

**24<sup>th</sup> Biennial Session of The National Convocation of the Christian Church**

SHERATON OVERLAND PARK HOTEL

6100 College Boulevard

Overland Park, KS 66211

July 20 – 24, 2016

**MINUTES**

The Meeting was called to order.....Rev. Jesses Jackson

Rev. Shannon Dycus was presented and accepted to fulfill term of Elder Patricia Parker as Board Trustee 2016 – 2018.

Rev. Edward Cushingberry was presented and accepted to fulfill term of Rev. Gregory Bryant as Board Secretary 2016 – 2018.

The Nomination Committee presented the Executive slate of Officers for the 2018 – 2020 National Convocation Board.

- Rev. Dr. Donald Gillett, II for the office of President
- Rev. Dr. Irie Session for the office of Vice-President
- Mrs. Pamela Dubose for the office of Secretary
- Rev. James Vertreese for the office of Treasure

The slate of officers was approved by majority vote.

A resolution was presented pertaining to the downsizing of the Board of Trustees. The resolution called for having on representative for Youth and Young Adults. That resolution was challenged. The resolution was sent back to the Board for further consideration.

A resolution was presented pertaining to educating the whole church about the merger agreement and recommended that Journey Toward Wholeness by Brenda Cardwell and William K. Fox be used as a resource. This resolution was adopted by the body and forwarded to the General Board.