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**Schedule for the  
35<sup>th</sup> Biennial Session of the  
Connectional Lay Organization**

**Friday, August 4, 2017**

Pre – Biennial Activities

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
2 p.m.	Kit Stuffing, Host District	

**Saturday, August 5, 2017**

Pre- Biennial Activities

10 a.m.	Kit Stuffing (If needed)	
10 a.m.	Tours and sightseeing – Host District	
1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Connectional Lay Economic Development Cooperation	
2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Biennial Mass Choir Rehearsal	
2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Registration for Biennial starts	
3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Convention Committee Chairpersons and Vice Chairpersons Meeting	

**Sunday, August 6, 2017**

8 a.m. and 11 a.m.	Local Church Worship Services	
Noon – 5 p.m.	Registration	

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
1 p.m. - 2 p.m.	First Timers Orientation	
2:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Executive Board Meeting	
2:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.	Committee Meetings and Initiatives	
4 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Candidates Forum	
6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Dinner (on your own)	
7:30 p.m.	Welcome and Reception Hosted by the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Episcopal District Lay Organization, Mr. Mark E. Mayo Sr. President	
10 p.m. – Midnight	Episcopal Districts and Convention Committees meet at the call of Presidents and /or Chairs	

## **OFFICIAL OPENING of the 35th BIENNIAL SESSION of the CONNECTIONAL LAY ORGANIZATION**

**Monday, August 7, 2017**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	

**Time** **Activity** **Location**

9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Business Session 1**

President Dr. Willie C. Glover, Presiding

Report of Committees

Registration - Mr. Darwin Eldridge,  
Connectional Treasurer, Chair

Credentials – Mr. Johnny Tellis Jr., Chair

Seating of the Delegates by Episcopal Districts

Roll Call and Minutes - Mrs. Gloria DeVeaux-Cobb  
Connectional Recording Secretary

Rules Committee - Mr. Brandon Livingston, Chair

Introduction of the Lay Commission Chair,  
Bishop E. Earl McCloud

Introduction of the Convention Planners

Ms. Anita Rankin

Mrs. Sandra Bonner Hadley

Adoption of Agenda for the 35th Biennial Session

**Presidential Address**

Dr. Willie C. Glover

Introduction of the Director of Lay Activities,  
Mrs. Edith Barley Cartledge

Corporate Sponsor  
AARP Representative

12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

Lunch (on your own)

*Should be  
keynote*

*← Possible YA lunch  
to set the tone  
& talk to  
Bonner  
business*

Time	Activity	Location
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2:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Business II Dr. Glover, Presiding	
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**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

*Congresswoman Joyce Beatty  
U.S. Representative - 3RD DISTRICT OF OHIO*

**ELECTION OF BIENNIAL OFFICERS**

Honorable Patricia Mayberry  
Chair, Election Commission

Financial Report  
Mr. Darwin Eldridge, Treasurer  
Mr. Richard Bowden, Financial Secretary

Budget and Financial Report  
Ms. Arlene Lawson

5:30 p.m.	Dinner (on your own) OF TH	
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7:30 p.m.	<b>SERVICE of the WORD AND SACRAMENT</b>	
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10 p.m. - Midnight	Episcopal Districts and Convention Committees meet at the call of Presidents and/or Chairs	
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**Tuesday, August 8, 2017**

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	
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8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Keynote Speaker and Training	
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12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)	
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2 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Training → MLH	
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7 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.	<b>THE JESSE L. BURNS BLACK TIE SOIREE</b>	
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	Benefit for AME University, Monrovia Liberia	
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10:00 p.m. - Midnight	& Celebration For Dr. Glover - \$75 For District and Committee Meetings	
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*→ 2 WK Shops*

*→ Purchase ticket if he is interested  
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*Two event*

*2nd Plenary - After 200 Years - What/Where we go?*

Time	Activity	Location
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**Wednesday, August 9, 2017**

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	
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8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Training	
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*97 workshop*  
*Candlyn Covness*  
*Shelita Fomby*

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	<b>Young Adults' Hour of Power</b>	
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1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)	
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1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.	Officers Transition Luncheon	
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3 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Business Session	
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7 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	Holding room for program participants	
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7:30 p.m.	<b>Awards Banquet</b>	
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*- Possibly Cory Booker*  
 Director Cartledge coordinating

**Thursday, August 10, 2013**

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	
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9:30 a.m.	Business Session III	
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Biennial Memorial Service  
 Ms. Alice Belden, CLO Chaplain  
 and Memorial Committee

Committee Reports

36th Biennial Session of the Connectional  
 Lay Organization, Presentation by the 5th  
 Episcopal District Lay Organization  
 Mr. Simeon Rhoden, President

**Time**

**Activity**

**Location**

Time and Place Committee

Evaluation Committee

Resolution Committee

**INSTALLATION SERVICE OF NEW OFFICERS**

**LOVE CIRCLE**

**BENEDICTION**