

Western NC United Methodist Church Black Church Clergy/Laity Symposium “A Call to Action Shaping the Future”

Saturday, August 24, 2019 ▪ 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Hood Theological Seminary (Aymer Center)
1810 Lutheran Synod Drive, Salisbury, NC 28144
Registration: \$20 per person/BMCR Members \$15



Rev. Angela Pleasants



Dr. Otto Harris



Rev. Brandon Wrencher



Dr. Fred A. Allen



Rev. Regina Henderson



Dr. Reginald Lee

Topics

- *The Relevance of the Black UM Church*
Rev. Angela Pleasants
- *How Can we Keep our Churches Alive?*
Dr. Otto Harris and Rev. Brandon Wrencher
- *The Time is NOW for Black Clergy/Laity*
Dr. Fred A. Allen
- *Navigating the Changing Landscape*
Rev. Regina Henderson

Worship

Celebrating the Giftedness of the Black Church
Dr. Reginald Lee, Preacher
Music by St. Mark's UMC Choir (Charlotte)

We look forward to engaging conversation on Saturday, August 24th at the Western NC UM Black Church Symposium. This time together will provide an opportunity to not only celebrate giftedness of the black church but to understand its relevance. Whether you are a pastor, ministry leader or church member, God has a calling for each of us in navigating the church's future. Each attendee will be engaged in all five topics. We seek and encourage the participation of AT LEAST 2 representatives (clergy and laity) from each congregation with African American constituency. Visit the registration link (needed in advance to prepare for event set-up and lunch). Worship will also be a part of this event and lunch is included.

Online Registration: <https://tinyurl.com/bmcrsymposium>
Offline: Mrs. JoAnn Carter (jac2405@aol.com or 336-379-0615)

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