



## CHRIST OUR REDEEMER AME CHURCH African Methodist Episcopal Church

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July 1, 2012

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:00a & 10:30a

SATELLITE: COR WEST/COR NORTH (closed for summer recess)

## "Exalting Christ To Impact the World"

The 49th Quadrennial Session of the General Conference is currently taking place in Nashville, TN at the Gaylord Opryland Resort & Convention Center. The Conference theme, "Exalting Christ to Impact the World" is based on the scripture from John 12:32.

Every four years the AME church assembles for the General Conference when delegates and leaders from around the world are charged with the responsibility to discuss, debate and pass significant legislation that will impact the mission and ministry of the church.



First Lady Michelle Obama was the Keynote Speaker on June 28. Mrs. Obama's visit marks the first time a sitting First Lady has spoken to the Conference.

Pastor Mark Whitlock, First Lady Rev. Mia Whitlock and other staff members are in Nashville attending the conference. In their absence, Rev. Dr. Richard Rose, Assistant Pastor, is overseeing the pastoral responsibilities at COR.

Preaching at the 8am worship service was Rev. Dr. Rose, and Rev. Teka Smith at the 10:30am service.

Praise and Worship song was I Command My Soul, lead singer Sis. Vanessa Grundy. Doxology and Decalogue was led by

And when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

1 Corinthians 11:24-26 (NIV)

Rev. Rose. (2nd Commandment: You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments. *Exodus 20:4-6*) The first choral selection was *Chasing After You* led by Sis. Vanessa Grundy. The Invocation was delivered by Rev. Julius Dodd as the choir sang *The Blood*.

Visitors were greeted and announcements were read. Offering was led by Rev. Martha Daniel and the Offering song was *God is Great*. The sermonic selection was *How Much We Can Bear*.

Holy Communion followed the sermon and Sis. Cheryl Copeland sang The Lord's Prayer.