

ABLE/ Gamaliel is a growing group of like-minded, socially conscious people from faith-based and other institutions committed to making a difference in the Metropolitan Atlanta Region.

Individuals and many institutions and community groups have little power to address the inequities that challenged us. At our September 2006 METRO EQUITY SUMMIT we made the commitment to move from analysis to concrete action. We seek power to shape the decisions that change our community. This requires becoming a large, cohesive group with many institutional members, partners and allies.

We believe that:

- ◆ Organized, we are powerful!
- ◆ United, we are powerful!
- ◆ Informed, we are powerful!
- ◆ Financed, we are powerful!

.We have gathered enough information to begin planning powerful actions. Now we are inviting members of justice-seeking institutions to work with us in developing plans.

We believe that:

- ◆ Actions without a plan will fail.
- ◆ Actions without power will fail.

Together, we will speak with one powerful moral voice demanding systemic change for the powerless.

Together we seek to:

- ◆ have a positive impact on the Metro Atlanta Region.
- ◆ change this region systemically for the better.

JOIN US!

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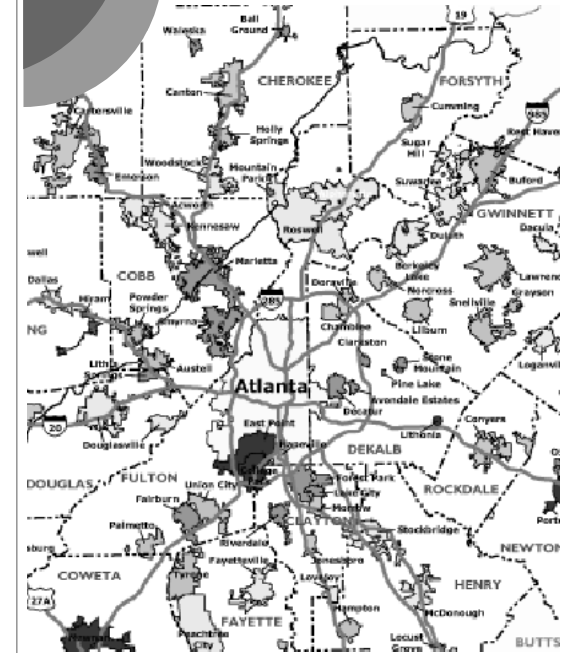
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~Churches and community
organizations together in action~

Workshop Schedule

Education

Saturday, January 20, 2007
10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Presenter:

Dr. Mercuria "Chase" Williams

Coordinator: David Schutten
First Iconium Baptist Church
Reverend Timothy McDonald
542 Moreland Avenue
Atlanta, GA 30316
404-627-1371

Health Care

Saturday, January 27, 2007
10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Presenter:

Marguerite Rece

Coordinator: Debra Greenwood
First Iconium Baptist Church
Reverend Timothy McDonald
542 Moreland Avenue
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Transportation

Thursday, January 25, 2007
7:30 P.M.

Presenter:

Atlanta Regional Commission

Lindsay Street Baptist Church
Reverend Anthony A. W. Motley
550 Lindsay Street NW
Atlanta, GA 30314
404-627-8284

Beltline

Thursday, January 25, 2007
7:30 P.M.

Presenter: Valarie Wilson

Beltline Partnership
Lindsay Street Baptist Church
Reverend Anthony A. W. Motley
550 Lindsay Street NW
Atlanta, GA 30314
404-627-8284

Economic Gap

Tuesday, January 30, 2007
7:30 P.M.

Presenter:

Debra Scott

Atlanta-North Georgia Labor Council, AFL-CIO
Mr. Charles Flemming
501 Pulliam Street SW
Atlanta, GA 30312
404-525-3559
In the I.B.E.W Auditorium

Housing Affordability

Tuesday, January 30, 2007
7:30 P.M.

Presenter:

Nathaniel Smith

Atlanta-North Georgia Labor Council, AFL-CIO
Mr. Charles Flemming
501 Pulliam Street SW
Atlanta, GA 30312
404-525-3559
In the I.B.E.W. Auditorium

Immigration

Saturday, February 10, 2007
10 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Presenters:

**Ana Garcia-Ashley
and**

Son Ah Yun

Coordinator: Frank Renner
Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church
Reverend Msgr. James J. Fennessy
7171 Glenridge Drive NE
Atlanta, GA 30328
770-394-3896
In the Parish Hall

Participants will meet in interest groups to develop ABLE's plan on how to address these needs with elected officials at the state and local levels.

ABLE/Gamaliel exists to identify leaders, and then nurture, train and develop those leaders so that together their voices can be heard. Member organizations contribute their time, talent and resources to support the work of ABLE/Gamaliel.

Interested in joining?

Contact Ana Garcia-Ashley, Lead Organizer, to schedule an informational program in your congregation or organization.

ABLE is a member of the **Gamaliel Foundation**, an international organizing institute, working throughout the United States and in South Africa in over fifty communities. Gamaliel has twenty years of experience in creating powerful grassroots organizations to work for justice.

Its newest projects are found in California, New Hampshire, Michigan, New York, New Jersey, Maryland, Wisconsin, Virginia, and in Kenya and South Africa.

**Gamaliel Foundation
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