

Welcome to
Johns Chapel
African Methodist Episcopal Church
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015
Enterprise, Alabama 36331
September 22, 2024 - 10:45 a.m.

The Morning Worship Celebration
Fresh Fire Sunday



Led by Young Adult Missionaries
***“Empowered Women,
Empower Women”***

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

Fresh Fire Sunday—Led by YAMS— Young Adult Missionaries—Of the Allie Lee Clark Sconiers WMS

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**

YAM Nikki Mills

Leader: Today we celebrate the strength, power, passion, beauty, courage, and faith of women across this world. Made in the likeness of God., He chose the woman to lead support, nourish, and deliver His glory to the earth.

People: We praise God for the creation of woman.

Leader: We celebrate women for following the Savior's example of service. These vessels of life, the wives, the mothers, the sisters, the aunts, the nieces, the daughters.

People: We honor God for endowing the spirit of service into the heart of the woman.

Leader: We give reverence to every woman, who like the beautiful, thoughtful, mindful, and powerful women of scripture continue to defy odds, banish stereotypes, and serve in the face of oppression and tradition.

People: We thank God for the unselfish spirit that lives in the heart of the woman.

Leader: We honor those who blazed trails and rose above the conditions of their time.

People: We worship God for the memory of our ancestors.

Leader: We celebrate the women of today. We celebrate the sharing of their gifts, talents, and skills as they P.O.U.R. into others.

ALL: We praise God for the virtuous women who persevered through our yesterdays, influence our today's, and shape our tomorrows. We praise God for women that provide outreach to others, and that unite and build each other up.

HYMN OF PRAISE

#390 - "I Am on the Battlefield for My Lord"

Refrain:

I am on the battlefield for my Lord, I'm on the battlefield for my Lord; And I promised Him that I would serve Him till I die. I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

Verses:

1. I was alone and idle, I was a sinner, too; I heard a voice from Heaven Say there is work to do. I took the Master's hand, And I joined the Christian band; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.
2. I left my friends and kindred, Bound for the Promised Land, The grace of God upon me, The Bible in my hand. In distant lands I trod, Crying sinner come to God; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.
3. Now when I met my Savior, I met Him with a smile; He healed my wounded spirit, And owned me as His child. Around the throne of grace, He appoints my soul a place; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

PRAYER

YAM Chiquita Hatcher

Choral Response

SELECTION

The Male Choir

Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden and DeVonte Mills

SCRIPTURE

YAM Shanequia Scott-Ellis

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

YAM LauReen McDaniel

THE LAY MOMENT

Brother Franklin Simmons

Director of Lay Activities

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. Or give via Givelify: Johns Chapel AME Church, Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, or Cash app: \$JohnsChapelAMEC

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*The Morning Worship Celebration Message ***

Pastor Willie White, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

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

1. 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!
2. 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!
3. 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!
4. 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!

Amen.

The Service of Holy Baptism

Sister Priscilla Gray

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BENEDICTION

Amen!!

**20 Million Women Strong
A Call to Action.**

**Sep 28—Leaving JC Park-
ing lot at 8:30 a.m.
Round Trip cost \$25.
Lunch in Montgomery,
Walk across John Lewis/
Edmund Pettus Bridge in
Selma — 1:00 pm. Con-
cert. To register or for
more info: Sister Helen
Nichols, 334-498-0451**



A CALL TO ACTION!

**20 Million
Women Strong**

20MillionWomenStrong.org – Our Votes Matter!

a 501c3, nonprofit organization in Alabama - 334-405-1863 – 20millionwomenstrong@gmail.com

In Honor of the legacy of Queen Mother Amelia Boynton Robinson, Mother of the Voting Rights Movement in Alabama, 20 Million Women Strong (a nonprofit organization in Alabama), and our partnering organizations, are calling all women (of ALL Ages) and the men who love and support us, to join us on the Edmund Pettus Bridge in Selma, AL on September 28, 2024 at 1pm!

Audri Scott Williams, founder of 20MWS and appointed by QM Robinson to carry her legacy forward says, “This is a GET OUT THE VOTE (GOTV) initiative. We welcome ALL WOMEN to join us! OUR VOTES AND OUR VOICES MATTER!! There will be space available for information sharing from 11AM to 12:45PM. And a concert following the Women’s March, from 3pm to 4pm (Performing artists will be announced soon)!



1965 at age 54 on the Bridge on Bloody Sunday

2015 at age 104 with President Obama & Congressman John Lewis



**20 Million Women Strong on the Move
Our Votes Matter!!**

Johns Chapel AME Church
Rev. Willie White Jr., Pastor

GED Classes

at
Johns Chapel AME Church
605 Geneva Highway
Enterprise, Alabama 36330

Classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays only
9:00 a.m.-12:00p.m.
in the Computer Lab

Enrollment will be accepted and continuously ongoing after classes beg
For more information please contact
GED Instructor, Odessa Herlong-Jones
334-618-4069
or
Rev. Willie White Jr., Pastor
334-701-5853

**YOU ARE INVITED!
52 MAIN EVENTS**

**BIBLE
STUDY**

“From Genesis To Revelation”

JOIN US AS WE LEARN, ENGAGE IN
ACTIVITIES, FELLOWSHIP, PRAY FOR ONE
ANOTHER, AND MORE!

HOT LUNCH IS SERVED

**EVERY
WEDNESDAY
12PM**

**REV. WILLIE WHITE JR.
PASTOR**
JOHNS CHAPEL AME CHURCH
605 GENEVA HIGHWAY
ENTERPRISE, AL 36330

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: 334-701-5853



Prayer Concerns
Week of Sep 22-28, 2024

- The Family of Brother Roland Allen —
 passing of his wife, Sister Annie Pearl Allen
- Sister Eleanor Bailey
- Sister Geraldine Booth
- Brother Jimmy Boykins
- Sister Lois Boykins
- Kam Elston
- Sister Barbara Fields
- Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- Sister Ruby Grayer-
- Sister Ophelia Hazzard
- Sister Hattie Huggins
- Sister Vivian Johnson
- Sister Ann McGaughey
- Dr. Rachel Wooten Nichols, wife of Ron
 Nichols, daughter-in-law of Dr. & Mrs. Rus-
 sell Nichols
- Sister Betty Simmons
- Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Roder-
 ick Simmons, Daughter-in-law of Sister Betty
 Simmons
- Dajia Tyson & her son, Khalil Griffin

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

**There are no wedding anniversaries
 on record this week.**

**Opportunities
 To Worship and Serve This Week**

TODAY

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:45 a.m. Morning worship

Monday

- 6:00 pm—Sons of Allen Meeting**
- 7:00 pm -JC Recovery Ministry

Tuesday

Wednesday

**12 Noon—Seasoned Saints Bible
 Study**

**6:00 pm Bible Study IN PERSON—
 Brother James Crawford, Teacher
 — Adults in Sanctuary**

**Freestyle Youth Bible Study GED
 Room**

4:30 p.m.—Pizza With Police

Thursday

Friday

Saturday Trip to Selma

Happy Birthday!

- Sep 22 Carolyn Williams
- Sep 23 Carol McNair

The Pastor's Contact Info

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

—Today is Fresh Fire Sunday led by Young Adult Missionaries. Thanks to program participants and to everyone for your support.

—Saturday, September 28, Trip to Selma, AL. Details page 5 and forwarded via text.

—Sunday, September 29, 2:00 pm—Pastor White will be Guest Preacher at Pastor's Appreciation in Hurtsboro, AL. Asking Mass Choir to sing.

—October — Breast Cancer Awareness Month

—Oct 5—Southeast Conference WMS Convention, St Paul AME Church, Ozark

—Oct 9-11, Southeast Annual Conference, St Paul AME Church, Ozark

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



Sermon Notes

SERMON TITLE:

SCRIPTURE:

POINT #1.

POINT # 2.

POINT #3
