

# **THE ECHOES**

July, 2023

# **2023 GENERAL CONVENTION SCHEDULE**

August 7th-10th

Joplin Full Gospel 2601 S. Indiana Ave., Joplin, Missouri Rev. Josh & Amy Patrick, Pastors

Theme: "Therefore, if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are passed away; behold all things are become new." 2 Corinthians 5:17

Monday	Aug. 7th 7:00 PM -	National Ingathering Fellowship Rev. James Yates, General Superintendent, Welcome Rev. Bryan Warren, Tennessee State Superintendent, In Charge Rev. Josh Patrick, Host Pastor & National Men's President, Speaking
Tuesday,	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM -	General Board Meeting for all State & National Officials Fine Arts Finals Begin
Wednesday,	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM - 2:45 PM - 5:00 PM -	World Missions Service, Rev. Elizabeth Major, World Missions Director Break Class: Church Etiquette
Thursday,	Aug.10th 10:00 AM 12:00 PM	- Rev. William Allen, Assistant General Superintendent, Speaking - Lunch

1:00 PM - Business Meeting, Rev. Jim Yates, General Superintendent

## **GENERAL CONVENTION MOTELS**

These are only a few of the hotels. Please make reservations asap due to availability. Quality Inn, 3225 Arizona, Joplin, 417-627-0440, \$89.95 Comfort Inn, 3400 S. Range Line Rd, Joplin, 417-627-0400, \$105.00 Days Inn, 3500 S. Range Line Rd., Joplin 417-781-0100 \$74.00 Microtel Inn & Suites, 4101 Richard Joseph Blvd, Joplin, 417-626-8282, 2 people \$85.00, 1 person \$95.00 Best Western, 3508 S. Range Line Rd, Joplin, 417-781-6776, \$129.49 Econo Lodge, 3510 S. Range Line Rd, Joplin, 417-623-0000, \$79.00

There are many other hotels all on this exit in the same area. All of these hotels are just a few minites from the church and restaurants. Take exit 8 off I44/Range Line Road.

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# **APPOINTED POSITIONS**

At this years Winter Summit the General Board voted to allow all FGCI ministers the opportunity to apply for any of the eight appointed positions that you may be qualified for.

All Ministers that hold any office with the FGCI must be a member of a local church whether they be voted in or appointed by the General Board or State Board. They must support it with tithes and attendance when they are not ministering in other churches. Page 19-20, Article VI, #4

Listed below are the positions and where to find their qualifications in the FGCI Constitution & By-laws.

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Qualifications can be submitted to the General Office no later than July 31st. Rev Amy Patrick 2101 E. 34th Place Joplin, MO 64804 or email in PDF to amyjopatrick44@yahoo.com

## WORLD MISSIONS OFFERING

Please send your World Missions Offering to:

Rev. Liz Majors World Missions Director P.O. Box 252 Salem, Missouri 65560 (573)247-0497

Email: ekmajor@yahoo.com

#### NEW MEMBERS, REINSTATEMENTS, ADVANCEMENTS, NEW CHURCHES

New Minister: Missouri: Rev. Jesus Castro-EXH Rev. Dusty Rice-EXH Rev. March Beals-ORD Illinois: Rev. Wendolyn Villasenor-EXH Rev. Luis Barrientos-EXH Iowa: Rev. Eva Austin-EXH

**<u>Reinstatements:</u>** Rev. Steve Madden-ORD Rev. James Campbell

Advancements: Wisconsin: Rev. Ricky Dellise-ORD

New Churches: Illinois: Pathway Home

#### FGCI GENERAL OFFICE

Credentials - Church Charters Tithes & Offerings Home Missions Offerings By-Law Books—\$5.00

Send or call all inquiries and change of addresses to: **Rev. Amy Patrick** General Secretary/Treasurer 2101 East 34th Place Joplin, Missouri 64804 (417) 850-1254

Send your email addresses to: Email: amyjopatrick44@yahoo.com

\*Check out our website\* where you can see what's happening in the FGCI:

#### WWW.FGCI.US



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## FGCI EMERGENCY DISASTER RELIEF

Vision statement:

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#### Search for: FGCI DISASTER RELIEF

Please make checks payable to: FGCI EDR

Send to: Rev. Joyce Myers 2822 Ohio Joplin, Missouri 64804 (417) 529-3672

All designated funds will go directly into this fund and are tax-deductible.

#### NATIONAL YOUTH DEPARTMENT

If you would like to give to the National Youth Department you can mail them to:

Rev. Denise Loness 3805 Village Lane, #G Granite City, IL 62040

## **ILLINOIS STATE CONVENTION**

Saturday, July 22, 2023

Starting at 9:00 AM

**Rivers of Life Community Church** 

3131 E. 23rd Street

Granite City, Illinois

Rev. Travis & Melissa Watkins, Pastors

For more information: Rev. Bruce Stamps (618) 772-323 Illinois State Superintendent

> Are you planning on moving? Please notify us of your new address. Email us at: echoeseditor@gmail.com

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord." 1 Corinthians 15:58

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