



2020 ABSALOM JONES SYMPOSIUM AND ECUMENICAL SERVICE

“Exploring Our Journey Together as the Beloved Community”

A Symposium on Racial Reconciliation and Social Justice

Sponsored by The Bishop Herbert Thompson Chapter of the Union of Black Episcopalians and The Diocese of Southern Ohio

Saturday, February 15 | 9:30am
Ecumenical Worship Service | 2:00pm

Hosted By

Allen Temple AME Church
7030 Reading Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45237

Symposium Participants

Panel Moderator

The Rev. Karen Montagno | Canon Missioner
Christ Church Cathedral

Panelists

Dr. Karen Shuster Webb | President
Union Institute & University

Carl Westmoreland | Historian
Freedom Center

Dr. Adam Clark | Associate Professor
Department of Theology, Xavier University

The Rev. Dr. Gerald Cooper | Pastor
Wayman Chapel, AME Church

Bishop Frank Madison Reid III | Preacher



Keynote Speaker
Dr. Karen Shuster-Webb
President
Union Institute & University



Preacher
Bishop Frank Madison Reid III
Ecumenical Officer
and Endorsing Agent
for the AME Church

Celebrant

The Rt. Rev. Bavi Edna “Nedi” Rivera

Goodwill Offering—including a continental breakfast and lunch. **Registration is required.**

Register on [eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com) and search keyword **Absalom**

Bus transportation provided from Dayton and Columbus. For information, contact Nannette Reynolds @614-582-5941.

Set us free, Heavenly father, from every bond of prejudice and fear: that, honoring the steadfast courage of your servants Absalom Jones and Richard Allen, we may show forth in our lives the reconciling love and true freedom of the children of God, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.