



# Registration Form

**POWER CONNECTION: A Call to Greater Works**  
**2009 Black Church Conference**  
**National Ministries, American Baptist Churches USA**  
**Nov. 3-7, 2009 • Chicago, Ill.**

Please return to Joanne Powers, P.O. Box 851, Valley Forge, PA 19482-0851 or register online at [www.ABCPowerConnection.org](http://www.ABCPowerConnection.org).  
Make a copy of completed Registration Form for your records. **A registration form is required for each individual.**  
Please contact Joanne Powers at 1-800-ABC-3USA, ext. 2452 if you have any questions.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*(including preferred title—Rev., Dr., Ms., Mrs., Mr.)*

Church Membership \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  home  work  church

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

List any special dietary or physical requirements \_\_\_\_\_

## Registration Fees (Registration Deadline: Oct. 15)

National Black Caucus of American Baptist Churches USA \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Mon 11/2, 12:00 p.m. — Tues 11/3, 1:30 p.m.  
Pre-Conference Ministers Summit **\$75**  
*Includes: Lunch and Dinner, Nov. 2; Lunch, Nov. 3*

Conference Registration \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$215** (before Oct. 1); **\$250** (Oct. 1-15)  
*Includes: Three Continental Breakfasts (provided each day for those staying at the host hotel); Three Lunches; **GIA Sacred Music Package***

One-Day Registration \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$75**  
*Includes: lunch (check one)  Wed 11/4  Thurs 11/5  Fri 11/6*

Emerging Leaders, Emerging Voices Track \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Wed 11/4, — Fri 11/6  
**\$115**  
*(Discounted fee for emerging leaders, age 18-35 ONLY)*

"We Got This!" Hip Hop/Intergenerational Summit (Sat 11/7 only) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Youth (15-18) **\$10**; Adult **\$20**  
*(If registering for Summit attendance only)*

**Total Due** ..... \$

## Payment

Check enclosed (payable to National Ministries) Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Visa  MC  Amex

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## Conference Hotel

Holiday Inn Hotel and Conference Center  
500 Holiday Plaza Drive  
Chicago, IL 60443  
703-747-3500

## Hotel Reservations

Single  Double  Triple  Quad

Roommate(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Day/date of arrival (*check one*)

Sun 11/1  Mon 11/2  Tues 11/3  Wed 11/4  Thurs 11/5  Fri 11/6

Day/date of departure (*check one*)

Mon 11/2  Tues 11/3  Wed 11/4  Thurs 11/5  Fri 11/6

Sat 11/7  Sun 11/8

Room rate is \$89 plus tax. A credit card is required to reserve a room.

Visa  MC  Amex

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel Cancellation Policy: Room must be cancelled 72 hours prior to arrival or you will be charged for a one-night stay.

## Transportation Information

*Area Airports:* Chicago Midway (Preferred); O'Hare also accessible to and from conference site. *Airport Shuttle:* Reservations can be made by calling Lex Shuttle at 1-800-223-9313.

## Scholarships

Limited scholarships available. Please check with the Financial Aid Office at 1-800-ABC-3USA, ext. 2446. CEUs will be provided.

## Please check the sessions you plan to attend

### 10 a.m. – noon Seminars (*choose one*)

*Registration is for all three days*

A Call to Oneness/A Day of Reconciliation:  
Organizing to Stop The Violence!

Call to Greater Works

Make a Joyful Noise

Ministry to the Hidden Brokenness in Our Communities

Something's Gotta Give

Teaching That Transforms

The Doors of the Church Are Open

The Necessary Revolution: Re-imagining Leadership for the Black Church

### 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Workshops (*choose one for each day*)

*Days workshops are offered are listed under each workshop.*

*Please circle choice of day.*

ABCs of Estate Planning  
*Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday*

Biblical Support for Women's Leadership in the Church  
*Thursday*

Bigger is Not Always Better  
*Wednesday & Thursday*

Black Churches Engaged in Mission  
*Thursday & Friday*

Empowering Leadership  
*Wednesday & Friday*

Making Multicultural/Racial Ministry Work  
*Wednesday*

Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board (MMBB)  
*Wednesday, Thursday & Friday*

Ministry to African-American Men  
*Friday*

On the Potter's Wheel: Molded and Shaped for Ministry  
*Wednesday & Thursday*

Preaching for the 21st Century  
*Wednesday & Thursday*

(Re)Shaping the Church's Ministry with Youth  
*Friday*

SPHERE: Solutions for Promoting HIV/AIDS Education to Reduce the Epidemic  
*Wednesday & Friday*

Successful Strategies for Teaching Across Generations  
*Thursday & Friday*

We Are the Ones—Ministry to Young Adults  
*Thursday & Friday*

## Optional Interactive Sessions

Conversation Café  
*3:00-5:00 p.m. Wednesday*

Identify Your Crowd: Using Demographics for Effective Evangelism and Outreach  
*3:00-4:00 p.m. Thursday*

Bridging the Digital Divide: Using Technology in the Local Church  
*3:00-4:00 p.m. Friday*

## Three-Day Special-Interest Skillshops

Facilities Planning  
*10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.*

A Plan for Greater Works  
*3:00-4:00 p.m.*

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