



# GREATER EL BETHEL

## MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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# THE GEB NEWS

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# April 2025

## The Pastor's Pen



### April Inspiration: "A Season of Renewal" 🌱✚🌅

As we journey through the month of April, we are reminded of the power of Holy Week—a sacred time to reflect on Christ's love, His sacrifice, and the victory we celebrate on Easter Sunday.

"He is not here; He has risen, just as He said." — Matthew 28:6

This is a season of renewal, hope, and resurrection. Just as Jesus rose from the grave, God is breathing new life into every dry and weary place in your life. Whatever has felt heavy or lifeless, trust that God is reviving it with purpose and power.

Let April be the month you rise too—rise in faith, in joy, and in expectation. New beginnings are here. Resurrection power lives in you.

# ✝️ He Is Risen! Join Us for Easter Sunday at Greater El Bethel 🌅



"He is not here: for He is risen, as He said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay." — Matthew 28:6  
Grace and peace to you, Greater El Bethel family and friends!

We invite you and your loved ones to join us for a powerful Easter Sunday Worship Service at 10:00 AM on Sunday, April 20th at Greater El Bethel MBC, as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!

This is more than a service—it's a celebration of victory, redemption, and new life. On that glorious morning over 2,000 years ago, the stone was rolled away, and Christ conquered death so that we might live abundantly and eternally through Him.

Whether you've been walking with Him for years or you're seeking a fresh start, Easter is the perfect moment to reconnect with God's power, purpose, and presence.

Come expecting:

🌿 Uplifting Worship

📖 A Powerful Word from Pastor Slavoski L. Wright Sr.

👨‍👩‍👧‍👦 A Warm and Welcoming Church Family

❤️ A Life-Changing Encounter with the Risen King

Bring your family. Invite your friends. Let's celebrate the Resurrection together!  
There's no greater joy than worshipping the Living God on Resurrection Sunday.

Come alive in Christ. The tomb is empty—hope is alive!



# 139th Church Anniversary & Homecoming Celebration



Sunday, April 27th | 10:00 AM & 6:00 PM  
Greater El Bethel Missionary Baptist Church

“This is the Lord’s doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.” — Psalm 118:23


Greater El Bethel Family and Friends,


We are excited to invite you to our 139th Church Anniversary and Homecoming Celebration. A time to reflect on God’s faithfulness and rejoice in all He has done!

Join us at 10:00 AM for our Anniversary Worship Service, as we honor our rich history, celebrate our present, and embrace the bright future God has in store.

Then come back at 6:00 PM for our Annual Homecoming Choir Musical—an evening filled with praise, power, and joyful worship through music!

Come home, bring your family, and let’s lift up the name of Jesus in celebration and unity. We are Greater Together—and the best is yet to come!

 Location: Greater El Bethel MBC, 1130 E. Ninth St., Dallas, TX 75203

 More info: [www.gebdallas.org](http://www.gebdallas.org)



# Welcome to The Well – April 2025 Edition



Spiritual & Mental Wellness with Lady Umeka

Theme: "Peace Be Still – Finding Calm in the Midst of Chaos"

"The Lord gives strength to his people; the Lord blesses his people with peace." — Psalm 29:11

Grace and peace to each of you!

Welcome to this month's edition of The Well, where we intentionally pause to refresh our hearts, renew our minds, and restore our spirits through the power of faith and wellness.

April invites us into a season of reflection, restoration, and stillness. As we journey through Stress Awareness Month, let us be reminded that even in life's chaos, God offers us peace that surpasses all understanding. Whether you're balancing ministry, work, or family responsibilities, the Lord gently calls us to rest in Him.

In this edition, we will explore ways to anchor ourselves in God's Word, care for our mental and emotional well-being, and embrace peace through prayer, worship, and holistic practices. Let this be a sacred space where your spirit is nourished and your soul finds rest.

So breathe deeply, lean into God's presence, and join us as we dive into this journey of peace and purpose.

With love and blessings,  
Lady Umeka





# Celebrate Mother's Day in Worship



Sunday, May 11th | 10:00 AM  
Greater El Bethel MBC

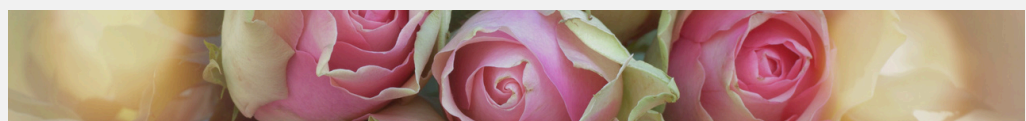
"Her children arise and call her blessed..." — Proverbs 31:28

Greater El Bethel Family,  
Mother's Day is just around the corner—a beautiful time to honor the women who have poured into us with love, strength, and unwavering faith.

We encourage every family to begin this special day in the best way possible—worshipping together! Join us at 10:00 AM on Sunday, May 11th as we celebrate God's gift of mothers with heartfelt praise, encouraging Word, and a warm church family atmosphere.

Let's lift up the name of Jesus while we honor the incredible mothers, grandmothers, and mother figures among us. Start the day in His presence—and make it a Mother's Day to remember.

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# ♥ 100 Women in Red Worship Service

# 100



3rd Sunday in May | May 18th | 10:00 AM  
Greater El Bethel MBC

“She is clothed with strength and dignity...” — Proverbs 31:25

Ladies of Greater El Bethel, it's that time again! We are excited to invite you to our 100 Women in Red worship celebration—happening during our 10:00 AM service on the 3rd Sunday in May.

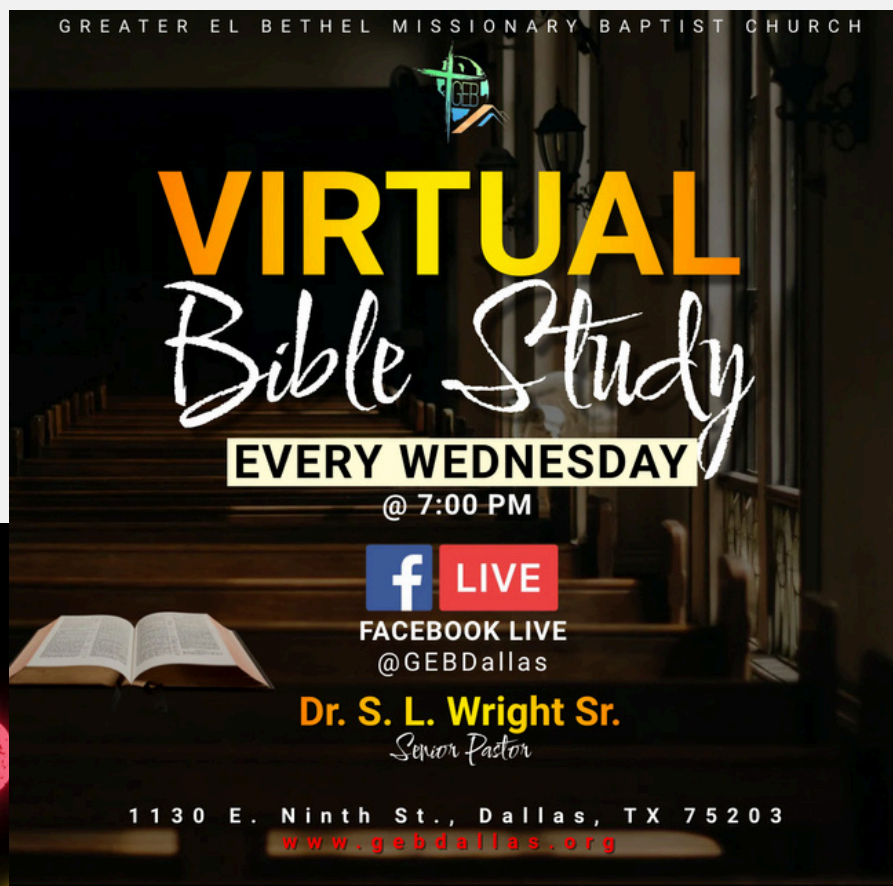
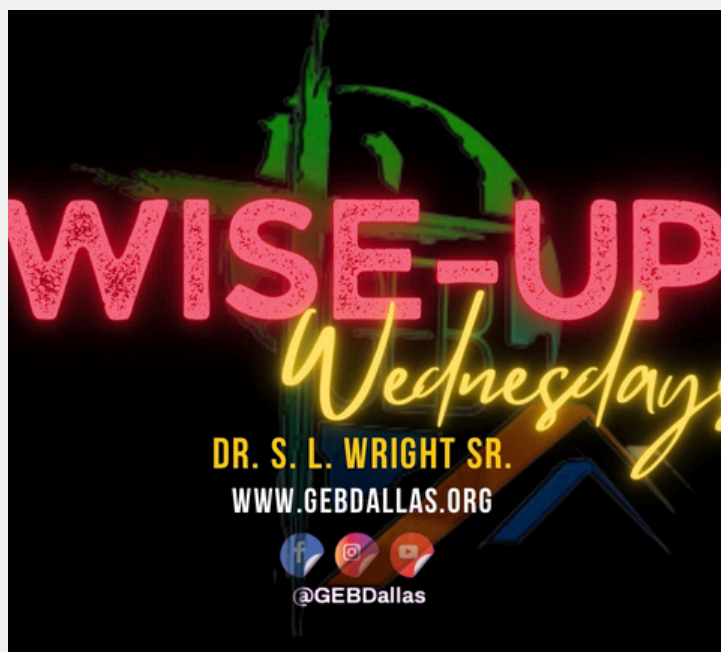
This powerful service honors the faith, strength, and unity of women walking boldly in their God-given purpose. We are asking all women to wear red as a symbol of our strength, passion, and unity in Christ.

Bring your sisters, mothers, daughters, and friends—let's fill the sanctuary with praise, power, and a sea of red!

Let's worship together, shine together, and celebrate what God is doing in and through the women of Greater El Bethel!

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# "Wise-Up" Wednesdays Bible Study





Join Us Virtually Every Wednesday @ 7:00 PM

Looking for a midweek Word to recharge your spirit and renew your mind? Join us for "Wise-Up" Wednesdays—our weekly virtual Bible Study experience led by Dr. S. L. Wright Sr., Senior Pastor of Greater El Bethel MBC.

Tune in every Wednesday at 7:00 PM on Facebook Live as we dive deep into the Word, gain spiritual insight, and grow in godly wisdom together.

 Watch Live: [Facebook.com/GEBDallas](https://www.facebook.com/GEBDallas)

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Don't just get by—Wise Up in the Word!






“The prayers of the righteous avail much.” — James 5:16

As a church family, we believe in the power of prayer and standing in the gap for one another. Please keep the following in your thoughts and prayers this Month:

1. GEB Church Family
2. The Barree Family
3. The High Family
4. Brother Ryan Wright
5. Brother Braylon Crosby

We ask that God’s healing, comfort, strength, and peace be with each name listed above. Let us continue to lift one another up, trusting that our prayers reach heaven and move the heart of God.

 Do you have a prayer request?

Please submit your requests to the church office or via our website at [www.gebdallas.org](http://www.gebdallas.org). Let’s remain faithful in prayer—because prayer changes things!