

*The Great Commission- A Global Outreach
“Personal Calling”*

*God’s personal invitation to carry out the unique
task he has for you. Are you answering the call?*

THE APPEAL

The Women’s Home and Overseas Missionary Society observes twelve anniversary days each Year. During these observances, all members of the congregation can lend financial support to the global mission and ministries of the church by making a donation of one dollar or more.

Give dollars to missions and help spread
the gospel to millions of persons

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**WOMEN’S HOME AND OVERSEAS
MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

The African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church

Annie E. Walker Blackwell Day Observance

December 6, 2015



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ANNIE E. WALKER BLACKWELL DAY OBSERVANCE

The Order of Service

December 6, 2015

The Organ Prelude

The Processional Hymn

The Call to Worship

Our Father, to whom belongs our adoration and praise, we ask that you will prepare us, through the presence of your Spirit, to come before you worthily and to ask of you rightly. May all who worship with us this day present their bodies as a living sacrifice, holy, and acceptable to you. May our worship glorify you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Invocation

The Invocation Response

The Hymn of Praise “Jesus Call us, O’er the Tumult”

The Responsive Reading

The Glori Patri

The Affirmation of Faith

The Scripture Lesson 2 Peter 1:10-11

The Prayer Hymn

The Prayer

The Prayer Response

The Choral Selection

Acknowledgements/Announcements

The Offering

Introduction of Speaker

Hymn of Preparation

The Message

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship

The Invitation Hymn “Softly and Tenderly Jesus is calling”

The Recessional The Benediction

“Lift Him Up”

ANNIE E. WALKER BLACKWELL

August 21, 1862-December 7, 1922

Corresponding Secretary of

Woman’s Home and Foreign Missionary Society
1904-1922

Annie E. Walker Blackwell was born on August 21, 1862 in Chester South Carolina. She was educated in Scotia Seminary in Concord, North Carolina. On December 7, 1887, Annie married Rev. George Lincoln Blackwell, who later became a Bishop of the A.M.E. Zion Church, elected in 1908.

At the General Conference of 1904, Mrs. Annie E. W. Blackwell was elected Corresponding Secretary of the W.H. &F.M. Society, a position she held for 18 years.

Annie E. W. Blackwell was a visionary. She envisioned the economic potential of the society’s life membership program provided for in the constitution and she kept at it. As the result of her perseverance, the first persons were enrolled as life members at the Missionary Convention in 1906.

Annie E. W. Blackwell died on her thirty-fifth wedding anniversary, December 7, 1922, and was buried in Eden Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Her motto was “Keep everlastingly at it”.

(Historical Highlights of the Women’s Home & Overseas Missionary Society & “Good News”)