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Agenda date: 2/15/2023 3:17 PM	<h2 style="margin: 0;">SCHEDULE OF EVENTS</h2> <p style="margin: 0;"><b>FOURTH AFRICAN NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS (ANEC) JULY 21 – 23, 2023</b></p>	
	<p style="margin: 0;"><b>PRE-MEETING –AFRICAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC CLERGY AND RELIGIOUS IN THE UNITED STATES (ACCCRUS) ANNUAL CONVENTION - JULY 19-21, 2023</b></p>	
	<p style="margin: 0;"><b>SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR ACCCRUS WEDNESDAY, July 19, 2023</b></p>	<b>Location</b>
<b>6:00-900 PM</b>	ACCCRUS National Executive Dinner/Meeting	
	<p style="margin: 0;"><b>THURSDAY, July 20, 2023</b></p>	
<b>6:30-8:30 AM</b>	Breakfast	
<b>10:00AM-6:00 PM</b>	Registration/Setting up – ACCCRUS	
<b>12:00-1:00 PM</b>	Lunch/Break	
<b>6:00-7:00 PM</b>	Dinner	
<b>7:00-7:30 PM</b>	Gathering Ritual	
<b>8:00-12:00 PM</b>	Welcome/Gala night for ACCCRUS	
	<p style="margin: 0;"><b>FRIDAY, July 21, 2023</b></p>	
<b>7:00-8:30 AM</b>	Breakfast (ACCCRUS)	
<b>8:30-9:00 AM</b>	Morning Prayer (ACCCRUS)	
<b>9:15-11:00 AM</b>	ACCCRUS Business Meeting	
<b>11-12:30 PM</b>	Clergy/Women Religious Group meetings (ACCCRUS)	
<b>12:30-1:30PM</b>	Lunch	
<b>1:30-6:30PM</b>	Break/Exhibit	
<b>1:30-4:30PM</b>	Open for individual Tour of DC/Exciting places	
	<p style="margin: 0;"><b>SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR ANEC FRIDAY, July 21, 2023</b></p>	
<b>10:00AM-6:00 PM</b>	Registration - African National Eucharistic Congress (ANEC)	
<b>11:00AM-2:00 PM</b>	NAACUS Men Retreat – Presenter - Fr. Hamilton Okeke	
<b>11:00AM-3:00 PM</b>	NAACUS Women Retreat – Presenter - Fr. Tochi Iwuji	
<b>3:30AM-5:00 PM</b>	Mass NBCC (optional)	
<b>5:30-7:30PM</b>	Tour of National Museum of African American (Collaboration with NBCC)	

5:00-6:00 PM	ACCCRUS/NAACUS Board Meeting	
6:30-7:45 PM	Dinner/Free time	
7:45-8:25 PM	Rosary in Different Languages	
8:25-8:30 PM	Fr. Henry Atem - Welcome Most Rev. Jerome Feudjio	
8:30-10:30 PM	ANEC Opening Mass - Most Rev. Jerome Feudjio, Bishop of St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands	
10:30PM-12:00 AM	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament with Confession and Healing Prayers	
	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
12:00 AM	Reposition of Blessed Sacrament-All night prayer vigil (optional)	
	<b>SATURDAY, July 22, 2023</b>	
7:00 AM	Breakfast	
7:30-8:30 AM	Registration – African National Eucharistic Congress (ANEC)	
7:30-8:30 AM	Exhibits/Sacrament of Reconciliation	
8:30-9:00 AM	Morning Prayer	
9:00-9:30 AM	Welcome by ANEC Team	
	Mrs. María del Mar Muñoz-Visoso - Welcome and Introduce Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda, Chairman (CDC) Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, M.Sp.S., Chairman (PCMRT)/other Bishops	
	Most Rev. Arturo Cepeda, Chairman (CDC)	
	Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, M.Sp.S., Chairman (PCMRT)	
	Fr. Ebuka Mbanude - Welcome Wilton Cardinal Gregory Archbishop of Washington	
9:30-10:15 AM	Keynote Address –A response to the Lord's Prayer, "That They may All Be One" Presenter: Wilton Cardinal Gregory, Archbishop of Washington	
10:15-10:40 AM	Q/A	
10:40-10:50 AM	BREAK	
10:50-10:55 AM	Mrs. Sally Stovall welcome Fr. Alphonsus Enelichi, MSP	
10:55-11:35 AM	Plenary Session: The Journey of Faith: African Catholics Encountering Christ in the Eucharist Presenter: Fr. Alphonsus Enelichi, MSP pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Great Falls	
11:35-11:55 PM	<b>Discussion/ Q/A</b>	
11:55-12:00PM	Break	
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch	
12:00-1:30 PM	Lunch/Episcopal Encounter with Young Adults – <b>Leader:</b> Most Reverend Eusebio Elizondo, M.Sp.S., Auxiliary Bishop of Seattle Chairman, PCMRT	
1:30-2:30PM	<b>Workshop 4</b> Engaging Young Adult Africans: Through the Lens of Pope Francis' <i>Christus Vivit</i>	
1:00-2:15PM	<b>Workshop 1</b> Twenty Years of Call for Solidarity with Africa: The US Bishops responding to the call of the Church in Africa.	
	<b>Workshop 2</b> Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love - A Pastoral Letter Against Racism	
	<b>Workshop 3</b> Creating Culture of Encounter: A guide for Joyful Missionary Disciple. How the church in the United States can better respond to African Catholics who live on the peripheries in the Spirit of New Evangelization.	
	<b>Workshop 5</b> Advancing outreach to African Catholics in the United States on Leadership recruitment and development at the parish/diocesan level.	
	<b>Workshop 6</b> Promoting and protecting marriage and family life. <b>(French)</b> .	
	<b>Workshop 7</b> Promoting and protecting marriage and family life. <b>(In English)</b>	
	<b>Workshop 8</b> Promoting and protecting marriage and family life. <b>(In Swahili)</b>	
2:15-2:25PM	<b>BREAK</b>	
2:25PM	Sr. Joanna Okereke, HHJC welcome and introduce Most Rev. Andrew Cozzens	
2:30-3:30 PM	Most Rev. Andrew Cozzens <b>"United in the Eucharist"</b> Presentation and Eucharistic Procession to the Shrine	

<b>3:30-4:00PM</b>	Benediction	
<b>4:30-7:00 PM</b>	Unity Mass. Main Celebrant – Wilton Cardinal Gregory	
<b>7:00-8:00 PM</b>	Break/Free time to dress for dinner	
<b>8:00-12:00 AM</b>	Gala/African celebration	
<b>SUNDAY, July 23, 2023</b>		
<b>7:30-8:30 AM</b>	Breakfast	
<b>8:30-9:00 AM</b>	Morning Prayer	
<b>9:00-10:00 AM</b>	Rosary Procession	
<b>10:00AM-12:00</b>	Closing Mass – Right Reverend Wolfgang Pisa, OFM Cap, Bishop of Lindi - Tanzania	
	Departure	

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