



## THE WAY OF THE CROSS CHURCH OF CHRIST, INTERNATIONAL NATIONAL YOUTH FOR CHRIST

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Dear Pastors, Youth Leaders, and Local Presidents:

Praise the Lord! The 68<sup>th</sup> Holy and 58<sup>th</sup> National Youth for Christ Convocation are rapidly approaching. The anticipation of fellowship with God's people is also increasing and we cannot wait to see and experience the move of God.

This letter is being sent to solicit your support in publishing another successful Convocation issue of The Messenger. The deadline to submit information for the newsletter is **SUNDAY, JULY 8, 2012**. Generally, we are seeking information, in brief, that has occurred between meetings that promotes the positive news among youth in your congregation. The information needed is as follows: youth marriages; births (*please do not submit unwed mother births*); graduations; school accomplishments; significant professional accomplishments, awards, and honors; upcoming national or local church events; poetry; testimonials; and such information that would be appropriate to share with the national body. We are also soliciting businesses, entrepreneurs, and churches to purchase space for ads. Please make sure when submitting your information, email it to [keeviehairston@cox.net](mailto:keeviehairston@cox.net) or [wotcmessenger@cox.net](mailto:wotcmessenger@cox.net).

Please make sure your pastor, youth minister, or local president has approved the information you are submitting. Please **DO NOT** send submissions as a PDF. Please send any photos as a separate JPEG or TIFF file (**DO NOT** include photos as part of your text). Information should be legible, in the appropriate format, and received in a timely manner.

Once again, the deadline is **SUNDAY, JULY 8, 2012**. Thank you for your support of this national youth publication. We look forward to meeting all of the saints at the Hyatt Regency – Crystal City.

Your Sister in Christ,

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