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**WOMEN'S MISSIONARY
ANNUAL NIGHT IN WHITE SERVICE**

Wednesday, August 23, 2023 | 6:00PM

Host Church:

Morris Brown African Methodist Episcopal Church
13 Morris Street, Charleston, SC 29403

Annual Conference Site:

North Charleston Convention Center
5000 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston, SC 29418

Ms. Nevja Smalls Wigfall, Conference President
Mrs. Sandra Anderson, Episcopal District President
Dr. Phyllis N. Green, Episcopal Supervisor

The Reverend Dr. James Keeton, Jr., Host Pastor
Mrs. Leslie Keeton, Host Spouse

The Rt. Reverend Samuel L. Green, Sr., Presiding Bishop
Dr. Phyllis N. Green, Episcopal Supervisor

The Reverend Dr. Juenarrl Keith, Host Presiding Elder
The Reverend Dr. Sandy W. Drayton, Associate Presiding Elder
The Reverend Remus Harper, Jr., Associate Presiding Elder

WMS NIGHT IN WHITE SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2023 - 6:00 P.M.

SISTER NEVJA SMALLS WIGFALL, WORSHIP LEADER

Conference Branch President

The Praise and Worship Palmetto Annual Conference Choir

The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow:
Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

The Call to Worship Sister Nevja Smalls Wigfall

WMS Conference President

Leader: O Come, let us worship and bow down:

People: *Let us kneel before the Lord our maker.*

Leader: For He is the Lord our God.

People: *And we are the people of His pasture. And the sheep of His hand.*

The Opening HymnSister Joyce Linnen

Conference Branch YPD Director

Hymn No. 83 "O Thou, in Whose Presence"

O Thou, in whose presence my soul takes delight,
on whom in affliction I call,
my Comfort by day and my Song in the night,
my Hope, my Salvation, my All.

Where dost Thou, dear Shepherd, resort with Thy sheep,
to feed them in pastures of love?
Say, why in the valley of death should I weep,
or alone in this wilderness rove?

O why should I wander, an alien from Thee,
or cry in the desert for bread?
Thy foes will rejoice when my sorrows they see,

and smile at the tears I have shed.
He looks! and ten thousands of angels rejoice,
and myriads wait for His word;

He speaks! and eternity, filled with His voice,
Re-echoes the praise of the Lord.
Dear Shepherd! I hear, and will follow Thy call;
know the sweet sound of Thy voice;
restore and defend me, for Thou art my All,
And in Thee I will ever rejoice.

The PrayerSister Verna Cooper
Conference Worship Leader

The Scripture Readings

Old Testament.....Psalms 33:18-22 Sister Tamara Mathis
YAM - Mt. Pleasant Area

New Testament.....1 Corinthians 12:7Sister Gail Green
SAM – Georgetown Area – District Queen

The Ministry of Music..... Palmetto Annual Conference Choir

The Mission Offering..... The Finance Committee

The Introduction of the Preacher The Reverend Dr. Juenarrl Keith
Presiding Elder, Mt. Pleasant District

The Ministry in Music..... Palmetto Annual Conference Choir

The Preacher..... The Reverend Rosetta Gant-Swinton
Pastor, St. John AME Church, Wando, SC

The Invitation to New Life

**Hymn No. 250 "O Do Not Let the Word Depart"
(O Why Not Tonight?)**

O do not let the word depart, And close thine eyes against the light;
Poor sinner, harden not your heart; Be saved, O tonight.

Refrain:

O why not tonight? O why not tonight?
Wilt thou be saved? Then why not tonight?

The Offering..... The Finance Committee

The Announcements..... The Reverend Dr. James Keeton, Jr.
Host Pastor

The Annual Conference President's Report

The Remarks Sister Nevja Smalls Wigfall
Conference Branch President

Mrs. Sandra Anderson
Episcopal District President

Dr. Phyllis N. Green
Episcopal Supervisor

Bishop Samuel L. Green, Sr.
Presiding Prelate

The Doxology

The Missionary Benediction

In the name of the triune God,
May the Spirit of Christian missions enter every heart.
May the spirit of Christian Missions enter every heart.
This we ask in Jesus' name. A-men.

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