



Church Life Today

Meetings: -Latricia Privette Scholarship Committee - Library

-Youth and Children's Choir Rehearsal

Dining Room: -Homecoming Fellowship Meal – Rev. Leonard E. Terrell Fellowship Hall

Announcements

TICKETS FOR THE PASTOR'S INSTALLATION BANQUET at Astoria World Manor, being held on Saturday, October 14th, are being sold in the 1st floor multipurpose room after service. Tickets for adults are \$125.00 and youth tickets, (ages 3-12) are \$50.00. **The ticket deadline is TODAY.**

HEALTH OUTREACH MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SERVICES will present a workshop on "Alzheimer Disease--Learn the Facts and Symptoms" on Sunday, September 17th after worship. Please attend and invite someone.

MEN'S DAY MEETING: Sunday, September 17th following our morning worship. All men are asked to please attend.

ATTENTION ALL WOMEN: It's almost too late to place your order for Women's Retreat Apparel. **Orders will only be accepted today.** Even if you are not attending the retreat this year, please feel free to place an order for t-shirts or bags.

WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR REHEARSALS will begin this week – Tuesday, September 12th, 7 pm. If you're a woman that would like to join with other women in lifting up praises to God in song, please come out for rehearsal.

ATTENTION ALL WOMEN: THE WOMEN'S DAY FLOWERS are now available for only \$6 each. Please see Sisters Annie McDowell or Iris McDowell to purchase your flower.

THE WOMEN'S DAY COMMITTEE is now accepting boosters for Women's Day. Single names are \$2.00, Mr. & Mrs. are \$3.00. Please see Sis. Valen Lyons or Dea. Veronica Jackson to submit your booster.

THE PASTOR'S INSTALLATION JOURNAL IS IN FULL SWING! Anyone who like to place an ad in the journal and may need help setting it up, please feel free to see a member of the journal committee: Kevin Jackson, Yvonne Melton, Carolyn Slaughter, Rose Stokes or Angela Wilkerson. The journal deadline is Sunday, September 24th.

REV. BOBBIE McDANIEL WILL CELEBRATE HIS 18th PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY AT METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH on Sunday, September 24th at 3:30 pm. Our Pastor Elect, Rev. Brian Scott will be preaching and our choirs and ushers will be serving. All our members are cordially invited to join us as we praise God with Rev. McDaniel and the Metropolitan Church Family.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY WHO WILL BE CELEBRATING THEIR LANDMARK ANNIVERSARY ON OUR 119th CHURCH ANNIVERSARY! **75 years** (joined in 1942): Dea. Hemsley Jackson; **50 years** (joined in 1967): Sis. Elaine Buckson, Dea. Vertelle Heatley, Sis. Dorothy Matthews, Dea. Patricia Miller, Sis. Irma Sloan and Trus. Pamela Wright; **25 years** (joined in 1992): Sis. Sandra Breeden, Sis. Sheila Breeden, Sis. Yatonia Chestnut, Sis. Alona Hill, Min. Keynon Jackson, Sis. Valen Lyons, Sis. Esther Middleton, Sis. Deloris Peoples, Sis. Mary Peoples, Bro. John Roscoe, Sis. Greta Wyse and Trus. Rachel Zanders; **15 years** (joined in 2002): Bro. Rick Allen, Sis. Marie Gagliano and Sis. Helen Rhodes. If you are a member in good and regular standing and think that your name should be on this list, please let the Anniversary Chairpersons, Deacons Kevin and Veronica Jackson, or the office staff know by Sunday, October 8th.

ATTENTION ALL MEN: PLEASE REGISTER FOR OUR 7TH MEN'S RETREAT being held Thursday – Saturday, March 1-3, 2018 at Honor's Haven Resort and Conference Center in Ellenville, NY. The cost of the retreat is \$375.00 with a \$125.00 deposit due now. Please see Bro. William Allen or Deacon Mack T Miller to make your deposit.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

CHURCH CLOSED

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Women's Day Choir Rehearsal..... 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 – NO SOUP KITCHEN

Prayer Service..... 6:00am

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Bible Study..... 7:00pm

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Joint Officers' Ministry Meeting..... 6:00pm

Praise Dance Rehearsal..... 7:30pm

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Prayer Vigil..... 3:00pm

Girl Scouts' Registration..... 6:00pm

Male Chorus Rehearsal..... 6:00pm

BYF Ministry Meeting..... 6:30pm

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Hospitality Ministry's Bake Sale..... 10:00am

Joint Ushers' Meeting..... 11:00am

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 – DEACONS & TRUSTEES' ANNUAL DAY

Alzheimer's Disease Workshop..... 1:00pm