Welcome to Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015 Enterprise, Alabama 36331 July 23, 2023

The Morning Worship Celebration



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
The Holy Spirit Our Comforter

Christ Our Redeemer Humankind Our Family

JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH ORDER OF WORSHIP LED BY OUR YOUTH

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 #394 We'll Understand it Better By and By" Choir/Congregation

- 1. We are often tossed and driven on the restless sea of time, Somber skies and howling tempests oft succeed the bright sunshine, In that land of perfect day, when the mists have rolled away, we will understand it better by and by.
- 2. We are often destitute of the things that life demands, Want of food and want of shelter, thirsty hills and barren lands, We are trusting in the Lord, and according to His word, We will understand it better by and by.
- 3. Trials dark on every hand, and we cannot understand, All the ways that God would lead us to that blessed Promised Land; But He guides us with His eye and we'll follow till we die, For we'll understand it better by and by.
- 4. Temptations hidden snares often take us unawares, And our hearts are made to bleed for a thoughtless word or deed, And we wonder why the test when we try to do our best, But we'll understand it better by and by.

Refrain: By and by, when the morning comes All the saints of God are gathered home, We'll tell the story how we've overcome, For we'll understand it better by and by.

PRAYER

Choral Response

SELECTION The Male Choir

Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden & DeVonte Mills

SCRIPTURE

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

Brother Ricky Britt

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

<u>Pay Pal</u>: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church <u>Cash app</u>: \$JohnsChapelAMEC.

SERMONIC SELECTION

The Male Choir

The Morning Worship Celebration Message **.

Pastor Willie White, Jr.

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

#258 "Just As I Am, Without One Plea"

Just as I am, without one plea, But that Thy blood was shed for me, And that Thou bidst me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

Just as I am, and waiting not To rid my soul of one dark blot, To Thee whose blood can cleanse each spot, O Lamb Of God, I come, I come!

Just as I am, though tossed about With many a conflict, many a doubt, Fightings and fears within, without, O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

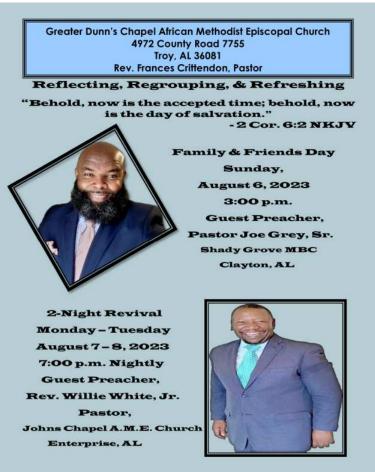
Just as I am, Thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve; Because Thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

DOXOLOGY**

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BENEDICTION
Amen!!





Prayer Concerns Week of July 23-29, 2023



- --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 Vivian Johnson
- —Sister Debra Jones
- --Sister Kim Jackson—Sister of Bro. Brent Golden
- --Sister Ann McGaughey
- —Sister Annie Jean Gibson—Family member Thursday of several JC members
- -- Dajia Tyson & her son, Khalil Griffin
- --Sister Betty Simmons

Happy Birthday

July 23	Anitra Freeman Kakenda Pyatt Ann McKenzie		
July 23			
July 24			
July 27	Shervekia Bell		

Happy Anniversary

July 22, 2022 Tiffany and Dominique Morris (Daughter and son-in -law of Brother Ricky and Sister Felecia Britt)

Opportunities To Worship and Serve This Week TODAY

8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

Monday-Wednesday

7:00 p.m. JC Summer Revival

Monday—

6:00 p.m. Sons of Allen Meeting

Tuesday

9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon— GFD class

Wednesday

4:00 p.m.—Pizza With Police at Boys

& Girls Club JC—Co-Sponsor

6:00 p.m.—Bible study IN PERSON, and via Zoom and FaceBook Live

9:00 a.m.—12:00 Noon — GED class

6:30 p.m. — Ozark Troy Lay Organization meeting via Zoom

Friday

Saturday

10:00 a.m. SE Conference Lay Organization Meeting via Zoom

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

- —**Reminder:** Please support Pizza With Police this Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.. Boys and Girls Club. JC is co-sponsor.
- —**YPD & WMS Quadrennial Conventions** Please pray for those traveling from across the 9th District to the Quadrennial meetings in Orlando, FL July 25-Aug 3—including JC WMS Life Members, Sister Hattie C. Huggins and Sister Evadna Moment., as well as Retired Presiding Elder Willis N. Huggins, Sr., Presiding Elder Willie Eugene Marshall, Sister Kimberly Marshall, Bishop and Supervisor Seawright and the entire delegation..
- —**Family and Friends Day:** More details from Chairpersons—Brother Samuel Blake and Nikki Mills.

—THANK YOU:

#Special thanks to all who supported Pastor White at the revival service at St. Beulah Missionary Baptist Church on Thursday night.

#Also, many thanks to Sister Evadna Moment and all who supported the Summer Enrichment Program for Grades K-2 held here at the church.

#And thanks galore to the team who led the Free Summer Lunch Program here at the church over the past few weeks.

—**GED classes**— Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m.—12 Noon here at the church. Enrollments will be accepted and continuously ongoing. If any questions, please contact Sister Odessa Jones at 334-618-4069. Please spread the word.



Sermon Notes

SERMON TITLE:		
SCRIPTURE:		
POINT #1.	 	
POINT #2		
POINT #3		