

**The 152<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Kentucky Annual Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church**  
**Location: St. Luke United Methodist Church**  
**2351 Alumni Drive**  
**Lexington KY 40517**

**September 12-15, 2019**

**Host Church**  
**Historic St. Paul Chapel AME Church**  
**251 N Upper St.**  
**Lexington, KY 40507**

**The Right Reverend Jeffrey N. Leath, Presiding Bishop**  
**Dr. Susan Leath, Episcopal WMS Supervisor**  
**The Reverend William R. T. Hale, Host Presiding Elder, Commonwealth District**  
**The Reverend Dr. Robert A. Strode, Host Pastor**

**Report of the Committee on Missions, Circuits and Stations**

To: Bishop Jeffrey N. Leath, Dr. Susan J. Leath, WMS Episcopal Supervisor, General Officers, Connectional Officers, Presiding Elders, Clergy, Laity, members and guests of the 152<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Kentucky Annual Conference. Your committee on Missions, Circuits and Stations begs leave to make the following report.

**The Louisville District**

The Louisville District is composed of 11 churches. the Committee on Missions, Circuits, and Stations recommends that all of the following churches retain station status:

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| 1. Quinn Chapel, Louisville     | 6. Saint Mark, Louisville          |
| 2. Ralph Avenue, Louisville     | 7. Bethel, Shelbyville             |
| 3. Asbury Chapel, Louisville    | 8. Greater Taylor Chapel, Franklin |
| 4. Embry Chapel, Elizabethtown  | 9. St. Paul, Woodburn              |
| 5. Taylor Chapel, Bowling Green | 10. Ward Chapel, Scottsville       |

After consultation with Presiding Elder William W. Easley, Jr. we recommend no change in the status of St. Paul Mission. Mission charge on the Louisville District is:

St. Paul Mission, Owensboro

**The Commonwealth District**

The Commonwealth District is composed of 9 churches. After consultation with Presiding Elder William Hale, the Committee on Missions, Circuits, and Stations recommends that all of the following churches retain station status.

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| 1. St. Paul, Lexington     | 6. St. James, Covington      |
| 2. Quinn Chapel, Lexington | 7. Barnes Temple, Elsmere    |
| 3. St. Paul, Richmond      | 8. Shorter Chapel, Paris     |
| 4. St. James, Cynthiana    | 9. Wayman Chapel, Georgetown |
| 5. St. Matthew, Midway     |                              |

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**The Bluegrass District**

The Bluegrass District is composed of 15 churches. The Committee on Missions, Circuits, and Stations recommends that all of the following churches retain station status: made petition to close.

1. St. John, Frankfort
2. St. Paul, Versailles
3. St. James, Danville
4. St. Peter, Harrodsburg
5. Bethel, Boneyville
6. Davis Chapel, Somerset
7. Bethel, Campbellsville
8. Mt. Zion, Fraizer
9. St. James, Ashland
10. St. John, Monticello
11. St. Paul, Manchester
12. St. John, Greenup
13. Wayman Chapel, Barboursville
14. Craig Chapel, Salvisa

Allen Chapel Moreland has petitioned the Annual Conference to close. After consultation with Presiding Elder Kenneth Golphin, the Committee recommends that Allen Chapel AME Church, Moreland be removed from the list of churches in the Kentucky Annual Conference; any remaining members be encouraged to transfer to other AME congregations; and the property be listed as abandoned and placed into the hands of the Trustees of the Kentucky Annual Conference.

This concludes our report to the 152<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Kentucky Annual Conference.

*Respectfully submitted,*

The Reverend June Anderson-Dorsey, Chair  
The Reverend Ralph B. Smith  
The Reverend Melanie Samuels-Black  
The Reverend Kent Burley  
The Reverend Laurice Martin  
Sister Ruth Ann Bryant  
Brother Roy Bowens  
Sister Gladys Faulkner  
Sister Carol Barbour