

Program Overview

Friday Evening, October 21

Registration and Check-in begins at 4 PM

Evening Meal at the Church 5:15 – 6:30 PM

Gathering to Strengthen Our Faith 7 PM

Worship In Song & Prayer

Guest Speaker, Dr. Everett Piper

Standing Firm: Being Convinced

Striving Forward: Being Compelled

Refreshments and Q & A time with Dr. Piper

Saturday Morning, October 22

Gathering in Worship 8:30 AM

Living Worthy of the Gospel

Partnership Business Session 8:50 – 10:00 AM

Reports, Elections and Adoption of Budget

Morning Break 10:00 – 10:30

Gathering to Grow in Understanding 10:30 AM

Standing Firm: An International Perspective

Striving Forward: A Worldview Perspective

Elective Breakout Sessions 11:30 – 12:10

Saturday Afternoon, October 22

Lunch at the Church 12:15 – 1:15 PM

Optional Tours & Free Time 1:30 – 5:00

Special Youth Activities (including Supper)
are being arranged by the Eden Youth Team

Saturday Evening, October 22

Evening Meal at the Church 5:15 – 6:15 PM

Gathering to Enlarge Our Vision 7:00 PM

Concert

Standing Firm: A New Generation's Perspective

Multi-Media: A Partnership for Faithfulness

Striving Forward: An International Perspective

A Unique Fellowship Celebration for all Ages

Sunday Morning, October 23

Gathering for Learning Together 9:30 AM

Elective Sessions with AMEC Presenters

Gathering to Worship Together 10:30 AM

Message Part I *Standing in One Spirit, Unmoved*

Musical Message

Message Part II *Striving in One Mind, Unafraid*

Fellowship Meal for All 12:15 – 12:45 PM



Standing Firm

Striving Forward

Phillipians 1:27

You are invited to AMEC's Biennial Gathering

How does a Follower of Christ Jesus live faithfully in a culture increasingly hostile to Biblical Truth? What does it mean to stand together firmly, while also moving forward fearlessly in witness? These and other important matters are the focus as we meet to enlarge our vision and grow in our understanding of God's Word.

Dr. Everett Piper, President of Oklahoma Wesleyan University in Bartlesville, OK, will challenge us with two messages on Friday evening. A native of Hillsdale, MI, Dr. Piper previously served at Grace College and Seminary in Winona Lake IN, and Greenville College, IL. A passionate communicator defending the biblical worldview, he has become widely known through his writings and publications and frequent media interviews.

Additional sessions are led by AMEC Pastors active in North American congregations, and several Christian workers serving in strategic international ministries.





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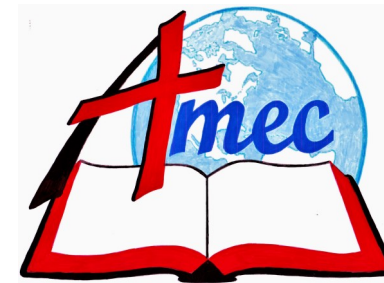
Or leave message on church's voice mail: 918-543-2739

Meals: The meals on Friday and Saturday evenings and the lunches Saturday and Sunday will be provided by the host church in the Church's Fellowship Hall. Breakfasts will be available at the place of lodging.

Lodging options: Motels including **Comfort Inn** and **Holiday Inn Express** are located near the town of Pryor, OK, approximately twenty miles northeast of the Eden Church. **Hampton Inn & Suites** and **Holiday Inn Express** are available at Catoosa, OK, midway between the Tulsa Airport and Inola. All these motels provide breakfast. **Please make your reservations as soon as possible to secure your rooms.**

Several families from the host church can accommodate guests in their private homes. If you prefer **to stay in a private home**, please **indicate this** on the Registration Form, but also **contact the Eden Church** as soon as possible.

Registration: Complete a Registration Form and send it to: **AMEC** at P O Box 424 Bally PA 19503, **Early Registration** is \$15 (per household) prior to September 30. **After** October 1, Registration is \$25 (per household).



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*With Friday Evening Guest Speaker, Dr. Everett Piper,
President Oklahoma Wesleyan University*

Standing Firm - Striving Forward

At Eden Mennonite Church, Inola OK
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