

# NEWARK CHURCH OF CHRIST

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## 55<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL NORTHEASTERN YOUTH CONFERENCE

Theme:



Each congregation is encouraged to have one speaker representing your young people on the topics listed below. A congregation may have two speakers if you have a male and a female who are interested in participating in this event. This year we will select Mr. & Miss Northeastern Youth Conference solely based on speeches. There will be <u>no pageant</u>.

### **Youth Speeches Topics:**

- 1. Created with a purpose beyond what social media is telling me. 1 Peter 2:9
- 2. Created with a purpose, yet still trying to figure it out. Jonah 2:1-10
- 3. Living in your purpose even if your friends don't respect it. Matthew 13:55-57
- 4. Aligning our lives with the purpose God has for us. Philippians 3:8-10
- 5. Understanding the purpose of our Identity and accepting it. 1 Corinthians 9:20-22
- 6. Overcoming Challenges to fulfill your purpose. Genesis 50: 15-21
- 7. Created to be in this world but not of this world. Romas 12:2
- 8. Living within your purpose in a world filled with distractions. 2 Peter 2:6-11
- 9. Using the gifts God has given us to fulfill our purpose. Math 25:19-22
- 10. Adding to your faith to live out your purpose. 2 Peter 5-9
- 11. The Journey in finding my purpose in Christ. Act 9 3-6

## Speeches will be judge on the following criteria:

- 1. Time (not to be longer than seven minutes)
- 2. Theology /Information
- 3. Biblical Passages
- 4. Application
- 5. Presentation

#### **Workshop Topics**

• Workshop 1A:

Discovering God's Purpose for your life as a young man! Jeremiah 29:11

Speaker: Randall Collison, Assistant Minister/ Manchester Church of Christ

• Workshop 1B:

Discovering God's Purpose for your life as a young woman! Jeremiah 29:11

Speaker: Jamila Lyiscott, Manchester Church of Christ

• Workshop 2A:

#### Trusting God's timing in your purpose! Isaiah 40:31

Speaker: Deon Booker, Minister/ Suitland Rd. Church of Christ

• Workshop 2B:

#### **Overcoming Fear and Doubt to Fulfill your purpose! Joshua 1:9**

Speaker: Dr. Willie Parker, Minister/ Montclair Church of Christ

• Youth Only Forum:

#### ("Tell it like it is") Challenges in fulfilling my purpose!

Facilitators: Randall Collison , Assistant Minister/ Manchester Church of Christ & Jamila Lyiscott, Manchester Church of Christ

• Counselor/ Adult Workshop:

#### Understanding our purpose in developing youth! Proverbs 22:6

Facilitator: Deon Booker, Minister/Suitland Rd. Church of Christ