

July 13, 2022

Dear Fellow Pastor/Elder:

Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth. 3 John 1:2

Another year has passed, and we are excitedly anticipating the convening of our 72nd Holy Convocation. Much preparation has gone into ensuring that you are comfortably accommodated and that your life and ministry are enriched and transformed because of the Convocation experience.

This year during the Convocation we will be offering a Leadership Development Session for all pastors and elders on Friday, July 29th from 10:30am – 11:30am. Please, pastors and elders I would like to see you in the session. Not only do we need the power of the Holy Ghost, but we need **knowledge**. “My people perish because of lack of knowledge.” (Hosea 4:6) This session is designed to enhance our effectiveness as leaders and as leaders, we should always be life-long learners.

Lastly, we have a leader that has the church and the people of God at heart. He has worked diligently taking the Second Jurisdiction to new heights. Therefore, each year we have been asked to give a special love gift to our leader on Official Day Worship, Sunday, July 31st. The pastors are asked to give \$100.00; elders are asked to give \$50.00. I have been instructed to collect this gift so please see me anytime during the Convocation but no later than that Sunday morning.

Let us begin praying now for our leader and for the outpouring of the Holy Ghost during our Holy Convocation. I look forward to seeing you at the Convocation and let us continue to be in prayer one for another.

Your Brother in Christ,

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