Central Maryland District

2020 Virtual Church Conference Agenda

“Cast a net to the right side of the boat…” (John 21:6)

● Oct. 28 – Bishop on the Washington Region (virtually)
● Oct. 30&31 – BWC Next Level Leadership Academy (virtually)

Opening Worship

● Welcome & Church Roll Call (Cheer when your church is called) – DS Park
● Opening Prayer – Presiding Elder
● Scripture (John 21:3-6) – Presiding Elder
● Reflection – DS Park
● Closing Worship Prayer – Presiding Elder

Break ~ 10 minutes

Move to Zoom Breakouts with Assign Presiding Elders

● Certified Lay Servant/Speaker/Minister Reports (affirm and acknowledge receipt)
● Pastor’s Report (recognize and acknowledge receipt)
● Connected Clergy Report (recognize and acknowledge receipt)
● Trustee and Finance Report (recognize and acknowledge receipt)
● Nominations Report (vote on in its entirety, majority vote)
● Candidate for Licensed and Ordained Ministry (if applicable, vote on & record count, 2/3 vote required, Book of Discipline Para 310.1e)
● Clergy Compensation (vote on in its entirety, majority vote)

Next Steps ~ Within the next 10 days, churches should

● Upload minutes into Arena
● Enter the vote count in Arena for the candidates for ordained ministry
● If applicable, update any reports that were changed during church conference