FRIDAY EVENING - September 9, 2022

12:00 Lunch

4:00 Check-in Praise and Worship 7:00 **Praise Band** Welcome/Purpose Judith Pierre-Okerson Daily Prayer Guide/Opening Prayer Shari Gillis Introduction of Speaker Judith Pierre-Okerson Session I Rev. Tiffania Icaza-Willetts Blessings & Dismissal Linda Parrish Late Check in as needed SATURDAY MORNING – September 10, 2022 7:00 Morning Devotion Ester Kim Breakfast (served until 8:15) 7:30 Praise and Worship **Praise Band** 8:45 **Annual Meeting Promotion** Veta Daley What to expect today? Jackie Brooks Daily Prayer Guide Anne Winn Litany Maria Escobales United Women in Faith: Moving forward in Faith Mary Van Tol, Maria Escobales, Ester Kim, and Natacha Etienne Joseph Break (15 minutes) Session II Rev. Tiffania Icaza-Willetts **Lunch Blessing** Natacha Etienne-Joseph

SATURDAY AFTERNOON & EVENING

1:00 Soul Care Activities (**Optional**)

Guided Prayer Walk

Our Senses & Our Spirituality

Line Dancing

2:30 Praise and Worship Praise Band
The Gift of Giving Donna Spear

Session III Rev. Tiffania Icaza-Willetts

Connecting with Your District

5:30 Dinner (served until 6:15)

Morning Devotion

7:00

7:00 An evening of inspiration Edith Zewadski-Bricker

Jane Darling

SUNDAY MORNING – September 11, 2022

7:30 Breakfast (served until 8:15)

9:15 Praise and Worship Praise Band Special Recognitions Judith Pierre-Okerson Daily Prayer Guide/Prayer Magdala Edmond Praise and Worship Praise Band Message and Communion Rev. Tiffania Icaza-Willetts Sending forth Judith Pierre Okerson

Our heartfelt appreciations to: Rev. Tiffania Icaza-Willetts, Cameron Hedgwele and the Praise Band, Nancy Kerce, Ruth Fleurimond, and Ethel Ewing,

We are grateful to each one of you for your participation.

Please be out of your room and return your key by 9:00 a.m. Sunday.

LITANY

Moving Forward in Faith

LEADER: God, we confess in our fear of the unknown often we prefer to go backward to feel safe.

ALL: God, in your Grace, forgive our lack of faith in your promise to be always with us wherever we are and wherever we go.

LEADER: Jesus, amid our confusion during these past months, too often we chose to revert to what is familiar to us in order not to face the future.

ALL: Lord Jesus, in your mercy, open our eyes to the endless possibilities that time of confusion has brought to us.

LEADER: Holy Spirit, we ask for your forgiveness for the time we have failed to seize new possibilities to partner with you in ministries

ALL: Triune God, continue to nudge us to accept the challenges that come with new ministry opportunities knowing that you are leading us and will equip us.

LEADER: God of the past, of the present and of the future, we trust you to make all things new in your time.

ALL: Holy Spirit, breathe on us and propel us to move forward in faith to act with justice and walk humbly with you until such time.

All: AMEN

This Litany was written for the 2020 Florida Conference United Methodist Women Spiritual Enrichment Retreat by Deaconess Dr. Judith Pierre-Okerson.

OUR PURPOSE: We shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God, and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the Church.



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MOVING FORWARD IN FAITH



"Let Your eyes look straight ahead, fix your gaze directly before you" Proverbs 4:25 (NIV)

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