



GENERAL CONFERENCE 2024

African Methodist Episcopal Church

Greater Columbus Convention Center

Columbus, Ohio

August 21 – 28, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

Office of the General Secretary/CIO

Rev. Dr. Jeffery B. Cooper

At the 2023 AME General Board Meeting in New Orleans, LA, registration for the 2024 General Conference will open and upon registration hotel rooms will become available to the registered person.

1. Registration Fees

Observers:

\$165 – June 2023 – Dec. 31, 2023

\$170 – January 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024

\$175 – April 1, 2024, until start of Registration at 2024 General Conference

Note: AME member card is required for discount

Active Military:

\$165 – Rate does NOT increase on-site at the General Conference

Student with Valid ID:

\$50 – \$50 – Must have AME Member Card to get discount. Rate does not increase on-site at the General Conference

Youth – (Age 5-18):

\$25 – Rate does NOT increase on-site at the General Conference

Delegates and Alternates:

Register through their Episcopal District Office

2. Candidates seeking office at the 2024 General Conference:

All persons seeking office at the 2024 General Conference of the AME Church should submit a letter of intent to the Office of the General Secretary (cio@ame-church.com) indicating the office being sought in order to begin the process of certification.

All documents needed for certification of a candidate must be in the office of the General Secretary by the deadline of **FEBRUARY 21, 2024**.

3. Submission Deadline Dates:

April 21, 2024

An accurate list of elected General Conference Delegates is due from each Episcopal District Bishop to the Office of the General Secretary

May 21, 2024

General Conference Committee Assignments are due from each Episcopal District to the Office of the General Secretary

May 21, 2024

Receipt of Proposed Legislation is due to the Office of the General Secretary

ALL proposed legislation must be submitted via a special legislation template that will be provided by the office of the General Secretary beginning April 1, 2024, on the official website of the church (ame-church.com).

Legislation discussed or proposed at an AME CONVO does not constitute official submission to the office of the General Secretary. **ALL** proposed legislation must be submitted via the legislation template by midnight CST May 21, 2024.

4. Pre-General Conference Committee Meetings:

Revisions Committee

Date: August 14 – 20, 2024

Place: Columbus Convention Center

Columbus, Ohio

Credentials Committee

Date: August 19 – 20, 2024

Place: Columbus Convention Center

Columbus, OH

Rules Committee

Date: August 19 – 20, 2024

Place: Columbus Convention Center

Columbus, OH

General Conference Commission

August 20, 2024

Columbus Convention Center