

Capital Connections 2025 Transportation Guide

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AREA SUMMARY

 **Airport:** [Reagan National \(DCA\)](#) is the closest airport, and metro accessible to DC. [Dulles Airport \(IAD\)](#) is also connected to DC by metro. [Baltimore \(BWI\)](#) is just north of Washington, DC and has options for transport to DC as well.

 **Train:** [Union Station](#)

 **Metro (Subway):** Metro is a great and affordable way to get around town.
<https://www.wmata.com/schedules/maps/wmata-system-map.cfm>

Key Metro Stops for the conference:

- **Crystal City** (Yellow and Blue lines) for Saturday activities in Arlington, VA
- **Smithsonian** (Blue, Orange, and Silver lines) for Saturday activities at the National Mall
- **Federal Center SW** (Blue, Orange, and Silver lines) for Saturday gala.
- **Forest Glen** (Red line) for Sunday activities at the Temple Visitor Center and DC Stake Center

 **Taxi:** Washington, DC has many taxis on the road that can be hailed at your convenience. Taxi service is generally pretty safe in DC.

 **Rideshare:** Uber and Lyft: Both prevalent in Washington, DC and are safe and reliable.

 **Carpooling:** For all activities, throughout the conference, parking will be limited or at a cost. Carpooling is strongly encouraged and greatly appreciated!

 **Parking:** In general, it is recommended that you download and use the app [Spot Hero](#) to find the best prices and closest garages for each activity.

 **Walking:** Washington, DC is a very flat and walkable city depending on your level of fitness.

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Rentals: There are many options for rental scooters or bikes while going around DC or Old Town Alexandria. Some require downloading of an app. Watch out for the no-park zones! (Check out: [Capital bikeshare](#); [Lime](#); [DC Scooter](#); [Scoot-e](#))



Whova: Please use our wonderful app Whova to coordinate rides and carpooling together. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!



Shuttle: A shuttle will be provided on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with primary focus on those staying at Georgetown University. Click [here](#) for the schedule.



Georgetown University: If you have made a reservation at Georgetown University, you will be staying at Leavey, which is a former hotel. Linens are included. Those who have selected this add-on will receive additional information in a separate email.

Address: [1560 Tondorf Rd, Washington, DC 20057](#)

Parking: There is parking at Georgetown but it is not free and must be paid separate from the conference registration and housing fee. Information on Georgetown parking passes was emailed to people staying at Georgetown housing.



Google Maps: We highly recommend using a GPS to help navigate around the area, especially as there are many tricky one-way roads! Check out [this map](#) of all the locations that will be part of this year's conference!

FRIDAY, JUNE 13

Everyone is responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from these locations:

- Washington, DC Temple: [9900 Stoneybrook Dr, Kensington, MD 20895](#)
- National Harbor: [165 Waterfront St, Oxon Hill, MD 20745](#)
- 2810 King Street: [2810 King St, Alexandria, VA 22302](#)

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TEMPLE SESSIONS



Venue: [Washington DC Temple](#), Kensington, MD

You are responsible for reserving your temple session slot and finding your own transportation to the temple. Please check Whova to coordinate possible carpool options.



Dress Code: Sunday best

Transportation Options:

-  **Metro:** [Forest Glen Metro](#) Station, 2 miles from the Temple.

DINNER GROUPS | 4:00 PM

Sign up and coordinate in Whova with your group. You are responsible for finding your own transportation to and from your selected restaurant.

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OPENING SOCIAL | 6:00 PM



Venue: [National Harbor, Oxon Hill, MD](#)

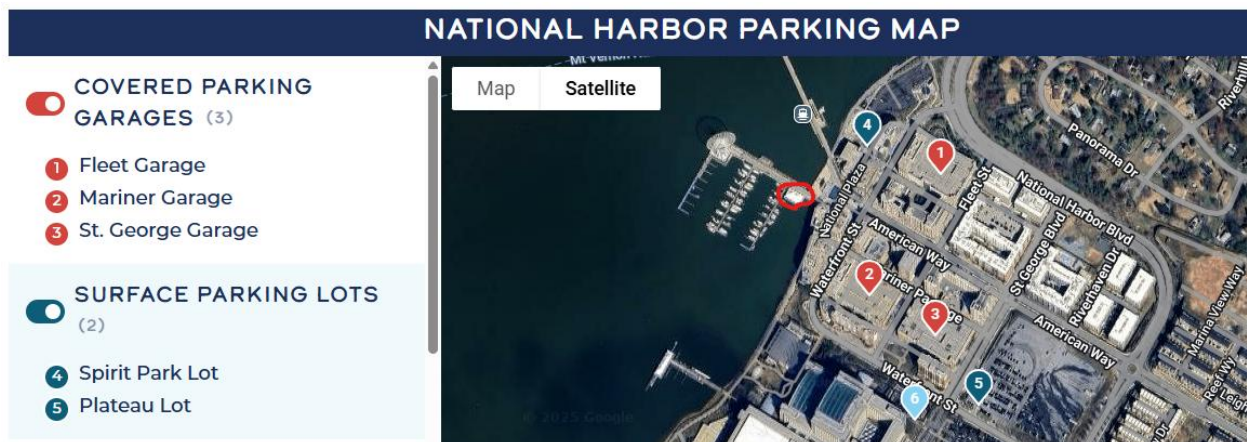
THE CONFERENCE CHECK-IN AND SOCIAL IS UNDER THE CANOPY ON THE PIER, (THE LITTLE RED CIRCLE ON THE MAP BELOW).



Dress Code: Casual, nice

Transportation Options:

- **P Driving/Parking:** Free parking is available as described above. Carpooling is recommended. Parking validation will be provided for the garages. **You must collect your validation at the conference check-in desk.**
-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft**
-  **Carpool:** Please use our wonderful Whova app to coordinate rides and carpooling. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!
- **Other:** You cannot walk or take the metro to the National Harbor, so please use the options above.
-  **Shuttle:** There will be a shuttle offered between Georgetown (Leavey) and the National Harbor. Click [here](#) for the schedule.



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LATIN SOCIAL & DANCE | 8:00 PM

 Venue: King Street Meetinghouse, [2810 King Street, Alexandria, VA](#)

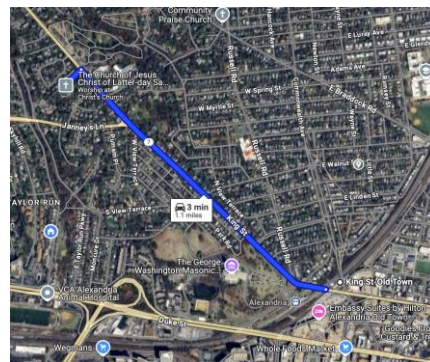


Dress Code: Casual, nice

Transportation Options:

You are responsible for finding your own transportation to the Latin Social and Dance.

-   **Driving/Parking:** Please carpool as there are limited spots! If the parking lot is full, try the nearby [Alexandria City High School](#) (former T.C. Williams High School, Home of the Titans). Check Whova to coordinate carpool options!
-  **Metro:** [King Street Metro Station](#), 1.1 miles to the church. The DASH Bus 31 can be taken from King Street Metro Bay A to the King Street & Melrose Street stop.
-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft**
-  **Carpool:** Please use our wonderful Whova app to coordinate rides and carpooling. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!
-  **Shuttle:** There will be a shuttle offered between Georgetown (Leavey) and the King Street Meetinghouse. Click [here](#) for the schedule.



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SATURDAY, JUNE 14

Venues:

Saturday morning: 23rd Street, Arlington, VA

Saturday afternoon: 23rd Street, Arlington, VA; Virginia Highlands Park, VA; National Mall, DC; Roosevelt Island, DC; Great Falls State Park, McLean, VA; Old Town Alexandria, VA

For the majority of the afternoon activities, you will need to arrange your own transportation. There will be some shuttles. See below for additional information.

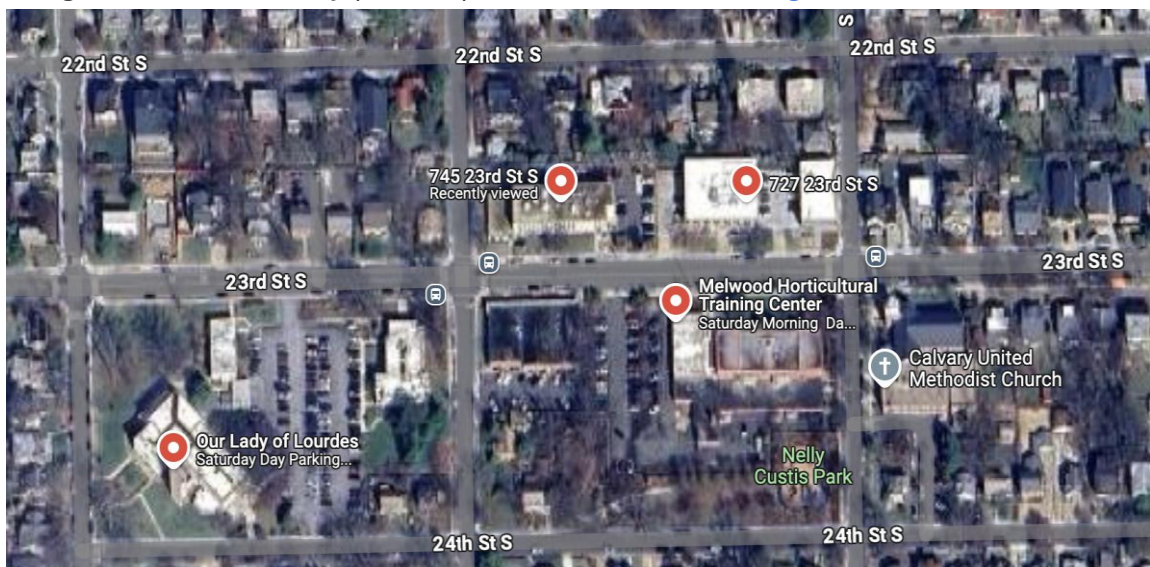
Saturday evening gala: Museum of the Bible, Washington, DC

SATURDAY MORNING

BREAKFAST, WORKSHOPS, SPEAKERS, SERVICE, CONNECTION SESSIONS | 8:00 AM

Venues:

- LDS Church Building: [745 23rd St S., Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- LDS Church Building: [727 23rd St. S, Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- Melwood: [750 23rd St S., Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- Congressional Cemetery (Service): [1801 E St. SE, Washington DC 20003](#)



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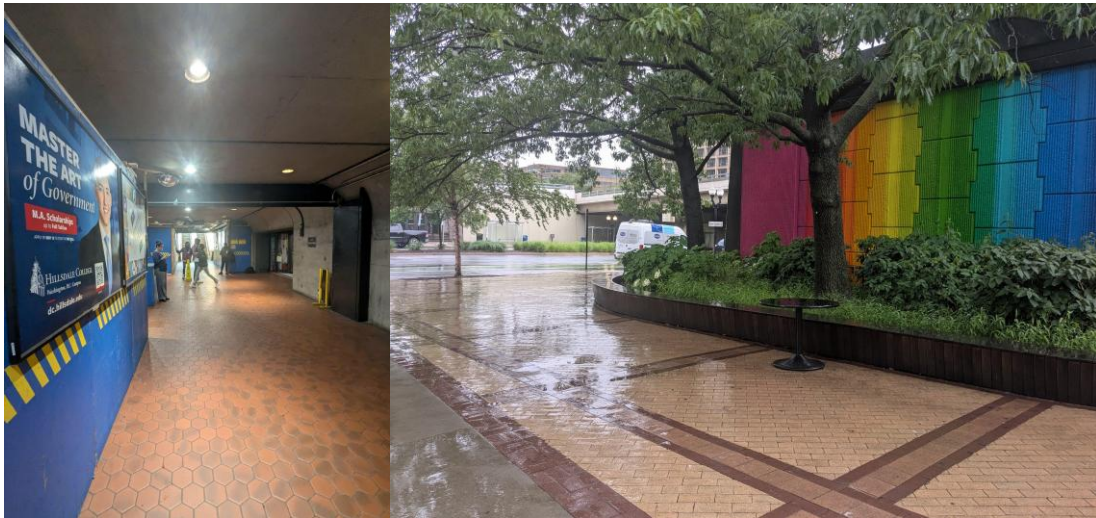
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Transportation Options:

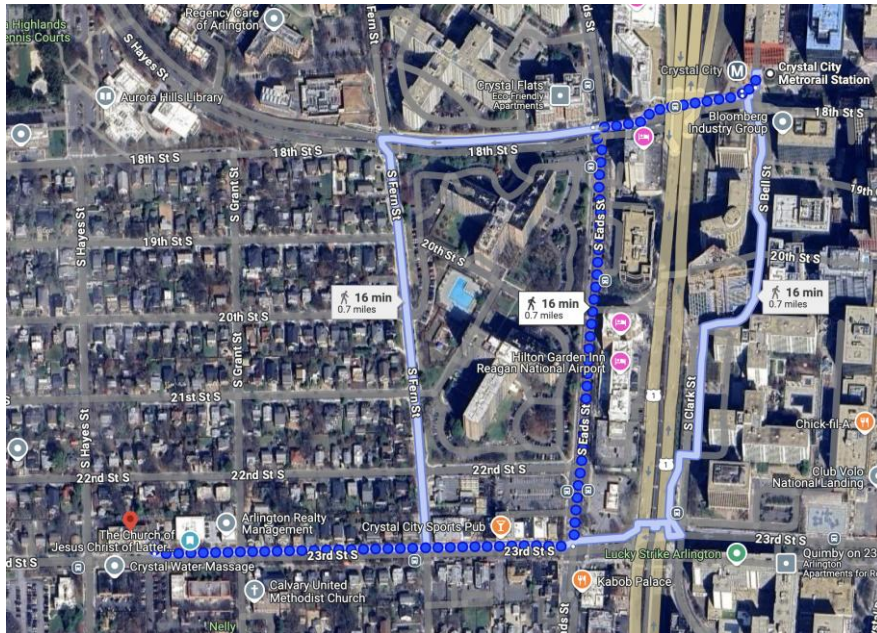
-  **Metro:** [Crystal City Metro](#) station, .6 miles from the church. You can either walk or take the shuttle to the 23rd St. churches (go straight up the escalators to the outside entrance, NOT into the Marriott entrances to the right or left; shuttle pickup by the 'hotel shuttles' sign just past the big rainbow wall).



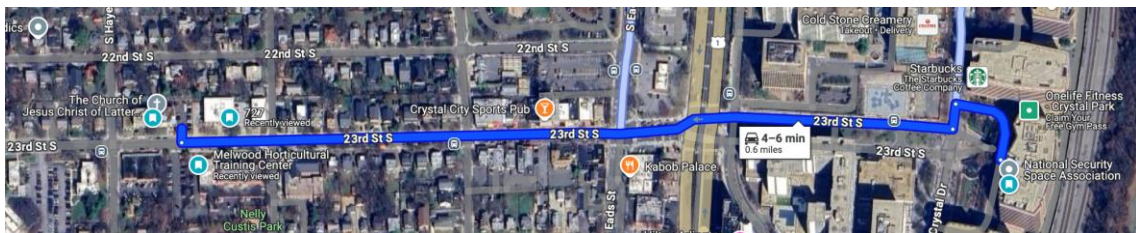
-  **Walking from Crystal City Metro** (nearest metro stop) to the 23rd Street churches.

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-  **Shuttle:** There will be a shuttle offered between Georgetown (Leavey), Crystal City Metro, 2345 Crystal Dr. parking garage, and the 23rd Street churches. Click [here](#) for the schedule.



-  **Driving:** Please **carpool** whenever possible as there is limited parking immediately near the church.
-  **Free** parking is available at the following locations on a first-come, first-served basis:
 - **2345 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA, 22202:** This is a massive underground parking garage that is free on the weekends. Please pay attention to what section of the garage you park in (we recommend you take a picture) as well as which elevator you use to come above ground to the shuttle pick-up/drop-off location in front of the 2345 building. You can walk or take the shuttle to 745 23rd Street building.

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2345 building - Shuttle stop



2345 Parking garage entrance

- **Our Lady of Lourdes: [830 23rd St S, Arlington, VA 22202](#):** There are a limited number of spots here and parking passes are required to park here. Passes will be handed out on arrival on a first-come, first-served basis.
Please note your vehicle MUST be removed from the lot by 4:00pm, no exceptions.
- **Melwood: [750 23rd St S, Arlington, VA 22202](#):** A limited number of spots are available, for dance instructors and those with mobility limitations.
- ***Parking at the churches will be reserved for the speakers.***
- ** Paid Parking:** \$12/day, incurred at your own expense should you choose to park here.
 - Colonial Parking: 2200 S Eads St, Arlington, VA 22202
-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft** if you do not have a car or access to public transportation.
-  **Whova:** Please use our wonderful app Whova to coordinate rides and carpooling together. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON

LUNCH, WORKSHOPS, SPEAKERS, SERVICE, ACTIVITIES | 12:00 PM



Dress Code: Casual, nice, sporty



Venues:

- LDS Church Building (Speakers, Workshops)
 - [745 23rd St S., Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- LDS Church Building (Speakers, Workshops, Game Show)
 - [727 23rd St. S, Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- Melwood (Dance Instruction)
 - [750 23rd St S., Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- Congressional Cemetery (Service)
 - [1801 E St. SE, Washington DC 20003](#)
- Key Bridge Boathouse (Kayaking/Paddleboarding)
 - [3500 Water St NW, Washington, DC 20007](#)
- Roosevelt Island (Nature Walk, BYOB paddleboard launch location)
 - [Roosevelt Island Park](#)
- Virginia Highlands Park (Volleyball)
 - [1600 S Hayes St, Arlington, VA 22202](#)
- Great Falls Park (Hike)
 - [9200 Old Dominion Dr., McLean, VA 22102](#)
- Great Falls Tavern Visitor Center (C&O Canal Boat Ride)
 - [11710 Macarthur Blvd, Potomac, MD 20854](#)
- Old Town Alexandria (Walking Food Tour)
 - To be announced, see Whova for details

Transportation Options:

-  **Metro** to/from the [Crystal City Metro](#) station.
-  **Shuttle:** There will be 4 shuttles offering rides between the 23rd Street churches and: the Congressional Cemetery, Key Bridge Boathouse, Roosevelt Island, Georgetown, as well as the 2345 Crystal Dr. parking garage and the Crystal City Metro. Click [here](#) for the schedule.
-  **Driving:** Please **carpool** whenever possible as there is limited parking immediately near the church. People hiking Great Falls Park will need to

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drive/carpool. Any people willing to brave driving in DC are strongly encouraged to carpool and anticipate spending time to find parking, which will likely be a walk from where you're looking to go. Those who have not driven in DC (and even those who have) may find driving in the Capital to be quite frustrating.

-  **Free** parking is available at the following locations:
 - **Our Lady of Lourdes: [830 23rd St S, Arlington, VA 22202](#):** *There are a limited number of spots here and parking passes are required to park here. Passes will be handed out on arrival on a first-come, first-served basis. Please note your vehicle MUST be removed from the lot by 4:00pm, no exceptions.*
 - **Melwood: [750 23rd St S, Arlington, VA 22202](#):** A limited number of spots are available, for dance instructors and those with mobility limitations.
 - *Parking at the churches will be reserved for the speakers.*
-  **Paid Parking:** \$12/day, incurred at your own expense should you choose to park here.
 - Colonial Parking: 2200 S Eads St, Arlington, VA 22202
-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft** if you do not have a vehicle or are near public transportation.
-  **Whova:** Please use our wonderful app Whova to coordinate rides and carpooling together. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!

Activities today will end around 3:30/4:00pm. No dinner will be provided this day as singles will need time to get ready for the gala, which begins at 6:00pm. There will be light hors d'oeuvres at the gala, but this is not a dinner, so don't come starving! Please plan your schedule and transportation carefully to maximize participation in the activities!

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SATURDAY EVENING

SATURDAY EVENING - GALA | 6:00 PM

There is a TSA-like security to enter Museum of the Bible, and **no admittance will be permitted after 8:00pm**. The gala will end around 10:30pm and **all singles must exit by 11:00pm**.



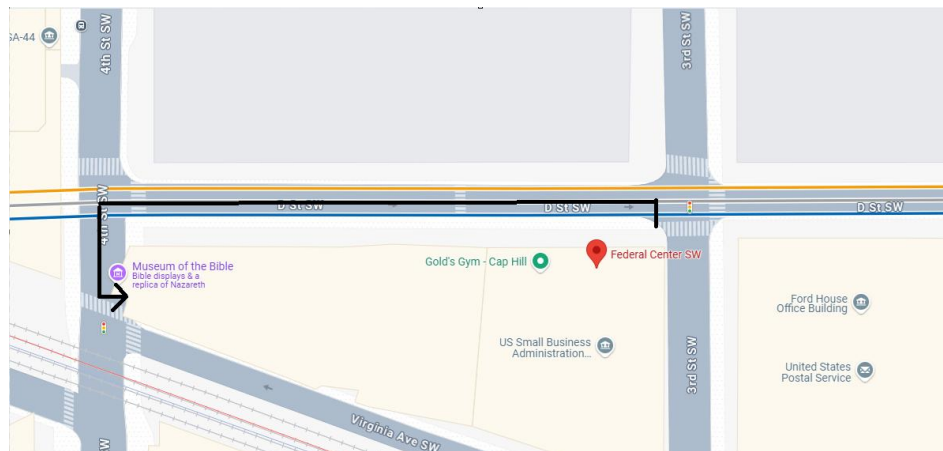
Venue: Museum of the Bible: [400 4th St SW, Washington, DC 20024](#)



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Transportation Options:

-  **Metro:** [Federal Center SW Metro](#) (Orange, Silver, and Blue lines) is in the same building as Museum of the Bible
 - Exit the Federal Center SW metro, turn left on D Street SW, then turn left on 4th Street SW and proceed to the entrance of Museum of the Bible.



-  **Shuttle:** Between Georgetown (off North Road, across from Cooper field) and Museum of the Bible. The first shuttle leaves Georgetown at 5:30 pm and the last shuttle will leave Museum of the Bible at 11:00pm. Click [here](#) for the schedule.
-  **Driving:** Please **carpool** whenever possible as there is limited parking immediately near Museum of the Bible, particularly with the Army 250th Birthday celebrations in DC that evening.

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-  **Free** parking is available, on a first-come, first-served basis. There are a limited number of parking spots. Once all parking passes are given out, attendees will be responsible to find and pay for their own parking in the area.
 - **SP+ Parking:** [400 Virginia Avenue Southwest, Washington DC, 20024](#)
 - **Colonial Parking:** [500 C St SW, Washington, DC 20024](#)
-  **Paid Parking:** There are street spots and paid parking garages in the surrounding area. Spot Hero is a great app to find the best prices, closest to the Museum.
-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft** if you do not have a vehicle or are near public transportation.
-  **Whova:** Please use our wonderful app Whova to coordinate rides and carpooling together. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs!
- **CARPOOLING, TAXI, OR RIDESHARE IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED THIS EVENING FOR THE GALA.**

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SUNDAY, JUNE 15

Singles who sign-up for a brunch group will need to find their own transportation to/from the house, and then on to church at the Washington DC Temple Visitor Center.

Conference Choir participants will need to arrive at the Temple early (~10:00am) for rehearsal. Watch for emails/Whova notifications for any information.

Church services will begin at 12:00pm at the Temple Visitor Center and run until 2:00pm. Following a group picture in front of the Temple, the conference will continue at the DC Stake Center, adjacent to the Temple.

SACRAMENT MEETING, SPECIAL SECOND HOUR WITH SIS. YEE, GROUP PHOTO, LUNCH, WORKSHOPS, SPEAKERS, DINNER, FIRESIDE WITH ELDER HELD, DESSERT MINGLE | 12:00 PM



Venues:

- Washington, DC Temple/Temple Visitor Center
 - [9900 Stoneybrook Dr, Kensington, MD 20895](#)
- Washington, DC Stake Center:
 - [10000 Stoneybrook Dr, Kensington, MD 20895](#)



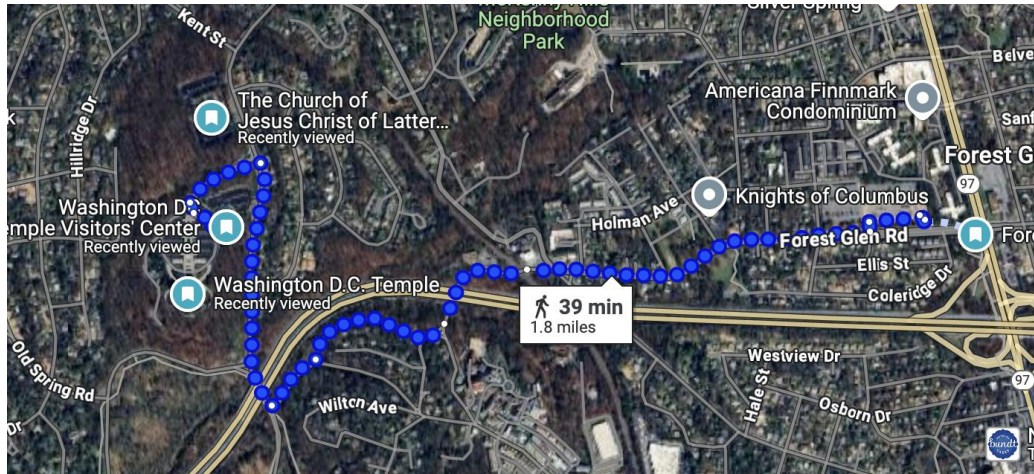
Dress Code: Sunday best

Transportation Options:

-  **Metro:** Forest Glen metro (Red line), 1.8mi to the Temple
 - [9730 Georgia Ave, Forest Glen, MD 20910](#)

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-  **Shuttle:** To/From Georgetown (off North Road, across from Cooper field), Forest Glen Metro, and the Temple Visitor Center. Click [here](#) for the schedule.
-  **Driving:** **PLEASE CARPOOL** as there is limited parking.

Carpooling is strongly encouraged today. We have a very limited number of parking spots at the Temple and Stake Center.

-  **Free** parking is available, on a first-come, first-served basis at the Temple and DC Stake Center. Please follow the directions of the parking ushers.
 - **PLEASE DO NOT PARK AT THE TEMPLE VISITOR CENTER.** These spots are to be used by patrons of the Visitor Center.
 - **PLEASE DO NOT PARK AT THE DC STAKE CENTER BEFORE 2:30pm.** There are other wards meeting in the building and need parking. Cars can be shifted over from the Temple after 3:00pm.
 - Cars parked at the DC Temple **MUST exit the lot by 9:00pm** when the gate will be locked.
 - **THERE ARE NO PARKING GARAGES OR STREET PARKING NEARBY. IF YOU CANNOT GET A PARKING SPACE, IT WILL BE DIFFICULT FOR YOU TO ATTEND THE SUNDAY AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES.**

-    **Taxi, Uber and Lyft** if you do not have a vehicle or are near public transportation.
-  **Whova:** Please use our wonderful app Whova to coordinate rides and carpooling together. This is a fun way to meet others and share costs! If you are a

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local, consider seeing what visitors may need a ride back to their accommodation or even the airport.