



PASTORS AND ELDERS *Conference* 2020

THEME BUILDING THE BRETHEREN
LUKE 22:32

Virtual Worship Experience



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JURISDICTIONAL PRELATE



**FRIDAY
SEPTEMBER 11, 2020**
7:30PM CST
MEN AND WOMEN INSTITUTE WORKSHOPS
6:00PM - 7:20PM CST
PASTOR WILLIAM WILSON, PASTORS AND ELDERS COUNCIL CHAIRMAN



A VIRTUAL WORSHIP EXPERIENCE FOR THE ENTIRE MINISTRY



TEXAS GREATER SOUTHEAST FIRST ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION

September 8, 2020

Dear Saints of God,

WELCOME and **GREETINGS** to all participants and supporters of the Texas Greater Southeast First Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction's (TGSE-1) 2020 Pastors and Elders' Virtual Conference. The theme for this year is ***"Building the Brethren (Luke 22:32)."***

The Lord gave us foreknowledge through His Word that we would experience times of a "perilous" nature (full of danger and risk) in the last days. Yet the Psalmist in an expression of song to the chief Musician for the sons of Korah made a statement that stands true even today ***"God is our refuge & strength, a very present help in times of trouble."*** (Ps.46:1) As we gather during this Virtual Conference in the face of this global COVID-19 pandemic, God keeps His promises and confirms His Word to us as He keeps us in perfect peace through unrelenting focus on Him. As our Pastors and Elders, and our dear sisters in TGSE-1, continue to call upon the name of Christ, our cries for help are heard by God and He inclines His ear in our direction. We seek to encourage every delegate regardless of your specific personal concern, challenges or task. And our hope for you in these troublesome times is that your faith believes at present all you trusted in the past, ***"If God be for us, who can be against us?"***

I salute Leaders of TGSE1, including Administrative Assistants Cantue, Collins, Cooper and Hamilton, plus the beloved Supervisor of Women, Dr. Lena McClain, for the work wisdom and support she renders to serve God and His people. I do ask that you help me honor First Lady Lee Tate, for her grace and diligence in doing all she can besides me in this great harvest of souls. Let us lift the behind the scenes contributions of a Jurisdictional Secretary and Chief-of-Staff, both which give greatly to help make this State a model of excellence. But as this Conference proceeds, I must cheer the work delivered by the TGSE-1 Pastors' & Elders' Council Chairman, Pastor William Wilson, Sr., plus the officers of the Council & Conference Planning Committee for the totality of work and commitments that sustained us to bring this project to fruition.

Finally, my prayer is that God uses this Conference to ignite Kingdom-Building service and church-growth achievement results in wings to spread and soar in ways that are beyond all that you can ask or even think, according to the power that works in us.

In His service and for His glory,

Bishop Johnny A. Tate

Texas Greater Southeast First Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction

Bishop Johnny A. Tate
Jurisdictional Prelate
Dr. Lena I. McClain
Supervisor, Department of Women
Dr. Kendrek D. Herron
Jurisdictional Secretary



Dear Saints of God,

WELCOME and GREETINGS to all participants for the 2020 Pastors and Elders Conference for the Texas Greater Southeast First (TGSE-1) Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction. The theme for this year is "Building the Brethren (Luke 22:32)."

As in the day when God's call to alarm by Joel in prophetic anticipation of the coming day of the Lord provided a call to repentance, God's call today beckons the assembling of the elders, the children, the bridegroom and bride in turning wholeheartedly back to Him with "fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning: And rend your heart (sincerity), and not your garments (outward show), and turn unto the Lord your God (Joel 2:12-13). In the midst of a global pandemic, a global recession, widespread social injustice and racial tensions, rapidly changing global weather patterns, Middle East agreements between Israel and nations in the region promising "peace and prosperity," the Lord yet summons "the priests, the ministers of the Lord, (to) weep between the porch and the altar, and let them say, Spare thy people, O Lord (Joel 2:16-17)."

Many are facing challenges today they never thought they would see, but we who are in covenant relationship with God know (Rom. 8:28) that God Himself is the answer to every challenge, every trial, and every tribulation that humankind may experience. There are times that God uses circumstances to draw humankind's attention back to a heartfelt relationship with our Creator. This global pandemic and recession are no different. God is seeking to draw the hearts of all mankind back to Him. We encourage you to accept your personal responsibility to share the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ with others as God opens doors of opportunity during this season of repentance and returning to Him. As you allow God to use your voice and your personal experience of what God has done in your life as a witness to others, God's power to accomplish your divine purpose will be activated within you. Allow the Holy Spirit to stir your heart through the workshops and preached Word during this Conference to "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

Our prayer for each of you is that your head continue to be lifted up to God as we together look to the hills from whence cometh our help. Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

In His service and for His glory,

Pastor William W. Wilson, Sr.
Texas Greater Southeast First Jurisdiction
Chairman – Pastors and Elders Council



BISHOP RODERICK HENNINGS

a prolific speaker, renowned teacher, a powerful preacher, an apologist, one used by the Holy Ghost to “change lives in an unchanging world”. He is a lecturer, a coach and a leadership mentor.

Roderick L. Hennings founded Zion Dominion Global Ministries in 1993. His unique ability to communicate the Word of God without compromise attracts people from different socioeconomic backgrounds; races and nationalities; and has caused a continued growth in membership from 20 at inception to currently over several thousand.

Bishop Hennings successfully relocated Zion Dominion from a 30,700 square feet cathedral at 360 Genesee Street in Buffalo NY to a 14 acre campus at 895 North Forest Road in Amherst, NY in order to accommodate a global reach. As a result of his ministry and community efforts Genesee Street was renamed Roderick Hennings Way. A second location of the ministry was launched in Rochester, NY with a membership of over 400 and services held Saturday evening (Sunday on Saturday-SOS).

Bishop Hennings continues to serve the International and Jurisdictional COGIC church in several capacities: he is the International COGIC Vice Chairman of the Commission of Membership and Affiliation; In 2014 Bishop Hennings was appointed an Administrative Assistant and District Superintendent to Bishop Glenwood H. Young Sr. Jurisdiction Prelate of New York Western Jurisdiction #2. Bishop Hennings has previously served as: Chairman of the Ordination Board of Jurisdiction #1, Administrative Assistant to Jurisdictional Prelate of New York Western Jurisdiction #1, International, COGIC Vice President of the Youth Department; International COGIC Executive Board Member of the Men’s Department; and New York Western Jurisdiction #1 Institute Instructor. On November 8, 2015 at the COGIC 18th Holy Convocation, Roderick L. Hennings was consecrated to Bishop.

In 2015 the RLH Hennings Midwest College was launched, offering Associate, Bachelor, Master and Doctoral Degrees. The R.L. Hennings Midwest College held its first graduation in July 2016 with over 80 graduating students from across the state of New York. Bishop Hennings is also the author of a five star rated book “It’s A Matter of Dominion”.

In addition to his faithfulness to ministry, Bishop Hennings has a strong commitment to the general community. He currently sits on the board of directors for Best Self Behavioral Health, Inc. He has served on the Board of directors for the United Way and as a Board member of Grace Manor Nursing Home; Chairman for Buffalo Affiliate of BLCA (Black Leadership Commission on AIDS); a committee member of the Western New York Leadership Summit; he collaborated with Hopevale, Inc. to offer faith based services for abused women and children; applied and received grant monies to purchase new computers to increase computer literacy among people in low income areas. Under Bishop Hennings leadership, Zion Dominion has become the first known church in WNY to form a little league football team under Pop Warner National Football and Cheerleading organization.

Bishop Hennings is a keen advocate of technology. Along with church Facebook and Twitter accounts, services at Zion Dominion are now streamed live from www.ziondominion.org. Services can also be heard on WUFO AM 1080 Radio, Buffalo NY every Wednesday morning. He has also been on The WORD Network as well as making guest appearances on TBN Church Praise ~ Los Angeles CA, and is a frequent guest of TCT Christian Television.

Roderick Hennings is the husband of one wife, First Lady Pamela D. Hennings and the father of his only two daughters: Ariane and Chloé Hennings.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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New Life Tabernacle COGIC

Introduction of Jurisdictional BishopPastor William Wilson, Sr.
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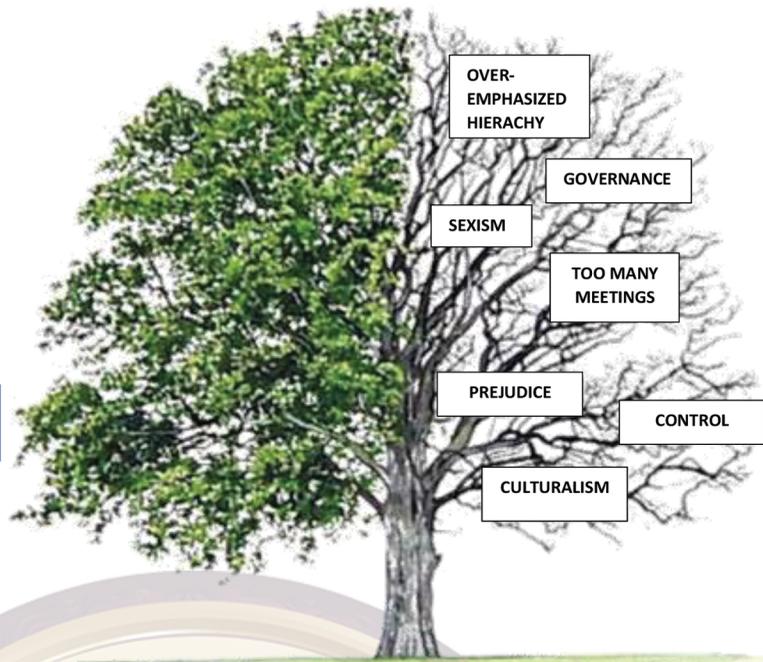
THE PREACHED WORD

Bishop Roderick Hennings
*Administrative Assistant New York Western Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction #2
Zion Dominion Global Ministries*

Call to DiscipleshipBishop Roderick Hennings

BenedictionPastor Mac Anthony McMorris
Secretary TGSE #1 Pastors and Elders Council, Miracle of Faith Ministries COGIC

7 THINGS THAT KEEP YOU FROM GROWING



Bishop Roderick L. Hennings
Senior Pastor
Zion Dominion Global Ministries

1. **GOVERNANCE** – 2 THESSALONIANS

2. **TOO MANY MEETINGS** – 2 Thessalonians 3:11

“For we hear that there are some which walk among you disorderly, working not at all, but are busybodies.”

3. **TOO MUCH CONTROL** – DANIEL 3:12

“There are certain Jews whom thou hast set over the affairs of the province of Babylon, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego; these men, O king, have not regarded thee: they serve not thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up.”

4. **PREJUDICE** – ACTS 15:24-28

“Forasmuch as we have heard, that certain which went out from us have troubled you with words, subverting your souls, saying, Ye must be circumcised, and keep the law: to whom we gave no such commandment: It seemed good unto us, being assembled with one accord, to send chosen men unto you with our beloved Barnabas and Paul, Men that have hazarded their lives for the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We have sent therefore Judas and Silas, who shall also tell you the same things by mouth. For it seemed good to the Holy Ghost, and to us, to lay upon you no greater burden than these necessary things;”

5. **CULTURALISM** – GALATIANS 2:10-11

“Only they would that we should remember the poor; the same which I also was forward to do. But when Peter was come to Antioch, I withstood him to the face, because he was to be blamed”

6. **SEXISM** – JOHN 4

7. **OVER EMPHASIZED HIERARCHY** – *Romans 12:3*

“For I say, through the grace given unto me, to every man that is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think; but to think soberly, according as God hath dealt to every man the measure of faith.”

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE – WORKSHOP #2

PHENOMENAL WOMEN STANDING THE TEST OF TIME -

LADY SHIRLEY ELMORE, MODERATOR

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVE – Believers have always had to face hardships in many forms: persecution, illness, imprisonment, and even death. These could cause them to fear that they have been abandoned by Christ. But Paul explains that it is impossible to be separated from Christ. His death for us is proof of His unconquerable love. Nothing can stop His constant presence with us. God tells us how great His love is so that we will feel totally secure in Him (Romans 8:36-39)

Institute Speakers and Sub-Topic:

- MISSIONARY PATRICE SMITH – “OVERCOMING THE PROBLEM OF LONELINESS” (JOHN 15:15-17)
- MISSIONARY RHONDA ROSS – “WEIGHT AND PAIN OF A WOMAN” (JAMES 1:2-4)
- MISSIONARY SHARON STUBBLEFIELD – “STANDING WHEN THE HEAT IS ON” (DANIEL 3:16-18)
- MISSIONARY VERNICE PHILLIPS – “HOLDING ON TO GOD IN DARK STRUGGLES OF LIFE” (HEBREWS 10:23-25)
- MISSIONARY BRENDA HUTCHINSON – “GETTING THROUGH HARD TIMES” (EXODUS 2:7-9)
- MISSIONARY SHAN CANTUE – “WOMEN TAKING A KNEE” (JEREMIAH 9:17)
- MISSIONARY MAEVELYN CHILLIS – “DON'T BREAK! YOU CAN MAKE IT” (REVELATIONS 2:10)

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE – WORKSHOP #3

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING, DO YOU REALLY KNOW WHO YOU ARE?

LADY TAMMY HOWARD, MODERATOR

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVE – You are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His wonderful light (1 Peter 2:9 NIV)

Institute Speakers and Sub-Topic:

- SISTER LATRICE JEFFREY – “I AM MORE THAN MAKE UP AND CLOTHES” (1 PETER 3:3-4)
- SISTER DONNIA THOMPSON – “I AM FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE” (PSALMS 139:13-16)
- SISTER CHONTAE TATES – “I AM VICTORIOUS” (PHILIPPIANS 4:13)
- SISTER KELLEY BANKS – “I AM WORTH MORE THAN RUBIES” (PROVERBS 31:10)
- SISTER KIARA MEADE – “I AM HEIR OF GOD AND JOINT HEIRS WITH CHRIST” (ROMANS 8:17B)
- SISTER LISA DONALD – “I AM A WINNER” (2 CORINTHIANS 2:14)
- SISTER TONYA BUCKLEY – “I AM REDEEMED FROM THE HAND OF THE ENEMY” (PSALMS 107:2)



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PASTOR WILLIAM WILSON
Chairman, Pastors and Elders Council



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