

## *Be strong and of a good courage*

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### ***From our Pastor***

Holy Greetings Saints of God, I pray all is well with you and your family. Be steadfast and obey the Word of God, while remembering to “*Be Strong and of Good Courage.*”

Saints, the Lord has done so much for us this past month. We were blessed to be saved when the Tornadoes came throughout Leon County on Friday morning, May 10. Please be watchful and careful while traveling. There are a lot of trees that need to be removed from Old Saint Augustine Road.

Lastly, I Thank the Lord for being able to partake in our Communion Service; The Lord’s Supper and Feet Washing. It certainly was in remembrance of the Lord Jesus Christ. As we continue forward, be obedient to the word of God; humble and faithful. Keep striving to be ready to meet the Lord.

Brothers and Sisters, every one of you is necessary, keep loving the lord and love one another. Thank you for extending a Helping Hand in the House of the Lord. May the Grace of our Lord and Savior be with us, as we live Holy and Peaceful with all men.

Peace Be,  
Pastor John Larry Butler

**Joshua 1:9** Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the LORD thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

### ***From Sisters of Unity, Team Lead:***

*Holy Greetings to my dear Sisters of Unity, I thank the Lord for blessing us to make it to June the sixth month of 2024! We are blessed with New Mercies and our Daily Benefits!*

*I thank the Lord for the Sisters of Unity (SOU). We must serve the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness! We are very Precious, Royal Daughters of the King! Sisters, continue to know your value unto the Lord! I have a great peace knowing this and it is a blessing; we are made for his glory!*

*May peace and blessings continue to follow us, while the Love of God abide deep within our hearts and minds. Therefore, no matter what situations you are faced with or in! Keep Praying and Praise your way out! God is ABLE! Love, Peace, and Joy!  
Love, Peace, and Joy!*

*In the Beauty of Holiness,*

*Sister Gwendolyn O Butler*

**Psalm 34:18;** *The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saved such as be of a contrite spirit.*

**Philippians 4:6** Be careful for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God

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Greetings Saints, Family, and Friends,

The word August means to dedicate, devote, or hallow – to set apart for a greater end.

It is appropriate then that many start a new school year in August - devoting time and resources to learning: K-12, college, graduate school, trade school, certificate programs, to name a few.

- Let us remind ourselves that the opportunity for all to get an education has not always been the case. The hope and vision of education for all was revolutionary at the beginning. Spend some time in these coming days to think and talk about the importance of education to you, as a parent or grandparent, and to you, as a student.
- Be thankful for your natural family and your church family who provide you with school supplies. Remember some of your classmates don't have people who care like you have, so share if you can, and be kind.
- Above all, thank God for His protection – that you and your friends and classmates may be safe – that everyone including teachers, bus drivers, custodians, resource officers, and administrators are safe and provide a safe environment for the students.
- Thank God that we are all different, made with special talents. Learn together and help your peers discover their talent. Use your words to encourage, never for hurting someone.
- Thank God for having a home and loving people in our lives who push us to work hard. Know that some of your classmates don't have a safe home or healthy food to eat. Always be kind, remembering that your God loves you. Your kindness and encouraging attitude comes from Him.

May God bless us all this coming school year. May He grace us with patience and self-control with everyone we come in contact with. May He grace us with love, joy, gentleness, goodness, and meekness to help us get along with our peers and teachers. And may He grace us with His peace and with faith in His love for us which protects and covers us. May He be a guiding force to direct thoughtful, attentive, and engaged minds. We ask this humbly and sincerely in Jesus' Holy name.



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### *For Our Amazing Youth*

One day, the mountain  
that is in front of you will  
be so far behind you, it will  
barely be visible in the  
distance. But the person you  
become in learning to get  
over it? That will stay with  
you forever. And that is the  
point of the mountain.

brianna wiest

I look around and see so much  
fear. People getting more and  
more comfortable with their  
hate, more at ease being mean,  
more united in their  
separation. And I think, NO.  
Not me. I will not get lost in  
this fearful world. I will not  
play with bullies. I will  
continue to be brave and kind.  
I will speak for real unity.  
And no matter what, I will  
never stop loving.

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- Scott Stabile

~Sister Harriet Moore

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### **Media and Music Ministry**

Please pray for our Music Department as they magnify the Lord during our Praise and Worship. We are thankful for our brethren Bishop Wilbert Pye, Jonathan and Joshua Butler, Briyaun Butler-Moore, Minister Cory Price, and Jelani Agama. We also thank Sis Jennifer Agama and Sis Gwen Butler.

We Thank God for our Media Department who manage social media, upload content on our website, [peacebe.org](http://peacebe.org), and coordinate recordings, to continue to spread the Word of The Lord to all the earth.



### **Songs of Praise**

**Seek Ye First, the Kingdom of God**  
**Standing on the Promises of God**  
**Great Is Thy Faithfulness**  
**I Call Jesus My Rock**  
**I Speak the Name of Jesus Over You**





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*Reading through the Scriptures*

*2 Sam 18:5-9, 15, 31-33*

*Ps 130*

*John 6:35, 41-51*

*Eph 4:25-5:2*



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### **Prayer**

#### *Prayer List*

Pray for all those in our church family who have requested prayer. Pray especially for those who have recently lost loved ones. Pray for the sick and poor among us. Be mindful of those in great need, and be ye always kind.

#### **Remember all of our groups:**

Helping Hands, Media, Choir, Youth and Young Adults, the BOUs and SOUs, and our Fruit of the Spirit teams.

Pray daily as our church grows to reach our community and to show the love of God to so many in need.

#### ***Daily Scripture Meditation:***

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the **LORD** thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

Joshua 1:9 KJV

#### *Prayer and Fasting*

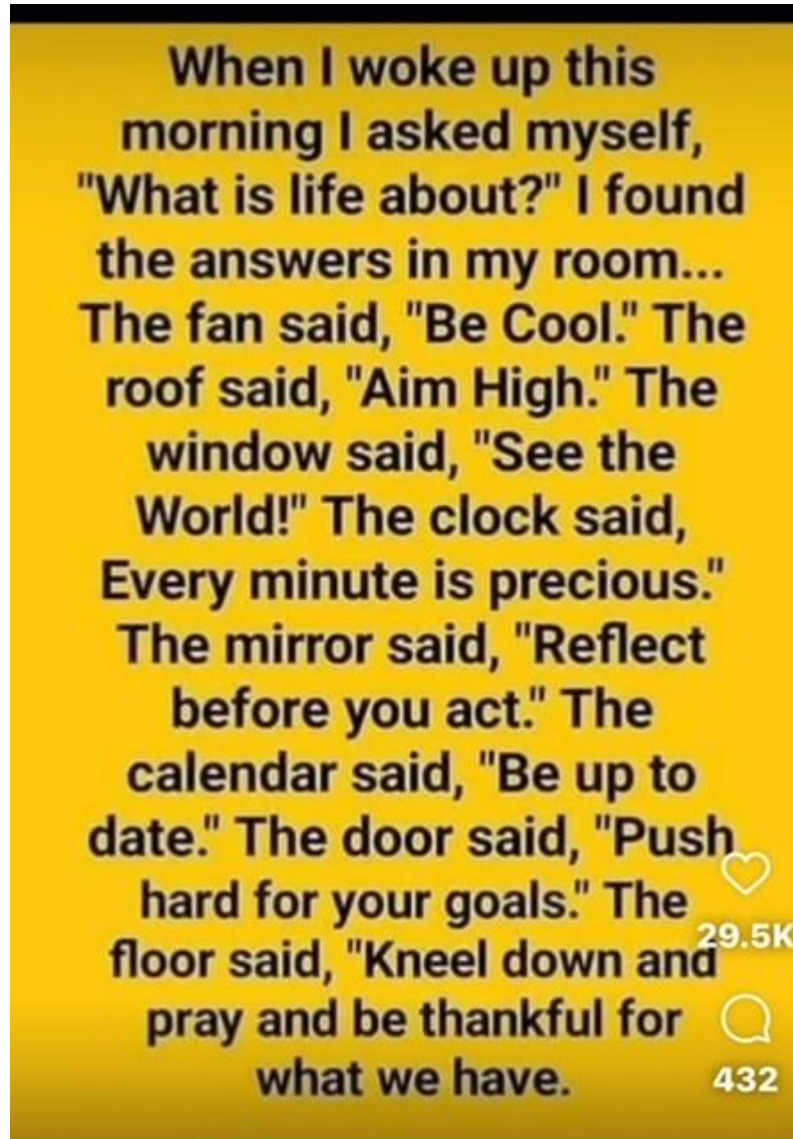
We invite you to join us weekly in prayer and fasting. The Lord laid on our Pastor's heart to call for prayer. As we see in these last days there's an urgent CRY to draw closer to God. We have so many things to pray for.

Join with us **Wednesday & Friday each week**

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**Thank God for an amazing Sister's of Unity Gathering August 10, 2024**

Our planned meeting time was 12:00P-2:00P, but many didn't leave until 6:00P and after! So thankful for the blessings that God provided us – most of all, the time to share with each other – time we don't always take. Prayer was the focus, and God provided the Spirit which moved to inspire creativity and thoughtful expression through each Sister. Check out our website for the expressions of God's gift of prayer.

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Keep lifting each other up in prayer and in our daily lives.  
Love is the greatest commandment!!



**August**

Sunday, August 18	Gainesville, FL	11:00A
Sunday, August 25	Youth Sunday Tallahassee Temple	11:00A
Monday, August 26	Tallahassee Temple Prayer	7:00P – 9:00P

**Exciting Events for Our Community: Brothers, Sisters, Youth, Choir, and Musicians**

We have some fantastic events planned for our Brothers and Sisters of Unity this year.  
Stay tuned for announcements in the coming weeks and months.  
Also, we are pleased that we will be scheduling events for our Youth, Choirs, and Musicians.  
Stay connected:

[www.peacebe.org](http://www.peacebe.org)

Youtube: JesuslivesTallahassee



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Time spent at “home”. I’ve written about home before, so you know what I mean. These photos are a representation of my recent visit to the place where my heart, mind, and soul are at utter peace. Thank you LORD for gracing me with a safe journey to see my family and, once again, to be awe-struck by your creation. Photos: ‘heart’ fossil, aging rock, reflections at daybreak, yet another spectacular, blazing sunset!

~Sister cheryl

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### **Giving**

Please visit our website, **peacebe.org**, to sign up for online giving.

You may also send your tax-deductible donation to the address at the top of this page or via cash app \$4952CHURCH or P.O. Box 6253 Attn: Pastor Aid Committee.

Above all, please attend our services to give in person.

### **2 Corinthians 9:6-8**



Face-to-face services are held in our sanctuary at  
4952 Old St Augustine Road in Tallahassee, Florida.

We are respectfully following health guidelines to minimize exposure and spread of Covid-19.

Sunday morning service begins with prayer at **11:00AM**, followed by Praise and Testimony.

The word of God, read from the King James Version of Holy Scripture, is then brought forth.

Wednesday evening service begins at **7:30PM**, with similar format.

Prayer and Fasting observed every Wednesday and Friday as the Lord prompts you.

Radio broadcast Sundays at 3:00PM on WSTT, 730AM dial

Please call the Church Office, (850)656-7708 or email churchoffice850@gmail.com,  
with any questions, concerns, or prayer requests.

Please visit our website, **peacebe.org**, to download our monthly newsletter.

If you would like to contribute to the newsletter,  
please contact Sister Cheryl Pye, agerefieri@gmail.com

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Thank you to our **Brothers of Unity** for continuing to  
maintain and make repairs in and around our sanctuary and other facilities.

Thanks also to our **Sisters of Unity** and **Youth Department** for cleaning  
after each service to promote our continued health and safety.