From: To: Victor McCullough Chris Dodson

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<u>Tish Malloy</u>; <u>David Hancock</u> Re: Wednesday Night

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Bishop Nunn, me, and possibly Dr. Joe Harris will be there @First Church for 7:00 pm, tomorrow night.

VMcCullough

On Tue, Mar 21, 2023, 10:16 AM Chris Dodson < tnemidur@hotmail.com > wrote:

Tish,

Thanks for letting us know and for being available to us through this process.

Prayers for you.

Chris Dodson

Pastor, First Church OKC



From: Tish Malloy

Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2023 9:05 AM

To: Victor McCullough

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Hello Victor and everyone,

Since this invitation was sent as a courtesy to me, I want to thank you and let you know that I will not be in attendance Wednesday evening but I will be available by phone or text if there is anything I can do to be of assistance. Also, I am happy to help the people at First UMC and Conference leadership in their discernment.

Many blessings, Tish

On Tue, Mar 21, 2023 at 4:25 AM Victor McCullough < wmccullough@okumc.org > wrote:

Thank you, Chris, for inquiring about the Wednesday night meeting with Bishop Nunn.

I will have a simple agenda. Those agendas are distributed only to persons who have leadership responsibilities on the program for the evening.

That would include you, Bishop Nunn, Rev. Malloy or any additional Conference leader who would be there to speak. I would like for David Hancock to also extend words of welcome to the Bishop and Conference leaders, and hope for those gathered.

I am requesting that our time together begin with a time of worship. If someone from the First Church music ministry could lead us with either praise music or a hymn of praise that would be great.

This meeting will be different from the Church Conference for Information, in that we would not elect a recording secretary. However, our focus will be on First Church's desire and discernment regarding disaffiliation from The United Methodist Church. I am asking you to give the initial welcome, opening prayer, and then, introduce your Heartland District Superintendent to chair the meeting. Bishop Nunn plans to make remarks, listen to your hopes and concerns, and address any necessary questions, as OKC First UMC continues in ministry and the disaffiliation process.

My questions are: What are the ways First Church has communicated with the congregation that Bishop Nunn and Conference leaders will be with you on Wednesday evening? How many shall we anticipate will be in attendance? In which room will we gather?

We are looking forward to seeing you all on Wednesday evening.

God's Peace and Grace!

Victor McCullough

The Rev. Victor T McCullough, D.Min

Heartland District Superintendent / Mission Strategist Oklahoma Conference of The United Methodist Church 1501 NW 24th Street Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73106 (405)530-2029(o) (405)921-3129(m) vmccullough@okumc.org or heartlanddistrict@okumc.org *Thank you for using the above email addresses for DS/work-related communications "The glory of God is a human being fully alive...beholding God" -Saint Irenaeus On Mon, Mar 20, 2023 at 3:25 PM Chris Dodson < themidur@hotmail.com> wrote: Victor, Does First Church need to plan an agenda for Wednesday night with the bishop or will you have one? Also, what all do we need to make sure to have available for that meeting? We just want to make sure we are prepared and have everything ready to go. Thank you. Chris Dodson Pastor, First Church OKC

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"Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." Philippians 4:8