

*Welcome to  
Johns Chapel  
African Methodist Episcopal Church  
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015  
Enterprise, Alabama 36331  
December 24, 2023 - 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*

*The Reverend Sherita Moon Seawright, WMS Supervisor  
Bishop Harry L. Seawright, Presiding Prelate*

*God Our Father*

*Christ Our Redeemer*

*The Holy Spirit Our Comforter*

*Humankind Our Family*

**JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH**  
**>Fourth Sunday of Advent — LOVE**  
**Sister LauReen McDaniel, Program Leader**  
**Welcome to our Christmas Program**  
**DECEMBER AIDS AWARENESS MONTH**

**PRELUDE**

Opening Selection		EMMANUEL!!
	Processional of Dancers	
The Lord's Prayer (In Song)		Sister Marge Simmons
Scripture		
Old Testament		Chynna Clark
New Testament		Sister Marion Griffin
Two Selections		Male Choir
	Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden and DeVonte Mills	
Recitations		JCAME YPDers
	C-H-R-I-S-T-M-A-S	
Piano solo		Faith Sanchez-Mathis
Solo		Brother Edward Brown
Praise Dance		JC Youth Praise Dancers
Announcements/Recognition of Guests		Brother Ricky Britt
Congregational Selection		12 Days of Christmas

## ADVENT SERVICE

*The Advent Candle Service ---*

*The Fourth Sunday of Advent - Love*

(Please see Responsive Reading insert.)

Led by Sister Corrina Knight and daughter, Faith Sanchez-Mathis

Hymn # 116 Silent Night (Verses 1 & 3)

1. Silent night, holy night, all is come, all is bright round yon virgin mother and Child,  
Holy Infant so tender and mild, sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.

3. Silent night, holy night, **Son of God, love's pure light** radiant beams from Thy holy  
face, with the dawn of redeeming grace, Jesus, Lord at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord at Thy  
birth.

## 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. 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.

Praise Dance

Sister Corrina Knight

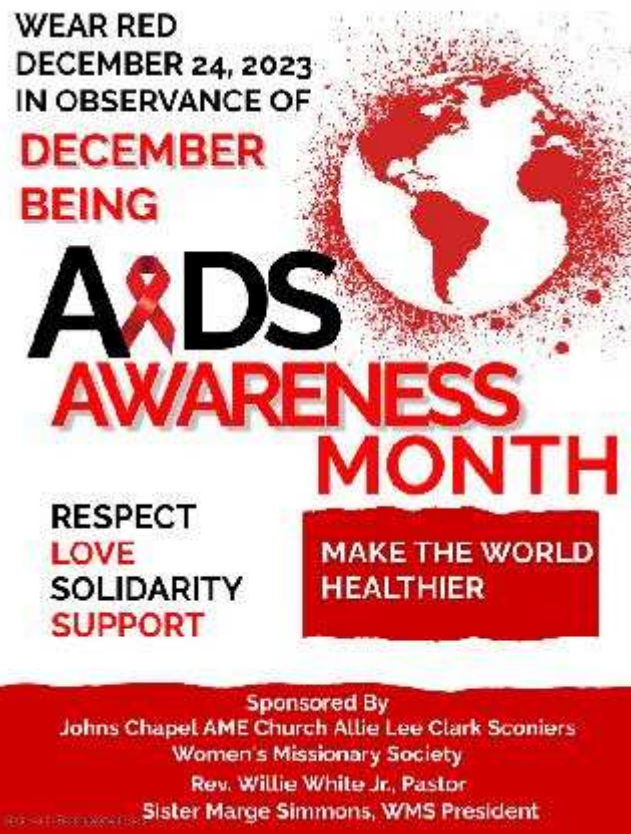
*The Christmas Worship Celebration Message \*\*.*  
*Pastor Willie White, Jr.*

**Refrain: Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere; Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born.**

1. While shepherds kept their watching O'er silent flocks by night, Behold throughout the heavens There shone a holy light.
2. The shepherds feared and trembled When, lo! above the earth Rang out the angel chorus That hailed our Savior's birth.
3. Down in a lowly manger Our humble Christ was born, And God sent us salvation That blessed Christmas morn.

### BENEDICTION





**Observance led by 2nd VP LauReen McDaniel.  
Photo op IMMEDIATELY after service down front.**



**Coming soon!  
Join this much anticipated ministry today. Please see Pastor or Mrs. White  
for more details.**



**Prayer Concerns**  
**Week of Dec 24-30, 2023**

--Sister Annie Pearl Allen (wife of Brother Roland) – Hartford Nursing Home  
 --Sister Eleanor Bailey  
 --Sister Geraldine Booth  
 —BEREAVEMENT: The Family of Brother Mack Chambers  
 —Kam Elston  
 --Sister Annie Pearl Frazier  
 --Sister Ophelia Hazzard  
 --Sister Ruby Grayer  
 --Sister Kim Jackson—Sister of Bro. Brent Golden  
 --Sister Ann McGaughey  
 —Sister Annie Jean Gibson—Family member of several JC members  
 --Dajia Tyson & her son, Khalil Griffin  
 --Sister Betty Simmons  
 —Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Brother Roderick Simmons, Daughter-in-law of Sister Betty Simmons

**Opportunities**  
**To Worship and Serve This Week**  
**TODAY**

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

**Monday**

**CHRISTMAS DAY**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

6:00 p.m.— Bible Study IN PERSON  
**Freestyle Youth Bible Study in fellowship hall.... Adults in Sanctuary**

**Saturday**

Watch texts for additional announcements.

**Happy Birthday**

Dec 23, 2017

Ari Marshall Rhodes-Vivour

Amina Elizabeth Rhodes-Vivour

Dec 28 Chakeila Brown

Dec 28 Lisa Brown

Dec 29 Tiffany Davies

*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.

—Today is the fourth Sunday of Advent. We will light the Candle of LOVE. See insert.

—**GIFTS FROM PASTOR AND SISTER WHITE TODAY. MANY THANKS!!**

Quick photo op right after service. Also church conference immediately after service.

—Donations are needed to purchase Poinsettias for the church. Please make checks payable to Johns Chapel AME Church, and see Sister Debra Fay Brown for more info.

—The Clothes Closet is only accepting children's clothing at this time.

—Please spread the word: Supervisor Seawright to bring message at the City-Wide MLK Celebration on January 14, 2024 at 4:00 pm at the Enterprise Civic Center. Please see e-mail and texts for details. Thank you for your prayers.

Mass choir rehearsals will be held at Pleasant Shade Baptist Church under the direction of Brother Joe Merida and Sister Yolanda Milton Daniels:

**6:00 p.m** January 4; January 8 **10:00 a.m.** — January 13

From Marge Simmons, Program Chair.

—The MLK Youth Celebration will be held on January 13, 2024 at 4:00 pm at Mt Zion Missionary Baptist Church. The first rehearsal date is December 29 at 6:00 pm at Mt Zion. Other dates will be announced. Our own Sister Melissa Carpenter will direct the choir, and Brother Lawrence Jackson is the musician.

# KEY POINTS

## Sermon Notes

**SERMON TITLE:**

**SCRIPTURE:**

**POINT #1.**

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