



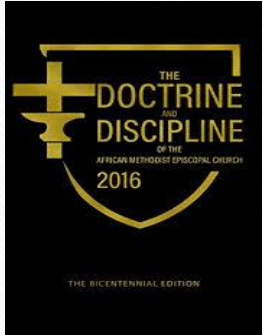
Reimagining Ministry: Serving This Present Age



FIRST EPISCOPAL DISTRICT CHURCH SCHOOL 2020-2021 GOALS

First Episcopal District Planning Meeting
August 27th 2020

Bishop Gregory G. M. Ingram, Presiding Prelate
Rev. Dr. Jessica Kendall Ingram, Episcopal Supervisor
Jeanne Chavious, First Episcopal District Superintendent



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Church School in the African Methodist Episcopal Church shall be to **teach, train and nurture** in **God's Word** adults, young adults, college students, teenagers and children **preparing** them for **Christian service** by emphasizing Christian principles.

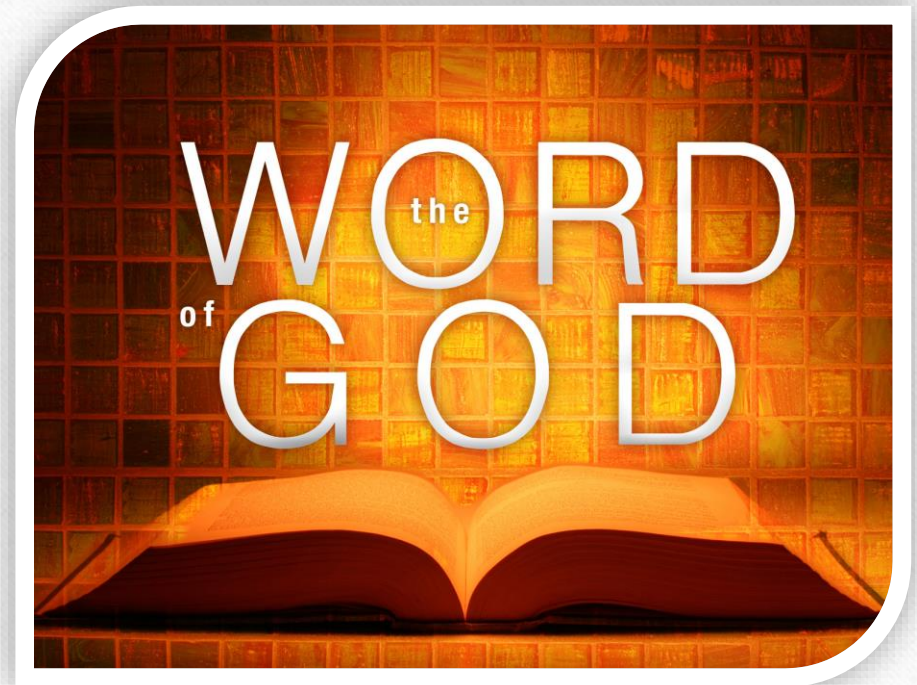
The Church School shall employ methodologies for **effective Christian growth** and maximum participation inclusive of **creative pedagogies**, state-of-the art **learning technologies** and **multimedia products**, all of which may also assist with the recruitment of church officers.

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Jesus For Every Age

- ✓ Teach
- ✓ Train
- ✓ Nurture



GOAL 1: TEACH - USING TECHNOLOGY

A New Route To Students

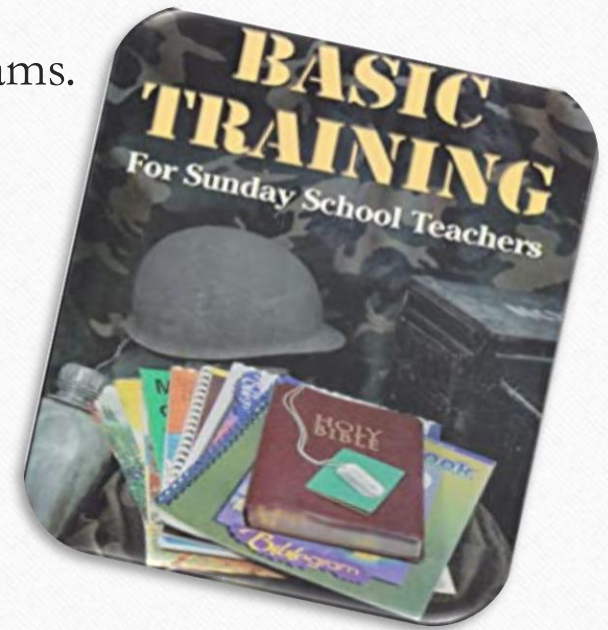
- **TECHNOLOGY TOOLS:** Enhance classroom teaching and home outreach (during and after pandemic)
- **SOCIAL MEDIA ADVERTISEMENTS:** Dates and times of classes will be advertised on social media
- **“CHURCH SCHOOL NEIGHBORHOOD:”** 1st District weekly YouTube for children and teens
- **AME SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION:** Literature, resources online, and virtual seminars



GOAL 2: TRAIN

Reimagining Teaching

- **TECHNOLOGY TUTORIAL** – Quarterly sessions.
- **TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT:** Identify persons to assist Church School teams.
- **VIRTUAL CHURCH SCHOOL ACADEMY: October 24, 2020 Seminar**
 - **Best Practices Training:**
 - **Captivating Youth and Young Adults**
 - **Teaching techniques Manual**
 - **Mentor-A-Teacher**
 - **Monitoring and Follow-up**



GOAL 3: NURTURE

Church School Is A Family Affair

- **DEVELOP LEARNING COMMUNITIES:** Components working together
- **ASSESSMENT AND OUTREACH:** Partnering and supporting families
- **TEEN INVOLVEMENT:** Opportunities, activities, etc.
- **MANUAL FOR LIFE:** *“...praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.”*
ACTS 2:47





Virtual Church School Seminar

Saturday October 24, 2020

