

Welcome to
Johns Chapel
African Methodist Episcopal Church
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015
Enterprise, Alabama 36331
December 29, 2024 - 10:45 a.m.

The Morning Worship Celebration



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The Reverend Willie White, Jr., Pastor
Dr. Willie Eugene Marshall, Presiding Elder
Ozark-Troy District

Mrs. Deana Young McAllister, WMS Supervisor
Bishop Julius H. McAllister, Jr., Presiding Prelate

God Our Father

The Holy Spirit Our Comforter

Christ Our Redeemer

Humankind Our Family

JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH

PRELUDE

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.

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!**

HYMN OF PRAISE #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

Choral Response

SELECTION

**The Male Choir
Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden
DeVonte Mills
Kam Elston**

SCRIPTURE

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS Sister Marge Simmons

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Opportunities to give tithes & offerings: During morning worship service. Or mail to Johns Chapel AME Church, Post Office Box 311015, Enterprise, AL 36331-1015. Or give via Givelify: Johns Chapel AME Church, Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, or Cash app: \$jcamec605

**Ministry of Dance by the Johns Chapel Women of Praise
“GRATEFUL” by Hezekiah Walker**

The Morning Worship Celebration Message **

Reverend Willis N. Huggins, Jr.

Johns Chapel AME Church
605 Geneva Highway
Enterprise, Alabama 36330

Join us for

LIVE IN 2025

Watch Night Service

DEC.
31,
2024

10:00 p.m.

Scripture Text
Ezekiel 37: 1-10

Rev. Willie White Jr., Pastor

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JANUARY 25, 2025 @ 2PM

Two Hearts One Faith

Couples Ministry Launch

Johns Chapel AME Church
605 Geneva Hwy, Enterprise AL 36330
Rev Willie White Pastor

Join us for the launch of Two Hearts, One Faith Couples Ministry! Enjoy an inspiring evening with author LaKeysia Christian and her book Stand, designed to strengthen faith-filled relationships. Whether you're dating, engaged, or married, come and build your relationship on the foundation of love and faith.



GUEST SPEAKER LAKEYSIA CHRISTIAN

Come Experience:

- Inspiring fellowship:**
Connect with other couples on the same path.
- Faith-filled guidance:**
Grow together spiritually as a couple.
- Relationship Enrichment**
Strengthen communication, trust, and love.

Purchase your copy of Stand by LaKeysia Christian by January 20, 2025, to join the discussion and exclusive Q&A session. Book signings will follow the event. Contact Shanequia Ellis at 334-470-9762 to order.





Prayer Concerns
Week of Dec 29, 2024—
Jan 4, 2025

BEREAVEMENT NOTICE; Passing of Sister Melodie Carter, the Mother of Tiffany Davies. Our sincere condolences and prayers for Tiffany, her daughters ,and Sammy Mills—especially during the Christmas and New Year’s holidays.

BEREAVEMENT NOTICE: Passing of Sister Mary Alice Herlong-Reed on December 10, 2024. She is the sister of our own Sister Odessa Herlong-Jones. Our sincere condolences and prayers for the entire family.

- Sister Eleanor Bailey
- Sister Geraldine Booth
- Sister Lois Boykins
- Kam Elston
- Sister Barbara Fields
- Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- Sister Marion Griffin
- Sister Ophelia Hazzard
- Sister Hattie Huggins
- Sister Vivian Johnson
- Sister Corrina Knight—Surgery on December 19.
- Sister Ann McGaughey
- Sister Nichole Nichols
- Sister Ruthie Warren — Flowers Hospital in Dothan**
- Dr. Rachel Wooten Nichols, wife of Ron Nichols, daughter-in-law of Dr. & Mrs. Russell Nichols
- Nigel Robinson, son of Brother Carlos & Sister Lynette Robinson
- Sister Betty Simmons
- Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Roderick Simmons, Daughter-in-law of Sister Betty Simmons

Opportunities
To Worship and Serve This Week

TODAY

EVERYBODY'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School

Monday

Tuesday

10:00 p.m. WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

Wednesday

**NEW YEAR'S DAY !
 NO BIBLE STUDY UNTIL JAN 8**

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Happy Birthday

- Dec 29 Tiffany Davies**
- Jan 2 Sister Patricia White,
First Lady**
- Jan 3 Chamira R. Edwards**
- Jan 4 Briana Simmons**

No Wedding Anniversaries on record this week.

The Pastor's Contact Info

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please check texts, e-mails, Facebook, and church website for updates

—WATCH NIGHT SERVICES TUESDAY—10 PM—See page 5

—COUPLES MINISTRY LAUNCH—JAN 25, 2025—See page 5

—Thanks to all for your participation in our observance of the Advent Season.

—Many thanks for the efforts of Sister Corrina Knight, youth and adults for presenting "NEW STAR," a traditional Christmas skit on last Sunday. A Five-Star presentation. WOW!

—SPECIAL THANKS TO PASTOR & MRS. WHITE FOR GIFTS AND FOR ALL YOU DO. WE LOVE YOU AND FAMILY!



GED CLASSES HERE AT JC ON TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

9:00 A.M.-12:00 PM IN THE COMPUTER LAB

FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT GED INSTRUCTOR—SISTER ODESSA HERLONG-JONES 334-618-4069 OR PASTOR WHITE 334-701-5853

KEY POINTS

Sermon Notes

SERMON TITLE:

SCRIPTURE:

POINT #1.

POINT # 2.

POINT #3

