



SAMUEL DEWITT PROCTOR CONFERENCE, INC.
2024 CLERGY & LAY LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

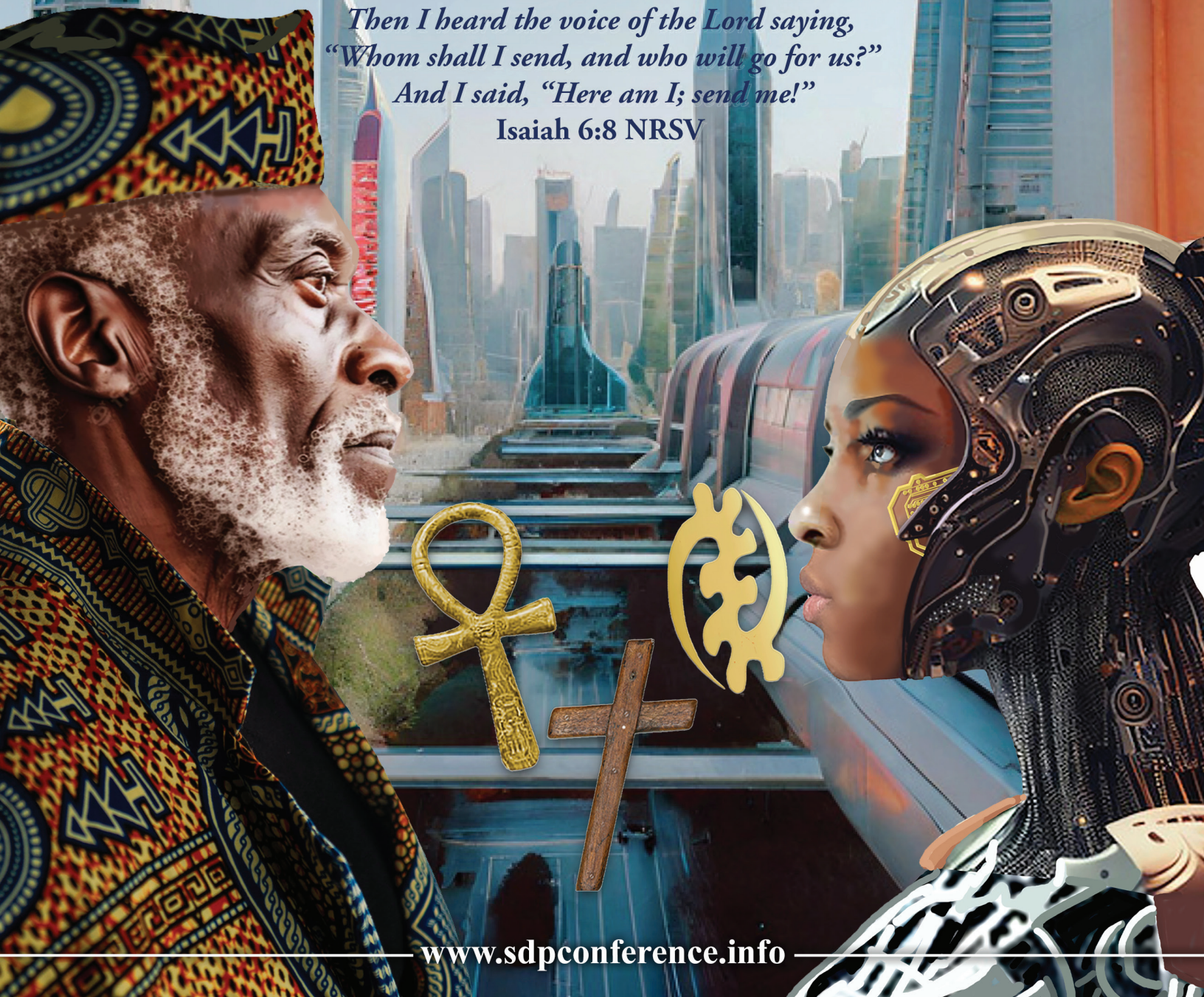
Monday, February 19 – Thursday, February 22, 2024
Palmer House Hilton | Chicago, Illinois

WHERE LEGACY MEETS FUTURE:
REIMAGINE! RE THINK! REINVENT!

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Isaiah 6:8 NRSV



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THE CALL

Join us as we explore the intersection of the Theoretical and the Practical through transgenerational reflection, sharing and collaboration. We gather amid a moment of paradigm-shifting and pivoting on many levels. The Divine calls us to a Sankofa moment: to reach back to that which is good while laying a solid and practical foundation for the future. We are called to reimagine, rethink and reinvent our thought processes to ensure this.

We invoke the message of Dean John Kinney, "At Proctor, we are envisioning an alternative world and investing in behaviors that resource us for [re]construction." When legacy meets future, we can allow our shared sacred memory to lead us in creating a whole new corporeality.

The Divine Creator and our ancestors call us to reimagine... to rethink... to reinvent!

This is our mission.

SPECIAL INTEREST FORUMS

- Connecting the Dots: Racism, Ecojustice and the Wealth Gap
- CRT: Reclaiming Churches as Sites of Education
- Media and the Power of Narrative Change
- Reimagining The Frontline: Addressing Food Insecurity and Emergency Preparedness
- Sisters of the Rock: Reimagining the Divine
- Strategic Voter Engagement: Building Political Power and Strengthening Communities
- Technology and Ubuntu: The Metaverse, Artificial Intelligence and Ethics
- Trauma is Knocking at All Our Doors

"BEAUTIFUL ARE THE FEET" HONOREES

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ELLA JO BAKER HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD

TBD † TBD

CONFERENCE CO-DEANS

Clinton Fluker, Ph.D. † Rev. Sharon Fluker, Ph.D. † Rev. Walter Fluker, Ph.D.

SAMUEL DEWITT PROCTOR CONFERENCE - 2024 SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTS*

Register Early Online: www.sdpconference.info/2024-conference/

Monday, February 19, 2024

Meditation and Self-Care Space
General Registration Opens
Mandatory Seminary Session
Opening Ndaba
Opening Worship Service
Seminary Debrief and Activities
Exhibits

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

Meditation and Self-Care Space
Registration Opens
Tuesday Meditation
Ubuntu: Let's Talk
Special Interest Forums
General Secretary's Luncheon: Ella Jo Baker Awards
Special Interest Forums

Evening Worship
Seminary Debrief and Activities
Exhibits

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

Meditation and Self-Care Space
Registration Opens
Wednesday Meditation
Ubuntu: Let's Talk
Beautiful Are The Feet Honoree Event
Exhibits

Thursday, February 22, 2024

Closing Service of Covenant and Communion

**Schedule is subject to change*

**Check for ongoing program updates online at
<https://sdpconference.info/2024-conference/>**



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

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Please print your name as you would like for it to appear on your conference badge. Please provide preferred mailing information.

Title First Name M.I. Last Name

Position Gender

Preferred Mailing Address

City State Zip

Phone (Day) Phone (Alternate/Mobile)

Preferred Email

Category: Clergy Lay Exhibitor Sponsor Non-Profit

Church/Organization Name

Church/Organization Address (if different from above)

City State Zip

Website

Facebook Instagram

Congregation Size:

- <500 1000-2000 4000-8000
- 500-1000 2000-4000 8000+

How many years have you attended the SDPC?

- First Time 6-10 Years 16 -19 Years
- 2-5 Years 11-15 Years 20 Years

PRE-CONFERENCE INSTITUTE

I am interested in information on Pre-Conference Events:

- February 17th - 18th

SPECIAL INTEREST FORUMS

Please select three (3) sessions (total):

- Connecting the Dots: Racism, Ecojustice and the Wealth Gap
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REGISTRATION INFORMATION*

	Registration*	Sub Total
Early Bird until Oct. 31, 2023	\$350.00	\$ _____
Nov. 1 - Dec. 17, 2023	\$400.00	\$ _____
Dec. 18 - Jan. 15, 2024	\$425.00	\$ _____
Jan. 16 – Feb. 11, 2024	\$450.00	\$ _____
Feb. 12, 2023 - On-site	\$475.00	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Gen Secretary's Luncheon (w/conf)	\$ 40.00	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Honoree Gala (w/conference)	\$ 85.00	\$ _____
Grand Total		\$ _____

Do you have any special dietary needs?

- Vegetarian Vegan Gluten-Free None

Do you have any special needs that need accommodation (ADA)?

Checks or money orders should be made payable to:
Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference, Inc.

Please charge payment to:

- Visa MasterCard Discover Card American Express

Name as it appears on card (Please print)

Billing Card Address

City State Zip

Credit Card #

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CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY

Cancellations and requests for refunds will only be accepted through February 3, 2024. Requests should be mailed, faxed, or e-mailed. The following fees will be charged for cancellation and refunds. 15% for requests received before December 13, 2023; 20% for requests received before January 14, 2024; and 30% before February 3, 2024. Please allow a minimum of 4 weeks for processing.

HOTEL INFORMATION: Palmer House, A Hilton Hotel - (\$149/night)
17 East Monroe Street, Chicago, IL 60603 | 312.726.7500

To reserve your room: <https://book.passkey.com/go/SDPCAnnual>

Conference rates end Friday, February 2, 2024

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Airline fares vary; search early for the best results.

The nearest airports are MIDWAY International and O'HARE International Airports.

Send All Correspondence To:

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*"Even when people call your truth a lie, tell it anyway."
"Do the work your soul must have."
-Katie Geneva Cannon*

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The late Rev. Dr. Samuel DeWitt Proctor was Pastor Emeritus of the Abyssinian Baptist Church of New York City and Professor Emeritus at Rutgers University. Dr. Proctor was President of Virginia Union University, Richmond, VA and North Carolina A&T State University. He held administrative positions with the Peace Corps in Nigeria and Washington, D.C. and the National Council of Churches. He was Pastor-In-Residence for the Institute for Child Advocacy at Children's Defense Fund/Haley Farm. He was awarded honorary doctorate degrees from more than 50 colleges and universities. Dr. Proctor was a prolific writer and preacher, authoring *We Have This Ministry*, *How Shall They Hear*, and *Sermons from the Black Pulpit*, among many other books and articles.