

## Calling All Pastors and Leadership in the CME Church

Dear CME Family,

Join the Communication and Information Technology (CIT) Connectional Department on Saturday, March 21, 2020 for a one hour Zoom session designed to share and demonstrate technology resources for local churches to use through this season of social distancing due to the COVID-19 virus.

Every CME Church can use multiple platforms to reach people, and the time to begin is now. If your church does not have, or wishes to maximize their use of video conferencing, live stream or similar virtual resources, the Pastor, organizational leaders and at least one young adult should join this call.

Three sessions will be offered using **Zoom** and you can join by computer / mobile device (video conference) or telephone (audio conference). Joining the video conference call will allow you to meet face to face with the host and other participants and view the screen of the host! **To participate in the session, see the information below to dial in or to setup Zoom on your desktop or mobile device.**

The session times for all time zones are listed below and posted here.

**Episcopal Districts are scheduled to call in as follows.** If you miss your Episcopal District's designated session, you are welcome to join another session.

### **Saturday - Session 1: Episcopal Districts Invited: 1st, 2nd, 3rd**

**Scheduled Time:** 10:00 AM PST / 1 PM EST, Noon CST / 11:00 AM Mountain Time / 9 AM Alaska Time

### **Saturday - Session 2: Episcopal Districts Invited: 4th, 5th, 6th**

**Scheduled Time:** 11:30 AM PST / 2:30PM EST/ 1:30 PM CST/ 12:15 PM Mountain Time / 10:30 AM Alaska Time

### **Saturday - Session 3: Episcopal Districts Invited: 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th**

**Scheduled Time:** 1:00 PM PST / 4:00 PM EST / 3:00 PM CST/ 2:00 PM Mountain Time / 12Noon Alaska Time

### **Joining the Sessions by Zoom: (Note- each session has an Unique ID)**

**Session 1: Join URL: <https://zoom.us/j/874411386>**

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**Session 3: Join URL: <https://zoom.us/j/263887750>**

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## **Zoom Overview**

Zoom unifies cloud video conferencing, simple online meetings, and group messaging into one easy-to-use platform. Zoom offers the best video, audio, and wireless screen-sharing experience across multiple platforms.

### **Prerequisites: Download Zoom client or app**

- [Zoom desktop client \(Windows or Mac\)](#)
- iOS (available on the [App Store](#))
- Androids (available on [Google Play](#))

- [Blackberry](#)

### **Sign in and Join Zoom**

- After launching Zoom, click **Join a Meeting** to [join a meeting](#) without signing in.
- Use the Meeting ID to join the Zoom meeting
- If you are joining via telephone, you will need the teleconference number provided above.

### **Joining a Session by Phone**

You can join a Zoom meeting via teleconferencing/audio conferencing (using a traditional phone). Dial the number and enter the Meeting ID. This is useful when:

- you do not have a microphone or speaker on your PC/Mac,
- you do not have a smartphone (iOS or Android) while on the road, or
- you cannot connect to a network for video and VoIP (computer audio)

If you have additional questions or concerns, please feel free to email [cit@thecmechurch.org](mailto:cit@thecmechurch.org) or contact Dr. Theresa Duhart at [253-376-6361](tel:253-376-6361). Please be patient for a response as there is a tremendous amount of planning and support services being provided as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

In the Service of the Lord,

Senior Bishop Lawrence Reddick

Bishop Thomas L Brown, Sr., Chair of the College of Bishops

Bishop Teresa Jefferson-Snorton, Secretary of the College of Bishops

Christian Methodist Episcopal Church

Bishop James B. Walker, Chair, Communication and Information Technology (CIT)  
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