



# VOTING INFORMATION

2015 Annual Conference

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Florence Civic Center

## KEYPADS

Keypads will be given out at registration. These are to vote for General and Jurisdictional Conference delegates as well as other matters as designated by the Bishop. **We strongly encourage you to keep your Keypad in your name badge holder.** (*Name badge holders have a pocket*)

Your credentialed nametag indicates whether you are eligible to receive a keypad. Please wear your nametag each day. Only those with proper credentials will be allowed to vote.

Please keep your keypad with you while you are at the Civic Center. Please remember to bring your keypad with you daily! If you keep your keypad in your name badge holder which serves as your credentials, you will always have it with you.

### ***TAKE YOUR KEYPAD TO LUNCH!***

*Keypads are lonely and needy! They want to be with you day and night!*

*Do us a favor and keep your keypad with you at all times!*

*Don't leave it or forget about it. **Your name badge holder is a great place to keep it.***

***Each lost keypad costs \$250.***



## TO VOTE

Before each vote, the screens will announce what you are voting for and who is eligible to vote (**by name tag color**). You will have been provided lists of the candidates and their assigned voter number.

To vote, key in the number of the person you want to vote for and press SEND. Key in the second number, press SEND. Key in the third number, press SEND. You have voted!

For example: If you want to vote for 999, 998, and 997 (all of which are fake numbers) you would type in 9 9 9 SEND. The keypad will read "Voted 999." Then you will type in 9 9 8 SEND. The keypad will read "Voted 998." Finally you will type in 9 9 7 SEND. The keypad will read "Voted 997."

### POSSIBLE ERROR MESSAGES ON THE KEYPAD

**VOTED MAX.** You will have 8 votes on the first round, but as delegates are elected, you will have fewer votes each time. For example, if Charles Wesley is elected in the first round, you would have 7 votes to cast in the second round. Should you try to vote for more than the maximum number of votes, your keypad will read "Voted Max."

**INVALID.** Should you enter a number that doesn't correspond to an eligible candidate; your keypad will read "Invalid."

**ERASING VOTES.** If you realize that you have entered an incorrect number, you can enter "000 SEND" and that will erase ALL of your votes. You will need to reenter ALL of your votes before the end of the voting session to have a valid vote.

**LOW BATTERY.** If you have a low battery signal on your keypad, please see the teller in your section for a replacement keypad.

***We will have a couple of "trial votes" to practice in the first plenary so that you can become more acquainted with the device before the actual vote takes place.***