



SCCLO LAY COUNCIL- JAN 16TH DO YOU KNOW? – PART I

Please read each statement and place a checkmark (✓) next to your best answer. Please give reference page from 2012 Book of Discipline. Bring your completed Task Sheet to the Lay Council session on Jan 16th.

STATEMENT	YES/NO/ #	COMMENTS
1. There are ___ Articles of Religion which state the values, beliefs and doctrines of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.	25 ___ 26 ___ 35 ___	
2. There are FOUR conferences in the organizational structure of the AME church.	True ___ False ___	
3. The conferences in the AME church are: Church conference, Quarterly Conference, District Conference, Annual Conference, Episcopal District, and General Conference.	True ___ False ___	
4. Every Episcopal District must be incorporated.	Yes ___ No ___	
5. The Presiding Elder is the Middle Manager between the local church and the Presiding Bishop	True ___ False ___	
6. The Presiding Elder can make pastoral appointments when a vacancy occurs between annual conferences.	True ___ False ___	
7. The Official Board shall meet monthly. The Church Conference will also meet every month.	True ___ False ___	
8. The Official Board shall be composed of all class leaders, exhorters, deaconesses, stewards, trustees, stewardesses, and presidents and secretaries of all organizations.	True ___ False ___	
9. Local Preachers (deacons & elders) shall be regarded as honorary members of the Official Board and shall be required to visit it at its regular sessions.	True ___ False ___	
10. The US Postal service will issue a stamp to honor the AME Church on February 2, 2016 in Washington, DC. It will also include the Emanuel 9 from Charleston.	True ___ False ___	
11. The General Conference is held every year in order for the Presiding Bishop to assign Pastors to congregations.	True ___ False ___	
12. The “Every Member Canvass” is a new game that the YPD has developed for ages 18 - 26.	True ___ False ___	
THANK YOU FOR SHARING YOUR KNOWLEDGE!!		