

Biographical Sketch
Reverend L. Lynn Mitchell



L. Lynn K. Mitchell was born in Rock Hill, South Carolina and is the daughter of Mr. Jessie Chisholm, and the late Maggie Peoples. She accepted her call to the ministry in 2001. She preached her trial sermon April 19, 2001 at the St. James A.M.E. Zion Church in Goldsboro, North Carolina. She was ordained Deacon September 29, in the New York Annual Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church. She was ordained an Elder in the New York Annual Conference, at the Mother A.M.E. Zion Church, Harlem, NY, December 2008. Lynn is a graduate of Northwestern High School, York Technical College, and Winthrop University, in Rock Hill, South Carolina.

She is a member of the Trinity A.M.E. Zion Church, where she serves in various capacities. Lynn is a member of Church Women United, Life Member of the NAACP, Democratic Women, and National Council of Negro Women.

Lynn is married to the Reverend Dr. Daran H. Mitchell, pastor of the Trinity AME Zion Church, in Greensboro, NC and they have one teenage son, Caylen.

**YOUNG ADULT MISSIONARY SOCIETY
WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT RETREAT
AND
WOMEN'S HOME AND OVERSEAS
MISSIONARY SOCIETY
LEADERSHIP TRAINING INSTITUTE**



Thursday, March 27, 2014

Camp Dorothy Walls, Black Mountain, North Carolina

Mrs. Dawn Walker, General YAMS Coordinator

Mrs. Joyce Reid, Institute Dean

**Dr. Sandra L. Gadson, International President
Women's Home and Overseas Missionary Society**

Mrs. Iris Battle, Host Missionary Supervisor

**Bishop George E. Battle, Sr., Host and Senior Bishop
Piedmont Episcopal District**

EMPOWERMENT CONFERENCE

Thursday, March 27, 2014 Noon

Theme: "Ministry on the Move"
YAMS Living the Cross

- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M. **Registration**
- 1:00 - 2:00 P.M. **Inspirational Lunch**
Devotion
Message to Inspire
Mrs. Dawn L. Walker, General Coordinator
Topic: "Living the Cross"
- 2:10- 3:10 P.M. **Empowerment Parallel Session A & B**

Topic: "*Act Like a Lady; Think Like Christ*"
(This session will explore how women can live a Christian life as a single woman.)
Presenter: Ms. Stephanie Perry

Topic: "*Marriage: It's Not a Fairytale, it's a Biblical*"
(This session will explore how women can live a Christian life as a married woman.)
Presenter: Mrs. Gelenia Frencher
- 3:10 - 3:15 P.M. Break
- 3:15 - 4:15 P.M. **Empowerment Session**

Topic: "*Ministry on the Move*"
(This session will explore how to be mission minded in our ministry efforts.)
Presenter: Mrs. Peggy Owens
- 4:20 - 4:40 P.M. **Power Praise: Shout Outs**
(Responses to the empowerment sessions through personal testimonies.)
- 4:45 - 5:00 P.M. **Wrap-up**
Remarks: Dr. Sandra L. Gadson
International President, W.H. & O.M. Society
- 5:15 - 6:15 P.M. Young Adult Missionary Society choir rehearsal
for the evening Worship Service

WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT WORSHIP SERVICE

Thursday, March 27, 2014 7:45PM

Mrs. Joyce Reid, Institute Dean
Dr. Sandra L. Gadson, International President, W. H. & O. M. Society
Mrs. Iris Battle, Host Missionary Supervisor
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Mrs. Dawn L. Walker, General Coordinator, Y.A.M.S.-Presiding

- Call to Worship
- Invocation
- Opening Selection
- Scripture Ms. Barbara Smith
- Prayer Ms. Celeste Chadwick
- Selections Y.A.M.S. Choir
- Introduction of the General President
- Introduction of the Preacher Mrs. Iris Battle
Missionary Supervisor
Piedmont Episcopal District
- Selection of Preparation Mrs. Johngerlyn Young
- The Empowerment Sermon Rev. Lynn Mitchell
- Call to Christian Discipleship
- Empowerment Altar Prayer
- Invitational Selection Y.A.M.S. Choir
- Offering
- Offertory
- Announcements Mrs. Joyce Reid
Institute Dean
- Remarks Dr. Sandra L. Gadson
International President
Women's Home and Overseas Missionary Society
- Benediction