



Regional Board  
Merriam Christian Church  
Upstairs Classroom  
Monday, November 26, 2018  
9:30 am

## Agenda

### Opening Devotion

### Introductions

Minutes: Please check the Regional Board [page](#) for Minutes and other Reports

### Reports

*Please read and prepare any questions or comments in advance. To reserve paper copies of any reports, or for special room setups please contact [Jessica](#) by the Friday before the meeting 913.432.1414*

### Budget and Finance Committee

- Financial Report

### Bylaw Task Group

- Review and request for input

### Stewardship and Development

- Annual Fund Campaign
- Gift Acceptance Policy

### New and Transforming Church Commission

- Rev. Dr. Delesslyn Kennebrew

**Tall Oaks Commission**

- Transition
- RM for Young Disciples (Part-time)

**Commission on the Order of the Ministry**

**MoKan Fellowship**

**KC Convencion**

**MORE2 Board**

**Young Disciples**

**Regional Minister Report**

**General Board Report**

**Nominating Committee Report**

**Report on Formation of an Anti-Racism Pro-Reconciliation Team**

**Action Items:**

- **Anti-Racism/Pro-Reconciliation**
  - Reconciliation Ministries Executive Director Rev. April Johnson is proposing that we schedule another Power Analysis training (pre-requisite for trainer candidates) February 25-27 at Tall Oaks, then a Train the Trainer event May 6-8.
    - Cost for Power Analysis training to CC(DOC)GKC - \$2500
    - Cost for Train-the-Trainer to CC(DOC)GKC up to \$4500
    - Both events would be hosted at Tall Oaks
    - Balance in the CC(DOC)GKC fund \$17,435
- **Resolution to affirm South Summit Christian Church**
  - The Board of Directors of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Greater Kansas City commends South Summit Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) for its joint venture with SymbioBiz and Flexplay to offer yet another example of constructive community engagement. Thank you for your faith, courage and hard work. Our prayers and support are with you.
- **Regional Meetings in the event of Inclement Weather**
  - In the event of weather conditions that make travel by automobile unsafe, Regional office staff will, upon request from the meeting organizer, will set up a Zoom video/telephone conference and send invitations by email to meeting participants.
    - Zoom conferences allow for video and/or phone participation and documents can be shared on screen.
    - Instructions on how to use Zoom are on the zoom.us [website](#)

## Continuing Business Items

- **General Minister and President Rev. Terry Hord Owens will be in Kansas City January 12-13**
  - Board decision needed about how best to make use of her time with us on the 12<sup>th</sup>
    - Intended Outcomes?
    - Who?
    - What?
    - When?
    - Where?
  - Rev, Hord Owens will present at the Kansas City

## Dates:

- **October 24, 7 pm, Workshop on Digital Story Telling for Congregations with Tim Campbell of Relations Media – online (Zoom) will be archived. <https://zoom.us/j/940290550> or 1 669 900 6833 meeting ID 940 290 550**
- **October 28 Boundaries/Pastoral Ethics – Eastgate Christian Church**
- **November 3, 10 am- 12 pm, Grant Writing Workshop for Congregations with Mark Dunlap (onsite, live streamed, and archived) <https://zoom.us/j/495403947> or 1 929 436 2866 meeting ID 495 403 947**
- **November 9 – GALA – Arrowhead**  
<https://tocc.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/TallOaksGala2018/TableReservations/tabid/956039/Default.aspx>
- **November 13-15 – College of Regional Ministers – San Diego**
- **December 2 – Jazz Carol Fest, Community Christian Church, fundraiser for Week of Compassion**
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- **December 6 – Obra Hispana Nacional Board and Pastoral Commission – Dallas (Acosta/Vela/Rose-Heim)**
- **December 24-25 Regional Office Closed**

## 2019

- **January 1 – Regional Office Closed**
- **January 7-8 General Commission on the Ministry (RMP attending)**
- **January 12-13 General Minister and President Re. Terry Hord Owens in Kansas City!**
- **January 12-21 MLK Week of Events**  
[https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/f56f08\\_da48d40a660d4bd09d5899c35ee7e896.pdf](https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/f56f08_da48d40a660d4bd09d5899c35ee7e896.pdf)
- **January 21 – Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Federal Holiday**
- **February 9-12 General Board (Phillips/Rose-Heim attending)**
- **February 13-15 College of Regional Ministers – Indianapolis (RMP attending)**
- **February 18 President's Day Federal Holiday**
- **May 20-21, Heartland Regional Ministers meet at Tall Oaks**
- **July 20-24, General Assembly, Des Moines, IA 1 <https://ga.disciples.org/>**

Next Meeting: 9:30 am, Monday, December \_\_\_, 2018 Merriam Christian Church