



Sunday, August 4, 2019



God Our Creator, Christ Our Redeemer, Humankind Our Family

Pastor Kelvin and First Lady Jacquelyn Calloway

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Sermon Notes:

Subject _____

Text _____

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Worship Celebration

Taking Bethel To The Next Level Philippians 3:14

Moments of Meditation

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host, Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Call To Celebration

Minister: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord, our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem. (Psalm 122:1)

People: *For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I would rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. (Psalm 84:10)*

Minister: Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek thy good. (Psalm 122:9)

People: *Those that be planted in the house of the Lord, shall flourish in the courts of our God. (Psalm 92:13)*

Minister: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house, Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth. (Psalm 84:4)

People: *For the Lord is in His holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before Him. (Habakkuk 2:20)*

Minister: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer. (Psalm 19:14)

People: *O sing unto the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, and all the earth sing His praises. (Psalm 98:1,4)*

Opening Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee" # 75

Opening Prayer

Ministry of Inspirational Music

Scripture Lesson:

7:45 a.m. Luke 18: 1-8

10:45 a.m. Matthew 6: 25-34



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Bethel A.M.E. ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC HOSTED BY THE

Women and Men's Ministries

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

KENNETH HAHN PARK - Violet Court #2 Picnic Area

4100 S. La Cienega Boulevard

Los Angeles, California 90056

THERE WILL BE LOTS OF GAMES FOR THE KIDS
PLENTY OF FOOD AND A GREAT TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AT OUR
BETHEL A.M.E. COOK OUT

The Decalogue:

Minister: From all that dwell below the skies, let thy Creator's praise arise. Let thy Redeemer's name be sung, through every land by every tongue.

People: *(Singing) From all that dwell below the skies, let thy Creator's praise arise. Let thy Redeemer's name be sung, through every land by every tongue.*

Minister: And God spake all these words saying: I am the Lord thy God who brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. Thou shall have no other gods before me.

People: *(Singing) Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Minister: Thou shall not make for thyself a graven image or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath or that is in the water under the earth; thou shall not bow down to them or serve them; for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me, and showing mercy unto thousands of them who love me, and keep my commandments.

People: *(Singing) Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Minister: Thou shall not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain.

People: *(Singing) Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Minister: Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy. Six days thou shall labor and do all thy work; but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God; in it thou shall not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant nor thy maid servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates.. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day; wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.

People: *(Singing) Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Hymn: *My soul be on your guard; Ten thousand foes arise; and hosts of sin are pressing hard to draw you from the skies.*

Minister: Honor thy father and thy mother that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

Minister: Thou shall not kill. Thou shall not commit adultery. Thou shall not steal. Thou shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

Minister: Thou shall not covet thy neighbor's house, thou shall not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor anything that is thy neighbor's.

People: (Singing) Lord have mercy upon us, and write these laws upon our hearts

People: (Singing) "Nearer my God to thee, nearer to thee! E'en though it be a cross, that raiseth me. Still all my song shall be, nearer my God to thee, nearer my God to thee, nearer to thee!"

Minister: Hear what Christ our Savior said; Thou shall love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: thou shall love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

All: (Singing) *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

Welcome & Fellowship

Benevolent Offerings / Altar Call Prayer

Ministry of Inspirational Music

Rhema Word: Pastor Calloway

7:45 a.m. "Ain't Too Proud To Beg" Luke 18: 1-8

10:45 a.m. "Don't Worry About A Thing" Matthew 6: 25-34

Invitation To Christian Discipleship

Ministry of Giving Tithes and Offerings

Service Of Holy Communion

Affirmation of Faith/Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day He arose from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

Doxology / Benediction

You have come to worship, now leave to serve!



All are welcome to attend!

LASC
WWW.LASC.EDU/DAZE

LOS ANGELES SOUTHWEST COLLEGE PRESENTS

SOUTHWEST DAZE

REGISTER for the FALL • RE-ENROLL to GRADUATE • RECOMMIT to your FUTURE
Wednesday • August 21, 2019
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM • in front of SSB Enter on Western Ave
(Student Services Building) Look for white tent

Radio: Power 106 & KJLH
Live DJ from your favorite stations!

Free Food: Tacos
Taco truck will be on-site

Get it done and have fun!
Come register and enroll
Job developers on site

Bring your family! Enjoy a day of face painting, trackless train, and special life-size characters from Disney and Marvel for all ages!

LOS ANGELES SOUTHWEST COLLEGE
1600 W. Imperial Hwy. | Los Angeles, CA 90047

Los Angeles Southwest College (LASC) will have its biannual, one-stop registration event "Southwest Daze" on Wednesday, August 21, 2019, to assist continuing and new students best prepare for the upcoming Fall Semester, which starts Monday, August 26, 2019.

Representatives from all of LASC's student services offices will be available to educate participants on services, procedures, and opportunities at the college, such a registration, financial aid, fee waivers and more.

Southwest Daze is ideal for high school students, parents, those transitioning back into the workforce and working adults. Kids of all ages are especially welcome to this family- friendly event that included face painting, trackless train tours of the college and a live DJ.

Representatives from LASC's Career Pathways and America's Job Center of California will also be in attendance to provide career guidance and share job opportunities in South Los Angeles and beyond. #LASCThePlaceToBe

Article submitted by **Mrs. Esther May**

Medicated Shampoos and Lotions: What to Know

Did you know that some shampoos, lotions, deodorants, body powders, and even hand sanitizers are actually classified as medications?

Unfortunately, it's not always easy to tell the difference between a medicated product and a "regular" one. Some of these products, such as medicated powders and creams for athlete's foot or ringworm, are found closer to the pharmacy, making them easier to identify. Also, a dead giveaway is when the labels say something like "medicated powder" or "medicated lotion," but other labels make it more difficult to discern..

If you're in doubt, an easy way to tell is by checking the back of the label. If the label simply lists the ingredients, then the product is a personal care product or cosmetic. On the other hand, a big clue that your dandruff shampoo is actually a drug is that you'll find a "Drug Facts Label" on the back of the bottle. The shampoo will still list the ingredients, but as with any over-the-counter drug, the ingredients will be separated by active and inactive ingredients.

If you're thinking about purchasing a medicated product to get that dandruff or dry skin under control, your pharmacist can help you. A few questions you may consider asking:

- What is the best way to apply this product? Should I apply it before or after my sunscreen, insect spray, etc.?
- Will this product affect any other products I currently apply to my body?
- How long will it take to see some results?
- Is this product okay to use if my skin is sensitive?
- What are some side effects of this product?

So the next time you go cruising the lotion aisle seeking a solution for those alligator feet, double-check the package for the Drug Facts label and talk to your pharmacist if you have questions.

When Do Lotions Expire?

Moisturizers, sunscreens, and other skin care products can be expensive, so it makes sense that you'd want to keep them as long as you can. But how long is too long? Is that jar of cocoa butter or tube of zinc oxide from last year is still good?

It would be helpful if every product had a "use by" date, but the FDA actually doesn't require manufacturers to include expiration dates on labels for products that are proven to be shelf-stable if they last 3 years or more. So, if personal care products don't have an expiration label, the general industry consensus is that these products *should* last for 3 years. But bear in mind that when you buy these products, you don't know how many months they've been sitting on the store shelves, in the distributor's warehouse—or even in the manufacturer's plant before that..

When products break down, our eyes and nose often give us clues. The product may smell funny, separate, change texture, or change color. Also, bear in mind that some personal care products such as sunscreens and facial moisturizers contain skin protectants that may oxidize and spoil more quickly when exposed to air. The shelf life some of these products, such as those containing benzene, titanium dioxide, or zinc oxide, essentially begin to "spoil" after you open them. The shelf life of these products has been a much debated issue, with some experts arguing that these products expire as quickly as a few months after they've been opened. Sure, you could get away with using last year's sunblock, but be advised that you may not get the same amount of protection from the sun that you would if the product were freshly opened.

Information taken from WebMd

Welcome To Our Guests

If you are visiting with us for the first, second or third time, please complete the visitor's card in your Welcome Packet, and place it in the offering receptacle during offering time. We'd like to communicate with you in the week to come.

Thank you for worshiping with us today and may you feel at home today in God's house.

Shalom!

Pastor Kelvin & First Lady Jacquelyn Calloway

Join Us For Church School

Covenant In God

Unit 2: A Heartfelt Covenant

Lesson 6: July 7, 2019

"Fulfilling The Law"

Printed Text: Matthew 5: 13-20

The lesson today presents the role the followers of Jesus are to pursue. Join us to identify the "do's and don'ts" of being a follower of Jesus.

Join us in Church School!

Church School is held each Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Adult Department: Class # 4 retains the Attendance Banner and receives the Offering Banner from Class # 1

Youth Department: The Preschool-Primary Class retains the Attendance Banner and receives the Offering Banner from the Junior Class.

The Evangelistic Corner

The Way Of Salvation

- All have sinned (Romans 3:23).
- The wages of sin is death (Romans 6:23).
- Christ died for our sins (Romans 5:8).
- If we confess and believe that God raised Jesus from the dead we shall be saved (Romans 10 :9-10).

Sinners Prayer

Jesus I know that I am a sinner and I ask for Your forgiveness. I believe You died for my sins and rose from the dead.

I turn from my sins and invite you to come into my heart and my life. I want to trust You and follow You as my Lord and Savior.

In Your name, Amen

Join Us Throughout The Week

Sunday	9:30-10:45am: Sunday School 10-10:45am: New Members Class
Monday	Sabbath Rest
Tuesday	
Wednesday	12 pm: Bible Study 6- 7:30 pm: Kirkland Academy Tutoring 6- 7p.m. Free N One Recovery Ministry 7pm: Cease Fire Committee
Thursday	10a-12n Line Dancing 6-7pm: Phenomenal Women's Bible Study 7pm: Mass Choir Rehearsal 7pm: Male Chorus Rehearsal (Rehearsals 1st Thursday after 1st Sunday)
Friday	
Saturday	9am-1230pm: LA. Bridge Conservatory

Tithing Guide

Mo/Wkly. Income	Mo/Wkly. Tithes
\$100	\$10
\$250	\$25
\$500	\$50
\$1,000	\$100
\$1,500	\$150
\$2,000	\$200

O.T. **Mal. 3:8-10**

N.T. **2 Cor. 9:6-8**

N.T. **Matthew 22:21**



*Congratulations to
Edward & Normagene Johnson
on the celebration of your
33rd Wedding Anniversary (8/9)
God's blessings from your family and
your Church Family.*



ImagineLA

Bethel LA CDC and Imagine LA

TODAY at both services, Bethel LA CDC in partnership with Imagine LA will be recruiting volunteer mentors to work with vulnerable families in Mid-City, South Los Angeles, and the San Fernando Valley.

Mentors work in teams and are professionally trained to assist families who've experienced homelessness (but are now in housing), helping them onto a pathway out of poverty. Each family member over age 5 is paired with a one-on-one mentor; the family also works with a financial wellness mentor.

Imagine LA mentors share their skills and life experiences to help others in relation to job searching, school, budgeting, nutrition planning, and accessing local resources.

No special expertise required. To learn more and apply to be a mentor, visit www.imaginela.org/get-involved/.

Dr. Moses McCutcheon, Executive Director, Bethel LA CDC

Read the Bible in One Year!

Sunday 08/04/2019

Nahum 1-3

Monday 08/05/2019

2King 22-23; 2Chronicles 34-35

Tuesday 08/06/2019

Zephariah

Wednesday 08/07/2019

Jeremiah 1-3

Thursday 08/08/2019

Jeremiah 4-6

Friday 08/09/2019

Jeremiah 7-9

Saturday 08/10/2019

Jeremiah 10-13

Answers to A Test Of Your Knowledge Of The Bible:

1. a. (Genesis 22:20, 21)
2. a. (Judges 16:5)
3. b. (1Samuel 11:7)
4. c. (Psalms 119:70)
5. b. (1Kings 20:30)
6. c. (Luke 24: 13, 18)
7. d. (Judges 8:21, 26)
8. a. (Genesis 4:22)
9. a. (Ruth 1:4,14)
10. a. (2Samuel 6:6,7)

The Bathtub Test

(Humor Is Infectious)

During a visit to the mental asylum, I asked the director how do you determine whether or not a patient should be institutionalized.

"Well" said the director, "we fill up a bathtub, then we offer a

teaspoon, a teacup and a bucket to the patient and ask him or her to empty the bathtub."

"Oh, I understand, I said. "A normal person would use the bucket because it's bigger than the spoon or the teacup."

"No" said the director, "A normal person would pull the plug. Do you want a bed near the window?"

Received from an Internet Correspondent

Bethel LA A.M.E. Church



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective
TODAY

A Continental Breakfast will be served Every 1st Sunday
In the Fellowship Hall immediately following the
7:45 a.m. (only) Morning Worship Service

*Rev. Sonja Williams,
Minister to Women*

Our Deepest Sympathy is Extended to:

Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence (Dorothy Dixon) and family in the transition from labor to reward of her sister **Mrs. Victorine (Vicky) Williams-Ross** on Saturday, July 20, 2019. A Homegoing Celebration will be held on Friday, August 9, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at Park Windsor Baptist Church, 1842 W. 108th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90047. A repast will be held at Bethel LA following the homegoing services. Condolences may be sent to:

Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Dixon
24300 Broadwell Avenue,
Harbor City, CA 90710

Mr. & Mrs. David (LaRita) Fitzgerald, Ms. Ruthie Cheek and family in the transition from labor to reward of their sister/sister-in-law **Mrs. Lula Belle Robinson** on Tuesday, July 24, 2019. Homegoing services will be held on Wednesday, August 7, 2019 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, 601 E. 99th St., Inglewood, CA 90301. Viewing will be held on Tuesday, August 6, 2019 from 1:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Grace Memorial Chapel, 3443 W. Manchester Blvd., Inglewood, CA 90305 Condolences may be sent to:

Mr. & Mrs. David Fitzgerald
10627 Ruthelen St.,
Los Angeles, CA 90047

Ms. Ruthie Cheek
43703 Sawgrass Lane
Lancaster, CA 93536

New Address for:
Normagene and Ed Johnson
22734 Chambray Dr
Moreno Valley, Ca 92557
1-951-242-3617

STEWARDS OF THE DAY

Beverly Brenson-Payne Billy Havard Derrick Harris

TRUSTEES ON DUTY

Allen Anderson Cheryle Lewis Andrea Little

CLASS LEADERS ON DUTY

7:45 a.m. Dorcus Dixon-White 10:45 a.m. Lois Dunn

Meetings and Events at Bethel:

***** All Meetings and Events held at Bethel LA must be scheduled through the Church Office. Email bethelamechurchla@gmail.com ****

- 📌 **TODAY - A Continental Breakfast will be served in the Fellowship Hall** immediately following the 7:45 a.m. Worship Service. Sponsored by the Bethel LA Women's Ministry.
- 📌 **TODAY - Bethel LA CDC and Imagine LA** volunteer mentors recruitment following both services.
- 📌 **08/06 - Tuesday: Steward Board Meeting** at 6:30 p.m.
- 📌 **08/07 - Wednesday: Bible Study** at 12:00 noon. Join us as we continue the study of the Word in Genesis Chapter 34.
- 📌 **08/08 - Thursday: Women's Ministry Bible Study** at 5:00 p.m..
- 📌 **08/10 - Saturday: Lay Organization Meeting** at 10:00 a.m.
- 📌 **08/10 - Saturday: Ethel G. Prioleau Women's Missionary Society Honors Luncheon** at 12:00 noon. A.A. Morgan Fellowship Hall.
- 📌 **08/13 - Tuesday: Trustee Board Meeting** at 6:30 p.m.
- 📌 **08/17 - Saturday: Men's Ministry Meeting** at 9:00 a.m.
- 📌 **08/17 - Saturday: District Cluster Quarterly Conference** 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Ward AME Church, 1177 W. 25th Street, Los Angeles, CA. All officers are encouraged to attend
- 📌 **08/23 - 08/24; SCCWMS/YPD Summer Institute & Executive Board Meeting.** First AME Church, Las Vegas, NV. Deadline to reserve a seat on the bus and a room at the Golden Nugget Hotel is July 23, 2019. The bus will depart from 120th and Crenshaw on Friday, July 23rd at 7:00 a.m.
- 📌 **08/24 - Saturday: Church Picnic at Kenneth Hahn Park.**

Dear Pastor Calloway and my Bethel Family,
Thanks for your prayers, phone calls and beautiful cards that I received during my past illness and hospitalization. God is healing every day.

Much love
Olivia Statum

The Stewardship Corner



"And my God shall supply all your needs according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus" Philippians.4:19 NKJV

At Bethel LA you have several opportunities to support the ministries of the church. You can support our kingdom work by giving online, debit/credit card, cash or check.



1. Download the Givelify APP on your iPhone or Android phone. .
2. Search for and select Bethel AME Church, and then select or enter the amount of your contribution.
3. You will need a Gmail user ID and password if you have an Android phone or an Apple user ID and password on your iPhone.

Clover Station (Debit/Credit Card Giving)

You can support the ministries of Bethel LA by debit or credit card giving.

1. Complete your offering envelope,
2. Take your envelope and your debit/credit card to the Clover Station (before worship in the narthex or during the ministry of giving in worship),
3. Sign your receipt and put it in your offering envelope and then place in the offering receptacle.



Cash/Check Giving

Complete your offering envelope, insert your cash or check and place in the offering receptacle in worship during the ministry of giving.

20/40 Stewardship Strategy

The vision of Bethel's 20/40 Stewardship Strategy is to supplement support of our Connectional Ministries as well as supporting new and existing local ministries. We are asking 100 members to prayerfully consider giving \$20.00 per week for 40 weeks above their normal giving. Make your commitment to this ministry today.

Steps of Faith Sacrificial Giving Ministry

The Steps of Faith Giving Ministry is a weekly sacrificial offering of \$25, \$10 or \$5 to meet the ongoing ministry obligations of the church and to establish reserves for necessary maintenance.

Bill Buster Ministry

The Bill Buster Ministry is a Stewardship Strategy of Bethel LA that provides members the opportunity to give a restricted contribution to the church for a designated account payable (bill) of the church. Become a Bethel Bill Buster today! For more information on this Stewardship opportunity contact the church business manager Harriet Whitmore at (310) 978-3829.

Ethel G. Prioleau Women's Missionary Society 4th Annual Honors Luncheon



Saturday
August 10, 2019
12:00 noon

Bethel A.M.E. Church
7900 S. Western Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90047
323-750-3240

Honorees:

Mrs. Ella Louise Cooper, Miss. Natasha Ford,
Mrs. Josie Anderson, Mr. Joseph Gardner,
Mrs. Mary Figgers, Pastor Demiko Fitzgerald

\$ 25.00 Donation

Please join us as we celebrate the achievements and contributions to the community and church of our honorees.

See any member of the WMS for your ticket(s) today

Bethel LA Women's Ministry
Bible Study Presents

"THE BLESSING OF USING"



Part III

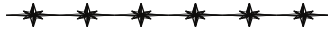
THURSDAY August 8, 2019 5:00 P.M.

Rev. Sonja Williams, Teacher
Minister to Women

Happy Birthday to:

Mason Koger (08/04); Mrs. Roberta Lynch (08/05) from your family and church family;

Ms. Lewiette Wilkins (08/05); Mr. Lewis Ellis (08/06); Mrs. Alma Hicks (08/06) from your family & church family;
Ms. Carmella Wade (08/07); Ms. Shelah May (08/09);



A Test Of Your Knowledge Of The Bible

- Nahor's two eldest sons were named:
(a) Huz and Buz, (b) Huz and Muz, (c) Buz and Muz, (d) Huz and Fuz
- How many pieces did the Philistines promise Delilah if she could find out the secret of Sampson's strength?
(a) 1,100 pieces, (b) 550 pieces, (c) 2,500 pieces, (d) none of the above
- Who warned his enemies by cutting up a yoke of oxen and saying to them that if they did not submit to him, the same thing would happen to them?
(a) Peter, (b) Saul, (c) Samson, (d) Daniel
- There is one place in the Bible where it talks about grease. In what book of the Bible do you find that comment?
(a) Job, (b) 1Kings, (c) Psalms, (d) Revelations
- Twenty-seven-thousand men were killed when a wall of a city fell on them. What was the name of the city where the wall was located?
(a) Jerusalem, (b) Aphek, (c) Armenia, (d) Babylon
- What was the name of one of the two friends who met Jesus on the road to Emmaus after the resurrection?
(a) Esau, (b) Jemuel, (c) Cleopas, (d) Lemech
- In what book of the Bible does it talk about camels wearing necklaces?
(a) Leviticus, (b) Genesis, (c) Mark, (d) Judges
- What Bible character was mentioned as being the first craftsman with brass and iron?
(a) Tubal-Cain, (b) Omar, (c) Nathan, (d) Jetur
- Naomi had two daughters-in-law. One daughter-in-law, Ruth went with Naomi and the other daughter-in-law named _____ stayed in the country of Moab.
(a) Orpha, (b) Rachel, (c) Leah, (d) Rebekah
- When the Ark of the Covenant was being brought back to Jerusalem, the oxen shook the cart and the Ark started to turn over. One man put his hand on the ark to keep it from falling and died as a result of touching the Ark. Who was this man?
(a) Uzzah, (b) Aaron, (c) Naaman, (d) Hamul

*A Care Giver is needed ASAP
on Saturday (flex hours) on Sunday and Holidays.
Please call Mrs. Mattie Cummings 323-759-1518*

Prayer Is A Powerful Weapon

We Welcome YOU in 2018 to take advantage of the
Bethel AME Church

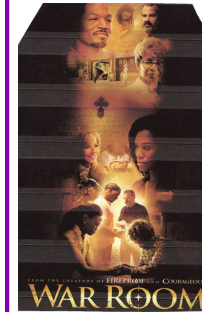
War Room

Open Sundays

7:30am - 12:30p m

It is a DEDICATED place for You to
PRAY AND COMMUNICATE with God.

REMEMBER:



"Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your request be made known unto God." Philipians 4:6

PRAYER CHANGES THINGS

P R A Y E R "Holy God although we love Your Laws, help us not to fall into the trap of thinking that we are saved by those laws. Forgive us when we have treated rules as more important than people. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen."

Weekly prayer from the
Church School Standard Lesson Commentary

The first half (**\$150.00**) of our Connectional Ministry Support (Conference Claims) is now due.

Each member is asked to contribute \$300.00 annually above their normal giving towards the support of the global ministries of the AME Church.
The Steward Board.



Thank you Bethel for your response to our
20/40 Stewardship Strategy.

Our goal is 100 members participating at \$20.00 a week for 40 weeks. We are 71% of the way to date. We want you prayerfully to consider making your commitment to this Giving Ministry today.
The Stewardship and Finance Commission



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Sick & Shut-In and Request For Prayers:

Ms. Doris Adams (niece of Mr. Harry Thorn) Prayers are requested.

Mrs. Louise Adams 1511 W. 66th St., Los Angeles, CA 90047

Mr. Sahib Aleem (brother of Mrs. Mary Hart) Prayers are requested for stability in his health and wisdom for her as she makes decisions about his care.

Mrs. Dorothy Biddles Prayers are requested 2056 W. 111th St. Los Angeles, CA 90047

Mrs. Lois Bush Please pray for her continued well being. Prayers and get well wishes to 924 S. Osage Ave. #116 , Inglewood, CA 90301

Mrs. Geraldine Byous 1915 W. 91st Place, Los Angeles, CA 90047

Ms. Katrina Byrd (niece of Mrs. Barbara Allen) Prayers are requested.

Mrs. Patricia "Pat" Campbell Pray for her continued well being. 6850 E. 10th Ave., Long Beach, CA 90815

Rev. Shirley Corley LaCour 4230 S. Norton Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90008

Mr. Clifford Covington 5157 Brea Crest Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90043

Mrs. Jerry Craig is at Oakhome Manor 1584 Oakhome Drive, Harbor City, CA. Visitors are welcome. Visiting hours are 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Mrs. Florence Davis (mother of Elaine Meggs) 4816 10th Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90043

Mr. Seanald "Sean" Davis (son of Mrs. Katie Davis) is recuperating at his home. Please pray for his continued and full recovery from a stroke.

Mr. D'Andre Dukes, Sr. Prayers are requested for his full and speedy recovery from an automobile accident.. 6235 S. Wilton Place, Los Angeles, CA 90047

Mrs. Mildred Fielding Prayers are requested

Mrs. Juanita Gardner Please pray for her continued well being. 4494 Don Milagro Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90008.

Mrs. Violet Hall Prayers and get well wishes may be sent to 5621 Arch Crest Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90043

Mr. Nathaniel Harris is at Century Villa, 301 N. Centinela Ave. Room 27C, Inglewood, CA 90302 (310) 672-1012

Mrs. Carolyn Haynes (Mother of Veronica Rhone). Pray for her continued well being.

Mrs. Ludella Hutton (a friend of Arleta Hicks) Please pray that God heals her body.

Mr. Tyler Johnson (Bethel musician) Prayers are requested.

Mr. Nelson Jones Prayers and get well wishes to 8922 S. 7th Ave., Inglewood, CA 90305

Mrs. Lizzie Kelly (Mother of Josie Anderson) Prayers are requested

Mr. Justus Knight (nephew of Naomie Curry-Webb & Donald Curry-Booth). Prayers & get well wishes to 3759 Olympiad Dr., Los Angeles, CA 90043

Ms. Rebecca Lakes (friend of Melvin & Renee Taylor) who has cerebral palsy and her family

Ms. Shermeta Levy in Pasadena, CA and **Ms. Regina Stifter** in Glendale, CA (friends of Amelia "Ann" Smith.)

Mrs. Julee Long Is recuperating at home. Please pray for her continued well being. 3627 Kalsman Drive #1, Los Angeles, CA 90016.

Sick & Shut-In and Request For Prayers:

Mrs. Vera Lyles-Jordan Prayers for a full recovery. 2601 S. 10th Ave. Arcadia, CA 91006

Mr. Willie Mack Prayers are requested. 8915 Ruthelen St., Los Angeles, CA 90047

Ms. Zettie Mack & Ms. Mattie Childress (sisters of Lee Wheaton) Prayers are requested.

Mrs. Dorothy May (mother of Ms. Loretta Moore) in Lancaster, CA.

Mrs. Elaine Meggs Prayers are requested 814 E. 83rd St., Los Angeles, CA 90001

Mr. Bobby Moore is at Century Villa, 301 N. Centinela Ave. Rm. 22B, Inglewood, CA 90302. He is requesting prayers.

Mrs. Annette Moore is recuperating at home. Prayers are requested. Get well wishes to 3492 Carmona, Los Angeles, CA 90016 .

Mrs. Gertrude Petties 9630 5th Avenue, Inglewood, CA 90305

Mr. Curtis Phillips Prayers are requested 206 E. 60th St., Los Angeles, CA 90003

Mr. Terrence Phillips. Prayers are requested

Mrs. Lillie Redix Please send your prayers and best wishes to 7627 S. Harvard Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90047

Ms. Sharon Roberts (daughter of Mrs. Ann Smith) Please pray for her.

Ms. Aleshia Hardy (niece of Mary Thorn) in Las Vegas. Prayers are requested

Mrs. Pearlie Mae Scaever

Mrs. Gustella Shavers 2202 Calle Puebla, West Covina, CA 91792

Mrs. Ethel Simpson (sister-in-law of Nevada Williams) in Riverside, CA.

Ms. Leavon Spires Prayers and get well wishes to 10210 Ruthelen St., Los Angeles, CA 90047.

Mrs. Velma Terrell Prayers are requested.

Mrs. Catherine Thomas (Mother of Stephanie Clay) Prayers ad get well wishes to 1217 W. 45th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90037

Mrs. Geneva Thomas is recuperating at home. Prayers are requested. 5755 Alviso Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90043

Mrs. Rachel Thomas (Margaret Jeter's sister) in St. Thomas, VI. Prayers are requested

Ms. Khawannah Thomas

Mrs. Linda Washington is undergoing medical treatments. .Prayers are requested. P. O. Box 1425 Gardena, CA 90249

The Wassef family (friend of Melvin & Renee Taylor) whose 22 month son, Benjamin has leukemia

Mr. Percy White is recuperating at home 1736 W. 51st Street, Los Angeles, CA 90062

Mrs. Juanita Williams Pray for her, get well wishes to 1633 W. 79th St., Los Angeles, CA 90047

Mrs. Yvonne Woodruff Prayers are requested 1517 W. 67th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90047

Mrs. Evelyn Woods (sister-in-law of Melvin & Renee Taylor) in Houston, TX. For her complete recovery from a stroke.