



**BMC**

**Black Methodist Consultation**

*A formation within the Methodist Church of Southern Africa*

**44TH ANNUAL CONVOCATION  
11TH - 14TH JULY 2019  
PORT EDWARD HOLIDAY  
RESORT > NATAL WEST.**

***[1975 - 2019]***

***THEME\_2019:  
“BURNING TO LIGHT UP  
FOR GOD’S  
JUSTICE”***

**TEXT – ST. MATTHEW 5:1-16**

***MCSA: LEFA LABATSWADI BARONA! ILIFA LABAZALI BETHU!***



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## DAY 1– THURSDAY 11<sup>th</sup> JULY 2019 > PORT EDWARD METHODIST

TIME	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE
8:00 – 10:30	Arrival and Registration	All
10:30 – 10:45	Worship	All
10:45 – 11:00	Worship Continues, Prayers and Procession Begins	<b>All</b>
11:00 – 11:45	Consultation Opening Divine Service <b>(with - Sacrament of Holy Communion)</b>	<b>Bishop TW. Dlamini Natal West Bishop</b>
11:45 – 11:52	Welcome to Natal West	<b>Rev. TC. Dimaza</b>
11:52 – 12:15	Roll Call; Apologies and Acknowledgements	Secretariat & Chair
12:15 – 12:20	Adoption of the Agenda	Chair
12:20 – 12:30	Appointment of Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resolutions Committee</li> <li>• Listening Committee</li> <li>• Scrutineers</li> <li>• Precentors</li> <li>• Chaplaincy</li> <li>• Time Keeper</li> <li>• Letter Writers</li> <li>• Guests Handling (concierge)</li> </ul>	Chair
12:30 – 12:50	Notices of Motion - Received	Chair
12:50 – 13:15	Confirmation of Previous Minutes and Matters Arising/Action Plans	Chair & Secretariat

**LUNCH! LUNCH! LUNCH!**

TIME	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE
14:00 – 14:45	Chairpersons Address	<b>Rev MW. Molo</b>
14:45 – 15:00	Engagements, Questions & Answers	All
15:00 – 15:45	Executive Organisational Report	<b>Mr. Xhanti T. Mhlubulwana</b>
15:45 – 16:00	Engagements, Questions & Answers	All
16:00 – 16:30	Financial Report	<b>Ms Buhle Sigabi</b>
16:30 – 16:45	Engagements, Questions & Answers	All
16:45 – 17:30	The State of MCSA, Ecumenism & Public Affairs – Presiding Bishop's Office/MCO	<b>Chair; PB – Rev Z Siwa and GS-MCSA Rev C Morgan; LP; MCO</b>
17:30 – 18:00	Bursary Committee	<b>Ms. Nomsa Molai &amp; Co.</b>
18:00 – 19:00	<b>Memorial Service</b>	<b>Rev. Vuyo Dlamini</b>

**SUPER! SUPER! SUPER!**

## DAY 2 – FRIDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JULY 2019 > HOLIDAY RESORT HALLS

TIME	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE
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. Philani Dlamini</b>
09:00 – 09:20	Reflections & Conversations, Synods 2019 & Discernment Journey MCSA_PB Elect 2019	Discernment Committee

09:20 – 10:00	BMC Connexional Executive <b>ELECTIONS!</b> <b>Office Term: 2020/7 – 2023/7</b>	<b>MCO/CE Rep As Delegated, Chairs Elections</b>
10:00 – 10:30	40 <sup>th</sup> Public Lectures – <b>PUBLICATIONS JOURNEY</b>	Rev S. Motlhodi and Co.
<b>15MIN - BREAK/TEA/LEG STRETCH</b>		
10:45 – 11:20	<b>Elevating Black Thought and African History</b>	<b>Bishop Rasebusi Sidwell Mokgothu</b>
11:30 – 12:30	<b>Black History Project – PUBLIC LECTURE - HONOUR OF Rev. Dr. Khoza EM. Mgojo</b>	<b>Dr. Brigalia Bam</b>
12:30 – 13:00	Engagements, Questions & Answers – Key Note Speaker	Chair and All
<b>LUNCH! LUNCH! LUNCH!</b>		
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.</b>	Secretariat
14:20 – 16:30	<b>COMMISSIONS! COMMISSIONS!</b> 1. Doctrine, Ethics and Worship 2. Revisions in the MCSA (L&D Legal) 3. Structures of the MCSA 4. Trust and Property in the MCSA 5. Ministerial Formation/EMMU	<b>All</b> 1. Rev S. Motlhodi & Co. 2. Mr. Mandla Gwambe & Co. 3. Rev M Bosman & Co 4. Mr. Ricky Gwenya & Co 5. Rev M. Seekoei & Co
16:30 – 16:50	<b>EPILOQUE</b>	<b>TBC</b>
17:00 – 18:00	<b>ERNEST BAARTMAN FUND</b>	<b>Ms. Nombasa Sondlela-Malusi &amp; Mr. Valentine Senkhane</b>

**SUPER! SUPER! SUPER! Until 19:00**

**19:00 – 20:00 EXTRA CLASSES & Critical Conversations – “BACK TO BASICS”**

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**FRIDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JULY - 19:00 – 20:00 EXTRA CLASSES & Critical Conversations.**

1. Public Life and Leadership: the development of culture of integrity and ethical leadership – **tbc**
2. *Circuit Stewardship – Administrative Centre of the Black Church - tbc facilitator*
3. **Preaching & Liturgy Design in Context – tbc facilitator**
4. **BMC – Strategy, Tactics, Mission & Vision ‘targets beginners yet open to all in need’ - Rev. Molo (or delegated)**
5. Understanding Ministries within the MCSA and essential requirements to date - EMMU - **Rev M. Seekoei & Co**
6. Organizational Secretariat in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (**Towards Solutioning Org. Gaps**) - **Mr. Xhanti T. Mhlubulwana**

<b>Note: There will be no report back from Extra Classes</b>
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## DAY 3 – SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JULY 2019 > HOLIDAY RESORT HALLS

TIME	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE
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. Philani Dlamini</b>
09:00 – 09:30	Engagements, Questions and Answers	All
09:30 – 10:15	Women Empowerment & Gender Equity “Where are we?” Since <b>Cape Town 12.07.2018 BMC Statement on Gender and LGBTQIA</b>	Gender Equity
10:15 – 11:15	<b>COMMISSIONS FEEDBACK – MCSA CONFERENCE 2019 ISSUES/PREP</b>	<i>ALL Commissions Conveners/Reps</i>
<b>15MIN - BREAK/TEA/LEG STRETCH</b>		
11:30 – 12:15	<b>The 04<sup>th</sup> Industrial Revolution and Digital World</b>	<b>Mr. Manqoba Zungu</b>
12:15 – 12:30	Engagements, Questions and Answers	All
<b>LUNCH! LUNCH! LUNCH!</b>		
13:30 – 13:40	Silence! Silence! Followed by Prayer	<i>Chaplaincy</i>
13:40 – 14:20	<b>Research Final Report:</b> Only Black Ministers are on the foot of the station; Many circuits in the black churches are closing stations	<b>Rev. Dr. M Caba &amp; Co.</b>
14:20 – 14:30	In quest and search for <b>Black Unity</b> , the threat of Tribalism, Ethnicity – “Where are we, <b>Progress to Date?</b> ” > <b>Focus BMC &amp; MCSA ...</b>	<b>Rev Sydney Sotu &amp; Co.</b>
14:30 – 16:00	<b>RESOLUTIONS – RESOLUTIONS - RESOLUTIONS</b>	
16:00 – 16:30	<b>COMMISSIONS FEEDBACK – MCSA CONFERENCE 2019 ISSUES/PREP</b>	<i>ALL Commissions Conveners/Reps</i>
16:30 – 17:00	<b>Evaluation; Evaluation</b> – Forms Completed and Submitted	All
17:00 – 17:30	Closing Devotions – Marks Ends of Business	<b>TBC</b>
17:30 – 18:00	<b>BREAK/TEA – PREPARE RECEPTION</b>	
18:00 – 21:00	<b>RECEPTION! RECEPTION! – AWARDS &amp; DINNER</b>	

## DAY 4 – SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JULY 2019 > GAMALAKHE

TIME	ITEM	RESPONSIBLE
8:30 – 11:00	<b>DIVINE SERVICE</b>	<b>Rev MW. Molo</b>
<b>BRUNCH! BRUNCH! BRUNCH!</b>		
<b>THE END</b>		



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**ANNUAL EXT.CGEC FEBRUARY AND JULY HOSTING ROTATION  
SCHEDULE AS AT 2019 JULY 11-14**

<b>FEBRUARY EXTENDED CONNEX. GENERAL EXECUTIVE COMM MEETINGS</b>		<b>ANNUAL JULY CONVOICATIONS/CONSULTATIONS</b>	
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>DISTRICT/SYNOD</b>	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>DISTRICT/SYNOD</b>
<b>2020</b>	<b><i>Northern Free State and Lesotho</i></b>	<b>2020</b>	<b><i>Kimberly, Namibia &amp; Bloemfontein</i></b>
<b>2021</b>	Queenstown	<b>2021</b>	Northern Free State and Lesotho
<b>2022</b>	Clarkebury	<b>2022</b>	Queenstown
<b>2023</b>	Limpopo	<b>2023</b>	Clarkebury
<b>2024</b>	HISWA	<b>2024</b>	Limpopo
<b>2025</b>	Central	<b>2025</b>	Highveld & Swaziland
<b>2026</b>	Natal Coastal	<b>2026</b>	Central
<b>2027</b>	Grahamstown	<b>2027</b>	Natal Coastal
<b>2028</b>	Cape of Good Hope	<b>2028</b>	Grahamstown
<b>2029</b>	Natal West	<b>2029</b>	Cape of Good Hope
<b>2030</b>	KNB	<b>2030</b>	Natal West
<b>2020</b>	Northern Free State and Lesotho	<b>2020</b>	Kimberly, Namibia & Bloemfontein

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