

BGM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MARCH 7-9, 2024 SAN FRANCISCO, CA

Meeting Location:

Embassy Suites by Hilton, San Francisco Airport 250 Gateway Boulevard South San Francisco. CA 94080 650-589-3400

Officers:

Nikita McCalister, President

Tom Ross, Vice President

Paul Higgins, Budget Review Officer

Gina Jacobs-Strain, General Secretary

Committee: Cedric Jones, PBA

Tamara Scott

Joy Martinez-Marshall (Observer)
Jim Wolfe, Past President

Chaplain: Doug Scalise

Parliamentarian: Bill Fredrickson, NJ

Staff: Alan Musoke, Associate General Secretary/Treasurer/CFO Kathy Jachowski, Administrator

Thursday, March 7, 2024, 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.; Calvin-Seaborg Room

Breakfast is available in the Atrium. Lunch will be served in the Pople Pavilion.

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Tour of Berkeley School of Theology (travel by UBERX)

1. Welcome and catching up with one another Nikita McCalister, ABCUSA President

2. Devotions Doug Scalise, Chaplain

Lighting of the Christ Candle

3. Call Meeting to Order Nikita McCalister

4. Adoption of Agenda and Approval of Minutes Nikita McCalister

<u>Proposed Action</u>: To approve the minutes of the November 2023 BGM Executive Committee Meeting in King of Prussia, PA and approve the agenda for this meeting of the BGM Executive Committee.

5. President's Report Nikita McCalister

6. General Secretary's Report Gina Jacobs-Strain

7. 2025 Biennial Mission Summit – Omaha, NE Nikita McCalister

8. ENGAGE 2025 Nikita McCalister

9. Report of the Budget Review Officer Paul Higgins

10. Alliance of Asian American Baptist Bank Account Request Paul Higgins

11. American Baptist Women's Ministries Nikita McCalister

12. Credentials and Caucus Committee

Tom Ross

- 13. Request from the Beloved Community Action Group For June Board Meeting
 - a) At the start of the board meetings, have new people introduced and then have planned exercises to meet others 15-20 minutes in beginning of sessions.
 - b) Include the Becoming a Beloved Community in the new members orientation to do a "spot."
 - c) Connect the mentors sooner with the new director before the meetings.
 - d) Give guidance for the mentors to make the experience better.
 - e) Cut out a block of time for opportunity to do some fun activities while at Green Lake.
- 14. Recess for Dinner (to reconvene on Friday, March 3, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.)

DINNER – 6:00 p.m. Dinner in the Pople Pavilion.

Friday, March 8, 2024, 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.: Calvin-Seaborg Room

Breakfast is available in the Atrium.

15. Call to Order Nikita McCalister

16. Morning Devotions Doug Scalise, Chaplain

17. Continue with Agenda

LUNCH WITH LOCAL CLERGY 12:00 p.m. (Popal Pavilion)

- 18. Book Discussion, "Say the Right Thing: How to Talk About Identity, Diversity, and Justice"
- 19. Recess for Dinner (to reconvene on Saturday, March 4, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.)

DINNER – 6:00 PM Andiamo in Banca (15 Minute walk to restaurant)

Saturday, March 9, 2024, 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.; Calvin-Seaborg Room

Breakfast is available in the Atrium.

- 20. Call to Order
- 21. Morning Devotions

Doug Scalise, Chaplain

- 22. Continue with Agenda
- 23. Prayer and Adjournment

Nikita McCalister