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Proverbs 31:25

“She is clothed with
strength and dignity;
she can laugh at the
days to come.”

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

EDITION



JCAME

Hotdog Moment

By: Pastor Willie White

A man walked into a flower shop on Mother's Day. He said, "what can I get for three dollars?" The proprietor replied, "I can give you a dozen carnations or I can give you one rose." He says, "You mean I can get a dozen carnations for three dollars, but only one rose?" How come the roses are just so expensive?" "Oh, really simple. The scent of a carnation doesn't last very long. It's sweet for a moment, but it has no longevity. On the other hand, a rose is known for its ongoing scent. Even when you think it's dead, it can be crushed turned into potpourri and the smell can still continue." Women are roses! Women are valuable! Women are precious! Women are important! YOU ARE A ROSE!



JC'S ADULT EDUCATION CLASS PROGRESS

Pastor Willie White,

I stopped by the AE class at the church this morning, and shared some information with the class on some of the performance measures we track. With each student and class, we track progress according to benchmark scores on standardized tests. Of all our community classes, Johns Chapel has the highest percentage of students showing progress! As someone I know would say, "Hot Dog!"

Jonathan Smith
Director of Adult Education
Enterprise State Community College



Women in Leadership



SHERRYL STOVAL WHITING

NINTH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY PRESIDENT

Sherryl Whiting is a member of Cherry Street A.M.E. Church in Dothan, Alabama. In her local church, she is a member of the Gussie McMillon Women's Missionary Society, Steward Board, Church Secretary, Stewardess Board, and Lay President. She is the newly appointed Ninth Episcopal District WMS President. She also serves as the Connectional CDMC Assistant Recording Secretary. Her other work includes Financial Secretary of the Southeast Alabama Conference Lay Organization, Assistant Recording Secretary of the Board of Directors for the Richard Allen Resource Center of the Southeast Alabama Conference. She is a Life Member in the Women's Missionary Society. Her former Missionary work includes serving as Secretary, 1st Vice President and President of the South/Southeast Alabama Conference Branch Women's Missionary Society as well as President and YPD Director in her local church.

Sherryl has three children Adrienne, Lya and Albert Jr. She also has 4 grandchildren Julian, Kelsey, Kennedy, and Kyrie.

Sherryl holds a BS degree in Medical Laboratory Technology with a Minor in Chemistry from Alabama State University, a BS degree in Biology with a certification in Medical Technology from Auburn University in Montgomery - Registered by ASCP (American Society for Clinical Pathologist) and a Master's degree in Business Administration from Troy State University in Dothan.

She is a Silver/Life Member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., a member of the National Alumni Association of Alabama State University, President of the Bamadale Neighborhood Organization, a member of Lookwell Chapter 219 Order of Eastern Star, Starscope Bowling League and Secretary/Treasurer of the Board of Directors for the George Washington Carver Interpretive Museum. She enjoys church, gardening, bowling, family and traveling.

One of her favorite scriptures is Philippians 4:13 "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."



Ways to Worship

Virtual, In Person, or Limited Range Radio
87.9 FM

Breakfast From Heaven-Each Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

Sunday School-Each Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

**Morning Worship
Each Sunday at 10:45 a.m.**

**Weekly Bible Study
Each Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. in Person**

**Late Night Devotion
Facebook at 10:00p.m.**

**For more details about our services and how to join
via Zoom, Facebook Live, or YouTube, please visit
our website.**

www.johnschapelamec.org

Southeast Alabama Conference
Young People and Children's Division
Black History Program
St. Paul AME Church, Ozark, Alabama
Rev. Ulysses Kinsey, Pastor



DyShunta McDaniel

Johns Chapel YPD President
and 1st Vice President of the
9th Episcopal District served
as Worship Leader of the
program.

*Rev. Willie White Jr. is the
youth's biggest supporter.*

Sister Kimberly Marshall,
Southeast Alabama Conference
YPD Director along with Tay,
Pastor White, and Shiri.



WOMEN'S HISTORY

ARTICLE CREDITED TO NATIONL
WOMEN'S HISTORY MUSEUM

Every year, March is designated Women's History Month by presidential proclamation. The month is set aside to honor women's contributions in American history.

Did You Know? Women's History Month started as Women's History Week . . .

Women's History Month began as a local celebration in Santa Rosa, California. The Education Task Force of the Sonoma County (California) Commission on the Status of Women planned and executed a "Women's History Week" celebration in 1978. The organizers selected the week of March 8 to correspond with International Women's Day. The movement spread across the country as other communities initiated their own Women's History Week celebrations the following year.

In 1980, a consortium of women's groups and historians—led by the National Women's History Project (now the National Women's History Alliance)—successfully lobbied for national recognition. In February 1980, President Jimmy Carter issued the first Presidential Proclamation declaring the Week of March 8th 1980 as National Women's History Week.

<https://www.womenshistory.org/womens-history/womens-history-month>

Ways to Give Tithes and Offerings for Kingdom Building

Via mail

Johns Chapel AME Church
P.O. Box 311015, Enterprise AL. 36331

Givify

Johns Chapel AME Church

PayPal

Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

CashApp

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ESCC's Heartfelt Thanks for your Generous Food Donation to the Student Pantry

Dear Pastor White,

On behalf of the ESCC community, I want to express our deepest gratitude for your generous donation to our Student Food Pantry. Your support has made a significant impact on the well-being of our students, and we are truly thankful for your kindness.

Your contribution will help ensure that students facing food insecurity have access to nutritious meals, allowing them to focus on their studies without the burden of hunger. Your commitment to supporting the academic success and overall health of our students is truly commendable, and we are privileged to have individuals like you as part of our community.

It is heartening to see members of our community come together to address the challenges faced by our students. Your donation reflects a spirit of compassion and solidarity that inspires us all. We believe that, through collective efforts and caring hearts like yours, we can create a positive and supportive environment for every student on our campus.

Once again, thank you for your thoughtful contribution. Your generosity has touched the lives of many, and we are grateful for the positive impact it will have on our students and their well-being.

Thank you for making a difference in the lives of our students.

-From the staff of Student Support Services at Enterprise State Community College.



*Johns Chapel
Annual Sweetheart Ball 2024 is in the books!
How many pictures is Rev. Willie White in?*

