



**BMC**

Black Methodist Consultation



*A formation within the Methodist Church of Southern Africa*

*LEFA LABATSWADI BARONA - ILIFA LABAZALI*

***“Love thy neighbour:  
reimagining a society  
of love and justice”;  
...and who is my  
neighbour?”***

**St Luke 10: 25-37, Emphasis St Luke 10:29**

**2017, 6th – 9th JULY  
BMC 42nd ANNUAL  
CONVOCAATION**

**GRAHAMSTOWN DISTRICT**

**NELSON MANDELA METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY  
(NMMU)**

**NORTH CAMPUS, GOLDFIELDS AUDITORIUM.**

**2017, YEAR 3 > OFFICE TERM 1 – CONNEXIONAL LEADERSHIP**

**CHAIRPERSON – REV MZWANDILE. W. MOLO**

**GENERAL SECRETARY – MR. XHANTI. T. MHLUBULWANA**

**RECORDING SECRETARY – MS. NOKUZOLA MBANGULA**

**TREASURER GENERAL – MS BUHLE. A. SIGABI**

## THE PROGRAMME

05 JULY 2017 – WEDNESDAY, DAY 0.

16:00 – 22:00 Arrivals and Registrations

06 JULY 2017 – THURSDAY, DAY 1.

07:00 – 10:00	Arrivals and Registrations <b>OPENING CEREMONIES AND CONSTITUTION OF THE CONSULTATION</b>
10:45 – 12:00	Divine Service (with - Sacrament of Holy Communion) <b>Bishop Andile. M. Mbete – Grahamstown District Bishops Office</b> Welcome to Grahamstown District – Hosting District BMC Chairperson Or Delegated
12:00 – 12:15	<b>Roll Call; Apologies and Acknowledgements – Connexional Executive</b>
12:15 – 12:20	Adoption of the Agenda
12:20 – 12:30	<b>APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Resolutions Committee – <b>Rev Sethulego Mosiako</b>, Ms. Phindi Mkhwanazi, Ms. Ayanda Mjali, +2 _____</li><li>• Listening Committee – <b>Ms. Zodwa Fanele</b>, Ms. Mamzola Moremi, Mr. Xolani Tutu, Rev. Mbuso Khuboni, +2 _____</li><li>• Scrutineers: _____</li><li>• Precentors: _____</li><li>• Time Keeper : _____</li><li>• Letter Writers – <b>Ms Nokuzola Mbangula</b>, Ms Papama Mfihlo, Ms Sidumisile Silangwe</li><li>• Chaplaincy: _____</li><li>• Protocol &amp; Guests Handling – <b>Ms Boniwe Moleshe</b>, Ms Maureen Nkonyana, Ms Ria S. Mabandla</li></ul>
12:30 – 12:50	<b>NOTICES OF MOTION</b> <i>By All</i>
12:50 – 13:15	Confirmation of Previous Minutes 14 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2016 and Matters Arising/Action Plans - <b>Chairperson and Secretariat</b>
13:15 – 14:00	<b>LUNCH – LUNCH – LUNCH – LUNCH</b>
14:00 -14:45	Chairpersons Address – <b>Rev Mzwandile W. Molo</b>
14:45 – 15:00	<b>Engagements, Questions &amp; Answers – led by – Rev Kubu MJ Seekoei</b>
15:00 – 15:45	Annual Organisational Report – <b>Mr Xhanti T. Mhlubulwana</b>
15:45 – 16:00	<b>Conversation on Organisational Report</b>
16:00 – 16:30	Audited Financial Statements 1 June 2016 – 31 May 2017 – <b>Ms Buhle A. Sigabi</b>
16:30 – 16:45	<b>Engagements, Questions &amp; Answers</b>
16:45 – 17:30	MCSA – Presiding Bishop's Office and MCO
17:30 – 18:00	<b>Bursary Committee - Ms. Nomsa Molai &amp; Co.</b>
18:00 – 19:00	Memorial Service – <b>Rev Pam Mbombela</b>

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**07 JULY 2017 – FRIDAY, DAY 2.**

06:45 – 07:45	<b>BREAKFAST! BREAKFAST! BREAKFAST!</b>	
07:45 – 08:00	Worship	All
08:00 – 09:00	<b>BIBLE STUDY 1</b>	<b>Rev. Dr Allan Aubrey Boesak</b>
09:00 – 09:45	Reflections & Conversations, Synods 2017 & Discernment Journey: MCSA Lay President	District Lay Reps - Present
09:45 – 10:30	40 <sup>th</sup> Public Lectures – PUBLICATIONS JOURNEY	Rev S. Motlhodi and Co.
11:30 – 12:30	<b>KEY NOTE SPEAKER</b>	<b>Rev. Dr Bongani Finca</b>
12:30 – 13:00	Engagements, Questions & Answers – Key Note Speaker	Chair and All

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13:55 – 14:00	Silence! Silence! Followed by Prayer	<i>Chaplaincy</i>
14:00 – 14:20	Introduction to SCHOOLS “Desired Learning Outcomes” > <b>KRA: INFLUENCE TRANSFORMATION AGENDA OF THE MCSA – ABSTRACT PAPERS 2017</b>	Secretariat
14:20 – 15:45	<p><b>SCHOOLS! SCHOOLS! SCHOOLS!</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Doctrine, Ethics and Worship</li> <li>2. Revisions in the MCSA</li> <li>3. Structures of the MCSA</li> <li>4. Trust and Property in the MCSA</li> <li>5. Ministerial Formation/EMMU</li> <li>6. Public Life and Leadership: <i>the development of culture of integrity and ethical leadership</i></li> </ol>	<p><b>PARALELL SESSIONS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Rev N. Nomqolo &amp; Co.</li> <li>2. Rev Sva Waqu</li> <li>3. Rev M Bosman &amp; Co</li> <li>4. Mr. Ricky Gwenya &amp; Co</li> <li>5. Rev M. Seekoei &amp; Co</li> <li>6. Mr Joe Mavuso</li> </ol>
15:45 – 16:30	<b>Black Thought, African History and Philosophy Research Centre Project</b>	<b>Rev Sidwell R. Mokgothu &amp; Co</b>
16:30 – 16:50	It’s a Prayer Moment	Chaplaincy
17:00 – 18:00	<b>ERNEST BAARTMAN FUND</b>	Mr Valentine Senkhane & Ms Nombasa Malusi

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**19:00 – 20:00 EXTRA CLASSES & CRITICAL CONVERSATIONS – “BACK TO BASICS”**

**PARALLEL SESSIONS – NIL FEEDBACK > SKILLS BUILDING WORKSHOPS, #HOW TO?,**

BMC – Mission & Vision <i>'targets beginners yet open to all'</i> ; <i>It's a question of BMC - Strategy, Tactics and Relevance</i>	Rev Mzwandile W. Molo Or <i>Delegated</i>
MCSA Financial Management – skills, controls and accountability	Ms Lindeni Madlala
Circuit Stewardship – Administrative Centre of the Black Church	Dr Chris Dali & Mr Mabutho Sithole
Conflict Management	Mr Mdu Dlamini
The craft to resolutions, influencing the direction through resolutions, <i>#HOW TO?</i> ,	Mr Mteteli Caba
Understanding Ministries within the MCSA and essential requirements to date - EMMU	Rev M. Seekoei & Co
Liturgy Design in Context & The Preaching Basics	Rev Dr Sox Leleki
Classes/Small Group/Cell Groups: Importance, Challenges and Functionality in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century	Rev M Caba
Igniting Mission and breaking barriers	Rev S. Motlhodi & Ms Thuli Nkomonde

**08 JULY 2017 – SATURDAY, DAY 3.**

06:45 – 07:45	<b>BREAKFAST! BREAKFAST! BREAKFAST!</b>	
07:45 – 08:00	Worship	All
08:00 – 09:00	<b>BIBLE STUDY 2</b>	<b>Rev. Dr Allan Aubrey Boesak</b>
09:00 – 09:15	Engagements, Questions and Answers	All
09:15 – 10:30	<b>Resolutions! Resolutions! Resolutions</b>	<b>Rev Sethulego Mosiako, Ms. Phindi Mkhwanazi, Ms. Ayanda Mjali, +2</b>
10:30 – 11:30	Women Empowerment & Gender Equity “Where are we, <b>Action Plans 2016 Progress?</b> ” Reflect – Gender Based Violence proposed programming – inputs from focus groups. “patriarchy and gender based violence”	<b>Ms. L Luti &amp; Ms Kholiswa Makalima; Mr. Bathembu Lugulwana; Mr. MK Caba; Ms N. Mhlubulwana, Ms L Madlala</b>
11:30 – 12:30	<b>Black History Project - PUBLIC LECTURE – HONOUR Of Rev JC Mvusi</b>	<b>Mr. Mkhusele Jack</b>
12:30 – 13:00	Engagements, Questions and Answers	All

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14:00 – 14:10	Silence! Silence! Followed by Prayer	<i>Chaplaincy</i>
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