

# African Methodist Episcopal Church Fifth Episcopal District Lay Organization

July 29th – July 31st 2015 | Airport Hilton | Kansas City, MO



**BARBARA MOORE**

*3RD VICE PRESIDENT, 5th District Lay Organization*

**FIFTY-EIGHTH (58TH) ANNUAL SESSION**  
**FIFTH DISTRICT LAY CONVENTION**

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# Introduction

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To: Bishop T. Larry Kirkland, Presiding Prelate of the Fifth Episcopal District; Mrs. Mary Kirkland, Episcopal supervisor; Dr. Willie Glover, Connectional Lay President; Connectional Officers; Mr. Simeon Rhoden, President, Fifth Episcopal District Lay Organization; Fifth District Lay Officers; Presiding Elders; Pastors; Clergy; Delegates; Visitors and Friends

## **DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES ELECTD AT THE DISCRETION OF DIVISIONS**

As Third Vice President: Coordinate such duties as Personal Evangelism and coordinating those efforts with the appropriate departments, within the church, and in the absence of the President, First Vice President and Second Vice President preside at the meetings and assume all the duties of the office of President.

# Major Activities

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- **Projects/Engagements:**

- Coordinated the Outreach Campaign for the 5<sup>th</sup> Episcopal District Lay Organization “Help Prevent the Spread of Ebola”
- Personal Evangelism Action Plan Revised and shared with Conference Presidents
- Established an Evangelism Team
- Developing Material on 10 of the Basic Fundamentals of Christianity
- Conference Participation

# Major Meetings

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- 5<sup>th</sup> District Planning Meeting – October 27-28, 2014, Los Angeles, CA
- 5<sup>th</sup> District 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Lay Meeting – July 29 – 31, 2015, Kansas City, MO.

# CONFERENCE INPUT AND PARTICIPATION

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- Process for Engaging Local Lay Organizations – Ray Thomas
- Conference Support and Engagement – PNW President, S. Lee

# Future Plans

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- Complete Development of Material for the Remaining four Fundamentals
- Prepare a Composite Document incorporating all 10 Fundamentals into a single working Document for use at all Levels
- Work with Conference Presidents in coordinating with Local Presidents on implementation

# Recommendations

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- Bring the Personal Evangelism Team together in a Central Location to prepare the Composite Document.
- Composite Document – Completed it will contain information on all 10 Fundamentals taken from the “raw data” developed from all research.
- Raw Data to be posted on the District Website for all to use in the 3<sup>rd</sup> VPs Corner.

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# Questions

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