

236th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey

Agenda

Saturday, March 7, 2020

- 7:00—9:30 a.m. Convention Registration—Crystal Foyer
Exhibit Set-up— Promenade Corridor
- 7:00—9:00 a.m. Breakfast (cash purchase at site)—Corner Café or Embers Restaurant
- 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist—Grand Ballroom— Bishop’s Address to the Convention:
The Rt. Rev. William H. Stokes, D.D.
Twelfth Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey
- 10:45—12:00 Business Session—Grand Ballroom
Opening Prayer by Convention Chaplain—The Rev. Jorge Martinez, Dcn.
Committee on Credentials of Lay Deputies—The Rev. Dr. Frank A. Hubbard
Committee on Classification of Congregations—The Rev. John V. Zamboni
Bishop’s Appointments—The Rt. Rev. William H. Stokes, D.D.
Rules of Order—Canon Paul Ambos, Esq.
Nominating Committee—Arthur G. Pedersen, Chair
Voting Instructions—The Rev. Leslie Mazzacano, Dcn., Ballot Committee Chair

First Ballot Cast

- Consent Calendar—Canon Paul Ambos, Esq.
Guest Acknowledgements and Introductions
Noon Day Prayers and Necrology—The Rev. Canon Robert H. Legnani
- Noon—12:45 p.m. Lunch - pick up **pre-paid** box lunch orders from the Hotel Lobby
(Must use pre-paid vouchers for pickup. Eat in Hotel Lobby, Crystal II, and Grand Ballroom)
- 12:45 p.m.—1:00 p.m. Session Resumption Prayer by Convention Chaplain: The Rev. Chizoba U. Nwankwo, Dcn.

Second Ballot Cast (may report sooner or later)

- 1:00 p.m.—1:10 p.m. Resources for Mission Survey Results—The Rev. Robert Fitzpatrick

Third Ballot Cast (may report sooner or later)

- 1:10 p.m.—1:25 p.m. Marks of Mission Giving Task Force—Mr. Gerald Harvey
- 1:25 p.m.—1:40 p.m. Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons—The Rev. Dr. John P. Mitchell
- 1:40 p.m.— 1:55 p.m. Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation—The Rev. W. Keith McCoy, Dcn.
- 1:55 p.m.—2:05 p.m. Committee on Resolutions—The Rev. Susanna P. Cates

Fourth Ballot Cast (may report sooner or later)

- 2:05 p.m.—2:45 p.m. Envisioning Schools of Discipleship—DOCC Steering Committee
- 2:45 p.m.—3:00 p.m. BREAK
- 3:00 p.m.—3:40 p.m. Envisioning Schools of Discipleship—DOCC Steering Committee
- 3:40 p.m.—4:10 p.m. Finance and Budget —Mr. Kirk Bonamici

Fifth Ballot Cast (may report sooner or later)

- 4:10 p.m.—4:20 p.m. The Rev. Canon Richard Wrede, Archivist—Celebratory Greetings
- 4:20 p.m.—4:25 p.m. Jubilee Officer—Canon Clara Gregory

Sixth Ballot Cast (may report sooner or later)

- 4:25 p.m.—4:30 p.m. Acknowledgements —The Rt. Rev. William H. Stokes, D.D.
- 4:30 p.m.—4:35 p.m. Annual Reports (by Title)—The Rt. Rev. William H. Stokes, D.D.
- 4:35 p.m. Closing Prayer by Convention Chaplain—The Rev. Carolyn Ann Bradley, Dcn.
Episcopal Blessing and Adjournment—The Rt. Rev. William H. Stokes, D.D.