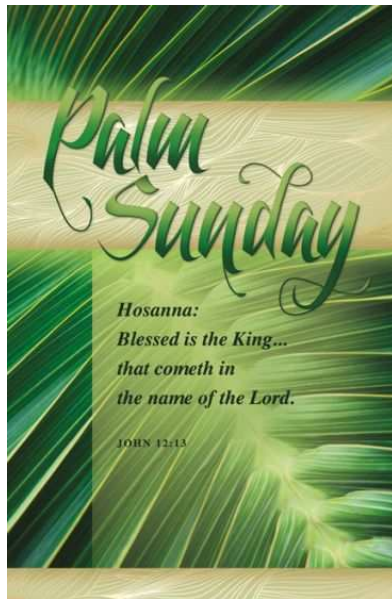


*Welcome to  
Johns Chapel  
African Methodist Episcopal Church  
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015  
Enterprise, Alabama 36331  
March 24, 2024 - 10:45 a.m.  
The Morning Worship Celebration*



*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*

*Christ Our Redeemer*

*The Holy Spirit Our Comforter*

*Humankind Our Family*

**JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH**

***Women's History Month***

**Order of worship led by Women**

**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\*\***

**Sister Felecia Britt**

**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**

**#243 Down at the Cross**

**Sister Odessa Jones**

1. Down at the cross where my Savior died, Down where for cleansing from sin I cried, There to my heart was the blood applied; Glory to His name!

2. I am so wondrously saved from sin, Jesus so sweetly abides within, There at the cross where He took me in; Glory to His name!

3. O precious fountain that saves from sin, I am so glad I have entered in; There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean; Glory to His name!

4. Come to this fountain so rich and sweet; Cast thy poor soul at the Savior's feet; Plunge in today and be made complete; Glory to His name!

**Refrain: Glory to His name, Glory to His name; There to my heart was the blood applied; Glory to His name!**

**PRAYER**

**Sister Constance Jones**

**Choral Response**

**SELECTION**

**The Male Choir**

**Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden and DeVonte Mills**

**SCRIPTURE**

**Sister Alonza Sibert**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS**

**Sister Marge Simmons**

**THE LAY MOMENT**

**Dr. Russell Nichols, DMD**

**President, Johns Chapel Lay Organization**

**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.**

***The Morning Worship Celebration Message \*\****

***Pastor Willie White, Jr.***

**Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

**#327 "I Need Thee Every Hour"**

I need Thee every hour, Most gracious Lord; No tender voice like Thine Can peace afford.

I need Thee every hour; Stay Thou near by; Temptations lose their power When Thou art nigh.

I need Thee every hour, In joy or pain; Come quickly and abide, Or life is vain.

I need Thee every hour; Teach me Thy will And Thy rich promises In me fulfill.

**Refrain: I need Thee, O I need Thee, Every hour I need Thee; O bless me now, my Savior, I come to Thee!**

Amen.

**BENEDICTION**

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**—The SE Conference Lay Organization's Quarterly Meeting and Lay Ministerial Scholarship Luncheon has been postponed from March 30 to April 27 at 4:00 pm at Greater St. Paul AME Church in Troy. Postponed due to the time of the Home-going Services for Brother James Roberts, former SE Conference Lay President, at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 30. Please remember his family in your prayers.**

31 MARCH 2024

# EASTER *Hunt* EGG

**IMMEDIATELY AFTER  
WORSHIP SERVICE**

JOHNS CHAPEL AME CHURCH  
605 GENEVA HIGHWAY  
ENTERPRISE AL 36330

**PASTOR REV. WILLIE JR WHITE**

FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CALL 334-701-5358

# THE WIREGRASS COMMUNITY MASS CHOIR

*Pre-Mothers Day*

# CONCERT

**Sunday, May 5, 2024 @ 4PM**

JOHNS CHAPEL AME CHURCH  
605 GENEVA HIGHWAY  
ENTERPRISE, AL  
PASTOR REV. WILLIE JR WHITE

REHEARSALS WILL BE APRIL 18TH,  
25TH, AND 30TH @6:30PM AT  
PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
ENTERPRISE AL

FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CALL 334-701-5853



## Prayer Concerns

Week of March 24-30, 2024

--Sister Annie Pearl Allen (wife of Brother Roland) – Hartford Nursing Home

--Sister Eleanor Bailey

--Sister Geraldine Booth

—**BEREAVEMENT: Brother James Crawford and entire Family — Passing of Brother Robert Crawford**

—Kam Elston

—Kasen Elston

—Sister Annie Pearl Frazier

—Sister Barbara Fields

--Sister Ruby Grayer

--Sister Ophelia Hazzard

--Sister Kim Jackson—Sister of Bro. Brent Golden

—Sister Vivian Johnson

--Sister Ann McGaughey

—Sister Helen Nichols

BEREAVEMENT NOTICE: Sisters Evelyn Bonner and Eura Gibson and grandchildren—passing of their Mother and Grandmother, Sister Annie Jean Gibson

--Sister Betty Simmons

—Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Brother Roderick Simmons, Daughter-in-law of Sister Betty Simmons

--Dajia Tyson & her son, Khalil Griffin

## Opportunities

To Worship and Serve This Week

### SPRING BREAK THIS WEEK

#### TODAY

8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

#### Monday

11:00 a.m.—Homegoing Service for Brother Robert Crawford

6:00 p.m.—Sons of Allen Monthly Meeting

6:00-7:00 p.m.—JC Recovery Ministry

#### Tuesday

#### Wednesday

12 Noon—Seasoned Saints Bible Study and activities

6:00 p.m.— Bible Study IN PERSON

**Freestyle Youth Bible Study in fellowship hall.... Adults in Sanctuary**

#### GOOD FRIDAY

#### Saturday

### **Happy Birthday!**

March 26 Jasmine Crawford

March 26 Meredith F. Greene

March 27 Kalycia Haynes

March 27 Kamden Crawford

March 28 Mable Dixon

March 29 Chad Simmons

March 30 Gladys Brooks

*No anniversaries on record this week*



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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

**BEREAVEMENT NOTICE:** Pastor White is asking JC members to pray without ceasing for Brother James Crawford and the rest of the family at the passing of his Brother, James Crawford, during this season of bereavement. Pastor is asking all members to be on duty to support the family during the homegoing service and repast at JC at 11 a.m. on Monday, March 25 — particularly kitchen staff, ushers, and all choir members. Thank you in advance.

—**Easter Sunday** is next Sunday, March 31. Asking parents and youth to remain after service today to get Easter speeches and share progress with speeches. Special thanks to those who have already picked up their speeches. **Pastor's goal is 200 worshippers at JC on Easter Sunday, so please invite family, friends and acquaintances.** Thanks in advance

—**Sister Debra Fay Brown is still accepting donations for Easter Lilies. She is requesting the names of donors in order to give donors the opportunity to take lilies home before she gives them away. Financial donations accepted as well. Thank you in advance.**

—**Attention, Parents! Children's Church is ongoing, and children ages 3-11 are welcome! Please see Sister White or Sister Knight.**

—**March is Women's History Month.** Special thanks to those who shared thoughts about women who have inspired you and those leading order of worship today. Thanks to Sister LauReen McDaniel for compiling the presentation.

—**Pastor White appreciates prayers and attendance as he preached at the Ozark Troy District Conference on yesterday. Special thanks to the choir and Brother Brent for providing music.**

—**9th District Mid-Year Convocation will be hosted by the SE Conference on April 4-6 at Parks Chapel AME Church in Dothan. Choir rehearsals are set for April 1st, 2nd, & 3rd at 6 pm at Parks Chapel. All SE Conference choirs are cordially invited to sing.**

—**Easter Egg Hunt next Sunday at JC. Please see flyer on page 5.**

—**Pre-Mothers' Day Concert on May 5. Please see flyer on page 5.**

—**SPRING BREAK IS THIS WEEK... PLEASE BE PRAYERFUL & CAREFUL!**



## *Sermon Notes*

**SERMON TITLE:**

**SCRIPTURE:**

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**POINT # 2.**

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**POINT #3**

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