



**The 143rd Session
The West Tennessee Annual Conference**

Date of Annual Conference: October 5 – 8, 2017

Component Report

Name of Component	West Tennessee Conference Women’s Missionary Society
Number of Members in the Annual Conference	258
Number of Conference Meetings held	5
Average Attendance at Conference Meetings	75
Number of Executive Board Meetings	1
Average Attendance at Executive Board Meetings	10

List Dates and Locations for Conference Meetings

Date	Location
<u>12-12-2016</u>	<u>Noah Chapel AME Church</u>
<u>01-14-2017</u>	<u>Mt. Sinai AME Church</u>
<u>03-04-2017</u>	<u>Mt. Olive AME Church</u>
<u>06-17-2017</u>	<u>St. James AME Church</u>
<u>09-09-2017</u>	<u>Ward Chapel AME Church</u>

What were the goals for the last conference year?

- **Identify one local mission project to support**
- **Continue the adopt school reading programs**
- **Identify one global mission project to support**
- **Raise funds to support district and connectional projects**
- **Raise funds to support Quadrennial delegates and life members**
- **Increase Conference YWI membership**
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What was accomplished on the annual conference level?

- Collected new books during AME Works Day and then distributed to local schools, daycare and headstart centers
- Supported disaster reliefs missions throughout the Connection
 - \$400.00 to aide for Hurricane Matthew
 - \$250.00 to the 14th District – Sierra Leone mudslides
 - \$250.00 to the 10th District – Hurricane Harvey
 - \$250.00 to the 11th District – Hurricane Irma
- Supported the Conference Mission Projects
 - \$500.00 to Manna House/Union Mission for feeding homeless
 - \$175.00 for bus passes to support pre-trial services for criminal charges of individuals. Passes allow them to get to legal appointments, court dates, etc.
 - Provided personal care items and clothing to support homeless needs
- Supported the District – hosting the 2017 Executive Board Meeting
 - \$100.00 to help with purchase of items for registrants gift bags
 - \$1,500.00 to help District needs as host for Executive Board
- Raised funds to support the upcoming expenses for the West Tennessee Conference WMS attending the Quadrennial in 2019
 - Raised over \$4,000.00 to help with delegate and life member expense

Do you have your goals for this coming year? If so, please list.

- Identify one local Environmental Justice project to support
- Identify one global Environmental Justice project to support
- Continue to collect and donate books for local reading programs
- Continue to support homelessness projects
- Provide training to prepare members for the ministry and service of missions

Component Financial Information

Balance in Treasury as of July 1, 2017	\$ <u>14,217.92</u>
Total income (July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017).....	\$ <u>34,809.42</u>
Total expenses (July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017)	\$ <u>37,622.38</u>

(NOTE: \$17,030.88 income was brought forward from 2016 Conference Year)

Please attach the following:

1. Financial statement of summary details of income and expense.
2. Copy of your Budget for the last annual conference year.
3. Copy of the financial assessments/requests on each congregation.
4. List of officers

African Methodist Episcopal Church
 West Tennessee Annual Conference Women's Missionary Society
 Sister Mary T. Jones, President

Budget for 2016-2017

INCOME

Budget from churches	\$10,000 (Estimated)	
Dues \$45.00/Member (305 approx.)	\$13,625	
Fund raisers		
WMS Brunch	\$3,000	
Annual Day Registration	\$3,000	
Annual Day Pre-Offering	\$4,500	
 Anticipated Income		 \$34,125.00

EXPENSE

<i>District</i>		
Budget \$7,250 X2	\$14,500	
Scholarship	\$1,000	
<i>Honoraria</i>		
Supervisor	\$2,000	
President	\$300	
Miscellaneous	\$700	
<i>Conference</i>		
President Lodging	\$2,000	
President Registrations	\$300	
President Offerings	\$600	
<i>Operating Expense</i>		
Postage	\$300	
Supplies and Printing	\$425	
Office Expense	\$500	
Miscellaneous Honoraria	\$600	
 Tanner Turner	 \$800	
I Care	\$400	
Mission Projects	\$5,000	
 Anticipated Expense		 \$29,425.00
Tentative Quadrennial Expense		4,700.00
 TOTAL EXPENSE		 \$34,125.00

WEST TENNESSEE CONFERENCE BRANCH
WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
2016-2017 CONFERENCE BRANCH OFFICERS

President	Mary T. Jones
1 st Vice President	J'Bunta Washington
2 nd Vice President	Gloria Foster
3 rd Vice President	Katherine McDaniel
Recording Secretary	Gloria Whitehead
Assistant Recording Secretary	Margaret Barrentine
Corresponding Secretary	Sonya Boyce
Treasurer	Ella M. Standberry
Parliamentarian	Brenda Hudgins
Worship Director	Rosa Dennis
Director of Promotion Missionary Education	Damita Martin
Member at Large of Young Women's Initiative	Iris Myers
Historiographer/Statistician	Rochelle Pirtle
Director of Young People's & Children's Division	Janice Holliday
President of Young People's & Children's Division	Christopher Herbert

**South Memphis District WMS Conference Branch
Church Budgets**

Church	Contact Person		2016-2017 Budget
St. Andrew AME Church	Rev. Byron Moore	Rev. Sharon Moore	\$ 1,200.00
New Tyler AME Church	Rev. Derrell Scott		\$ 363.80
Ward Chapel AME Church	Rev. Eric J. Knowles		\$ 353.88
New Allen AME Church	Rev. Agnes Henderson		\$ 321.52
Mt. Zion AME Church	Rev. Stanley T. Richardson		\$ 325.00
New Greater Bethel AME- Jackson	Rev. Sabina Transou		\$ 125.00
Noah Chapel AME Church	Rev. Kelvin Robinson		\$ 225.00
Bethel AME Church - Memphis	Rev. Barbara Green		\$ 227.80
Wilson Chapel AME Church	Rev. Gary Fair		\$ 125.00
White's Chapel AME Church	Rev. Hilda Taylor		\$ 225.00
New Lewis Chapel AME Church	Rev. Bobbie Carter		\$ 125.00
Galilee AME Church	Rev. Perry Herman		\$ 189.00
Wright's Chapel AME Church	Rev. Errol Thomas		\$ 125.00
St. Paul AME Church-Salttillo	Rev. Marlin O. Barrentine, Sr.		\$ 125.00
St. Mary AME Church-Salttillo	Rev. Marlin O. Barrentine, Sr.		\$ 125.00
Freedman Chapel AME Church	Rev. John Moore		\$ 125.00
Spring Chapel AME Church	Rev. Amanda Speed		\$ 125.00
St. Mark Parsons AME Church	Rev. Jerry Epperson		\$ 125.00
Long Chapel AME Church			\$ 125.00
Total			\$ 4,681.00

**North Memphis District WMS Conference Branch
Church Budgets**

Church	Pastor			Budget 2016-2017
St. James AME Church	Rev. Walter Henry			\$ 931.70
Avery Chapel AME Church	Rev. Lula M. Martin			\$ 225.00
Providence AME Church	Rev. Kirk W. Ridley			\$ 355.00
Quinn Chapel AME Church - Paris	Rev. Dr. John Dandridge			\$ 225.00
Mt. Sinai AME Church	Rev. David Yancy			\$ 225.00
Greer Chapel AME Church	Rev. Colleen Gibson			\$ 225.00
Mt. Olive AME Church	Rev. Gregory McCollins, Sr.			\$ 125.00
Salter's Chapel AME Church	Rev. George Turks			\$ 225.00
St. John AME Church	Rev. Ivy Hudson-Cortez			\$ 125.00
Brown Chapel AME Church	Rev. Clay Holiday, Sr.			\$ 125.00
Greater Payne AME Church	Rev. Quinten Smith			\$ 225.00
Greenwood AME Church	Rev. Anthony Branch			\$ 225.00
St. Mark AME Church	Rev. Dave Adams			\$ 225.00
St. Paul AME Church - Fulton	Rev. Anthony Hodges			\$ 125.00
Mt. Herman AME Church	Rev. Janie Dandridge			\$ 225.00
Williams Chapel AME Church	Rev. John Hall, Jr.			\$ 125.00
"Chain breakers" AME Church	Rev. Clay Holiday, Jr.			\$ 125.00
St. Paul AME Church - Memphis	Rev. Linda Evans			\$ 125.00
Mt. Pisgah AME Church				\$
Allen Chapel AME Church - Paris	Rev. Clonia Young			\$ 125.00
Christ Tabernacle AME Church	Rev. Verlie Horton			\$ 125.00
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Total				\$ 4,436.70