

Wake Missionary Baptist Association, Inc.

Theme Accountable to God and Accountable to Men.-Romans 14:12

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2017 WMBA Oratorical Contest

DATE: - Saturday, May 6, 2017

LOCATION:-St. Matthew Baptist Church
5401 Louisburg Road
Raleigh NC 27616
Telephone Number-919.872.7647
Pastor:- Reverend Dr. Ronald E. Avery

REMINDER: ST MATTHEW BAPTIST CHURCH LOCATED ON LOUISBURG ROAD

You may use the application found on pages 12, 13, & 14 that are included with information that was disseminated
February 2017

-May 6, 2017 Oratorical Contest Information

Application must be postmarked by 9:00 P.M. - APRIL 15, 2017

Please mail package to include:

1. Typewritten Completed application
2. Typed -written Speech , DOUBLE SPACED,
Times New Roman Font
Font Size-12 point
3. Small/medium size current photo (B/W or Color)

THE ABOVE SHOULD BE MAILED TO :

WMBA, Inc.
Attention Ms. Juanita Bright
P O Box 25847
Raleigh NC 27611

PLEASE REVIEW PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCING THE ORATORICAL CONTEST.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

1. The speech must be MEMORIZED.
2. There will be only one contestant per division from a church.
3. Please hold a contest at your church to determine who will represent the church on 5/6/17.
4. Contestants for Division 1-Preparatory must have entered the 6th grade as of July 2017. (Presently in the 6th grade)
4A – Division II grades 9 through 11
5. Contestants for Division 111-Senior must be graduating June 2018.
6. The contestant must prepare a speech on one of the official topics that have been provided.
7. When beginning their speech, contestants are required to state their topics FIRST.
8. Applications WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED ON SITE!!

All contestants must be in "good standing" with their local church and the WMBA, Inc.

There will be an oratorical workshop (contestants, judges, timekeepers and Scorekeepers) during the Spring Institute on Wednesday, April 19, 2017 at 6:30 P.M., to be held at Malaby's Crossroads Baptist Church, 911 Old Knight Road, Knightdale, NC Phone-919.266.1071- Reverend Dr. James S. Utley, Pastor.

The contestants are required to attend.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:
Postmarked by 9:00 p.m. - April 15, 2017

We look forward to meeting and working with all of you.

Congratulations to the contestants in advance.

We know you will do well.

Continue to pray and put God FIRST.

Please direct questions to Sister Juanita Bright
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