

Investiture



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Bishop Carolyn Tyler Guidry
Presiding Prelate

African Methodist Episcopal Church
Eighth Episcopal District
Louisiana & Mississippi

Lola Nixon Cheltenham
Episcopal Supervisor

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Greetings from the Exciting, Exuberant, Eight Episcopal District, of the African Methodist Episcopal Church (AMEC). The Right Reverend Carolyn Tyler-Guidry is the Presiding Bishop and Mrs. Lola Nixon Cheltenham, Episcopal Supervisor. The Eight Episcopal District is making preparations to host the General Board and Council of Bishops Meeting, in the great City of New Orleans. The meeting will take place June 23rd – 25th, 2009 and will be hosted at the Sheraton New Orleans Hotel, 500 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA 70130, (504) 525-2500 (Reservations: Call (888) 627-7033 and mention the AME Church).

The highlight of this meeting is the Investiture Banquet, Tuesday, June 23rd at 7:00pm, where Bishop Carolyn Tyler-Guidry will take the gavel as President of the Bishop's Council. Come witness the unique festivities of the banquet, commencing with the parade of Bishops and General Officers, interweaving African heritage and a dash of New Orleans culture. "Remembering the Past, Honoring the Present, Celebrating the Future: An Incredible Call Comes Full Circle".

The Investiture Committee invites you to support the Investiture of our beloved bishop and district on this rare occasion. We are offering package pricing, which can include: banquet tickets; vending and/or exhibitors' space; and advertisement in our ad booklet (see attached Souvenir Journal Ad and Vending/Exhibit Application). All applications must be completed and returned by April 23rd. Please contact the district office at (601) 366-8240 and speak with Celestine Palmer or Rev. Michele Goodloe.

Once again thanks for your support and we look forward to seeing you in New Orleans for the Investiture of our Bishop, the Right Reverend Carolyn Tyler-Guidry.

Yours in Christ,

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