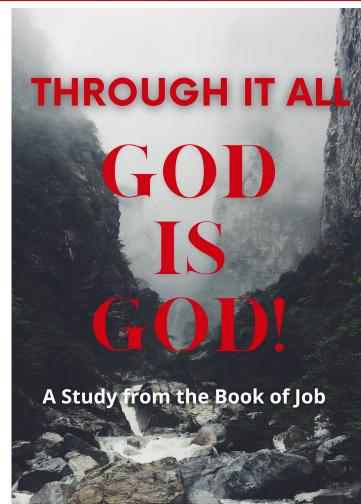
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Give Thanks!

What better time than now to make real the words: "Give thanks to the LORD and proclaim His greatness. Let the whole world know what He has done" (1 Chronicles 16:8, NLT). So many people find themselves complaining about how bad things are instead of thanking God for what they have. You and I, as Christians, ought to always season our speech with thankfulness. Our sense of thankfulness is not some denial of reality but a realization of the fact that God has been good to us. Everything we have has come into our lives by his loving hand. We must not displace our gratitude by giving the thanks we owe the Lord to the agents He has used to bless us. This is not to say that we should not thank the people God uses; we should thank people for allowing God to use them to be a blessing. But, we must move beyond people and thank the ultimate source of our blessing.

Just like the sports enthusiast knows and is quick to recite the accomplishments of his favorite athlete, we should publish the fame, reputation, and accomplishments of our God unashamedly. He has done great things! We often take for granted the wonder of God's presence and participation in our lives. We become so accustomed to the blessings of God that we fail to thank Him passionately. Far too many of us behave as if we are blessing-deprived; we feel that we have nothing to be thankful for. It often takes deliverance from a crisis, a tragedy, or a grave misfortune to awaken us from our lethargic mindset toward expressing our gratitude to God. Truth be told, every moment of our lives is filled with uncountable reasons to say thank you. Just think for a moment about your life and consider all that God has done and is doing for you right now. Just think about the things that could have gone wrong, but God intervened, and they did not

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NOVEMBER 4, 2022 - 7:00PM

Wolverine State Missionary Baptist Convention Installation & Extended Session

NOVEMBER 19, 2022 - 10:00AM

Tabernacle Church Conference

Make sure your email is on file with the church. Email us - **contact@tmbcdetroit.org** - to sign up for the email distribution list.

Sermon Topics

October 2 LESSONS FROM THE POTTER'S HOUSE Jeremiah 18:1-6, NKJV

October 9 YOU'RE NOT ALONE IN THE STORM Matthew 14:22-27, NKJV

Rev. Anthony Caudle

October 16 SANCTIFIED ENTHUSIASM Romans 12:11-12, NLT

October 23 THE ABSURDITY OF ASSUMPTIONS Job 16:1-5, NLT October 30 HE KNOWS THE PATH I TAKE Job 23:8-10, HCSB

(all sermons by Pastor Johnson unless otherwise noted)

Make It Plain!

There may be some mysteries about God we will not understand until we reach glory. But one thing He has made plain to us - who He is, what He can do, and what our future is in Him. To all who want to know Him, God has clearly spoken. He is our Creator, our Father, our Sustainer, our Redeemer, and our All in All. He has been deliberate in testifying the truth about Himself and His plans for those who love Him.

To Adam and Eve, God revealed Himself as One who expects obedience. To Abraham, God testified that he would be the father of a great nation. He testified Abraham and Sarah would have a son even in their old age. In faith, Abraham believed God. And it was so. God also testified that a great nation would come from Abraham's seed and would be enslaved 400 years. He testified He would set the people free and would give them their own land. And it was so (see Genesis 15:1-21).

To Moses, God testified about His identity, saying, "The Lord, the Lord God, merciful and gracious, longsuffering, and abounding in goodness and truth, keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, by no means clearing the guilty.." (Exodus 34:6-7). Hearing the Lord's testimony, Moses bowed his head toward the earth, and worshipped Him (v.8). In faith, Moses accomplished great things for the Lord, convinced that He served the true God of heaven and earth.

God testified to Joshua who succeeded Moses as the leader of the Hebrew nation, saying, "Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given you, as I said to Moses. ...No man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. ...Be strong and of good courage, for to this people you shall divide as an inheritance the land which I swore to their fathers to give them" (Joshua 1:3-6). Thereafter, Joshua conquered the land God had promised Abraham. God is true and He is faithful.

What made men like Abraham, Moses and Joshua go forward to do these great things? An important answer is - God testified the truth to them and **made it plain**. In faith, they believed His Word.

God liberated the Jews so that they would testify Who He is, about His great power, glory and authority. They were to tell unbelievers that God is a good God of life, not death, a God of truth, not lies, that He is holy, in every way distinct from the powerless idols of the heathen. The Jews failed to testify and in fact became like the unholy nations. So, today, God has temporarily withdrawn himself from them, because, as Paul says, *"…they have not submitted to the righteousness of God"* (Romans 10:3). That righteousness today is Jesus Christ and His work on the cross (see Romans 10:4).

Today, there are lying idols and evil ideologies corrupting our nation and spreading death. As God's people, we must not fail to testify to God's righteousness in His Son, Jesus Christ, whose blood paid our sin debt. All who believe in Him and His righteous work will reap eternal life, guaranteed by His resurrection from the grave and victory over death. We are indebted to tell the story of our faithful God and His Son, Jesus Crist. His story is our story.

Our testimony can be simple. Just recount the first time you believed and decided to be baptized. Do you remember how you felt when you were first saved? Reverend Gordon Story (past Assistant to the Pastor at Tabernacle MBC) loved to testify about what he did when he was born again . He started preaching his story and gospel to the trees.

Make your story the beginning of your evangelism outreach and take a stand against the devil and his lies. **The testimony of your salvation is important**. It is your testimony of victory over sin and the first of many more victories to come as God, through the Holy Spirit, brings light into your life.

God's Word is His testimony. As His people, we must follow His example and testify. If God has changed your life, don't keep it to yourself. Tell others and **MAKE IT PLAIN!**



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Writer's Ministry: A Spiritually Healthy Church

For this reason we also, since the day we heard about it, have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you will walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, to please Him in all respects, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God (Colossians 1:9-10, NASB).

For the past several months, we have been examining what it means to belong to the church. This lesson represents the conclusion of this series. As in many churches, there are so many distractors that can prevent us from keeping the main things the main thing. In the midst of everything else, we want to stay focused on what really matters. The goal of every church member is to share the love of Christ with a lost world. By joining our local church, we have become members of God's community. With that, we are to live in communion with one another and serve the Lord together. With Christ as the head of the church (Ephesians 5:23, Ephesians 4:15), we are called "the body of Christ" (1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 27).

In his book, 7 Basics of Belonging: The Meaning of Church Membership, author Sam Rainer describes seven basics of belonging to a church. They are **Worship, Grow, Serve, Give, Pray, Seek Unity, and Sacrifice**.

Remaining a babe in Christ should not be our vocation or final aspiration. Scripture admonishes us to **grow** in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ (Hebrews 6:1). As disciples of Christ, we are to **grow** spiritually. It begins with hearing the preached or taught Word on Sundays and/or Bible studies through the week. To avoid stunted growth, we should feed our spirits and minds continually on God's Word.

Being in Christ, makes us a spiritual family. As a church family, we can encourage each other, support one another, and joyfully grow in these areas and more all to the glory of God. As part of our church membership, Sam Rainer deemed **unity** as a basic of belonging (pg. 67). The **unifying force** of every church is God's Word and God's Great Commission (pg. 69). As a church, our desire is unity and to work together in harmony. In order to be truly unified, we must seek out **unity** as an act of love (Rainer, 67). A unified church must have love undergirding every fabric of its being.

Through corporate **worship**, an internal unity occurs within the body of Christ. (Rainier, pg. 19). Rainer states that a worshiping church will pray, elevate the study of the Word of God, sing together, participate in communion, and serve others (pg.21).

Another basic of belonging in the church is **serving**. It's about sharing with others, reaching others, and serving others. We can serve in various ways in the church. Look for opportunities to serve. Each believer has a unique spiritual gift that the Holy Spirit individually measured out according to God's sovereign will and design. Spiritual gifts are given to each and every one of us (1 Peter 4:10, 1 Corinthians 12:7).

Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms (1 Peter 4:10)

Giving is a basic of belonging (pgs. 45-53). God is constantly giving to us; life, breath, mercy, answers to prayers, protection, well-being, health, shelter, jobs, etc. Why not give back to Him with our time, talents, and treasure? God has been faithful to keep Tabernacle for 102 years. Are you faithful to do your part by honoring God today with your monetary gifts? Monetary gifts are needed to support ongoing ministries of the church, such as general maintenance, repairs, the cost of utilities, church personnel, new equipment, technology needs, Christian education, and more.

According to Sam Rainer, **prayer**, an important expectation of church membership, is critical to our spiritual health. It is the way we demonstrate our faith in God's Word and trust in His Will (pg. 55). Being in an environment of the Word and prayer impacts our lives. Praying God's Word and His Will impacts families, the church, the nation, and the world. God works all things according to the counsel of His Will (Ephesians 1:11, ESV).

"**Sacrifice** in the church means putting God's work above your preferences and putting others before yourself" (pg. 75). When we sacrifice some time, money, skills, or talents that we possess to help others, the church, or to serve in the church, we honor God. "Healthy churches have healthy members who are willing to live sacrificially" (pg. 80).

Above all, we want to be **a spiritually healthy church** that glorifies God. Spiritual beings need a healthy diet. It is imperative that the church feed regularly off the Word of God. God uses His Word to facilitate and nurture our growth but, we must take steps to grow. In order to live a godly life, it is essential to apply the truths of God's Word.

Our objective is to be a **Spiritually Healthy Church**. The following is adapted from Rainer's suggested ten steps as part of new church membership to honor God. (pgs. 87-90):

- 1. Read the Bible everyday
- 2. Actively engage in weekly worship attendance
- 3. Follow your church leadership as they follow Christ
- 4. Encourage people around you
- 5. Invite others to church
- 6. Share Jesus with people (Live out your Christ life)
- 7. Join a small group
- 8. Pray everyday for the church; its members, leaders and ministries
- 9. Give regularly to the church
- 10. Volunteer in a needed area of the church

Our church membership is an important part of following Christ. It is a vehicle for sharing the Word of God to the lost and an avenue to spread hope, encouragement, and spiritual healing to hurting souls. Every one of us has a part in this. Say "Yes" to God.

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go wrong. Think about the things that did go wrong, and God worked those things together for your good. Have you thought about the incredible, unequaled love God placed on you to save you, to deliver you from eternal damnation and ruin? Nobody could love you like this, nobody but God. When you think of His goodness, you thank Him for His goodness!

The scripture says we should tell the whole world what God has done. Our thanksgiving should not be limited to our prayer time. It should not be confined to the hollowed walls of our place of worship. Our thanks to God should be voiced in the marketplace; it should be expressed in our homes. We should tell everybody everywhere what God has done for us. The people around you and the people you meet should know beyond the shadow of a doubt that all that you have, all that you are, and all that you hope to be is because of God working in your life and on your behalf. Thomas Dorsey says this:

I'll tell of the Savior I'll tell of His favor I'll tell it Lord wherever I go

I'll count every blessings I'll go on confessing I'll tell it wherever I go

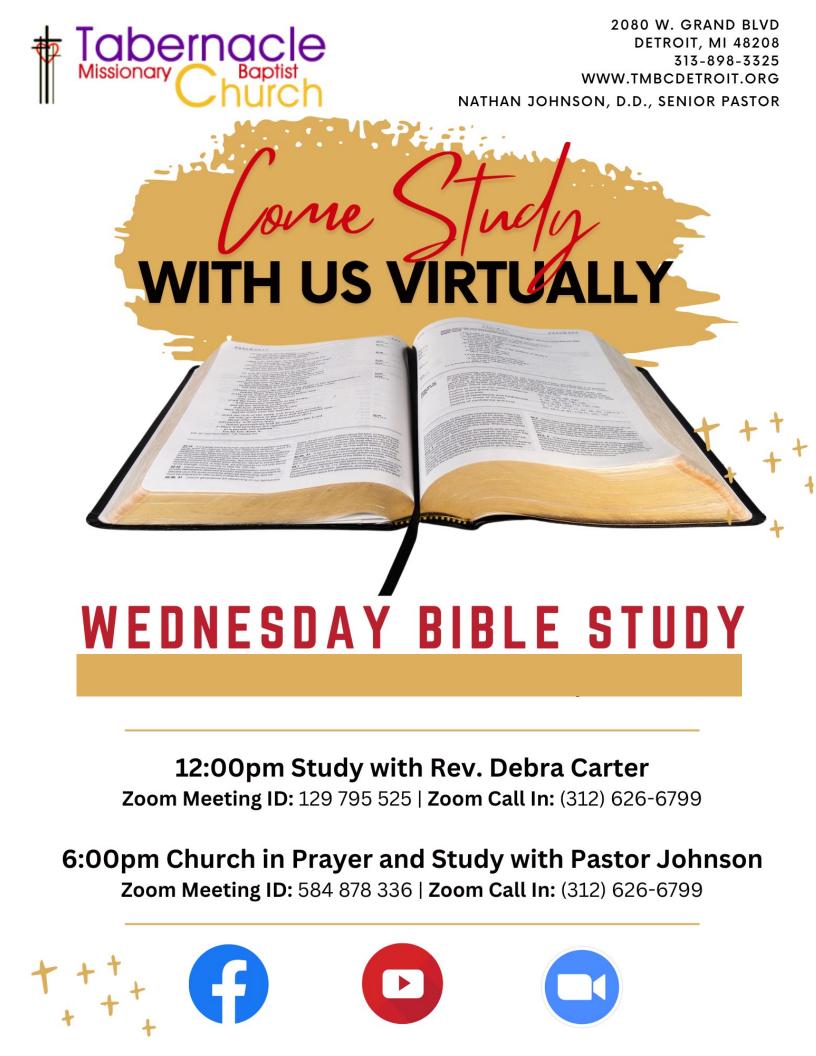
What He is to you Well, maybe you cannot see But this thing I know He's everything to me

> I'll tell of the Savior I'll tell of His favor

I'll tell it Lord wherever I go

Shalom,

Pastor Nathan Johnson



Wolverine State Missionary Baptist Convention



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INSTALLATION & EXTENDED SESSION



"Strengthening the Local Church and Supporting the Greater Work" Ephesians 4:12-16

Friday, November 4, 2022 at 7:00PM EST. Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church 2080 W. Grand Blvd, Detroit, MI 48208

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MOVE FORWARD as Leaders in the Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church Family Monthly Friday after 1st Sunday - 7:00pm



Tabernacle Ministry Leaders Moving ForwardPastor Nathan Johnson, Trustee Tommye Roberts, Bro. Michael Cobb, & Disciple Virginia Winters,
Facilitators

All TMBC Ministry Leaders

(Deacons, Trustees, Ministers, Deaconesses, Auxiliary Leaders, etc.) are in invited to Gather for training and leadership development as we Move Forward together!

Save the Date

November 11, 2022 (Friday after 1st Sunday), 7:00pm



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TMBC GATHERING GROUPS

Discipleship and Application Groups Launching Christian Education Week SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2022 - 6:00pm

GATHER US IN

Kingdom Builders (Men)

Facilitators: Rev. Terry Robinson, Rev. Anthony Caudle Rev. Dr. Bill Thompson, & Bro. William Dawson

*Classroom Code: kpy2oi2

Influencers for Christ Teens (13-18 years old)

Facilitators: Sis. Lauren Cobb, Bro. Michael Cobb, & Sis. Cheyenne Nickelberry

*Classroom Code: hkpncyz

Standing Firm & Loving Well

Facilitators: Disciple Ginni Winters, Bro. Ernest Purnell, Deacon James Sarter, & Sis. Judi Caliman

*Classroom Code: ah2p6ao

Guarding Your Heart: Dealing with Mental Stressors

Facilitators: Deaconess Linda Tansil, Sis. Beatrice Wright, Rev. Dr. Bill Thompson, & Rev. Dr. Tracy Thompson

*Classroom Code: 77dwb45

*Access the Discussion & Documents for your Gathering Group by visiting www.Classroom.Google.com Use the Classroom Code above.

One Anothers

Facilitators: Sis. Audrey McGresham, Sis. Leanelle Simmons, Sis. Annette Peace, & Sis. Nina Caudle

*Classroom Code: j43wzhr

NOVEMBER 7 & 21 - 7pm Guarding Your Heart Influencers for Christ

NOVEMBER 8 & 22 - 7pm One Anothers Standing Firm

NOVEMBER <u>22 - 7pm</u> Kingdom Builders

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TMBC SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL

Hybrid Sunday School Groups Begin SEPTEMBER 18, 2022 - 9:30am Participate in person or via Zoom Multi-Generational Discussion of the Sunday Church School Lesson Continues via Zoom, Youtube, & Facebook Live Sundays at 9:30am



Hybrid Sunday Adult Group

Rev. Arthur Rushin & Sis. Patricia Springs



Hybrid Sunday Youth Group (13-18 years) Trustee Pearlanne Pollard θ

Sis. Annette Peace



Hybrid Sunday Children's Group (5-12 years)

Sis. Katina Rushin, Deaconess Jaqueline Birotte, & Sis. Kim White



Teaching Ministry Multigenerational Discussion Panel

Dr. Kimberly Elyse, Sis. Sherrhonda Denice, Dea. Emanuel Haley, Dea. Frank Adams, Sis. Cynthia Greene, Sis. Jaye Powell, & Dea. Charles Green

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> Zoom Meeting ID: 870 8001 9350 Zoom Passcode: 784060

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ThanksGiving Outreach

Let us join in prayer as the Evangelism Ministry & Teaching Ministry lead our churchwide 2022 Thanksgiving effort.

The Evangelism Ministry is partnering with CRU to provide Boxes of Love to our community.

The Teaching Ministry is coordinating efforts with the ministries of Tabernacle to be a blessing to families.

You are invited to participate in the outreach!

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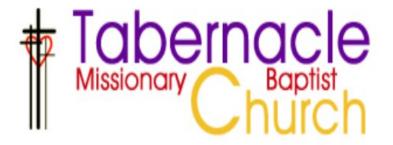
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Precious Memories Celebration of Life Service

Saturday, December 3, 2022 12:00 noon

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TMBC SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL PRESENTS

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Parents You are invited and encouraged to register your children aged 5-12 and youth 13-18 for this year's hybrid presentation! Sis. Teresa Youngblood, Christmas Presentation Coordinator

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2022 AT 9:30AM

MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON REGISTER AT WWW.TMBCDETROIT.ORG





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Ministry Opportunities & Virtual Schedule

WEEKLY VIRTUAL MEETINGS AT-A-GLANCE

Zoom Direct Call: (312) 626-6799 | Conference Call: (351) 999-3940

Sundays - 9:30-10:15am -

Teaching Ministry of Tabernacle Discussion of the Sunday Church School Lesson

Zoom Meeting ID: 944 011 791 YouTube, Facebook

Sundays - 11:00am -Worship Celebration

Access via: YouTube, Facebook In-person: Register on www.tmbcdetroit.org

Wednesdays - 12:00noon -

Bible Study with Rev. Debra Carter Zoom Meeting:129 795 525, YouTube, Facebook Wednesdays - 6:00-7:30pm -Church in Prayer & Study with Pastor Johnson Zoom Meeting: 584 878 336

Weekly Sunday School Lessons

Fall Quarter 2022 - Unit III: We Are God's Artwork

November 6, 2022 - God Picked You! Ephesians 1:1-14

November 13, 2022 - Christ is Wisdom Ephesians 1:15-23

November 20, 2022 - We Are God's Handiwork Ephesians 2:1-10

November 27, 2022 - God Gives Tools for Our Protection Ephesians 6:10-18

Stay Connected | Virtual Ministry Meetings

DEACON'S GROUPS

Group 1 - Dea. Jerry Moses 4th Fridays - 8:00pm

Group 6/23 - Sis. Dorothy Pugh 4th Sundays - 3:00pm

Group 7 - Sis. Marguriete Winn 1st Sundays - 1:30pm

Group 10/21 - Deaconess Ann Pearson 3rd Sundays - 5:00pm

Group 18 - Dea. James S. Sarter 1st & 3rd Sundays - 4:00pm

Group 24 - Sis. Cynthia Harrington Fridays - 7:00pm

Group 29 - Sis. Anita Friday 3rd Sundays - 1:30pm

GATHER GROUPS

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Influencers for Christ (Teen 13-18yr) Guarding Your Heart Monday after 1st & 3rd Sundays - 7:00pm

One Another's Standing Firm & Loving Well Tuesday after 1st & 3rd Sundays - 7:00pm

Kingdom Builders (Men) Tuesday after 3rd Sundays - 7:00pm

TMBC Ministry Leaders Friday after 1st Sundays - 7:00pm MINISTRY AUXILIARIES

Marr-O-Nots - Bro. Donald Hudson 3rd Sundays - 6:00pm

Usher Ministry - Sis. Charlotte Kennedy 2nd Saturdays - 1:00pm

For access details contact the ministry leader listed or call the Church office at 313-898-3325.

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NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Adoria Smith - 11/1 Jennifer Stallings - 11/2 Rose Marie Stein - 11/4 Juanelle Lopes - 11/6 Sharon Ratliff - 11/7 Barbara McDowell Romero - 11/8 Rosemary Edwards - 11/9 Earnestine Peete - 11/11 Gwendolyn Scott - 11/11 Lorraine Bell - 11/12 Allie Hines - 11/12 Darnetta Banks -11/13 Vanessa Jackson - 11/15 Laverne Porter - 11/22 Rev. Willie Hawk - 11/23 James C Edwards - 11/24 Maria Baker - 11/26 Elender Carrington - 11/28 Dilsie Hawk - 11/29

Louis & Elaine Wilmore - 11/8

Sick and Shut-In Condolences

ARNOLD, Sis. Nancy **BELL**, Sis. Bessie HAWKES, Bro. Earnest HERRING, Sis. Bessie HICKS, Sis. Mary HINES, Sis. Bernadine HOUSE Jr., Bro. Howard HUNTER, Bro. James LINEBARGER, **Deaconess Nazell** LYNCH, Sis. Willie B. MARTIN, Disciple Joan

MEBANE, Rev. Dr. William NASH, Sis. Sara ODOM, Bro. Dan RANDOLPH, Bro. Thelise SMITH, Sis. Chanel WALLICK, Sis. Pauline WATSON, Sis. Irma WELLS, Sis. Betty

WILMORE, Bro. Louis

Deacon Delbert & Sister Edith Fails for the loss of her Brother, Brother William T. Lewis ~~~

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Brother Benjamin & Sister Jonetta Cocroft for the loss of her Sister, Sister Barbara Unger

Deacon Daryl & Deaconess Pearl Thomas for the loss of her Sister, Sister Mary Rose Crawford

Brother Kevin & Sister Charlotte Kennedy for the loss of his Brother, Brother Robert Carl Kennedy

Sister Catherine Love & Sister Andrea Love Johnson for the loss of their Mother, Sister Nellie Love

> Rev. Willie Hawk for the loss of his Father, **Brother Willie James Hawk** ~~~

Sister Placidia Frierson for the loss of her Aunt, Sister Gwendolyn Massey ~~~

Brother Clayton Robinson for the loss of his Wife, Sister Michelle Robinson ~~~

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#### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

| Every Sunday                                                                             |                               |  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Worship Service                                                                          | 11:00 am                      |  |
| Sunday Church School                                                                     |                               |  |
| New Member's Class                                                                       |                               |  |
| Big Sisters • Children 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -5 years • Child Development Center | 11:00 am                      |  |
| Observance of the Lord's Supper • Every 1st Sunday (11:00 am)                            |                               |  |
| Baptism • Every 2nd Sunday (11:00 am)Dedication of Babies                                | • Every 3rd Sunday (11:00 am) |  |
| Children's Worship Celebration • Every 1st & 3rd Sunday (11:00 am)                       |                               |  |
| The Church in Fellowship, Study, and Prayer • Every Wednesday (6                         | 0:00 pm-7:15 pm)              |  |

