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The Call to Worship

- LEADER: I was glad when they said unto me, "let us go to the house of the Lord!" Our feet have been standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.
- PEOPLE: **For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.**
- LEADER: For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good.
- PEOPLE: **They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God.**
- LEADER: O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your glory dwells.
- PEOPLE: **But the Lord is in His Holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before Him.**
- LEADER: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my Redeemer.
- PEOPLE: **O, sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things! Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth, sing praises!**

The Opening Hymn Led By
The Sanctuary United Voices of Praise - Brother Brent Golden, Accompanist
#424 Standing on the Promises

1. Standing on the promises of Christ my King, Through eternal ages let His praises ring; Glory in the highest, I will shout and sing, Standing on the promises of God.

Refrain: Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God my Savior; Standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.

2. Standing on the promises that cannot fail, When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail, By the living Word of God I shall prevail, Standing on the promises of God.

3. Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord, Bound to Him eternally by love's strong cord, Overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword, Standing on the promises of God.

4. Standing on the promises I cannot fall, Listening every moment to the Spirit's call, Resting in my Savior as my all in all, Standing on the promises of God.

Prayer - Sister Constance Jones

Choral Response

Selection

Choir

Scripture

Announcements - Sister Marge Simmons

The Offering

Sermonic Selection

Choir

The Message

Pastor Willie White, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

We Offer Christ to You

We offer Christ to you, oh my Brother!

We offer Christ to you, oh my Sister!

He will give you brand new life, new life abundantly!

Oh Come! Come On to Christ

You who are weary and heavy laden--

Oh Come! Come on to Christ!

Doxology

Benediction

Dr. Willie Eugene Marshall, Presiding Elder, Ozark Troy District

The Reverend Sherita Moon Seawright, Episcopal Supervisor

Bishop Harry Lee Seawright, Presiding Prelate, 9th Episcopal District

Please Depart Quickly And Pray for a Cure for Breast Cancer!



Sermon Title: REAL LOVE!!!

Scripture: Psalm 119: 136-139; verse 136 = Rivers of waters run down mine eyes, because they keep not thy word.

Point #1 UNBELIEVERS (Non Christians, Pagans, Non Believers). Verse 136.

There should be a significant difference between our life and that of an unbeliever. There should be significant, caring contact but not imitation.

REAL LOVE!!!

Point #2 UNDERSTANDING (Comprehending, Discerning, knowing). Verses 137-138. With Christ's help our understanding will grow. God reveals truth to people who will act on it, who will make it visible in their life.

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Point #3 UNFAIRNESS (Injustice, Unbalanced, Not right). Verse 139. We should never be unfair in return. Remember that God offers an eternal answer to the unfairness in the world.

REAL LOVE!!!



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*Dear Guests in Sanctuary, Parking Lot, Listening on radio, or
Virtual (Facebook, YouTube, Zoom)*

OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP & SERVE THIS WEEK – Check e-mails and text messages.

--**EACH SUNDAY** – Worship service in sanctuary and cars at 10:45 a.m. in sanctuary, via Zoom, Facebook Live, and limited range radio service at 87.9 FM if worshipping in cars in parking lot or listening on surrounding streets. Church School Lesson 9:00 a.m. in sanctuary. Please contact Brother Franklin Simmons at 334-494-2377 if you have connectivity or other tech issues.

This week at a glance. Zoom Joining instructions forwarded via e-mail and text

- **TODAY: 6:00 pm - Church School Pep Rally – Via Zoom. Reverend Flora Scott, Pastor, Florala-Lockhart AME Church, Guest Teacher. More details from Brother Britt and Dr. Nichols.**
- Monday – Deadline to register for **9th District Lay Organization Annual Meeting** (Virtual format - November 20.
- Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. – **Bible Study** via Zoom and Conference call

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month –

Observance Sponsored by Women’s Missionary Society (Sis. Constance Jones, President)
& Break Every Chain Health Ministry (Sister Nichole Nichols, Chairperson)



Thank you, Pastor White and all members and friends for your support of our **Pinkout Sunday**, including the **Pink Pumpkin Contest**, fashion show, etc. What a blessing! Congratulations to **Pink Pumpkin Contest** Winners: 1st place – Nikki Mills; 2nd place; Ann McKenzie; and 3rd place – Marion Griffin
& **Fashion Show Winners**: Youth – Shunia Williams; Adults: Sister Carol Baker, Survivor Testimonial Speaker; and Senior Saints – Sister Ira “Pat” Brown

UPCOMING ---PLEASE UPDATE YOUR COPIES OF CHURCH CALENDAR AS NEEDED.

-- Pastor White announces a **Church Conference** after worship service on Sunday November 14, 2021 for the election of Trustees and the consideration of other church business. Each member of the church is a member of the Church

Conference and is encouraged to attend. All members who are interested in serving as a Trustee of the Church are asked to submit a letter to Pastor White by **TODAY**. A letter template is available today for your convenience.

--**Family and Friends Day** has been rescheduled to Sunday, December 7. More details from Chairpersons: Brother Ed Brown and Sister Debra Fay Brown. Tribe leaders, please get ready for our goal of \$20,000 as we close out 2021 calendar year.

--November 20 – **Community Food Giveaway**. Truckload of food for those in need. Pastor White is asking all members to be on deck to help out. More details to follow

SPECIAL NOTICES:

--**Bereavement Notice:** Please continue to lift Sister Debra Fay Brown, Brother Ed Brown and the entire family in prayer at the passing of Sister Gladys Brown, Sister Debra's Mother. The family asks that you Please consider donations to the Alzheimer Association in memory of Sister Gladys.

--A special welcome to Sister Evadna Kinsey Moment as an affiliated member & her grandchildren, Destiny Smith & Zayden Smith, who joined our church family on last Sunday, October 17, 2021

Congratulations!

-- to all students who received report cards for the previous grading period. Please send accomplishments in academics, sports, etc. to Sister LauReen McDaniel, member of Christian Education Department – 334-470-1816. Thanks in advance.

Opportunities to give tithes & offerings: during morning worship service. Or mail to Johns Chapel AME Church, Post Office Box 311015, Enterprise, AL 36331-1015. Please do not mail cash. Thank you.

Or give via Givify: Johns Chapel AME Church
Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church
Cash app: \$JohnsChapelAMEC.

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PRAYER LIST Week of October 31-November 6, 2021

- Sister Annie Pearl Allen (wife of Brother Roland)
- Brother Roland Allen
- Sister Eleanor Bailey
- Sister Jennifer Bigham
- Sister Debra D. Brown -Address: 74 Davis Street, Charles Town, WV 25414
- Bereavement – The Family of Sister Gladys Brown, Mother of Sister Debra Fay Brown & Mother-in-Law of Brother Ed Brown
- Sister Geraldine Booth
- Brother Jimmy Boykins
- Sister Brenda Crawford
- Bereavement – The Family of Brother Freddie Engram
- Caiden M. Gary, Grandson of Sis C. Jones
- Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- Bereavement – The Family of Mother Annie Golden— Mother of Brother Brent Golden
- Sister Marion Griffin
- Sister Ruby Grayer
- Sister Dorothy Holmes
- Sister Kim Jackson—Sister of Bro. Brent Golden
- Sister Vivian Johnson

- Sister Ann McGaughey
- Sister Gay Nell Miley - Special Prayer Request
- Brother David Moore, Brother of Sis. Marjorie Jackson, Wife of Reverend James Jackson
- Sister Jackie Scott
- Schools: Administrators, Principals, Teachers, Staff, and especially students
- Sister Rosetta White & Brother Willie White, Sr. — Parents of Pastor White – Brother White, Sr.
- Bereavement – Pastor White and Family
- Brother Larry Wilson—Husband of Sis. Shun Wilson
- First Responders, Medical workers, Other frontline workers
- The United States of America & the World

***New entries in bold print. Remember to pray for those on our prayer list.**



- Nov 2 Shun Wilson
- Nov 5 Chatazia Smith
- Nov 6 Vanessa Rush



Nov 4 1967 Mr. & Mrs. Maxie Hazzard

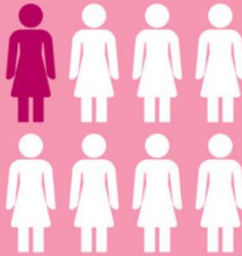
Happy Anniversary to a beautiful couple!
Wishing you a wonderful day filled with much love.

Breast Cancer Stats and Facts

When it comes to breast cancer, what you don't know can hurt you. These figures reveal the scary truth.

This year, **232,670** new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed in women.

1 in 8 women who live to be age 70 will develop breast cancer in her lifetime.



Breast cancer accounts for about **30%** of cancers in women.

It's the most common cancer diagnosis for women in Utah.

About **85%** of diagnoses occur in women with no family history of breast cancer.

But there's good news.

Breast cancer's mortality rate has been declining since 1989, due to early detection and improved treatment.



Physically active women are **25% less likely** to develop breast cancer than those who are inactive.

More than **2.8 million** people living in the U.S. are breast cancer survivors.



ACT NOW

Breast cancer education and screenings can save up to 37 lives every day in the U.S., according to the World Health Organization. Share this infographic and discuss a screening plan with your doctor.

healthfeed.uofuhealth.org



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Pastor White - We love and appreciate you in October and All Year Round!



PASTOR APPRECIATION DAY

***We love and welcome our Brand New Clergy Member:
Retired Presiding Elder Willis N. Huggins***