

**BLACK  
HISTORY  
MONTH**

**Announcements**

# Feeding The Homeless Saturday, Feb 7<sup>th</sup>

- **9:00 am pack bags at St. John**
- **10:00 Go to Cathedral Square**
- **10:30 feed the homeless**





**Wear  
your  
African  
Attire on  
Sunday  
Feb 8th**

**Join us for our**  
**Founder's Day**  
**Worship Service**

**Sunday, Feb 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**9:00 am**

**Sunday School @ 8:00 am**

# February 8, 2026



Presentation title

**WMS will meet  
Sunday, Feb 15<sup>th</sup>  
after service**

AME CHURCH  
MOBILE DISTRICT

Presiding Elder  
Reverend Charles Lewis

*Lenten  
Services  
2026*

6:15-P.M.  
PRAISE & WORSHIP

6:30-P.M.  
WORSHIP SERVICE



THEME:

**PRAY-FAST-GIVE**

DATE	HOST CHURCH	HOST PASTOR
ASH WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18, 2026	EMANUEL AME 654 ST. MICHAEL STREET MOBILE , ALABAMA 36602	REV. JOHN L. DEES, JR.
FEBRUARY 25, 2026	METROPOLITAN AME 750 MARTIN LUTHER KING. AVE. MOBILE, ALA 36603	REV. KIMBERLY MARTIN
MARCH 4, 2026	FRIENDSHIP AME GLOVER LAND DAPHNE, ALABAMA 36526	REV. TWILLA BURNS
MARCH 11 , 2026	ST. STEPHEN AME 2707 ST. JOSEPHINE ST. MOBILE, ALA. 36607	REV. ROSALIND AMOS
MARCH 18, 2026	GREATER PINE GROVE AME 800 DR. THOMAS AVENUE S. PRICHARD , ALABAMA 36610	REV. WILLIE BURNS
MARCH 25, 2026	SMITH MEMORIAL AME 6501 FELHORN ROAD MOBILE , ALABAMA 36603	REV. SAMANTHA LIGHTNER
APRIL 1 , 2026	BETHEL AME 714 SAVANNAH STREET PRICHARD, ALABAMA 36603	REV. BRANDON THORNTON



**St. John AME Church**  
6070 St. Johns Chapel Road, Kushla, AL

# WALKATHON

Donations are tax deductible and go towards YPD activities and a special donation to the American Heart Association. Scan the barcode to make an immediate one-time donation, or donate via CASHAPP at:  
**\$stjohnamegiving**



St. John AME Church  
Scan to pay \$stjohnamegiving

**Support our Young People's and Children's Division (YPD) Healthy Hearts fundraiser**  
Saturday, February 21, 2026, starting at 8:30 am

Walkers of all ages and abilities are welcome. Special short laps for seniors and others.

Enjoy an early morning walk for fun, exercise and a healthy heart.

Snack and Beverage provided.

**PARTICIPANT INFO**

<i>Please check one box below</i>		NAME OF PERSON WALKING	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Short Lap Walker <b>OR</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Regular Lap Walker	PHONE	EMAIL

Each regular lap = .18 miles; One mile = approx. 4.25 completed laps and takes approx. 20 minutes to complete.  
Each short lap = .10 miles. The Walk begins at 8:30 am and is expected to conclude by 10 a.m.

This section will be completed by Walkathon sponsors at the conclusion of the Walk.	<i>Sponsor Initials</i>
WALKER COMPLETED <input type="checkbox"/> short OR <input type="checkbox"/> long laps equating to ___-miles.	

DONOR INFO			PLEDGE AMOUNT			
NAME	PHONE	EMAIL	1X Donation	\$ per LAP	\$ per MILE	TOTAL DUE

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# WALKATHON



**8:30am**  
**Saturday, February 21**

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Donations are tax deductible and go towards YPD activities and a special donation to the American Heart Association.

**Walkers of all ages are welcome.**  
**See attached flyer to participate or email**  
**stjohnkushla@gmail.com**

# Women's Conference 2026

Host Mt. Pilgrim  
Women Ministry

February 21<sup>st</sup>

10am – 2pm

Saraland Civic  
Center

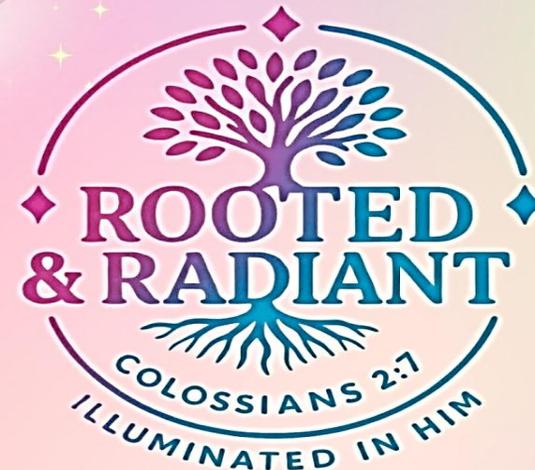
Registration is  
open

## You're Invited to

SPIRITUAL  
WELLNESS

MENTAL  
WELLNESS

PHYSICAL  
WELLNESS



# WOMEN'S Conference 2026

HOSTED BY THE MT. PILGRIM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
MISSION & MATRONS DEPARTMENT

Saraland Civic Center  
716 Mae St.  
Saraland, AL 36571

## February 21st

10AM - 2PM

Special Guests  
Lunch Provided  
Games & Door Prizes



Registration is now open!  
VIP registration open through Jan. 21st!  
Use the QR code to register or contact a  
Mission or Matron member for more  
information.



**Wear  
your  
Red**

**Sunday, February 22nd**

**Rev. Lightner  
will be speaking  
at  
Wilson Chapel  
Feb 22 @ 12:00**

**Pack the Pew**  
**SUNDAY**



*Host Church*  
**Wilson Chapel**  
A.M.E. Church  
Grove Hill, AL  
*Pastor Mia Cole*



*Guest Speaker*  
**Rev. Benjamin Lightner**  
St. John A.M.E. Church  
Kushla, AL

**Sunday**  
**22**  
2026

**Date: Sunday, 22, 2026**  
**Time: 12:00**

*"The glory of this latter house shall be greater than of the former, saith the Lord of hosts: and in this place will I give peace, saith the Lord of hosts." Haggai 2:9*

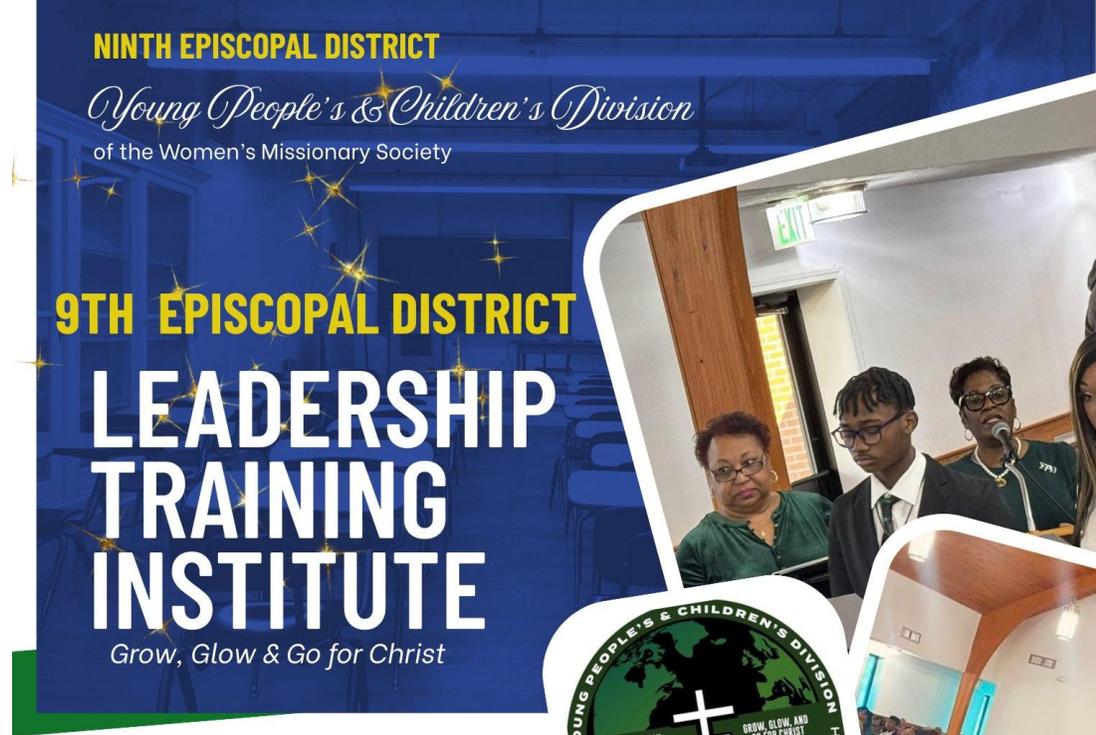
Wilson Chapel A.M.E. Church Grove Hill AL | Pastor Mia Cole

**LTI**  
**Feb 28<sup>th</sup>**  
**Gaines Chapel**  
**Phenix City**

**Registration due by Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Please see Sis Rosemary**  
**if you will be attending**

Registration title



**Gaines Chapel AME Church**

911 Dillingham St,  
Phenix City, AL 36867

**Saturday,**  
**February 28, 2026**

**10:00 AM**

Online Registration  
Ages  
2-12 \$40  
13 and up \$50



- ✓ Self-Denial Focus
- ✓ AI Training
- ✓ Food & Fun
- ✓ Award & Recognitions

Ninth Episcopal District  
African Methodist Episcopal Church

 **FOUNDERS'**

**DAY**

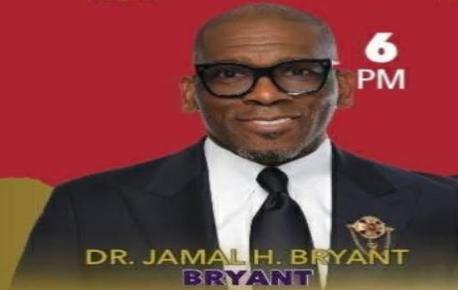
*Bloody Sunday Weekend*

**FRIDAY  
MARCH 6**  
SOCIAL JUSTICE  
NIGHT

**SATURDAY  
MARCH 7**  
FOUNDERS' DAY  
PROCLAIMER

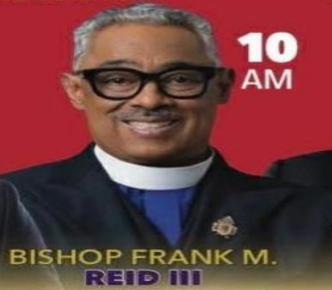
**SATURDAY  
MARCH 7**  
SYMPOSIUM  
LECTURER

**SUNDAY  
MARCH 8**  
BLOODY SUNDAY WORSHIP  
SERVICE PROCLAIMER



**6  
PM**

**DR. JAMAL H. BRYANT**  
New Birth Missionary Baptist  
Church  
Atlanta, Georgia



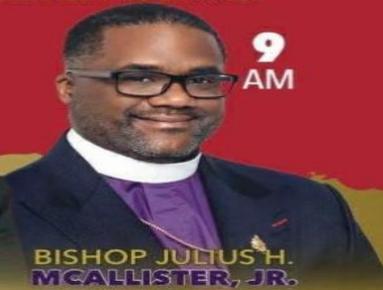
**10  
AM**

**BISHOP FRANK M. REID III**  
The 138th Elected and  
Consecrated Bishop  
African Methodist Episcopal  
Church



**1  
PM**

**DR. JOHN THOMAS III**  
The Editor of the Christian  
Recorder  
African Methodist Episcopal  
Church



**9  
AM**

**BISHOP JULIUS H. MCALLISTER, JR.**  
The 144th Elected and  
Consecrated Bishop  
African Methodist Episcopal  
Church



**Brown Chapel AME Church**

410 Martin Luther King St  
Selma, Alabama 36703

**Friday March 6th through  
Sunday March 8th, 2026**

Reverend Dr. Leodis Strong, Host Pastor

**Can be seen on the following:**

**Facebook:** 9th Episcopal District AME Church

**Website:** Ninthdistrictamec.org

**EPISCOPAL LEADERS**

Bishop Julius H. McAllister, Jr. & Supervisor Deana Y. McAllister

St. John will  
host  
the Mobile  
District  
Conference  
in March



Keep our sick and shut-in  
in your prayers.



A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding a large, round, woven basket. The basket is intricately decorated with colorful beads in shades of blue, green, yellow, orange, and red. A prominent feature is a map of the African continent, also formed by beads, positioned in the center of the basket. The person holding the basket is wearing a vibrant, patterned garment with geometric designs in yellow, red, and black. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting an outdoor setting with foliage.

# All Things Africatown Facebook post

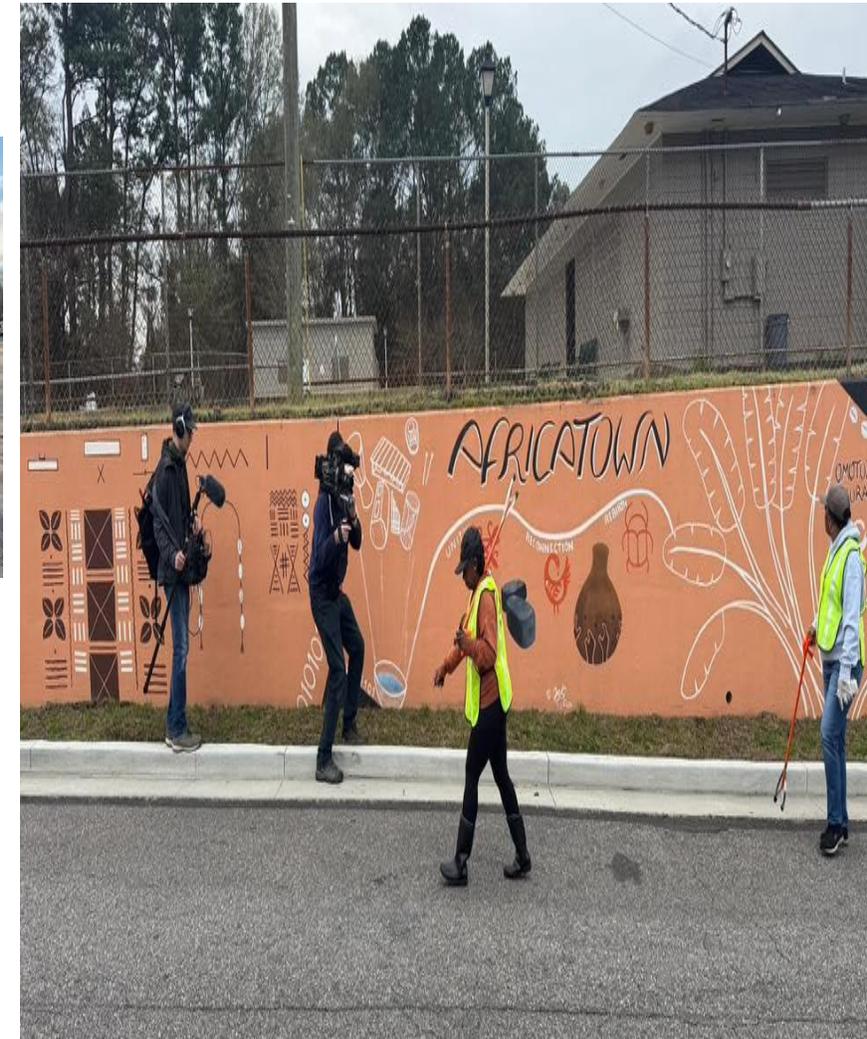


# Black History Moment All Things Africatown

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**Recently, Beetzbrothers Film Production from Germany filmed All Things Africatown.** The documentary series explores the 250-year history of United States independence, providing insight into the nation's past and its current state. **Set to air in June 2026 on German national television and online,** the series showcases the warmth of Southern hospitality in Africatown's community clean-up, at Hope Community Center, The Original Oyster House, and the Ruby Slipper.

# Africatown



**All Things  
Africatown  
Facebook**



**Join us**

**8:00 am Sunday  
School**

**9:00 am Worship**



**[stjohnkushla@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnkushla@gmail.com)**



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