

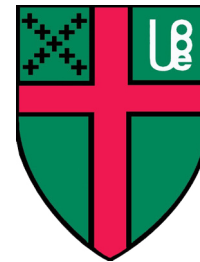
Union of Black Episcopalians (UBE)
Myra McDaniel Chapter



The **Myra McDaniel** chapter of the Union of Black Episcopalians was established in the Diocese of Texas, December 2012, and chartered July 2, 2013.

Atty. Myra McDaniel was the epitome of a faithful, dedicated and active lay woman who lived her baptismal and confirmation vows until she died on February 25, 2010 at the age of 77. She was appointed as General Counsel to the Governor of Texas by then-governor Mark White In 1984, she went on to become the Secretary of State of Texas, and became the first African American to hold the position.

McDaniel served as bishop's warden, senior warden, and editor of the parish newsletter at St. James' Episcopal Church in Austin Texas until shortly before her death.



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MISSION

UBE Myra McDaniel chapter stands in the continuing tradition of more than 200 years of Black leadership in the Episcopal Church. Our mission is to encourage greater involvement and participation of members at all levels in the life of the Episcopal Church. Goals for Myra McDaniel Chapter are to facilitate ethnic and cultural reconciliation to break the school-to-prison pipeline for youth and to disseminate information that will educate members to prepare them for ministry in their congregation, diocese and the wider Church

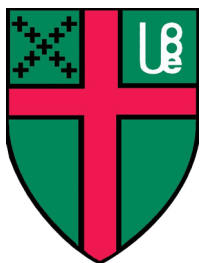
HISTORY OF UBE

Beginning with the establishment of St. Thomas Episcopal Church by Absalom Jones in 1794 in the city of Philadelphia through the present time, there has always been a strong corps of Black Christians in the Episcopal Church. Organized in 1968 as the Union of Black Clergy and Laity, UBE is the proud inheritor of the work of these people and earlier organizations: the Convocation of Colored Clergy and the Conference of Church Workers Among Colored People. The name was changed to the Union of Black Episcopalians in 1971. UBE is a confederation of more than 55 chapters and interest groups throughout the continental United States and the Caribbean. UBE also has members in Canada, Africa and Latin America.

ONE HUMAN RACE

One mission of the Myra McDaniel chapter of the UBE is to facilitate ethnic and cultural reconciliation. To this end, we have developed a workshop with the goal to create a safe, open, and productive environment for everyone to participate in discussions about race.

<https://onehumanraceaustin.org>



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NATIONAL UBE MISSION FOR THE 21ST CENTURY:

To unite the diverse cultures, concerns and gifts of Black Episcopalians by providing preparation and encouragement for living the Baptismal Covenant and fully participating in the mission and governance of The Episcopal Church.

VISION FOR THE 21ST CENTURY:

- To create awareness within young men and women of African descent about the clergy vocation
- To promote strong Lay Leadership among communities of African descent within TEC and the Anglican Communion
- To create a systematic approach of ensuring that Black congregations are sustainable and viable within their vineyards
- To be a community of vigilance and action regarding matters of injustice, especially the effects of racism in the Church and society.

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Type of Membership: ___ New ___ Renew

Annual National and Local Dues:

_____ Individual	\$70.00
_____ Family	\$75.00 + \$20 local dues per member
_____ Retired	\$60.00
_____ Youth	\$25.00

National Life Membership Dues: (payable in \$100 annual Installments)

***Life Members pay \$20 per year local dues only**

_____ Bronze	\$500
_____ Silver	\$750
_____ Gold	\$1000
_____ Platinum	\$2000

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