the team chaplain for the Chicago Bulls of the National Basketball Association (NBA) since 1983 and has ministered to many athletic notables as Michael Jordan, Scottie Pippen, Horace Grant, Julius Erving (Dr. J), Artis Gilmore, A C Green, & many of today’s NBA Stars. In 1991 after the Bulls had defeated the Los Angeles Lakers he had the distinct honor of leading the NBA world champion Chicago Bulls in the Lord’s Prayer in the locker room before a world-wide television audience of 84 million people. He also had the distinct honor of doing the Invocation for the world-famous Harlem Globetrotters at their 50th anniversary celebration in 2001.

Bradley holds a Bachelor’s Degree in Theological Studies from Grace International Apostolic University in Dayton, Ohio and in 1998 this Institute bestowed upon him Honorary Doctorate Degree for lifetime achievements in Ministry.

He is the husband to Cassandra (Wells) for 31 years and they have 2 children and 1 Grandchild.
CLASS MODERATORS AND INSTRUCTORS

Adopt A Young Parent America, page 18
Moderator: Elder Willie B. Toone: P/139
Elder Willie B. Toone was born on January 28, 1945 in Toone, Tennessee. He was educated in the Tennessee Public School system including attending college. Elder Toone moved to Detroit in 1965.

Altar Workers, page 19
Moderator: Elder Gilbert White: Main Floor B
Elder Gilbert S. White, Sr., reared in the Deliverance Evangelistic Center Ministries under the leadership of the late Apostle Arturo Skinner, is a member of the New Garden State Jurisdiction where he serves as the President of the YPWW/Youth Dept., VP of Evangelism, Music Commission member, and Security Chairman. He is a National Evangelist, Director of Sports & Recreation for the International Youth Department, East Region Youth NJ State Coordinator, 2nd VP of the Northeast Regional Evangelist Dept., the President & Director of God In Action, Crusades & Revivals Ministries, Newark, NJ, and Pastor of God In Action! Revival Center COGIC.

Assistant Supervisor’s Class, page 20
Moderator: Mother Kathie Humphrey: Stage E
Mother Kathie Humphrey is from Carson, California. She serves on the ministerial staff at the Gospel Memorial COGIC Headquarters for the Southern California First Jurisdiction-Long Beach, CA, Bishop Joe L. Ealy, Prelate. She serves as senior administrative assistant to Mother Barbara McCool Lewis. Mother Humphrey received her Bachelor of Theology Degree from Southern CA School of Ministry, graduating Suma Cum Laude. She serves and has served in numerous positions on various levels in the Church Of God In Christ.

Bible Reading for Spiritual Maturity, page 21
Moderator: Dr. Wilfred Graves Jr.: O/140
Dr. Wilfred Graves Jr. serves West Angeles Church Of God In Christ as Special Assistant to the Senior Pastor and Chairman of the Board of Elders. He is also a professor of Historical Theology at Fuller Theological Seminary. He is the author of In Pursuit of Wholeness: Experiencing God’s Salvation. The book is available at Amazon.com or http://www.pursuitofwholeness.com.

Biblical Blackness, page 23
Moderator: Elder Scott A. Bradley: AA/113
Scott A. Bradley, Minister, Lecturer, the Author of several books, served as the team chaplain for the Chicago Bulls. Bradley holds a Bachelor’s Degree in Theological Studies from Grace International Apostolic University in Dayton, Ohio and in 1998 this Institute bestowed upon him Honorary Doctorate Degree for lifetime achievements in Ministry.
Bishops’ Wives, page 24

Moderator: Mother Willie Mae Sheard: Room 263

As the wife of Bishop John H. Sheard for 61 years, Mother Sheard is the First Lady of both the Greater Mitchell Temple COGIC and of the Michigan Southwest First Jurisdiction COGIC. She is the mother of two sons: Bishop J. Drew Sheard, General Board Member, Prelate - Michigan North Central Jurisdiction COGIC and Pastor of Greater Emmanuel Institutional COGIC and Superintendent Ethan B. Sheard, Assistant Pastor of Greater Mitchell Temple and Music & Youth Chairman - Michigan Southwest First Jurisdiction COGIC. She is also the proud grandmother of Kierra “Ki-Ki”, J Drew, II, Madison, Jacob and Cali Drew Sheard.

CH Mason Historical Society NO CLASS

Moderator: Elder Mack C. Mason

Elder Mack C. Mason is 4th generation with roots extending from the late Illinois Bishops William Roberts and John O. Mason. In ministry for 25 years, he was ordained by the late Bishop Isaiah Leon Roberts. He serves in Northern Illinois under Bishop Cody Vernon Marshall as Vice President of Missions and member of the State Ordination Board. He has received two National appointments In 2009 to the National Publishing Board, and in 2010 as the President of the C H Mason Historical

C. H. Mason Jurisdictional Institutes’ (CHMJIs’) Staff Development, page 26

Moderator: Dr. Goldie Wells, Moderator: Room 262

Dr. Goldie Frinks Wells, a retired educator, a member of the Board of Trustees of All Saints Bible College and Wells Memorial COGIC, Greensboro, NC, District Missionary of the High Point District, National Director of CHMJIs’, and a Greensboro City Council member. She has degrees from Hampton, North Carolina A&T Universities, and a doctorate from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Christian Battle Plan for the Workplace, page 27

Moderators: Dr. Wil Nichols & Dr. Grace Nichols: Main Floor J

Dr. Wil Nichols is the founder and Pastor of Victorious Praise Fellowship C.O.G.I.C. in Durham, NC, and Superintendent of Greater Triangle District of NC 3rd Jurisdiction. He is a graduate of Michigan State University with a BS in Computer Science and Electrical Engineering. His Religious studies include Salutatorian of GNC C.O.G.I.C. and Doctorate of Divinity from St. Thomas Christian University; a committed husband, father, preacher of the gospel, television evangelist, and author of multiple books. Dr. Grace Nichols, co-founder, holds a Master’s Degree in Education and Christian Family Counseling, and a Doctorate of Divinity. She is the President of St. Thomas Christian University at RTP and founder of Triangle Marriage and Family Life Center in Cary, NC. She is a committed wife, mother, teacher, and co-author of the books “No More Drama-Relationships”, “The Relationship Battle Plan”, and “Soul Mates, Soul Ties, and Soul Survivors”.

Church Growth, page 28

Moderator: Bishop Roderick Hennings: Room 276

Bishop Roderick L. Hennings founded Zion Dominion Global Ministries in 1993. His unique ability has caused a continued growth in membership from 20 to currently over 4,000. He relocated from a cathedral of 30,700 square feet in Buffalo NY to a 14 acre campus in Amherst, NY. A second location of the ministry was launched in Rochester, NY with a membership of over 400 and services held Saturday evening (Sunday on Saturday-SOS). In May of 2013 they acquired a 56 acre campus for the Rochester location. Zion Dominion has become the first known church in WNY to form a little league football team under Pop Warner National Football and Cheerleading organization.
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COGIC Scholars Fellowship Academic Forum, page 30

Moderator: Dr. Raynard Smith: Room 161

The COGIC Scholars Fellowship is a supportive network that seeks to provide an intellectually stimulating forum for dialogue within the denomination for COGIC members who have obtained, or are presently pursuing, graduate level degrees in religious/theological studies or other related academic disciplines.

COGIC Women’s History Class, page 33

Moderator: Evangelist Missionary Glenda Williams-Goodson: Z/114

Evangelist Missionary Glenda Williams-Goodson with a Bachelors in English - Southern Methodist University, and a MBA in Strategic Leadership, Amberton University is a former journalist and third generation COGIC (church pioneers Elder and Sis. J.R. Williams planted mother church of South Oak Cliff area of Dallas in 1951). She is Associate Editor of the Whole Truth and a member of the National History Committee.

Deacons Class—The Pentecostal Deacon, page 35

Moderators: Elder Griffin Lotson, Deacon Orelious Peevy, Jr: R/136

Dr. Griffin Lotson of Central Southeast Georgia and Deacon Orelious Peevy, Jr. State Chairman Deacons California 1

Deacons’ Wives, page 36

Moderator: Mother Alicesteen Peevy: S/132

Mother Alicesteen Peevy is married to Deacon Orelious Peevy, Jr, a member of Mt. Sinai Church of God In, Christ, Southern California First Jurisdiction. She has served her church faithfully for over 35 years. Mother Peevy is saved, sanctified and Holy Ghost filled. Her motto is: “The will of God will never lead you, where the grace of God cannot keep you.

Dealing With Caregiver Stress, page 38

Moderator: Evangelist Josiah Jackson: V/124

Evangelist and Prophetic Intercessor, Jehovah Jireh COGIC, Brooklyn Center, MN
Prayer Coordinator, North Dakota Jurisdiction, Member of COGIC Scholars, BS.Ed- Lincoln University; MA.Ed-Saint Mary’s University; MDIV – C.H. Mason Seminary-Interdenominational Theological Center (I.T.C.), Currently, Doctoral Student, Bethel University
Demonology, page 40

Moderator: Evangelist Vonetta Gray-Wilborne: Main Floor H

Evangelist Vonetta Gray-Wilborne, resides in Raleigh, NC, serving under Superintendent Patrick L. Wooden. She is a Prayer Leader in the Greater North Carolina Jurisdictional Prayer, a Special Assistant to Supervisor Harrizene Keyes and President of the Women’s Evangelist Department. She has an A. A. Degree from Monroe Business College, Bronx, New York, a B S Degree in Liberal Arts from City College Of New York, is a Graduate of the Manhattan Bible Institute and a National Evangelist. She is a worldwide traveler declaring our authority as believers in Christ, especially that which we have over the devil.

Bishop L. C. Page School of Evangelism, page 42

Moderators Dr. Elijah Hankerson, III and Elect Lady Dorinda Cole: Room 144

We provide training, resources and structure for our evangelism workers. Note that the name of this department is NOT “evangelist” department, but “Department of Evangelism.” EVERY BELIEVER can partake in evangelism; because every believer is called to be a witness for Christ. We major on every believer and every evangelist knowing how to win a soul to Christ! We also provide structure, mentoring, moral support and training for our itinerant evangelists.

Fund Raising for Ministry, page 49

Moderator Kelli Wells Johnson: Choir M

Kelli Wells Johnson, is the Co-founder of Bethesda Fellowship Ministries Pontiac, MI, Jubilee Life Christian Church, Flint, MI and the First Lady of Anderson Memorial Church of God in Christ, “the Church on the Rock” in Detroit Michigan. The author of 10 novels, motivational speaker and mentor, she is the founder of ilikemeradio.com, Penelope Stinger Couture and Iconic Entrepreneurs, and the president of the Blue Rose Empowerment Galleria, Inc. Kelli is the wife of Pastor Charles J. Johnson III and the mother of Secret, Falon, Kelci, Bhali and Charles IV(deceased), and mother-in-law for Anthony.

Health, Healing and Deliverance for the Saints, page 50

Moderators Drs. Fay Ellis & Maureen Butler: Room 260

Fay Ellis Butler is a Registered Nurse with advanced degrees in medical anthropology, two Masters and a Ph.D. from Columbia University. She is a Sunday School teacher, Bible School teacher, prayer warrior and Mission worker, traveling to countries in Asia, Africa and South America. Currently, most of her Mission work is in Brazil with Mother Lee Van Zandt. She has authored 17 books on numerous topics concerning Christian survival and success.

How To Interact With The Police, page 52

Moderator: Superintendent E. Niketa Parker : N/141

E. Niketa Parker is Superintendent of the Southeast Birmingham District of Northern Ga 2nd. He holds a B.S. from Troy University in Criminal Justice. He was the 1st black Probation and Parole and Drug Court Officer in Okaloosa county for the Florida Dept. Of Corrections. He served as a Missions and State Evangelist-president of the Northwest Florida Jurisdiction; State Sec. and President of the Pastors and Elders Council of Ala. 3rd. He pastors Living Waters Ministries C.O.G.I.C.
International Christian Women's Council, page 54

Moderators: Vice-President - Evangelist Gale P. Gardner, Evangelist Patricia Wideman: U/126

Evangelist Patricia Wideman serves as the International Workshop Coordinator for the CWC and a member of the State Tabernacle COGIC in Buffalo, New York where she serves under the leadership of Pastor Russell C. Bell. She is the founder of the Women’s Ministry, Ladies Let’s Be Real, headquartered in Buffalo with Chapters in Atlanta and Brampton, Ontario and is co-founder to Mission Is Possible International which is a charity meeting the needs of Teens, women, and seniors in Canada and Guyana, South America.

International District Missionary Unit, page 56

Moderator: Dr. Noma Roberson, Chairperson: Main Floor C
District Missionary Janice Silmon, Class Facilitator Chairperson

International Music Department, page 57

Moderator: Dr. Judith C. McAllister: Choir Room 130-132

Dr. Judith McAllister stands as a trailblazer, providing a new paradigm for Kingdom-excellence in ministry; and in addition to mentoring worship leaders all around the globe, her insightful teaching continues to impact the body of Christ by elevating the understanding of radical, reverent and revelational worship.

International Nurses Unit Class, page 60

Moderator: Evangelist Sharon Woodfox-Ryan BSN, RN: Room 162

EVANGELIST SHARON WOODFOX-RYAN RN, BSN FCN has over 34 years of nursing and was appointed the President of the International Nurses Unit in November 2011. She is a member of True Mission Church Of God In Christ in Texas City, where Elder Gilbert Freeman, Jr. is pastor, a member of the Texas Southeast First Jurisdiction, Bishop Rufus Kyles and Supervisor Lena Mc Clain, a member of the Texas Health Ministry Network, American Red Cross Advisory Board of Galveston County and the Galveston County Gulf Coast Black Nurses Association. She is a Certified Parish/Faith Community Nurse and Health Ministry Consultant, the editor and chief collaborator of the 2014 edition of the International Nurses Unit Policy and Procedure Manual.

International Purity Class, page 63

Moderator: Mother Thelma E. Cotton: Room 123

Missionary Thelma E. Cotton was appointed National Purity Leader in 1980 by Mother McGlothen. She has created the special t-shirt for the Purity Class, the pastel blue t-shirt with the Purity emblem and motto (Let therefore Purity Reign). This has become the uniform of all Puritans.
International Ushers, page 65

Moderator: Mother Dorothy Holmes: Room 150

Mother Dorothy Holmes, a retired educator, has served in the Usher Ministry for over 40 years working with the International Ushers and President Emeritus Brother Willie Cook more than 30 years. She was appointed president in 2007. She is a member of Wells Memorial COGIC in Greensboro, NC.

International Youth Department, page 66

Moderators: Elder Benjamin Stephens & Evangelist Joyce Rogers: T/128

The International Youth Department uses innovative methods to insure that our youth become valued resources to their families, churches, and communities, and to become self-sustaining, productive citizens. We pursue financial resources that allow us to cultivate opportunities for youth to become economically empowered, thus, producing law-abiding and outstanding youth as agents of change in our church and society.

Jurisdictional Supervisor’s Class, page 69

Moderators: Mothers Earlie Strozier-Peppers & Martha Nichols: Stage D

Mother Earlie Mae Strozier--Peppers, is the Supervisor of the Southwest Third Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction of Michigan. She attended Mott Community College and graduated from Faith Tech Bible College. Mother Peppers was united in holy matrimony with Administrative Assistant Samuel L. Peppers on June 17, 2006 and is the First Lady of Fountain Church Of God In Christ, Ann Arbor, Michigan. Mother Martha Nichols has served in various departments on Local, District, State and National levels. She served twelve years as Assistant Supervisor to the late Mother Carra Mae Gardner and for the past 13 years, Jurisdictional Supervisor for the Western Michigan Jurisdiction under the leadership of Bishop Nathaniel Wells Jr. She is on the Women’s Department National Advisory Board, and a member of the National Women’s Convention Compliments/Red Cards Committee. Mother Nichols worked closely with her husband, Elder William Nichols in establishing The Unity Temple Church Of God In Christ on in Benton Township.

Leadership for Laity, page 71

Moderator: Dr. Maurice Chandler: BB/112

Dr. Maurice Chandler began his academic training at the Charles Harrison Mason Bible College. It was there that his interest in Biblical Studies was piqued. Later, Dr. Chandler was formally trained in ministry by Memphis Theological Seminary (MTS) of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. As a student at MTS, He holds a Master of Divinity in 1997, Master of Religion in 2000 and Doctorate of Ministry in 2004. He established the Marah Garden Church and the King of Kings Christian Center and Outreach Ministries.

Legal Issues, page 73

Moderator: Attorney Peter Davis: Choir K
**Licensed Missionaries, page 74**

**Moderator:** Mother Regina Edwards: Q/138

Mother Regina Rose Edwards was appointed to the position of Jurisdictional Supervisor of First Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, Southwest, Michigan, March 1, 1991, her appointment was reaffirmed under the leadership of the late, Bishop Willie L. Harris and in October 1992, following the demise of Bishop Harris, Bishop John H. Sheard made choice of Mother Edwards to continue as Jurisdictional Supervisor, a position she holds as of this writing; she is in her 21st year of service as a Supervisor.

**Marriage and the Family, page 76**

**Moderators:** Bishop and Mrs. Harvey L. Lewis, Sr.: Room: 261

Bishop & Mrs. Harvey L. Lewis, Sr. are the Pastor & First Lady of the Star of Bethlehem Church Of God In Christ, Washington, D.C. since 1960, the Prelate and First Lady of the Rhode Island Jurisdiction since 1999, and Founder/President & Vice President of Living Daily with the Scriptures, Inc., (LDS), their church’s outreach arm. In August 2014 they celebrated 66 years of marriage.

**Bishop C. L. Moody Missions Training Academy**

**Moderator:** Bishop Vincent Mathews—President

Bishop Vincent Mathews, Jr., born in the United States, left a lucrative career in education to go on the mission field. He is the jurisdictional prelate of the South African First Jurisdiction and the pastor of Tabernacle COGIC in Ivory Park, Johannesburg. He and his wife, Sharon Mathews, have served 10 1/2 years as missionaries in South Africa. They have been married for 21 years and have 10 children. He received a BA from Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan, an MA from the University of Illinois Champaign-Urbana and a Doctorate of Theology from North Carolina College of Theology. He has authored six books and loves the ministry of worldwide missions.

**National Church Mothers Board, page 77**

**Moderator:** Mother Lolita J. Perkins, Chairman: Main Floor G

Mother Lolita J. Perkins currently serves as the Senior Church Mother at Harris Memorial Church Of God In Christ under the leadership of Pastor Eric C. Bogan. She has served as a Church Mother for over 19 years. She also serves as a District Missionary and as the Financial Secretary for the Women’s Department for the Great Lakes 1st Jurisdiction of Michigan. She attended Trinity Bible College and currently works as a volunteer in the Pediatric Unit of Hurley Medical Center in Flint, MI.

**National Hospitality, page 79**

**Moderator:** Mother Carolyn J. Galbraith: M/142

Mother Carolyn J. Galbraith is the wife of Bishop Albert Galbraith, of North California 1st Jurisdiction & North Highlands Community Church Of God In Christ. the mother of four children and 11 grandchildren. She served under Mother Mattie Mcglothen, Vice President to Mother Fredda Bell, and Mother Lucille Spann in the National Hospitality Department. Asst. Coordinator of The COGIC International Women’s Convention. Member of the COGIC Department of Women Advisory Board.

**New Supervisors, page 82**

**Moderator:** Mother Diana Banks: Room 266

Mother Diana Banks is a nationally recognized speaker, an accomplished former business executive of a Fortune 500 Company. She serves as the Jurisdictional Supervisor for the Maryland Central Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction. Diana, “Mama D” holds a Doctorate of Theology in Biblical Studies from the North Carolina College of Theology in Wilmington, North Carolina where she also serves on the Board of Directors. She embraces her mandate of teaching and mentoring others to become whole using the core principles of “Integrity, Respect and Commitment.”
CLASS MODERATORS AND INSTRUCTORS

Moderator: Superintendent Billy Gaskins: Room 275
Superintendent Billy was licensed in 1966 to preach by Bishop J.H. Sherman, Chairman of the Board of Bishop for the Church Of God In Christ. In August 1968, he was ordained by the late Bishop Sherman Sr., as an Elder. He has pastored for thirty-five years. One of the things Superintendent Gaskins would like to be best remembered for is his work in Belize, Central America, where he serves as Administrative Assistant and Executive Secretary, under the leadership of Bishop A. O. Quick, the Bishop of Belize Central America.

Pastors’, Elders’, & Ministers’ Wives, page 85
Moderator: Lady Barbara Mann: Room 124
Evangelist Barbara Mann, a native of Warren, Oh, is married to Bishop Loran E. Mann, Senior Pastor of Pentecostal Temple Church Of God In Christ, Pittsburgh, PA, and is a graduate of Hiram College. Mrs. Mann is the president of the Council of Christian Women, and the chief facilitator for this group, which ministers the Gospel to persons in prisons, shelters, orphanages and senior citizen residences. She also serves on the Board of Directors of Family Guidance, Inc., and Sojourner House.

Prayer, page 87
Moderator: First Assistant Jurisdictional Supervisor Mildred L. Coby: Main Floor I
Supervisor Mildred L. Coby believes that one must not only pray, but should also exemplify a life given to prayer. This belief has been a catalyst for her many years of dedication and service on the International Prayer Ministry of the Churches of God in Christ. She is a member of Christian Faith Fellowship COGIC in Milwaukee, WI, Executive Director to Bishop Darrell L. Hines. She is a self-published author of the book “Don’t settle for the Crumbs.”

Preacher’s Kids Connection, page 88
Moderators: Bishop Michael Hill, Director, Lady Rosalind Jones, Assistant Director: Room 121
The purpose of the academy is to be a support group to Pastor’s children and offer help and healing to those who need it, by providing a safe environment to be open and transparent. Our objective is to address areas in the life of a PK that has been wounded or scarred. Go into the dark places by bringing up topics and subjects that no one talks about in an open forum and dialog about them. Offer prayer and clinical-licensed counseling to restore wholeness both spiritual and natural.

Scholastic Motivation, page 90
Moderator: Superintendent David Todd Whittley Room: Choir N
Superintendent David Todd Whittley is National Executive Director for Scholastic Motivation Ministries, (SMM) which coordinates the Education, Professional Development, Creative Arts and Financial Literacy programs for the children and youth of the Church Of God In Christ. SMM also organizes the National AIM Convention COLLEGE FAIR. He is Pastor of Corinthian Temple Church Of God In Christ in Chicago, Illinois, District Superintendent, Administrative Assistant and AIM Chairman for the Illinois Midwest Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction. He is married to the lovely Dr. Chandra Whittley, and they are the proud parents of David Jonathan and Sydney Nicole.

Sewing Circle/Artistic Fingers Main Floor 92
Moderator: Mother Darlene Bartlett Stone: Stage A
Mother Stone, Indianapolis, Indiana, has been and is a member of the 28th Church of God in Christ since 1957. Being filled with the Holy Ghost in 1973 and called into the Ministry and licensed in 1984 empowered Missionary Stone to work officially in the positions of District and Jurisdiction Purity Lady along with serving as International Purity Class Finance Chairperson. She has held positions on the local, District, Jurisdictional level: Choir President, Choir Director, Usher, Sunday School Teacher, Prayer and Bible Band Teacher and Prayer Warrior. Mother Stone was appointed Supervisor of 1st Jurisdiction in 2006 where she works with Bishop Mark H. Blade.
### Singles Workshop, page 94

**Moderator:** Missionary Cleorah Scruggs-DeBose: X/115

Cleorah Scruggs-DeBose, a 30 year public school teacher with Flint Community, adjunct professor, workshop presenter and a member, of Harris Memorial COGIC in Flint, MI. She is the author, of Boaz Found Me, A Love Story, & Companion Study Guide, with Forewords - Bishop P. A. Brooks, First Asst. Presiding Bishop & Rev. C. DeBose Ph. D.

### SKIP—Saints Kids in Prison, page 96

**Moderator:** Carole Hogan-Williams: W/120

Evangelist Williams is the Coordinator of Prison Ministry for the 2nd Jurisdiction, Southwest, Michigan and a graduate of University of Detroit Mercy with a Bachelor Degree in Mass Communications & Accounting. She belongs to Northend Church Of God In Christ where she is a member of Local Trustee Board and Executive Secretary, for Pastor Willie B, Toone and Jurisdictional Credential Secretary

### Sunday School, page 98

**Moderator:** Bishop. Alton Gatlin: Room 231

Bishop Alton E. Gatlin prelate of the Trinidad & Tobago Jurisdiction is the International Superintendent (President) of the Sunday School Department, spreading his love for learning, training and growth through the work of the Sunday School. He is the Pastor of the First Church of God in Christ, Crowley, LA., and the Gethsemane Church of God in Christ in Lafayette, LA. He continues to serve faithfully with the Louisiana First Jurisdiction, where Bishop Charles E. Blake, Sr., is the interim prelate and Dr. James W. Proctor, the Bishop Designate. In addition to his ministerial duty, Bishop Gatlin is a great supporter of family and community. He is married to Supervisor Vanessa Winbush Gatlin. They have two sons, one daughter by marriage, three beautiful granddaughters and one grandson.

### Sunshine Band, page 114

**Moderator:** Leslie Pace: Room 264

Leslie Pace is the author of The International Sunshine Band children’s literature. She received her certification in Early Childhood Education from Dekalb Technical Institute, 1996. She currently serves as the president of the International Sunshine Band. Leslie Pace is also a part of the renowned gospel ensemble The Anointed Pace Sisters. Leslie’s greatest gift is ministering to children and sharing with them, in her unique way, how much God loves them and all the amazing things He has planned for them.

### Supervisors Without Charge page 115

**Moderator** Mother Francis E. Harris: Main Floor F

Supervisor Frances Elizabeth Harris is married to Pastor Jerry L. Harris and have been married for 48 years. They have two adult children and one grandson. In 2014 General Supervisor Mother Willie Mae Rivers appointed Mother Harris as the Co-Chairperson of Supervisor’s Without Charge, Assistant Chair of the Resolution Committee and in 2015 Mother Harris was appointed a member of the Women’s Department Executive Board.

### Technology, page 116

**Moderator:** Elder Phillip Green: CC/127

PHILLIP XAVIER GREEN is the son of the late Bishop Samuel L. Green, Jr. and is the Pastor of Gospel Way COGIC. He serves in several positions in the church on the local, district, state and national level, the Director of COGIC Videos, a video production company that for more than 30 years has offered high quality digital video production for the Church of God in Christ, secular and other religious venues. Along with his wealth of experience, Pastor Green has traveled extensively throughout the US and Abroad. He and Mrs. Richelle Ricks Green reside in Hampton, VA, the parents of three children.
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Moderators: Elder Laurence Plummer, L. Plummer, Jnr: Room 143

Elder Laurence V. Plummer, Sr., a native of Bridgeport, Ct was with Bishop Gilbert E. Patterson and Temple of Deliverance for 17 years and he also was the chief administrator for the church. God led him to open his own ministry, named Love Fellowship Ministries, Inc. which was established in June of 2006. Love Fellowship Ministries has been bountifully blessed to have over 300 members in its first year of existence. Pastor Plummer is married to Nadine Plummer. They are the proud parents of four children, Letitia, Lauretta, Laurence, Jnr. and Laurenz, grandparents of Riley.

**Young Women’s Christian Council, page 118**

Moderator: Mother Maxine Billingsley X/116

Mother Maxine Billingsley, retired educator holds a B.A. degree from Friends University and a M.A. from Wichita State University. Saved and filled with the Holy Ghost at age six, her passion is serving the Lord and His church. She is a member of Victory Temple Outreach Ministries COGIC-Supt. Johnny Banks pastor where her duties include: trustee board member, Church Mother, Bible Band Teacher and sermonic soloist. She was appointed President of the International Young Women’s Christian Council April 2011 by Mother Rivers. She desires to positively impacting the lives of young women of the Church Of God In Christ and worldwide.

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