



**You ARE INVITED TO  
AN ECUMENICAL MEMPHIS PILGRIMAGE**

*Sponsored by Episcopalians, Presbyterians (USA), and United Methodists*

**“WISDOM THEN AND NOW: FROM EMBERS TO FIRE”**  
**The Importance of Racial Justice and Beloved Community in Troubled Times**  
**Past - Present - Future**

**September 24-26, 2025**

Join us

9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Wednesday & Thursday

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Friday



**Featuring:**

**Dr. Catherine Meeks**

Author, Preacher, Speaker

Founder: Absalom Jones Episcopal Center for Racial Healing

<https://www.turquoiseandlavender.com/about>

Location:

**Historic Centenary**

**United Methodist Church**

[584 E. McLemore Ave](#)

Memphis, TN 38106



**Click QR Code to Register:**

<https://centenarymemphis.breezechms.com/form/654750>

Cost \$100 Includes pilgrimages to various Memphis Racial Justice Sites, 5 Meals, Transportation, Entertainment

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**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE**

**Wednesday, September 24: Wisdom Then**

- 9:00 a.m. Gather at Centenary
  - Morning Prayer
  - Getting to know one another
  - Large Group with Catherine
  - Small Groups
  - Introduction to Keith – Centenary History
- Noonish: Lunch at Centenary
- 1:00 p.m. Tour Stax/Soulsville/Metropolitan Baptist/ Prayer at Claiborne Temple  
(with Pete Gathje for afternoon and prayer at Claiborne Temple)
- 4:30 p.m. Return to Centenary
- 5:00 p.m. Dinner
- 6:00 p.m. Centenary Musicians
- 7:30 p.m. Closing Worship
- 8:00 p.m. Homeward Bound

**Thursday, September 25: Wisdom Now**

- 9:00 a.m. Gather at Centenary
  - Morning Prayer
  - Large Group with Catherine
  - Small Groups
- Noonish: Lunch at Centenary
- 1:00 p.m. Leave to our Ida B Wells Plaza/ (with Jasper Bernard) Ernest Withers  
Photography Exhibit/Lynching Site
- 4:30 p.m. Return to Centenary
- 5:00 p.m. Dinner
- 6:00 p.m. Playback Memphis
- 7:30 p.m. Closing Worship
- 8:00 p.m. Homeward Bound

**Friday, September 26: Wisdom Forward**

- 9:00 a.m. Gather at Centenary
  - Morning Prayer
  - Large Group with Catherine
  - Small Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Leave to visit Former Slave Market at Calvary
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch at Calvary in Small Groups
- 1:30 p.m. Closing Worship with Communion
- 2:45 p.m. Back to Centenary and homeward bound