



JAMAICA BAPTIST UNION
162ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

FEBRUARY 22 – 26, 2012
BOULEVARD BAPTIST CHURCH & THE NATIONAL ARENA, KINGSTON

Theme: "Being God's People in God's World – Living in Peace"

REGISTRATION FORM

Please check **one** of the boxes: Minister Church Delegate Youth Delegate
Executive Committee Observer/Guests/Other

Church/Circuit/Association/Department: _____

Title: Mrs. Mr. Miss Gender: Male Female

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Permanent Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ (W) _____ (H) _____ (Cell)

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Address while in Kingston: _____

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Early Bird Registration: J\$7,500.00 (before December 30, 2011)

Regular Registration: J\$8,000.00(after December 30, 2011)

Payment Enclosed: J\$ _____

One (1) meal per day will be provided. Please indicate your preference below:

Lunch Dinner

Note: In addition to the above, other meals will be available for purchase.

Dietary preferences/concerns _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

PLEASE SEE OVERLEAF FOR WORKSHOPS

Official Use Only

Payment Received: J\$ _____

WORKSHOPS

This year's programme of activities will include group workshops. A brief outline of the focus of each workshop is below. Using the information below, you are asked to indicate the session of your choice. While every effort will be made to facilitate your stated preference, we reserve the right to assign you to another available session.

Kindly indicate () which one of the following workshops you wish to attend/participate in.

Please choose only **one (1)**.

Violence against oneself

This workshop will explore ways in which we commit violence against ourselves through suicide, bleaching, lack of self care and other damaging practices. How can we contribute to our own experience of peace?

Peace in Communities: Empowerment through the church

This workshop will explore how a culture of violence is growing in Jamaica which has brought an epidemic of homicides. The solution must include ending the social exclusion, tackling unemployment, giving opportunities for training and development and providing persons with alternatives.

Contextual Bible Study

How do we read biblical texts that are otherwise difficult to deal with, yet they narrate realities that form part of endemic issues of concern in today's communities? How do we read those texts that actually help us to talk about issues of violence? This workshop will help train readers of Scriptures to be able to read for just peace in the process of building just communities of women, men and children.

No Peace without Justice – challenges for the church to strive for human rights

This workshop will share concrete examples of how churches can respond to different forms of violence, especially in relation to marginalized people.

Maintaining the Peace within congregations

This workshop will reflect on how to build good working relationships in the congregation and have persons unite around a common cause.

Overcoming the violence of Global Imperial Capitalism

This workshop will offer a biblical foundation for overcoming the violence of imperial capitalism, analyse the institutional mechanism of global capitalism and their violent effects and give practical examples of how people at the local level can transcend the capitalist economy by forms of solidarity economy and building alliances for the common good, thus showing that a non violent cooperative economy is possible.

Please mail/deliver/fax form along with payment to:

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