

# Accommodations

## LODGING:

Lodging will be provided at the MeadowView for those registering for the first 150 rooms; the remainder will be placed at the Jamison Inn and the Hampton Inn within about one mile of the Conference Center site. Bus transportation will be available to allow you to attend all meals and activities at no additional cost.

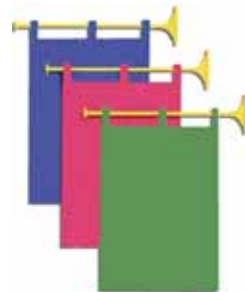


## LOCATION:

MeadowView Resort and Conference Center was recognized last year once again as the number one Marriott Resort in the World. Their staff presents excellence in hosting groups with their food service, room care, and friendliness. The facility itself is top notch in every way. The hotel is easily accessible from I-81 exit #59 toward Kingsport.



# Jubilation 2009



# Offer Them Christ

March 29–31, 2009

MeadowView Resort  
and Conference Center  
Kingsport, TN  
423/578-6600

# Our Leaders



**Worship Leader and Keynote Speaker:**  
**Bishop Kenneth L. Carder**  
*Retired Bishop, presently serving as Ruth W. and A. Morris Williams Professor of the Practice of Christian Ministry at Duke Divinity School. Renowned preacher and lecturer, former pastor at Church Street UMC, Oak Ridge UMC, Concord UMC, as well as churches in Maryland and Virginia.*



**Bible Study Teacher:**  
**Bishop Richard C. Looney**  
*Retired Bishop, presently a resident of Cleveland, TN, and Director Emeritus of the Foundation for Evangelism of The United Methodist Church.*



**Musicians:**  
**Sarah Holloway, Song Leader:**  
*A professionally trained singer who serves as the choir director at Christ UMC, Knoxville.*

**Beverly Kerr, Accompanist:**  
*A professional pianist and owner of Special Notes Entertainment Agency. She taught choral music in Knoxville for 17 years before organizing her business over 20 years ago.*



# Entertainment

## Charles Maynard

*Storyteller, Director of Development, Holston Conference Camp and Retreat Ministries, Jonesborough, TN, who will bring both laughter and tears to total group settings.*

## Lora Melton

*Member of Galax UMC who will provide a one-person handbell concert at the Monday evening banquet.*

## Tennessee Wesleyan Chamber Choir

*Tennessee Wesleyan College, Athens, TN*

## Beverly Kerr and Sarah Holloway

*Musicians who will provide both entertainment and inspiration through their musical presentations.*

# Schedule

## Sunday, March 29, 2009

3:30 p.m. Registration Begins in Lobby  
Get moved in and settled  
Hospitality Room Open for Fellowship  
5:30 Dinner is served: Sit-Down Meal  
7:00 Welcome/Orientation in Convention Center  
7:30 Evening Program: Worship with Tennessee Wesleyan Choir  
Worship Leader: Bishop Kenneth L. Carder  
8:45 Ice Cream Social provided by Mayfield Dairy, Athens, TN

## Monday, March 30, 2009

7:00-8:15 a.m. Breakfast is served: Sit-Down Meal  
8:30 Gathering with Singing Led by Sarah Holloway/Beverly Kerr  
Introduction of Leadership  
9:00 Bible Study with Bishop Richard C. Looney  
9:45-11:00 First Workshop  
11:15 Worship: Led by Bishop Carder  
12:15 p.m. Adjourn for Lunch  
1:30-4:00 Happy Living Expo in Convention Center  
4:00-5:15 Second Workshop  
6:15 Dinner is served: Sit-Down Meal  
7:45-9:00 Evening Program:  
One-person hand-bell concert  
Keynote Address: Bishop Carder

## Tuesday, March 31, 2009

7:00-8:15 a.m. Breakfast is available: Buffet Line  
8:45-9:15 Bible Study with Bishop Looney  
9:15 Group Singing Led by Sarah Holloway/Beverly Kerr  
Story Telling by Charles Maynard  
10:15 Morning Break  
10:45 Closing Worship with Holy Communion:  
Led by Bishop Carder  
*(A mission offering will be taken.)*  
11:30 Adjournment of the event  
*How good it has been to be together!*

\* Some may desire to eat lunch in the restaurant.  
It will be served to those with reservations at 12:00 noon.



# Workshops



**1. Bishop Richard C. Looney:**  
Dick Looney is known as a Bible teacher all across United Methodism. This year, he will be teaching the hidden meaning of some of the Old Testament stories that intrigue and challenge your thinking.



**2. Charles Daniel:**  
Editorial Cartoonist who has just celebrated 50 years as the person who Knoxvilleans have read daily in the local newspapers. He will be leading a workshop that will display comments on current events – including world, national, and local. His personal insight on happenings will both enlighten and entertain you.



**3. Charles Maynard:**  
Storyteller whose knowledge of interpersonal relationships and local church occurrences will both entertain you and bring recollections to you concerning your own life. He will encourage you to begin to share your own stories.



**4. Jerry King:**  
Former president and founder of King Training and Development, a nationally recognized speaking and consulting company. He is currently the Principal of Gladesboro Elementary School in Hillsville, VA. He is author of several books including the faith-based *Now, Get A REAL Life*.

## SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE:

Because of the three-year grant from Asbury Centers, Inc., there will be limited full and partial scholarships available to those who need some help in attending. The manner of dispensing this assistance will be through a confidential conversation with your pastor, who in turn contacts the Holston Conference Coordinator of Older Adult Ministries to request a specific amount of scholarship assistance. He/she will not share a name of the recipient, but a check will be forwarded to the church in the agreed-upon amount. No one in the conference office nor the registrar will be aware of the recipient's identity; only the recipient and the pastor/older adult director will be informed.

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## Happy Living Expo The Seven Dimensions of Wellness

Monday afternoon (check program schedule) during Jubilation 2009, there will be an opportunity for those in attendance to visit with various professionals concerning *The Seven Dimensions of Wellness*. These are:

**Spiritual:** Opportunities such as Church involvement, time spent in nature, pet therapy, devotional opportunities, etc.

**Physical:** Senior exercise, nutrition, Tai Chi, etc.

**Emotional Health:** Professionals who might be helpful in assisting individuals to regain emotional balance during grief, disappointment, life-changing times, etc.

**Intellectual:** Life-long learning, computer tips, emailing, texting, crossword puzzles, word-finds, etc.

**Vocational:** Sense of purpose, giving back to others, volunteering, tutoring, etc.

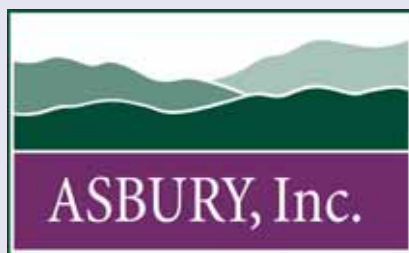
**Environmental:** Recycling, appreciation of surroundings, reclaiming soil/water/air purity, etc.

**Social:** Involvement with others, groups for eating out, bus trips, drama/movie groups, "parties," etc.

The entire meeting space will be set up for vendors to display tools to assist individuals to interact with them. Individual assistance and information will be shared on a one-to-one basis. There will be some free samples and/or favors available at the various booths.



# Presenting Sponsor



Asbury is proud to serve as the Presenting Sponsor for Jubilation 2009.

For nearly half a century, hundreds of East Tennessee seniors have relied on the care and comfort

### A Continuing Care Network

provided by Asbury, Inc. retirement communities. The Rev. E.D. Worley, a founding force behind Asbury in the 1950s, visualized a place where older adults could live out their "sunset years" in peace and security, active and happy. He drew on the name of the Rev. Francis Asbury, the 19th century Methodist preacher who for most of his life never really knew a home.

Asbury, affiliated with the Holston Conference of The United Methodist Church, has retirement communities in Maryville, Kingsport, and Johnson City. Accredited by the Continuing Care accreditation Commission, all of the communities are striving to provide a continuum of care from independent living to skilled nursing. In addition, they provide specialized care for residents needing dementia therapy and rehabilitative services.

This continuum of care provides residents and their families outstanding value, comfort, and peace of mind, knowing they will have the opportunity to move among service levels within the same trusted organization. Independence, assistance, compassionate care—you'll find what you want at Asbury Place. In fact, there's no better place to be.



**Jubilation 2009** ... is the ninth annual gathering of senior adults in the Holston Conference of The United Methodist Church. The stated vision of Jubilation is to provide a ministry for senior adults, aged 55 and over; that nurtures spiritual growth, provides educational opportunities and ways to cope with life issues, promotes involvement in missions, and enhances Christian fellowship. This program was made possible from a grant from the Margaret Loving Trust managed by the Holston Conference Foundation and a generous three-year grant from the Asbury Centers, Inc.

# Registration Form

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Church \_\_\_\_\_  
District \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of adults in room:  1  2  3  4

Rooming with: \_\_\_\_\_

Choose 2 Workshops (write number next to workshop):

1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following if you will be commuting to Jubilation and will NOT be staying at the MeadowView:**

Phone # where you are staying: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

I will be staying at: \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment

One person:	\$ 280	\$ _____
Two persons :	\$ 195 each	\$ _____
Three persons:	\$ 170 each	\$ _____
Four persons:	\$ 160 each	\$ _____
Commuter Fee:	\$ 115 each	\$ _____
Adjournment Luncheon Fee:	\$ 18 each	\$ _____

**After 3/4/09, add \$20.00 Late Fee**

Make checks payable to **"Holston Conference."**

Mail this form and payment to:

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### REGISTRATION AND CANCELLATION POLICY:

Registrations should be received by March 4, 2009, to obtain stated costs; after this date, add an additional \$20.00 to the fee. We encourage early registration due to the number of rooms allotted to Jubilation 2009 by the hotel. Accommodations at MeadowView cannot be assured after March 4, 2009. There will be a full refund if cancellation is received no later than March 1, 2009. Thereafter, due to commitments we must make with the hotel for food and lodging, only that portion not committed can be returned.

### JUBILATION FEES:

The fees for Jubilation 2009 include a hotel room for two nights at MeadowView, Jamison Inn, or Hampton Inn, an ice cream social on Sunday evening, all meals (beginning with Sunday dinner through Tuesday breakfast), any snacks at break times, participation in all sessions, and the chosen workshops. Free-time activities may incur additional fees.

### ADJOURNMENT LUNCHEON:

A number of persons have requested that the Design Team plan for an optional luncheon meal at extra cost for those who desire to pre-pay for it. So, those who request this meal will be able to have a scrumptious hot buffet meal at a cost of \$18.00 (includes tax and gratuity) in the hotel dining room at 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 31, 2009. Merely check the proper blank on the registration form. You will receive a ticket at registration. This meal is limited to the first 150 persons requesting it.