

The Episcopal Church of the Mediator
invites you to a
Seeds of Faith Conference

featuring
Dennis R. Maynard, D. Min.

Author of
“Those Episkopols”

September 18 - 20, 2009

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The Reverend Doctor Dennis R. Maynard is the author of nine books. Well over 100,000 Episcopalians have read his book, “Those Episkopols”. Twenty-five hundred congregations around the United States use “Those Episkopols” in their new member ministries. Several denominational leaders have called it the unofficial handbook for the Episcopal Church. He is also the author of “Forgive and Get Your Life Back” which has been used by clergy to do forgiveness training in their congregations. Maynard has also written a series of novels focusing on life in the typical congregation. These novels have received popular acclaim from both clergy and lay people.

Over his thirty-eight years of parish ministry he has served some of the largest congregations in the Episcopal Church. His ministry includes parishes in Illinois, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Texas, and California.

He has served notable leaders that represent the diversity of his ministry. These leaders include Former Secretary of State, James Baker; Former Secretary of Education, Richard Riley; Supreme Court Nominee, Clement Haynsworth; and the infamous baby doctor, Benjamin Spock, among others.

His most recent endeavors are earning him a reputation as a novelist. The books in “The Magnolia Series” are growing in popularity around the nation as readers anxiously await each new chapter. Look for book five “The Sweet Smell of Magnolia” coming soon.



*“We have much to teach one another.
Let’s come together and learn together!”*

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P.O. Box 3400
Meridian, MS 39303

Join us for a learning experience! With Dennis Maynard as our guide, we will explore the history and unique qualities of the Episcopal Church.

Register Now!

**SEPTEMBER 18-20, 2009
IN MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI**

Here are highlights and venues:

- Friday evening (18th), Evening session, "The Episcopal Church, A Mixed Blessing", led by Dennis Maynard.

A wine and cheese reception will precede the session.

- Saturday morning (19th), Lecture and discussion with Dennis Maynard.

Light breakfast and BBQ lunch provided.

- Dinner on your own.
- Sunday (20th), you are invited to the 10:30 worship service at the Episcopal Church of the Mediator. Dennis Maynard will be closing the conference with a sermon during this service.

For more information contact us:

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The "Seeds of Faith" conference was developed in 1994-95 as Education for Ministry (EFM) participants in Meridian, Mississippi sought answers to questions of faith. It is viewed by its organizers as "outreach in spiritual formation."

The Conference is a weekend event, scheduled in the spring or fall. It is usually held on the campus of the Church of the Mediator. Beginning on Friday evening, with an introductory talk, then on Saturday there is a full conference day divided by a luncheon which is included in the conference fee. On Sunday morning, guest speakers are often invited to participate in the structure of the service. Out-of-town attendees are also invited to attend on Sunday. Past speakers include Rabbi Lawrence Kushner, Steven Charleston, Barbara Crafton, Marcus Borg, and Jack & Christine Spong.



Experience the Labyrinth

The Church of the Mediator has an outdoor labyrinth located in the Memorial Garden. The labyrinth and garden are always open, and we invite you to walk the labyrinth while you are here.

The Mediator Bookstore

The Mediator Bookstore carries a selection of books by Dennis Maynard. It will be open during the conference. The Bookstore is regularly open on Wednesdays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and on Sundays before and after Holy Eucharist at 10:30 a.m.

Getting Here

Please call ahead (601-483-3959) if you would like directions to the venues or information on lodging.

Seeds of Faith Registration

Dennis Maynard
September 18-20, 2009

Register by Sunday, August 16, 2009.

Detach and return this form, along with a check for \$60.00 per registrant, to:

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Please help us spread the word about this exciting conference. Make additional copies of this form to share with others.

For more information, please call the Mediator at (601) 483-3959 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to noon Friday; or email: cmediator@comcast.net

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Please indicate your BBQ lunch preference:

Pork Beef

Thank you!