Sunday, June 7

2:00 p.m. Exhibits, Registration Set Up – Atrium
2:30 p.m. Church and Society – 3101
3:00 p.m. Conference Registration Opens – Atrium
          Cokesbury Bookstore Opens
          Alabama Rural Ministry (ARM) Snack Bar – Atrium
          Appointive Cabinet Meeting – Parlor
          UMCOR Supply Truck Opens (closes at 5:00) – Parking Lot
3:30 p.m. Tellers Orientation – Wesley Hall
          Mass Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
4:00 p.m. Committee on Petitions and Resolutions – 7201
          Global Ministries – 3101
          Board of Laity
          Committee on Ethnic and Local Church Concerns
          Fellowship of Local and Associate Members Meeting/Quadrennial Organization – 7207/7209
4:15 p.m. Assistant Secretaries Orientation - Wesley Hall
4:30 p.m. Bishop’s Dinner – 7204
5:00 p.m. Pages Orientation – Wesley Hall
          Memorial Luncheon Set Up/COAH Meeting – 4100
          Mass Choir Meal – Fellowship Hall
          Board of Ordained Ministry Meeting – 6111
5:30 p.m. Conference Registration Closes
          Mass Choir gathers – Sanctuary
          Opening Worship Processional gathers – Chapel
6:00 p.m. OPENING WORSHIP CELEBRATION with Holy Communion – Sanctuary
          Bishop David Graves – Episcopal Address
          Conference Missional Offering – Disaster Response
7:30 p.m. Laity Session – Sanctuary
Clergy Session – Wesley Hall

Administrative Review Committee/Committee on Investigation-Quadrennial Organizing – Wesley Hall

Monday, June 8

7:00 a.m. Biometric Health Screening (Fasting) for Persons on Conference Health Plan (closes at 2:00 p.m.) – 3103/3105
Board of Laity Breakfast – 6102
Reconciling Ministry Friends – 6111

7:30 a.m. UMCOR Supply Truck Opens (closes at 12:30 p.m.) – Parking Lot

8:00 a.m. Conference Registration Opens (closes at 2:00 p.m.) – Atrium

8:30 a.m. OPENING WORSHIP – Wesley Hall
Sermon: Celeste Eubanks
Commissioning of Deaconess

9:30 a.m. CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION – Wesley Hall
Gathering Music
Hymn: And Are We Yet Alive
Opening Prayer: (assigned by host ds)-district lay leader?
Welcome from the Host District Superintendent – Dr. Debora Bishop
Welcome from Chief Bird

Opening Business and Organization of the Conference – Wesley Hall
Setting the “bar” of the Conference
Election of secretarial staff
Approval of the 2019 Conference Journal
Adoption of the 2020 Conference Working Agenda
Presentation of the 2020 Consent Agenda

Committee on Standing Rules (to lay on the table overnight) – Shirley Woodie

Committee on Resolutions and Petitions (to lay on the table overnight) – Rev. Christina Shaver

Committee on Nominations – Rev. Ashley Davis

10:00 a.m. Connectional Ministries Report

10:30 a.m. Laity Address – Beverly Maddox, Conference Lay Leader
United Methodist Men, Allen Dunham
United Methodist Women, Debbie Bell
Lay Servant Ministries, Judy Reiter

11:00 a.m.  2020 General Conference Delegation Report
Conference Announcements and Recess

12:00 p.m.  General Lunch – Fellowship Hall
Memorial Service Luncheon – 4100
Asbury Club Luncheon – 8110 North Gym
Wesley Heirs Luncheon – 6102
Candler Club Luncheon – 6111
Duke Club Luncheon – 7203
Multicultural Ministries Luncheon – 7204

1:30 p.m.  ORDER OF THE DAY – Memorial Service and Holy Communion – Sanctuary
Homily – Rev. Misty Barrett

3:00 p.m.  CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION – Wesley Hall
Gathering Music
Opening Prayer: (assigned by host ds)

Board of Ordained Ministry – Rev. Jim Sanders
  Recognition of Commissioning and Ordination classes
  Recognition of First-Time Licensed Local Pastors
  Recognition of Licensed Local Pastors who completed Course of Study
  Recognition of Clergy in Extension Ministries and Appointments Beyond the Local Church

(Retirees and Wesley Heirs Representatives gather in Parlor by 3:15)

4:00 p.m.  ORDER OF THE DAY – Recognition of Retiring Clergy – Wesley Hall
Gathering Music
Opening Prayer: (assigned by host ds)
Receiving Line for Retiring Clergy – Atrium

Conference Announcements and Recess

5:00 p.m.  CFA Investment Committee – 6105

7:00 p.m.  Service of Ordination & Commissioning – Montgomery First United Methodist Church (Choral Concert at 6:20 p.m.)
  Sermon: Bishop Mike Watson
  Music: Montgomery First United Methodist Church Choirs
Ministerial Education Fund Offering
Reception – Fellowship Hall, Montgomery First United Methodist Church

**Tuesday, June 9**

7:00 a.m.  Sacred Space Prayer Room – Surge (7 a.m. - 5 p.m.)
           COSROW – 6111
           Deacon Breakfast – 6102

7:00 a.m.  Biometric Health Screening (Fasting) for Persons on Conference Health Plan
           (closes at 2:00 p.m.) – 3103/3105

8:00 a.m.  Conference Registration Opens (closes at Noon) – Atrium

8:30 a.m.  Opening Worship with Holy Communion
           Sermon: Rev. Michael Precht

9:30 a.m.  CONFERENCE BUSINESS SESSION – Wesley Hall
           Gathering Music:
           Opening Prayer: (assigned by host ds)


           *Action* on Standing Rules – Shirley Woodie

           *Action* on Resolutions and Petitions – Rev. Christina Shaver

10:00 a.m. Special Awards and Recognitions

           Local Church Heritage Award - COAH
           One Matters Award – Town and Country Commission
           Francis Asbury Award – BHECM

           Denman Evangelism Award – Division of Evangelism –
           Rev. Larry Anderson
           Alice Lee Award – COSROW – Ruth Ann Powers
           Guardian of the Bell Award – UMCH, Blake Horne

           Bishop’s Scouting Award – Vaughn Nichols
           Susanna Wesley Award – Board of Laity
           Scholarship Award and Report of the United Methodist Connectional FCU

10:30 a.m.  Conference Board of Pension and Health Benefits – Rev. Steve Reneau, Chair
            Commission on Equitable Compensation – Rev. W. Michael Cobb, Chair
            Board of Trustee Report – Rev. Olivia Poole

            Conference Announcements and Recess
11:30 a.m.  General Lunch- Fellowship Hall
Spiritual Formation – 7204
Birmingham-Southern Luncheon – 6111
Organization of Board of Ordained Ministry/Order of Elders/Order of Deacons – 7207/7209

1:00 p.m.  Gathering Music:
Prayer: (assigned by host ds)

Council on Finance and Administration – George Mingle dorff
  Action Item: 2021 Conference Budget
  Statistician’s Report – Suzanne Krejcar

  Change in Charge Lines
  District Superintendent Responsibilities
  Property Resolutions

1:30 p.m.  Report of Bishop’s Discernment Task Force

4:00 p.m.  Closing Business of the Conference
  Where shall the 2021 Session be held?
  Courtesies and Appreciation – Dr. Wesley Wachob
  Conference Announcements

4:15 p.m.  ORDER OF THE DAY – Fixing of the 2020-2021 Appointments – Wesley Hall
  Sending Forth Service
  Adjournment Sine Die