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**Dr. Reginald A. Wells, Moderator**

Reverend David Smith, First Vice-Moderator Reverend Frederick McLean, Second Vice-Moderator

January 14, 2021

TO: ALL MIDDLE DISTRICT MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CHURCHES,

 PASTORS, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION DIRECTORS, & MEMBERSHIP

FROM: LULA GAINEY, CONGRESS PRESIDENT

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SUBJECT: DIRECTIVES

“2021” VIRTUAL ELIZABETH WMS. YOUNG INSTITUTE--ZOOM

“2021” VIRTUAL WOMEN’S AUXILIARY INSTITUTE—ZOOM

ZOOM SESSIONS WILL BE VIRTUALLY AND BY PHONE

Greetings in the “Matchless Name of our Lord & Savior, JESUS CHRIST”! We enlist your support and prayers as we prepare to launch our first VIRTUAL TRAINING SESSIONS for our Annual Institutes.

The Missionary Institute will be held, Monday, February 8—11, 2021 at 10 am—11:15 am. Please plan to join in on these informative sessions. ALL MISSIONARY CIRCLES ARE ASKED TO REGISTER WITH $50.00. Make checks payable to: MDMBA, P O Box 121, Burgaw, NC 28425, or electronically “MDMBA Givelify”. A detailed class outline will be uploaded to the Middle District website for you to download for the class.

The “2021” Annual Elizabeth Williams-Young Institute will be held, Monday February 8—25, 2021 beginning nightly at 7pm—8:30pm. You are invited to PRE-REGISTER VIA CHURCH MEMBERSHIP FOR THIS SESSION (January 18—30, 2021). A detailed Registration form is enclosed, make sure you complete each column correctly. Following your completed registration being returned, you will receive a class code for the zoom session. If you wish to have your CLASS CODES emailed directly to you, please fill out the column with a detail email address. (If you do not have an email address, check with an immediate family member to use their address for your direct contact).

Pre-Registration begins on Monday, January 18, 2021. Mail in or email your completed registration form and check to: MDMBA, P O BOX 121, BURGAW, NC 28425: OR EMAIL IT TO: middledistrictmba53@gmail.com or coolcalmcathy@gmail.com Church Registration per Membership is:

 1—100 Members $100.00

 101—200 Members $200.00

 201—1,500 Members $300.00

INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION $20.00

Via the website or direct email contact you will be able to download class outlines from each session.

You may also fill out an electronic form downloaded from MDMBA Face Book page by scrolling down to find it and clicking on it. You are welcome to invite friends/non-associational members to share for the individual rate of $20.00 for the (3) week session. If you are Tech savvy, you may register financially via our Givelify app. This is indeed a different world for all of us, yet we are here, and HE who bought us here, did not bring us this far to leave us! Let us enjoy the JOURNEY!

Contact for Questions and Concerns:

lmg21@yahoo.com (910)728-8718) Lula Gainey

coolcalmcathy@gmail.com (910)-231-0684) Dr. Cathy Matthews

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January 13, 2021

From: Reverend Sandra Spell, President of MDMBA Missionary Auxiliary

To: All Churches of the Middle District Missionary Baptist Association

 Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. The Lord has kept and brought us through another year; a year like none other we have experienced. One that should let us know that God is still GOOD! A year that lets us know that missions must go on. Missions must continue in our churches, our communities, and throughout the entire world.

Even though we cannot meet in person as usual, we must continue our missionary work. Therefore, it is now time for our Elizabeth Williams-Young Institute Day Classes.

Our Institute will be held virtually this year via Zoom. It will begin February 8, 2021, from 10:00-11:30am, Monday-Thursday. Dr. Mary Wooten, of St. John Maple Hill will be the presenter of the Missionary Guide Handbook of the WBHFMC. Dr. Dorothy Boone will be presenting the “Great Commission, Great Compassion” book by Paul Borthwick. The WBHFMC is also offering a book this year entitled “All Authority: How the Authority of Christ Upholds the Great Commission” by Joey Shaw. This book can be purchased from Amazon, Christian Bookstore, and Barnes and Nobles. The price of a new book is $10.68, a used book is $6.48.

Please send in your representation fee of $50.00 to MDMBA P. O. Box 121 Burgaw, NC 28425. You may choose to send your representation instantly to MDMBA Givelify on your laptop, tablet, or smart phone. You can also use the MDMBA Givelify icon on our website’s homepage. Simply click it to be brought directly to the giving site ([www.middledistrictmba.org](http://www.middledistrictmba.org)). You are encouraged to pre-register your church, and a detailed Registration form is enclosed, make sure you complete each column correctly. Following your completed registration being received, you will receive a class code link and dial-in information for the zoom session. If you wish to have your CLASS CODES emailed directly to you, please fill out the column with a detail email address. You must have an email address or a smart phone to receive the log-in information and enter the Zoom room for the Missionary Institute or dial in by phone. (If you do not have an email address, check with an immediate family member to use their address for your direct contact). You may also fill out an electronic registration form downloaded from MDMBA Face Book page by scrolling down to find it and click on it. For more information please contact: Reverend Sandra Spell 910-214-7155 sandaspell56@gmail.com; Sister Lula Gainey 910-728-8718 lmg21@yahoo.com; Dr. Cathy Matthews 910-231-0684 coolcalmcathy@gmail.com.

In His Service,

Reverend Sandra Spell, President