I looked for someone who might rebuild the wall of righteousness that guards the land. I searched for someone to stand in the gap...

Ezekiel 22:30a (NLT)

The 5th Episcopal District
African Methodist Episcopal Church

Wednesday, July 6 - Friday, July 8, 2011
Renaissance Las Vegas Hotel, Las Vegas, Nevada
Once again, we are preparing for another life changing gathering of the Fifth Episcopal District of the AME Church in A Call To The Wall 2:” Standing in the Gap.” From all indications this year’s Christian Education Summit will be bigger and better than ever. Las Vegas here we come, and we are coming in the power of the Holy Spirit.

I want to encourage those of you who attended last year to come back this year and bring somebody with you. The emphasis on rebuilding will be broadened to intentionally encourage God’s people to take the initiative to be proactive as we continue to rebuild the walls of our Zion. Ezekiel said it best in the third chapter and the thirtieth verse when he wrote, “I looked for someone who might rebuild the wall of righteousness that guards the land. I searched for someone to stand in the gap…”

The array of wall builders and gap standers we have invited to this event will encourage and enlighten our district like never before. I want to thank our Summit Partner, Tyndale House Publishers for all that you have committed to do as we prepare for A Call To The Wall.

Register now for this power-packed event. Space is limited and you don’t want to get left out. This is your call to not only help us rebuild the wall, but also to stand in the gap. We will see you on Wednesday, July 6- Friday, July 8 as we gather to hear from the Lord, and take a stand.

The Right Reverend Theodore Larry Kirkland, Presiding Prelate
Fifth Episcopal District
African Methodist Episcopal Church
Thursday Night Communion Service Preacher
Bishop Jeffrey Leath
Presiding Prelate, 19th Episcopal District AME Church

Wednesday Night Opening Worship Preacher
Dr. William H. Watley
Pastor
St. James AME Church, Newark, New Jersey

Wednesday Plenary Session and Thursday Morning Bible Study
Pastor Din Tolbert
Youth Pastor
Allen AME Church, Jamaica Queens, New York

Thursday Noonday Preacher
Dr. Carolyn D. Showell
Towson, Maryland

Friday Morning Bible Study
Dr. Raphael G. Warnock
Senior Pastor
Ebenezer Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia

Friday Noonday Youth and Young Adult Explosion
The Rev. Tawana Davis
Youth and Young Adult Minister
Shorter Community AME Church
Denver, Colorado

Guest Psalmist and Choir Clinician
Rev. Maurice Wright, II
Associate Director of Music, AME Church

Guest Sacred Dance Clinician
The Rev. Stephanie Butler Adams
Connectional Coordinator of the Drama Ministry AME Church
TENTATIVE AGENDA

WEDNESDAY | July 6, 2011

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Clergy Track

**C1  The Gift Of Gab for Standing in The Gap I** - This session will explore the basic elements of preaching the assurance of grace to those who need a word from the Lord.

**C2 Your Sons and Your Daughters:** Exploring Clergy Gender Issues - What accounts for the increase of female clergy and the decrease of males entering the ministry? This session will examine issues of gender and how they affect the dynamics of doing ministry.

Music and Sacred Dance Track

**MAC1 I Sing Because** – This session will be led by The Reverend Maurice Wright, Associate Director of Music for the AME Church and the Pastor of Bethel AME Church, Alexandria, LA. All Fifth District Choir Members and those interested in music ministry are invited to participate in this session.

**MAD1 Sacred Dance** - The Reverend Stephanie Butler Adams will teach an inter-generational session on how to give God praise through sacred dance. The class will perform during the Friday Night Concert.

Children’s Track (Ages 6 – 11)

**CGAP I Am Who God Says I Am** - Children ages 6 -11 will have the opportunity to learn Christian growth lessons through arts and crafts, videos and lesson presentations.
Youth Track (Ages 12 – 17)
Y1 The Game: Sex, Lies, and Living for Christ - This session is designed to look at the BET episodes of the sitcom “The Game” in order to lead young men and women in a biblically based discussion of secular themes.

Y2 Who?, Me?, Really? Prove It! - This session is designed to help youth attendees understand the basic message of salvation. How can God love us and how can we know for sure that we have a relationship with Jesus Christ?

Young Adult Track (Ages 18 – 35)
YA1 Looking For Love In All The Wrong Places (Ages 18 – 25) - What does it take to develop healthy, whole relationships? This session will help young adults develop habits that will lead to lasting love relationships.

YA2 Single, Saved and Satisfied (Ages 26 – 35) - This session will lead Christian, single young adults in a discussion that will affirm and strengthen the lives of those who have chosen to live single.

Adult Evangelism Track
AE1 Christian Education: Reaching through Teaching - The session is for Church School Teachers and Lay Bible Study Leaders who want to sharpen their teaching skills or develop their teaching gift.

AE2 When Saints Become Servants - What does it mean to be a Servant-Leader? This session will look at the Biblical perspective on cutting edge leadership practices.

THURSDAY Afternoon

11:45AM WORSHIP AT THE WALL
1:00 PM Lunch

2:30 -3:45 PM Mortar Mixing Sessions

Clergy Track
C3 The Gift Of Gab for Standing in The Gap II - (continuation of Session 1) This session will explore the basic elements of preaching the assurance of grace to those who need a word from the Lord.

C4 Big Brother is Watching: Tax Preparation for Preachers - Ever had someone tell you that preachers don’t have to pay taxes? Wrong! This session is designed to assist clergy with the latest rules concerning tax preparation.

Music and Sacred Dance Track
MAC2 I Sing Because
MAD2 Sacred Dance

Children’s Track (Ages 6 – 11)
CGAP I Am Who God Says I Am - Children ages 6 -11 will have the opportunity to learn Christian growth lessons through arts and crafts, videos and lesson presentations.
Youth Track (Ages 12 – 17)
Y3 The Game: Sex, Lies and Living for Christ – This is a repeat of the 10:15 AM Session.
Y4 Who?, Me?, Really? Prove It! – This is a repeat of the 10:15 AM Session.

Young Adult Track (Ages 18 – 35)
YA 3 How to Set Your Faith on Fire (Ages 18 – 25) – This session will lead young adults in a discussion about how to put their faith into action beyond the four walls of the local church.
YA4 Too Young to Lead, too Old to Lag (Ages 26 – 35) - How can the local church strengthen and increase the participation and leadership role of young adults?

Adult Evangelism Track
AE3 Stewardship Giving through Stewardship Living - Have you ever had questions about the principal of tithing? This session will examine stewardship as a spiritual practice.
AE4 Growing a Successful Church School - This session will engage a round-table of church school leaders and superintendents in a dialogue and sharing of ideas on creating a successful church school program.

THURSDAY Late Afternoon

4:00 – 5:15 PM Mortar Mixing Sessions

Music and Sacred Dance Track
MAC3 I Sing Because
MAD3 Sacred Dance

Children’s Track (Ages 6 – 11)
CGAP God’s Anointed People – Spelling Bee – Children ages 6-11 will have the opportunity to learn and participate in the Biblical Spelling Bee.

Special Sessions
SS1 Sisters Standing in the Gap (Ages 12+) - An inter-generational dialogue between youth, young adult and adult women exploring issues related to becoming mature healthy and spiritual adults.
SS2 Brothers Standing in the Gap (Ages 12+) - An inter-generational dialogue between youth, young adult and adult men exploring issues related to becoming mature healthy and spiritual adults.
SS3 Clergy Session – The New Living Translation of an Ancient Message - The session is designed for Clergy who desire to learn how to use the New Living Translation of The Bible for teaching and preaching.
SS4 Youth and Young Adult Ministers Forum - Networking and brainstorming session between Youth and Young Adult Ministers in the Fifth Episcopal District

5:30PM – 6:45 PM Dinner
7:00 PM A CALL TO THE WALL COMMUNION WORSHIP SERVICE
9:30 PM-Midnight
Youth and Young Adult Bible Bricklaying Memorization Competition
Clergy Track
C5 Big Brother is Watching: Tax Preparation for Preachers – This session is a repeat of the 2:30 PM Session held on Thursday.
C6 This is to Certify: When The Preacher is Moved - This session is designed to assist clergy make a smooth transition when moving from one congregation to another.

Music and Sacred Dance Track
MAC-IV I Sing Because
MAD-IV Sacred Dance

Children’s Track (Ages 6 – 11)
CGAP God’s Anointed People – Spelling Bee – This is the final round of the Spelling Bee

Youth Track (Ages 12 – 17)
Y5 Music to My Ears or Mess to My Mind? - Can we enjoy the tune without being influenced by the lyrics? This session will help youth dialogue about the affects of certain types of music on the mind and on behavior.
Y6 So You Want to Go to College? - Are you prepared to go to college? What are the steps to apply? How does one apply for financial aid? This session will give you the tools you need to go to the next level.

Young Adult Track (Ages 18 – 35)
YA5 Faithfully Fixing Your Finances - Have you ever had difficulty making ends meet? This session will teach young adults how to fix their credit and budget their finances.

Adult Evangelism Track
AE5 Doing Church Outside The Box - We will explore ways to reinvent and energize the traditional Worship experience.
AE6 Write the Vision and Make it Plain - Perhaps you have a book inside of you waiting to be written. How does one start the process of becoming an author? This session will help you to “jump-start” the process.

Noon YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT EXPLOSION WORSHIP

7:00 PM Friday Night Praise Party
I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. I praise you, O LORD; teach me your decrees.
Psalm 119:11-12 (New Living Translation)

**CALLING ALL LOCAL CHURCHES TO ORGANIZE TEAMS FOR THE CALL TO THE WALL 2 - BIBLE MEMORIZATION COMPETITION!**

- The New Living Translation (NLT) Bible is the official translation of the competition
- Rounds will consist of - Speed Quizzing and Verse Quotation
- Speed Quizzing and Verse Quotation questions will be taken specifically from the Book of John and the Psalms.
- Maximum of 2 teams per church. One in each category:
  - **Category I:** 12 – 17
  - **Category II:** 18 - 25
- Teams will consist of a maximum of four (4) Team Members.
- All young people participating in the Bible Memorization must be registered by May 31, 2011.
- Speed Quizzing and Verse Quotation details are available online @ amec5th.net or shorterame.org.

**CELEBRATION GIFTS**
All participants will receive Certificates

Winning Teams will receive:
- Team and Individual Trophies or Medallions

Winning Team members will receive one of the following prizes:
- Apple iPads
- Barnes and Noble Nook Readers
- Book Scholarships
- $100, $50 and $25 Gift Cards

Prizes donated by
- Tyndale House Publishers
- and the
- Fifth Episcopal District
- Young People’s and Children’s Division

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**FRIDAY NIGHT PRAISE PARTY!**

Friday, July 8th
at 7:00 PM

Tickets are $10
(not included in registration)

Featuring

Da’T.R.U.T.H.


Additional performances by
“A Call to the Wall 2” Standing in the Gap Sacred Dance Ministry led by
Rev. Stephanie Butler Adams

Register for an opportunity to be featured at the Call to the Wall Friday Night Praise Party.
Please send an email to calltowall@aol.com by Sunday, May 1, 2011.
THURSDAY | JULY 7TH | 10:15 – 11:30AM

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  C2  Your Sons and Your Daughters: Exploring The Clergy Gender Issues

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Adult Evangelism Track
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  AE2  When Saints Become Servants

THURSDAY | JULY 7TH | 2:30 – 3:45 PM

Clergy Track
  C3  The Gift of Gab for Standing in the Gap (continuation of C1)
  C4  Big Brother is Watching: Tax Preparation for Preachers

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Music and Sacred Dance Track
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A “Call to the Wall 2” Headquarters
RENAISSANCE LAS VEGAS HOTEL
Accommodations Group Code: 5th District Summit
$89 night + 12% tax
1.800.750.0980
Deadline: Friday, June 17, 2011
### Registration Form

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### CONFERENCE

- [ ] Pacific Northwest
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PRESIDING ELDER DISTRICT: ____________________________

LOCAL CHURCH: ____________________________

First Name: ____________________________  Last Name: ____________________________

Address: ____________________________

City: ____________________________  State: ________  Zip: ________

Phone: ____________________________

Email: ____________________________

[ ] CALL TO THE WALL T-SHIRT:

Child: $10  [ ] Small  [ ] Medium  [ ] Large

Adult: $15  [ ] Small  [ ] Medium  [ ] Large  $20  [ ] 1X  [ ] 2X  [ ] 3X

$25  Indicate Size if larger than 3X ______

[ ] CALL TO THE WALL CONCERT  *(not included in Registration)*

Tickets are $10 each  # tickets: _____ x $10 = _____

### REGISTRATION SUMMARY

- Payment Method  [ ] Check  [ ] Money Order/Cashier’s Check
- Make checks payable to: Desert Mountain Conference *(Registration may be transferred/no refunds)*

Children/Youth (6 – 17): $_________

Young Adult/Adult (18 +): $_________

T- Shirt: $_________

Concert # Tickets ______ x $10: $_________

Total Submitted: $_________

### MORTAR MIXING SESSIONS

Please check the code for the Session you desire to attend. One code per time

- **Thursday 10:15 AM**
  - [ ] C1  [ ] C2  [ ] MAC1  [ ] MAD1  [ ] CGAP  [ ] Y1  [ ] Y2  [ ] YA1  [ ] YA2  [ ] AE1  [ ] AE2
- **Thursday 2:30 PM**
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- **Thursday 4:00 PM**
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- **Friday 10:00 AM**
  - [ ] C5  [ ] C6  [ ] MAC4  [ ] MAD4  [ ] CGAP  [ ] Y5  [ ] Y6  [ ] YA5  [ ] AE5  [ ] AE6

Mail completed form and payment to:

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