

# PNBC SOUTHWEST REGION

# 52 MANNUAL SESSION

"It's Time to Embrace!"
Esther 4:14



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# PROGRESSIVE NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION, INC. REVEREND DAVID R. PEOPLES, PRESIDENT

### Southwest Region

Reverend Larry D. Foster, Sr., Vice President-At-Large

PNBC Southwest Region 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session Theme: "It's Time" - To Embrace (ESTHER 4:14)

"We always thank God for all of you and continually mention you in our prayers. We remember before our God and Father your work produced by faith, your labor prompted by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ." I THESSALONIANS 1:2-3

Greetings beloved. I am beyond excited to share with my Southwest Region Family our plans for our 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session to be held June 25<sup>th</sup> to June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023 in Las Vegas, Nevada. This is an Election Year and we will need your support. To God be all the glory for the things He has done.

Our 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session is being held at the Flamingo Hotel & Casino located at 3555 Las Vegas Blvd. South, Las Vegas, NV 89109. It is a 4.5 Star Hotel. For Reservations you may call the Hotel directly at (702) 733-3111 or click the following link: <a href="https://book.passkey.com/go/SFPNB3">https://book.passkey.com/go/SFPNB3</a>. June 9<sup>th</sup> is the cutoff for reservations and pre-registration.

Henry Embry, Jr., President, Laymen's Department, will present their Annual Program at 5:00 p.m., Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at the Tried Stone Baptist Church, Reverend Ronnie W. Smith, Pastor. Dr. Frank Maxie, President, Congress of Christian Education, along with his Staff and Faculty have planned an outstanding Congress Curriculum with outstanding Instructors. Marian Olison, President, Women's Department, is Hosting their Annual Goldie Mae Hollie

This communication includes: 1) Registration Form, 2) Congress Class Listing, 3) Program Book Committee Letter 4) Program Book Ad Form and 5) Week-At-A-Glance.

Scholarship Luncheon on Wednesday, June 28th. Tickets are \$100.00 per ticket.

If you have any questions or need additional information you may to reach us at: <a href="mailto:pnbcsouthwest@gmail.com">pnbcsouthwest@gmail.com</a>. May the God of hope fill you with peace and joy until we come together at the 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session in Las Vegas! Thank you in advance. **LET"S DO IT TOGETHER!** 

In HIS Service, For HIS Glory!

Reverend Larry Foster, Sr.
PNBC Southwest Region Vice President-At-Large

**Enclosures** 

Theme: "It's Time" – To EMBRACE
The call on our lives, having a keen interest in the kingdom ESTHER 4:14



## PROGRESSIVE NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION, INC. 52nd SOUTHWEST REGION ANNUAL SESSION

**JUNE 25 – 28, 2023** 

Host Hotel: Flamingo Las Vegas Hotel, 3555 S. Las Vegas Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89109 Host Church: True Love Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Charles Hemphill, Jr., Pastor Nevada State Convention of PNBC, Dr. Willie Jacobs, Jr., President

REGISTRATION FORM \$250.00 [pre-registration] or \$300.00 [on-site] PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 9, 2023 Registration fee per Church, State Convention, State Fellowship or Association

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#### PROGRESSIVE NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION, INC.

#### **Southwest Region 2023 Congress Classes**

2023 PRIMARY Class (Ages 3-7)

2023 Course # 216.A 216.B Exploring the Bible with Children

**Instructor:** Cynthia Drew (CA)

Course Description: This class offers exciting, fun activities for children as they explore the Bible and seek to

learn the stories of old.

Supporting Material & Resources: "Bible Stories About Jesus" by Darlene Hoffa & Pamela J. Kuhn

2023 PRE-TEEN CLASS / JUNIORS (Ages 8-12)

2023 Course # 216.C Exploring the Bible with Children

**Instructor:** Melina O'Neal (CA)

Course Description: This class offers exciting, fun activities for children as they explore the Bible and seek to

learn the stories of old.

Supporting Material & Resources: "Your Child and the Christian Life" by Rick Osborn & Bowler

**2023 TEEN CLASS (Ages 13-17)** 

2023 Course # 314.95 Turning Our Crisis Into Opportunity

**Instructor:** NyKol Island (CA)

**Course Description:** We are approaching a change in human history in an ever-changing world. This class will help build a Scriptural foundation for identifying crises these changes bring and how to react wisely in that crisis. The students will learn how to turn adversity into opportunity, thus laying a Christian foundation for the culture and civilization of the future.

Supporting Material & Resources: "Crisis, Opportunity, and the Christian Future" by James B. Jordan

#### 2023 YOUNG ADULT CLASS (Ages 18-35)

#### 2023 Course # 412.1 Current Trends Affecting Young Adults

**Instructor:** Minister Vivian J. Tyson (OK)

**Course Description:** Many young adults want to become active in the church but do not know how. This course seeks to motivate students to inquire about the kind of things which young adults can do in church. Students will understand why young adults are motivated, why they process a spiritual impulse to work, and how work is done. The student will gain perspectives in the innovation process of the church witness and work which can be used as a clinic for young adult work.

Supporting Material & Resources: "What Google Can't Give' by Dr. Brianna K. Parker

#### 2023 ADULT CLASS #1 - (Ages 18+)

#### 2023 Course # 412.1 The Church in Areas of Social Tension/ Social Justice

**Instructor:** Reverend D'Andre Foster (OK)

**Course Description:** How do we address racism, hate, and gross systemic injustice as authentic Christians. We are seeking to clearly define authentic Christianity based on the Holy Scriptures. This course will help students understand the role of the Christian Church during social crisis. This course is a kind of pre-clinical perspective of how the church should behave amid social tensions as a redeemed community.

**Supporting Materials & Resources: "**The Cross and the Lynching Tree," by James Cone," "Dare We Speak of Hope," by Allen Boesak, "Stand Your Ground: Black Bodies and the Justice of God," by Kelly Brown Douglas.

#### **2023 ADULT CLASS 2 - (ages18+)**

# Course # 901.2 <u>Black Economics/Financial Literacy for the Black Church and the Black Community</u> Instructor: Krystle Foster, MBA (OK)

**Course description:** This course is focused on financial preparedness and strategies of great value in our Christian black family today, because of the economic condition of many blacks in our nation. The student will be introduced to financial literacy and planning, and also wealth building for the family, and financial management. The students will learn hiring and firing practices and how they affect the wealth gap. This class is designed to bring awareness to economic and financial challenges and help end the cycle of poverty in the black community.

Supporting Materials & Resources: "10 Commandments of Black Economic Power" by Dr. Royce Watkins

#### 2023 ADULT CLASS 3 - (ages 18+)

#### Course #100 Christian Discipleship

**Instructor:** Reverend David McKinley (CA)

**Course Description:** This course is designed to provide students with the fundamentals of discipleship based on the process of disciple making taught and modeled by Jesus Christ. It will endeavor to make the point that disciples are made and not born. Efforts will be put forth to equip students for life in the real world. Spiritual reality must be made distinct from the whims of human leaders. This is a practical, Biblical approach to revolutionizing the work of the ministry Christ called us to in the Great Commission.

Supporting Materials & Resources: "Disciples are Made and not Born," by Walter Henrichsen

**2023 Adult Class 5** - (Ages 18+)

Course #B104 – How to Read & Study the Bible

**Instructor:** Deacon Reggie Lyles (CA)

**Course Description:** Spiritual warfare through the word of God; equipping modern Christians. This class focuses on how issues involving race, class and gender influence our understanding of the bible. It will examine the core teachings and fundamental scriptures defining an authentic Christian life. The emphasis is on "holiness" and "righteousness" as defined by Christ and the Apostles.

**Supporting Materials & Resources:** "Reading the Bible from the Margins, by Miguel A. De La Torre

#### **2023 MINISTER'S SEMINAR**

#### Course #900 Preaching & Teaching What Matters Most Today

- Ambassadors of the Gospel Message of Salvation through Jesus Christ
- Defenders of The Christian Faith" and "Protectors of the Christian Community"
- A Voice Crying in The Wilderness Through The Power of Christ Jesus
- Taking A Stand Against Injustice, Speaking Truth to Power In and Out of The Church

Instructors: Reverend Ryan Small (CA), Dr. Warren Stewart, Sr., (AZ)

**Course Description:** This course is designed for pastors and ministers of the Gospel. Included are guest speakers, lecturers, mini-sermons, and preachers speaking on vital issues happening today; addressing various serious problems ministers are facing in this generation.

**Supporting Resource Materials & Guest Presentations:** TBD by Facilitators / Presenters / Instructors

#### **Contact Information:**

**Dr. Frank Maxie** E-Mail: famaxie@hotmail.com, (713) 855-3840 (text before calling)

#### PNBC SOUTHWEST REGION YOUTH DEPARTMENT

Reverend Angela Riley, 2023 Youth Department Advisor and Youth Program Activities Coordinator

# 52<sup>nd</sup> Southwest Region Annual Session Week At A Glance

<u>Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup></u> 5:00 p.m. Annual Laymen's Sunday Evangelistic Service

Tried Stone Baptist Church

Reverend Ronnie W. Smith, Pastor

Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> 12:00 p.m. Closed Executive Board Meeting

2:00 p.m.

Youth Meet & Greet

7:00 p.m. Welcome & Mission Service

**Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>** 7:30 a.m. Congress In Session

10:45 a.m. OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE 52<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL SESSION

2:00 p.m. All Department Meetings

7:00 p.m. Dr. Major L. Jemison Hour – 17<sup>th</sup> PNBC President

Wednesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> 7:30 a.m. Congress In Session

10:45 a.m. ELECTION

Dr. J. Alfred Smith, Sr. Hour - 12th PNBC President

1:00 p.m. Women's Annual Goldie Hollie Scholarship Luncheon

7:30 p.m. Presidential/Congress of Christian Education Awards

**PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS** 

**Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup>** 10:00 a.m. Open Executive Board Meeting

Communion Service and Installation of Officers

Parting Message:



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## Southwest Region

Reverend Larry D. Foster, Sr., Vice President-at-Large P. O. Box 11283, Oklahoma City, OK 73136

### 2023 SOUTHWEST REGION PROGRAM BOOK COMMITTEE

Dear Pastors and Congregations,

Greetings, in the name of our precious Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

The Progressive National Baptist Convention – Southwest Region (PNBC-SWR) will celebrate our 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session in person beginning June 25 – June 29, 2023. The PNBC-SWR has been faithfully serving with integrity the states and communities represented in the Southwest Region for 52 years. President Foster and the PNBC-SWR officers are preparing for an exciting Annual Session to make a powerful impact even in a virtual space. PNBC-SWR is intentional about impacting our various communities as we serve this present age our calling to fulfill.

To mark our return to in person meeting, after being social distance due to the pandemic. President Foster and the officers, want to commemorate our return to in person meeting, by compiling a Commemorative Program Book.

We PNBC-SWR would like to invite our Pastors, Church Leaders and Friends of the Southwest Region, to help us celebrate by placing an ad in our Program Book.

Advertisement costs and details for the Program Book are as follows:

Full Page	\$ 150.00
Half-Page	\$ 100.00
Quarter Page	\$ 75.00
1/8 Page	\$ 50.00
Patrons	\$ 25.00

An advertisement form is enclosed for your convenience, the **deadline** for all ad submissions and payments will be due **Friday**, **June 9**, **2023**.

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### Progressive National Baptist Convention - Southwest Region

52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Session

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