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The Light of A New Day

Joel 2:25-29

And I will restore to you the years that the locust hath eaten, the cankerworm, and the caterpiller, and the palmerworm, my great army which I sent among you. And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dealt wondrously with you: and my people shall never be ashamed. And ye shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I am the Lord your God, and none else: and my people shall never be ashamed. And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions: And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit.

The California Zephyr is the longest train journey in the US. It runs through the Rocky Mountains, Colorado Canyons, and the Sierra Nevada. Engaging this trip, a woman noticed in a seat directly in front of her a young girl who was journeying by herself. Being that most of the trip is through desert terrain, it seemed strange that the young girl was fixated, staring out of the train window at the empty plains and mountains. At lunch time the woman visited the diner. Upon her return she noticed the girl still gazing out the window. The woman then leaned over to the girl and said "are you not tired?" "Some," the girl replied. "Are you hungry?" the woman asked. Gazing into the woman's eyes and smirking, the girl said "A little, however my Father is going to meet me at the terminal." She could weather anything along the way for the joy of the meeting at the end of the journey.

The Prophet Joel also found himself passing through barren territory. A land with only the remains of that which was left by the cankerworm, caterpillar, and palmerworm. The land that Joel loved lie bleak and dismal. Mourning seemed the only adequate response to the condition. However, a brighter day was to come. Joel seemed to find a window of his own, and through it he saw the mountains already tipped with light. It was the Light of A New Day, that gave him courage for his journey through the desert terrain.

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11:00 A.M..

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Q. After a church service, a minister said to a woman, "I noticed that your husband walked out in the middle of the service. I hope I didn't say anything that offended him." "I don't think so," the wife replied.

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Church Theme "Resetting for Righteous Resolve" 1 Peter 5:1-10

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Joel teaches that we should never give up hope in dry times. We should always anticipate the <u>reveal of Justice</u>, <u>the restoration of Righteousness</u>, and <u>the return of Faith</u> to its rightful place, for the record is "You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has worked wonders for you; and My people shall never be put to shame" The promise was that the nations would know that God was in their midst. This was their promise, and it is ours as well.

God's Spirit would be poured out upon them, upon all ages and all groups, to give them clear vision, the ability to think, and a will to do. Joel's anticipation for what was promised steadied him to receive this by strengthening his heart. I pray that you will join me, and together let us be steadied and strengthened our heart as we journey into the joys that await all who dare to walk in the Light of this New Day!

Prayer:

Eternal God our Father, God of all ages, we thank you for the ability to look forward. We thank you for the gift to anticipate future days, and to recall departed years. We praise you for hope that sees the better times beyond the barren years. We praise you, and thank you for a hope potent enough to harvest your love, renew usefulness to the seasoned, and stir aspirations of young. God we yield our sights that you might shine upon our brows the Spirit's light to see the New Day, In Jesus Name, Amen.

Pastor Leroy Hines Anthony



Church Meeting Wednesday, September 15, 2021 7:00 P.M. First Meeting with our Pastor

Mt. Carmel Missionary Baptist Church Women's Day- September 25-26, 2021 Scripture: James 1:4

Colors: Red and Gold

Theme: Depending on God Through the Detours of Life

Women's Choir Rehearsal: If you would like to be a part of the Women's Choir

Monday - 9/20/21-7:00 P.M. Tuesday - 9/21/21-7:00 P.M. Friday - 9/24/21-7:00 P.M.

Saturday: September 25, 2021- Prayer Breakfast 10:00 A.M.

Guest Preacher - Dr. Bridgett Franklin

Progressive Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, OK



Sunday: September 26, 2021 10:45 A.M.

Guest Preacher - Pastor Stephanie Cunningham

Co-Pastor of The Inspiration Church - Dayton, OH



SAVE THE DATE

The Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Scholarship Committee announces our Virtual Women's Wellness Workshop

October 16, 2021 — 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Location: The comfort of your own home or join a watch group in the fellowship hall.

Cost: \$20.00

Goal for 2021 \$50,000

 $Leaf\ of\ Faith\ Capital\ Improvement\ Project$

Year to Date Pledged \$10,000

Consider making a pledge in a loved one's name, a special group, or in memory of someone whom you have lost. Information and pledge cards are available at the front lobby desk. Please forward questions and inquiries to mtcarmeloffice@aol.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Pastor Anthony will teach Sunday School the First Sunday of every month starting at 9:30am.
- Our food pantry is open on Thursdays from 10am to 1pm. For more information, call the church @ (937)268-6651.
- Women's Empowerment, Tuesday 7pm, Zoom meeting ID 843-5219-0754 Passcode 079825 Dial in (312)626-6799.
- Wednesday Morning Bible Study, 11am; Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting, 6:30pm and Bible Study, 7pm. Zoom meetings ID 870-6093-2226 Passcode 251111. Dial in (312)626-6799.
- Youth Bible Study, 2nd Monday of each month at 7pm. Dial in (701)802-5242 Access code: 5277792. Zoom meeting ID 835-3101-3318 Passcode 291882. Dial in (301) 715-8592
- If anyone would like to submit announcements/information or suggestions for our newsletter, please forward information to Mtcarmeldayton@gmail.com or call (937)301-7992 no later than the 2nd Sunday of the month. If you would like the newsletter emailed or mailed to you, please ensure the office has your email address or mailing address.
- September Keeper of the Keys...If you need access to the church outside normal office hours you may call Trustee Douglas Thompson at (937) 718-2730. Please give a three (3) day notice for the keeper of the keys.

Birth Month Leader Rhonda Thomas 18th Bryan Bostick 6th LaDia Polk 6th Roberta Taylor 7th Renee Caldwell-21st George Anderson 8th Jamie Roberts 10th Phyths Swanigan 11th Braylin Glass February 19th Logan Cobbs 14th Jackie Harris 29th

Jewel Brady Minnie Dillard Jimmy Briggs Rolanda Staton Leon Hughes Rhoda Smith Peggy Hunter Ida Taylor Bertha Jackson Courtney Motley Johnny Jones Barbara Smith JJ Johnson Luvenia Briggs



September 11, 2021

Troop Meeting
MCMBC
5370 Dayton Liberty Road
Dayton, Ohio 45417

12 noon – 2:00 p.m.

September 23, 2021

Parent Meeting MCMBC 5370 Dayton Liberty Road Dayton, Ohio 45417

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

September 25, 2021

Bridging & Rededication Ceremony MCMBC 5370 Dayton Liberty Road Dayton, Ohio 45417

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Please Join us For Sunday School 9:30 AM Zoom meeting ID 840 0305 7229 or dial in (312) 626-6799



Sunday September 5, 2021 "Celebrating with Song"

Exodus 15:11-21

Sunday September 12, 2021 "Celebrating with Enthusiasm"

2 Samuel 6:1-5,14-19

Sunday
September 19, 2021
"Celebrating with Expectantly"

Mark 10:26-52

Sunday September 26, 2021 "Celebrating in Unity"

Acts 2:32-33,37-47