

# TOTAL OCCUPANT Salt Lake City, Utah

## Running for Their Lives

Episcopal women and some of their friends rose very early Sunday morning to run or walk a 5K for the benefit of homeless youth in Salt Lake City. Their entry fees and the donations of sponsors will assist an outreach program and a center that can change the lives of troubled kids in a city that has been a very gracious host to this huge Episcopal gathering.

More than a hundred delegates to the ECW Triennial Meeting and deputies to General Convention streamed out from the Salt Palace Convention Center in a loop that passed the great buildings of Temple Square and returned to a hotel next the Salt Palace.

At first, the red-shirted volunteers outnumbered the tan shirts of the participants, but by event time, the main entrance of the Salt Palace was a great crowd of tan. The serious runners were released first, followed by the dedicated but not-so-serious walkers.

The participants included a bishop, some priests, a competitive senior race-walker, a former marathoner who has suffered a stroke, and a not-young woman who did the event three years ago in Indianapolis in a walker. This year she walked the whole thing unaided, and fell into a tearful hug with friends at the end.

The first seven people to cross the finish line were men, led by Brooks Cato, a first-time GC deputy from Arkansas. The first woman was Isabel Gonzalez, an ECW delegate from Utah.

Just finishing was a triumph for many of the participants who laughingly urged each other on. The cheers and the fun were for each other, and for the beautiful western city they were visiting.





























## Episcopal Women's History Project Annual Meeting

Monday. June 29 12:10-1 p.m. Marriott Downtown. City Creek Luncheon. \$6.95

All are invited. Membership forms will be available at luncheon and at the History Booth



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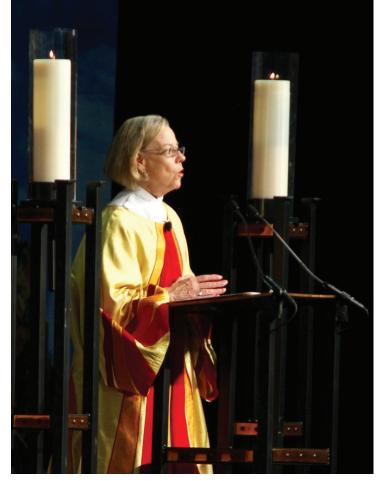
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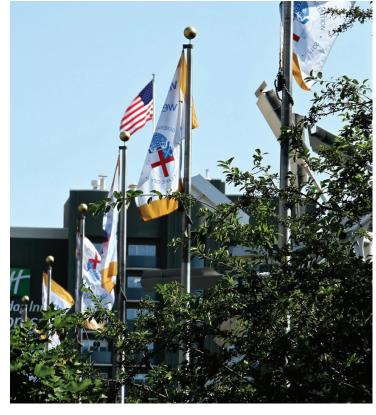














## **Program Highlights**

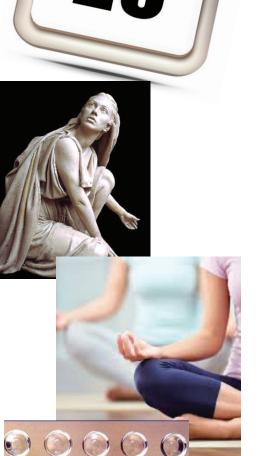
- 2 3:30 p.m. Workshops
  1. Bullying: It Even Happens in Church Maryfran Christ
  2. Savoring Life's Turning Points Sharon Stetz
  3. Stirring Up the Spirit of the United Thank Offering Peg Cooper
  - The Wit and Wisdom of Our Spiritul Foremothers The Rev. Lindsay Hardin Freeman
  - GFS. Changing Girls to Life Long Leaders The Rev. Rowena Kemp and Margaret Noble Mind, Body and Tea The Rev. Becca Stevens Role of a Faith Community Tony Milner Stirring Up the Holy Huddle Sharon Tillman

  - Strength and Shame: The Discipleship of Mary Magdalene and the Role of Women in the Church - The Very Rev. Kate Moorehead
  - 10. Mujeres: Sembradoras de Justica The Rev. Margartia Santana
  - 11. Anglican Prayer Beads: Construction and Use Karen Poggemeyer and Joy Prestidge
  - 12. Knit Togetehr Sandra Corp
  - 13. Ubuntu Spirit Choir Matt Lemmler

#### 4 - 5:30 p.m. Workshops

- Yoga with a Christian Twist Judy Spratling
- Stirring Up the Spirit of the United Thank Offering Peg Cooper
- God and the Garden Belle Schwarzenbach
- Why is SIM Impotant to ECW? Rachael Desmond and Sarah Milford Celebrating Our Role In God's Story: The Order of the Daughters of the King -
- Building Up the Body of Christ: Exploring Ministries that Transform Self and Others - The Rev. Canon Dr. Angela F. Shepherd
- Graceful Aging Maryfran Crist
- Stir Up the Spirit: The Story of Lazarus (en espanol) The Rev. Yamily Bass-Cho-
- Church Periodical Club Rebecca Markert and Cai Armstrong
- 10. Healing Oils for Daily Use The Rev. Beca Stevens
- 11. Crowd Funding Works Sara Milford
- 12. Let's Review Organization Documents Connie Skidmore









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