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The Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow! Praise Him all creatures here below! Praise Him above, ye Heavenly hosts! Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen!

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
Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden and DeVonte Mills
#513 "Hold to God's Unchanging Hands"*

1. Time is filled with swift transition, Naught of earth unmoved can stand. Build your hopes on things eternal, Hold to God's unchanging hand.
2. Trust in Him who will not leave you, Whatsoever years may bring; If by earthly friends forsaken, Still more closely to Him cling.
3. Covet not this world's vain riches, That so rapidly decay; Seek to gain the heavenly treasures; They will never pass away.
4. When your journey is completed, If to God you have been true, Fair and bright the home in glory Your enraptured soul will view.

Refrain: Hold to His hand, God's unchanging hand; Hold to His hand, God's unchanging hand; Build your hopes on things eternal; Hold to God's unchanging hand.

Prayer

Choral Response

Selection

Choir

Scripture

Announcements - Sister Marge Simmons



Appeal by Sister Allie Bell Reddick

**The 9th District Call to Action – 40,000 Souls to the Polls (8,000 from SE Conf)
To Vote on November 8 , General Election Day -- - V-Alert
Pastor Willie White, Jr., SE Conference Coordinator**

The Offering

Sermonic Selection

Choir

The Morning Worship Celebration Message

Reverend Willis N. Huggins, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

**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!**

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Benediction

The Reverend Willie White, Jr., Pastor

The Reverend Sherita Moon Seawright, Episcopal Supervisor

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

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



Sermon *Notes*

Sermon Title:

Scripture

Point #

Point #2

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



- 9th DISTRICT CALL TO ACTION

40,000 SOULS TO THE POLLS – 9th District

8,000 SOULS – SE CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 8, 2022 – GENERAL ELECTION

Pastor White – SE Conference Coordinator

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

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

-- UPCOMING THIS WEEK

- Monday – Columbus Day Holiday – WMS Monthly meeting postponed until Wednesday
- Tuesday – Trustee Monthly Meeting – 6:00 pm IN PERSON
- Wednesday—WMS Monthly Meeting Via Zoom – 6 pm
- Wednesday – Bible Study via Zoom and Facebook Live – 7:00 pm
- Saturday:
 - Enterprise Fire Department Community Event (Free smoke detectors, etc.) 8 a.m.
 - Home Ownership Workshop 2:00 pm. More details pending

OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 22 –
 - Sons of Allen Free Meals – 11 a.m.-1 pm
 - Praise & Paint Party. 12 noon. Please see Nikki Mills or LauReen McDaniel to reserve your spot soon.

SPECIAL NOTICES

--Welcome home to our beloved Pastor Willie White Jr. & First Lady Patricia White! We thank God for returning you to Johns Chapel by way of Bishop Harry Lee Seawright. Praise God for the historic 13th Session of the Southeast Alabama Conference. May God bless all the Pastors and Congregations as they work in the vineyard.

--COMING SOON: *Shelia Jackson & Friends Christmas Concert* in Enterprise. More details forthcoming from Pastor White & Sister Marge Simmons.



--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 Givelify: Johns Chapel AME Church

Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

Cash app: \$JohnsChapelAMEC.

PRAYER LIST Week of October 9-15, 2022

- Sister Annie Pearl Allen (wife of Brother Roland) – Hartford Nursing Home
 - Sister Eleanor Bailey
 - Sister Geraldine Booth
 - Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
 - Sister Ophelia Hazzard
 - Sister Ruby Grayer
 - Sister Burma Jackson
 - Sister Kim Jackson—Sister of Bro. Brent Golden
 - Sister Ann McGaughey
 - Brother Earl McNair**
 - Sister Carol McNair**
 - Sister Ann Mills
 - Sister Jackie Scott – Prayers appreciated
 - BEREAVEMENT - Sister Sidra Sanks-Jackson & Brother Larry Jackson – Passing of Sister Sank's Mother
 - Dajia Tyson & her son, Khalil Griffin
 - Sister Betty Simmons
- New entries in bold print.**

Oct 10 Anthony Cobaris- Wooten
Oct 14 Dr. Stafford Thompson
Oct 14 Priscilla Gray



Wedding Announcement
October 1, 2022 Anthony and Larissa (Chambers) Wooten



Are you **ELECTION DAY** Ready?

- Absentee Voting begins **Sept 14**
- Absentee Application Deadline **Nov.1** [Mail-In]
- Absentee Application Deadline **Nov.3** [Hand delivered]
- Check your registration status online

ELECTION DAY- NOVEMBER 8



AME ALERT



Please sign up in the foyer today and be a part of the team to reach the goal of **8,000 souls to the polls on November 8.**

Please see the church's Facebook Page for the Tik Tok Challenge and an opportunity to win cash up to a \$500 grand prize.

More details on *Breast Cancer Awareness* will be forthcoming, led by the Allie Lee Clark Sconiers Women's Missionary Society. Sister LauReen McDaniel, Chair
Sister Constance Jones, President



BREAST CANCER PREVENTION TIPS



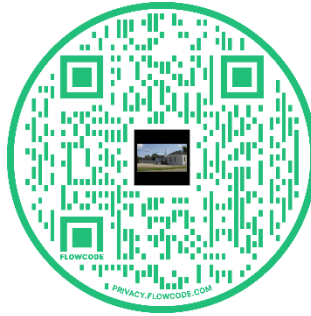
BCRF GRANTEE DR. GRAHAM COLDITZ SHARES

9 KEY STEPS
WOMEN CAN TAKE TO LOWER
THE RISK OF BREAST CANCER:

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| 1 Keep weight in check | 4 Don't smoke | 7 Avoid postmenopausal hormones |
| 2 Be physically active | 5 Breast-feed, if possible | 8 Find out your family history |
| 3 Avoid too much alcohol | 6 Avoid birth control pills, particularly after age 35 or if you smoke | 9 If high risk, consider risk-reducing medications |

These tips can be found in "TOGETHER - Every Woman's Guide to Preventing Breast Cancer," co-authored by Graham Colditz, MD, DrPH with Katherine Weillbaecher, MD, and Hank Dart, MS and is available through Apple iBooks as well as in other e-book formats.





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