

An Open Invitation

To: General Minister and President, Associate General Minister and Vice President, Associate General Minister and Administrative Secretary of the National Convocation, Regional Ministers/Pastors, Area Ministers, Associate Regional Ministers, Bishops, Ministers and Members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

This letter comes to you to officially welcome you to the 22nd Biennial Session of the National Convocation of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). This event will be held on July 26-29, 2012 at the Houston Hilton North, Houston, Texas. Our theme is “...Yet I will Rejoice” Habakkuk 3:17-19.

Make plans now to attend this spiritual and uplifting event. The Biennial Session will consist of a variety of workshops, plenty of good preaching, singing, fellowshiping and many other activities for young adults, youth and children. We invite you to come for the *Anointing and Communion Service*, which will be held Sunday Morning, July 29, at 8:00 a.m. We would like to have the General Minister and President, Associate General Minister and Vice President, Regional Ministers, Area Ministers, Associate Regional Ministers, Bishops and Pastors to come and *anoint* fellow Christians as we prepare to leave Houston.

If you would like to participate in the *Anointing Service*, please email Doris Speaks @ dspeaks@disciples.org by March 30, 2012.

In His Service,

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President, National Convocation