

CONVOCATION Friday Night Consecration Dress/Attire

This email is to detail Clergy Vestments for FIRE International FOCM Convocation Friday Night Services

Clergy are to be in their vestments **Friday** for the Evening Consecration service.

The following is the order of clergy vestments - NO wrinkles in clothes please:

- **Bishops** - Choir Dress
- **Overseers** - Choir Dress
- **Pastors** - Choir Dress
- **Elders** - Choir Dress
- **Evangelist** – Choir Dress
- **Deacons/Deaconess** - Choir Dress (white robe) If you do not have your white robe, please wear all black suit with blue sash. (**Men** - black suit, plain black socks, plain black belt and plain black shoes. **Women** black suit with skirt below knees, plain black stockings, plain black shoes)
- **Ministers** – Choir Dress
- **Missionaries** - All white including shoes and stockings. Skirts or dresses should be below the knees.
- **Ministers in Training** - All Black suit. (**Men** - black suit, plain black socks, plain black belt and plain black shoes. **Women** black suit with skirt below knees, plain black stockings and plain black shoes)

Usher attire - each day:

- **Uniform for Female Ushers** - White top, black skirt below knees, white stockings, black shoes, white gloves.
- **Uniform for Male Ushers** – White shirt, black tie, black jacket, black pants, black socks, black shoes, white gloves

ALL Clergy suits, shoes, socks, stockings and belts are to be **plain** and **simple** with no decorations or fancy in anyway.

ALL Clergy - Wedding Rings and watches are the only authorize jewelry to be worn on this night.

Hair:

- Clergy Men - please make sure your hair is neat and if you have a beard, please make sure it is neat.
- Clergy Women - please make sure your hair is pinned up above your shoulders.

Black symbolizes that we are dead to the world and we come empty of the world, empty of the world desires, with a mind, heart, soul and spirit with a true desire **READY** to serve.

We come plain and simple not to distract from the Glory of the Lord but ready to serve the Lord and God's people.

We are look forward to an awesome time in the Lord!!
Come ready to praise God.

Please see the Clergy Vestment Manual.