



# UBUNTU CONFERENCE

**I AM BECAUSE WE ARE**  
SEPTEMBER 21st- SEPTEMBER 24th



**SEMINARS WITH  
SUBJECT-MATTER  
EXPERTS &  
PRACTITIONERS**

**DR. LIZA SWEDARSKY   REV. HENRIETTA BYRD   REV. SYLVIA SUMTER   KUMU BRENDA IGNACIO ... AND MORE**

**UBUNTU FESTIVAL  
WITH FAMILY-FRIENDLY  
ACTIVITIES, GAMES,  
PRIZE, MUSIC, FOOD, &  
MORE!**



## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



**RICKIE BYARS**

**MARIANNE WILLIAMSON**

**IYANLA VANZANT**

**Hillside International Truth Center Ubuntu  
Conference Schedule of Events  
As of: 9/14/2023**

September 21--24, 2023 The Hillside UBUNTU Conference			
Thursday, September 21, 2023			
Time	Event	Location	Additional Information
4:00 pm	<b>Attendee Registration/Check-in</b>	<b>Poole Rd. Entrance</b>	
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	<b>Ubuntu Wellness Village: Practitioners, Vendors</b>	<b>Business/ Wellness Center</b>	
7:00pm	<b>Opening Ceremony Speaker: <i>Ricki Byars</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
Friday, September 22, 2023			
8:00 am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>King Chapel</b>	Food: Continental Breakfast
9:00 am – 9:30 am	<b>Meditation: <i>Rev. Linda Boyd</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
9:30 am – 10:00 am	<b>Tai Chi: <i>Arthur Cole</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	<b>Prayer &amp; Praise</b> <i>(Practitioners to be announced)</i>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
10:30 am – 11:15 am	<b>Morning Assembly</b> <b>Speakers: <i>Rev. Henrietta Byrd</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
11:15 am – Until	<b>Interviews with <i>Rev. Sandy</i></b>	<b>Roving Reporter</b>	
12:00 pm —1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>King Chapel</b>	Location: King Chapel Food: Taco Bar

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11:15 am – 1:15 pm	<b>Ubuntu Wellness Village: Practitioners, Vendors</b>	<b>Business/Wellness Center</b>	
1:15 pm – 2:30 pm	<b>Speaker: <i>Kumu Brenda Ignacio-Gore</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	<b>Break</b>  <b>Ubuntu Wellness Village: Practitioners, Vendors</b>	<b>King Chapel</b>  <b>Business/Wellness Center</b>	Seating available in the King Chapel
2:45 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>Speaker: <i>Dr. Liza Swedarsky</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
4:30 pm – 5:15 pm	<b>UBUNTU Ancestral Cleansing</b>	<b>Outdoors</b>	
5:15 pm – 6:30 pm	<b>Break</b>  <b>Ubuntu Wellness Village: Practitioners, Vendors</b>	<b>King Chapel</b>  <b>Business/Wellness Center</b>	Seating available in the King Chapel
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	<b>Prayer &amp; Praise</b> <i>(Practitioners to be announced)</i>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
7:00 pm	<b>Evening Assembly</b> <b>Speaker: <i>Marianne Williamson</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	Location: King Chapel Food: Salad Bar Food Vendors Business/Wellness Center
<b>Saturday, September 23, 2023</b> <b>UBUNTU Festival</b>			
8:00 am	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>King Chapel</b>	Food: Continental Breakfast
9:00 am – 10:00 am	<b>Ubuntu Wellness Village: Practitioners, Vendors</b>	<b>Business/Wellness Center</b>	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	<b>Music By: <i>Dorothy Norwood</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	
10:30 am – 11:50 am	<b>Morning Assembly/UBUNTU Festival Opening Ceremony</b> <b>Speaker: <i>Rev. Sylvia Sumter</i></b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Food/Other Needs</b>
11:50 am	<b>UBUNTU Drummer Procession</b> to the UBUNTU Festival – Baba Bey and Procession	<b>Sanctuary to Parking Lot</b>	
12:00 noon – 4:00 pm	<b>UBUNTU Festival</b> Vendors (inside/outside) • DJ • Dancing • Ubuntu Bingo (prizes) • Face Painting • Bounce House • Cotton Candy • Ice Cream • Food • Drinks	<b>Parking Lot</b>	Location: Parking Lot Food: Hot dogs, hamburgers with trimmings, ice cream, sno-cones Food Truck(s)
12:00 noon – 12:15 pm	<b>Drumming Ceremony</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Prophet Ali</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	
1:00 pm	<b>Hula Hoop Competition</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	Prizes
1:00 pm	<b>Raffle</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	Prizes
1:15 pm – 1:45 pm	<b>Minister Server</b> <i>Hip Hop Ministry</i>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	
2:00 pm	<b>Crowning of Ubuntu King and Queen 2023</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	
2:30 pm	<b>Water Balloon Toss</b>		Prizes
2:45 pm	<b>Raffle</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	Prizes
3:00 pm	<b>Hillside Community Development Groundbreaking</b> Speaker: <i>Bishop Jack Bomar</i> Present: <i>Hillside Board of Directors &amp; CEO, Dr. Snead, Dr. Stanley, Felicia Moore</i>	<b>White House next door to Church (2416 Cascade Rd.)</b>	
4:00 pm	<b>Ubuntu Raffle</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>	
<b>Sunday, September 24, 2023</b>			
10:00 am	<b>Ubuntu/Homecoming Sunday Service</b> Speaker: <i>Rev. Dr. Iyanla Vansant</i>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	Location: King Chapel Reception: Cake, punch