

SAVE THE DATE

- Important Dates for 2016:
- RABC Board Mtg, Sept. 3rd @ Rock of Ages MBC- Maumelle. Lunch will be served.
- National Bapt Convention, USA, Inc. Sept 5-9, 2016, Kansas City, MO
- RABC Women's Aux. Christian Leadership Conference 2016; Sept 16-17th @ Rock of Ages, Maumelle, Rev. Charles Brown, Host Moderator
- RABC Annual Session; Nov 14-17th @ Rock of Ages MBC, Maumelle, Rev. James Mackey, Host Pastor

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Pastor James E. Mackey,
President

... ...From the President's Pen

Greetings RABC!

In the wake of all the things happening in our midst, God is still Sovereign, and continues to pursue His people. His purpose has not been confounded. We thank God for the leadership of this convention. We thank Him for those who continue to complete the awesome task of their office each day.

This is a very busy time of the year with District Associations going on throughout the state. Let us keep lifting up one another before the Lord,

considering all the murdering of black males that has transpired recently in Minnesota, Dallas, Baton Rouge and other areas. Prayer is needed in our communities and churches across our Nation. Those things can happen anywhere in America, mainly because people do not have the love of and relationship with God like they should. I am asking Regular Arkansas to pray for unity among policemen and parishioners all over this country. I am asking RABC Pastors to set the fourth Sunday morning in September as the day we unify in prayer for our Nation. We pray that God will use these unnecessary acts to bring our country together instead of separating us.

Our annual board meeting will be held at Rock of Ages Missionary Baptist Church on Saturday morning, September 3rd at 10 a.m. Brunch will be served after the meeting. We ask that everyone come prepared to stay at least an hour to hear about pastors and parishioners retirement information that will be presented after lunch. Everyone is invited. I wish we could have had this meeting earlier but so much is going on. I look forward to seeing each of you so we may reconnect and revive our focus. Thank you, in advance for your affirmative response.

Women's Day Rehearsal
Saturday, September 10, 2016
10:00 a.m.
Rock of Ages MBC

KANSAS 2016

Seats still available
National Baptist Convention
Kansas City, MO
September 5-9, 2016
There's still room on the bus!
Interested? Please call
Sis. Ruthene Kelley
(870-671-4426
for info/reservations

LODGING for the 2016 CLC:

(Please mention RABC Woman's Auxiliary when making reservations.)

Hampton Inn, Maumelle, NS/DQ - 501.851.6600 - \$95/night
(Please reference Lola Thrower; hot breakfast included)

Holiday Inn Express, Maumelle, NS/DS - 501.851.4422
\$105/night Breakfast included

Quality Suites, Maumelle, DQ, 1K - 501.851.8444
\$80/night Hot breakfast included

Final day to book - September 2, 2016
Women's Day Colors: White w/Olive accessories



President Nina Glover

RABC Women's Auxiliary will celebrate its 14th Annual Christian Leadership Conference and Woman's Day on September 16-17, 2016 @ the Rock of Ages MBC. Pastor Charles Brown of the Middlewestern District is the Host Moderator. The theme is *Equipping Women for Ministry*, Ephesians 4:11-12. Registrations for classes will begin @ 5:30 p.m. on Friday, September 16th; the session will begin @ 6:00 p.m.; Saturday morning registration will begin @ 8:30 a.m., with classes from 9 - 11:00. Woman's Day will begin after the morning session. Our guest speaker is Dr. Carlene Canady of the Greater Union Hill MBC located in Middlewestern District. Please refer to the front page of this newsletter for lodging information. Hotel reservations must be secured by Sept. 2nd. Conference preregistration ends on September 6, 2016. You may still register online at the convention website. Participants may register for two classes, one each day. We urge the woman of our great convention to make a special effort to attend this conference. Excellent teaching and growth in the area of spiritual responsibility will take place as we strive to develop sisters who are **ROCKers** - Reaching Others for Christ' Kingdom. Should you have questions, please contact Sis. Lola J. Thrower @ 501.563.5091 or email her, lolathrower@gmail.com. We look forward to worship with you all weekend!



Dr. Carlene Canady

Dr. Carlene Canady is a strong advocate for children and has demonstrated a life-long commitment to them. She served as the Christian Academy Consultant for the Second Missionary Baptist Church and Touch of Grace Christian Academy. She also served as Executive Associate Assistant to the pastor and Pastor's Urgent Care Administrator, providing counseling and ministerial services to individuals of all ages.

Her role as Executive Assistant included the duties of an Associate Pastor, performing weddings, funerals, and various workshop developments. In addition, she served as Chaplin for the Grandview Police Department in Grandview, Missouri.

Dr. Carlene Canady rendered service in the Kansas City Missouri school district for 30 years. Prior to her retirement, she served as a teacher for 14 years, an Instructional Assistant to the Principal for six years and as a principal for ten years.

Dr. Canady's educational accomplishments include:

- ◆ An Elementary Education degree from the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff
- ◆ A Masters Degree in Guidance and Counseling from Central Missouri State University located in Warrensburg, Missouri
- ◆ An Educational Specialist Degree in Administration from the University of Missouri, Kansas City
- ◆ A Doctoral Degree in Pastoral Theology from Faith Bible College located in Independence Missouri

She is a wife, a mother of two, and a grandmother of nine. Carlene loves the Lord and has a passion for sharing her conviction of Christ with others. We urge you to come and share with her on Saturday, September 17, 2016 @ 11:30 a.m. @ Rock of Ages MBC, Maumelle, AR.

Photo Blog - NW Central Region Moderators Conference

Courtesy of Rev. Stephen Brooks, Moderator-Golden Rule District/Regional Director



Pastor Glover and Pastor Brooks



Conference Attendees



Pastor Glover and President Mackey

