



Tennessee Conference Black Methodists for Church Renewal

Calling for Laity Nominations for the: **John G. Corry Leadership Award**

Purpose:

The award is given annually to recognize the person who best exhibits the leadership characteristics demonstrated in the life of the Reverend Doctor John G. Corry. The award alternates between a clergy or lay person of the Tennessee Conference of the United Methodist Church. This award is presented at the John G. Corry Awards Banquet, and is sponsored by the Tennessee Conference Black Methodist for Church Renewal, Inc. The banquet will be held Saturday, April 13, 2019 at the Patterson Memorial United Methodist Church, 316 Whitsett Road Street, Nashville, Tennessee.

Nomination Criteria:

1. The nominee must exhibit the principles that are believed to represent Dr. Corry's life:
 - a. **Commitment to the mandates of Jesus Christ.**
 - b. **Genuine love and concern for others.**
 - c. **Intense efforts to achieve justice and equality of all.**
 - d. **Thorough preparation for a task (responsibility).**
 - e. **Full utilization of God-given gifts and talents.**
2. In 250 words or less, tell us why you feel this person should receive this award.
2. Nominations must be submitted with the printed name and signature of the nominator.
3. Nominator must submit his/her address and telephone number in the event additional information is needed.
4. Nominator must submit the name, address and telephone of the nominee.
5. Nominator may submit any additional or supporting documentation that will add strength to your nomination.

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS:

All nominations must be postmarked by: **March 29, 2019**

Mail all Nominations to:

Rev. Joe K. Shelton
John G. Corry Leadership Award
3225 Masonwood Drive
Nashville, TN 37207

or email nominations to: **joeshelton98@yahoo.com**

(All documentation supporting nominations becomes the property of the Tennessee Conference Black Methodists for Church Renewal, Inc. and will not be returned)