

SERMON NOTES

<u>EXODUS 18:13-24</u>	PASTOR JAMES B. LOGAN		
SCRIPTURE	Preacher		
"A REMEDY FOR LONE RANGER LEADERSHIP"			
SERMON TOPIC			
CROCK-POT LEADERSHIP SERIES – PART 8			
POINTS OF POWER			
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THE ORDER OF SERVICE MARCH 3, 2019 – 10:45 A.M.

THE GATHERING	The Praise Team		
THE INVOCATION/LORD'S PRAYER	Pulpit Associate		
THE HYMN OF THE MONTHThe Mass Choir and Congregation Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah			
THE WELCOME	Pulpit Associate		
THE PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS AND MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS Sister Keandra Snider/Pastor James B. Logan			
THE EMPHASIS ON STEWARDSHIP Dea	acon W. Alfredia Hamm		
THE TITHING STATEMENT/THE OFFERTORY PRAY	ERPulpit Associate		
THE TITHE AND OFFERING	The Ushers		
THE SELECTION	The Mass Choir		
THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE All Thi	ngs Come of Thee (536)		
THE EMPHASIS ON WOMEN'S HISTORY Marian Anderson	Tamar Lewis		
THE PASTORAL PRAYER CHANT I Need Thee Ev'ry Hour			
THE SONG OF CONSECRATION I Know Something about God's G			
THE SERMON			
THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP			
THE CHURCH COVENANT	Pulpit Associate		
THE LORD'S SUPPERPastor James B. Logan, D.MIN./Diaconate Ministry			
THE BENEDICTION			

MBC VISION 2020 RESTORATION - REVITALIZATION - REPOSITION

THREE-FOLD AMEN

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE WELCOME our visitors who are worshipping with us today. We pray that your visit will be a blessing and a rewarding experience. If you live in the area and do not have a church home, we invite you to become a part of our church family. Pastor Logan and some of our Deacons will be waiting to receive and accept you during the Invitational Hymn. We invite you to come to Jesus and to the love, friendship, and fellowship of our church family. In times like these, we need a Savior. Come to Jesus.

OUR MOTTO: No one cares how much you KNOW until they know how much you CARE!

THE SEASON OF LENT BEGINS Wednesday. We will enter into a season of fasting and preparation. Instructions from Pastor Logan are enclosed in this bulletin. Humble yourself and be grateful.

TO OUR FIVE (5) REGISTERED GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS: Messiah Baptist Church Scholarship Applications are available in the church office; and will be during March and April. Completed applications must be submitted to the church office by April 30, 2019.

AN AWARDS LUNCHEON: FIRST LADY, VIRGINIA C. LOGAN is an Awardee (along with eight others) at Al-Aziz Islamic Center's Ijlal Muhammad Humanitarian Awards Dinner on Saturday, March 9th at 5:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, 1070 Main St., Bpt. Donation: Adults - \$60.00 and Children - 12 and under - \$25.00. "Celebrating **39** years of honoring women who are positive examples in the community." Tickets are available in our church office. Make check payable to Al-Aziz Islamic Center.

NEXT SUNDAY, immediately following worship service, we will have 'Fellowship' in Rev. Reuben E. Williams Hall.

OUR PASTOR'S AID MINISTRY AND DIACONATE MINISTRY have collaborated to sponsor a "Gospel Spirit Cruise' (New York) on August 24th. The cost is \$125.00 and they are ready to accept reservations. Please see DIT Patricia McCrimmon. The seating is limited.

Mon. Mar. 4 TH	6:00 p.m	Women In Prayer Ministry	
WED. MAR. 6^{th}	12:00 Noon	Bible Study	
WED. MAR. 6^{TH}	6:30 p. m	Prayer and Praise/Adult Bible Study	
The Pastor's Aid Ministry will lead the Prayer Service.			

WED. MAR. 6^{th}	.7:00 p.m	Children Bible Study
FRIDAYS (1 ST & 3 RD)	6:30 p.m	Youth/Young Adults
IN THE HOSPITAL: De	eacon Carrie Billups is i	n Bridgeport Hospital; and
Brother Elbert Powell is in Gardner Heights, Shelton, CT.		

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY TO Sister Carrie Ann Bouraima and family on the passing of her brother-in-law in New Haven, CT.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS FROM: The family of Deacon Mary V. M. Reeves; and from Trustee Carol (daughter, Ashley) Hampton and family for your love, kind expression of sympathy and compassionate care.

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THE PRAISE DANCE MINISTRY HOST

DANCING IN THE SANCTUARY

Featuring

Praise Dancers from the Bridgeport community.

Male, Female, Young and not so Young.

THEME: "Breakthrough"

Scriptures: Psalm 91:3-4 ~ Isaiah 43:19 ~ Isaiah 54:17 Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 1:00 p. m.

AN OPEN HOUSE:

NEXT SATURDAY, MARCH, 9, 2019 1:00-3:00 P.M. REV. REUBEN E. WILLIAMS HALL

Hosted by our Missionary Ministry

The Missionaries are 'Reaching out for new members'. Flyers with additional information are available. If you will be attending, please sign the designated sheet on the table in the narthex.

Music Workshop coming to Messiah!

SAT., MARCH 30TH 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 NOON, A Choral Workshop presented by Rev. Raymond Wise, Ph.D. Professor of Practice In The African American Diaspora Studies Department and Associate Director of The African American Arts Institute At Indiana University. Our Music Ministry sponsors the workshop; and it's open to the public. Donation Adult: \$25.00 and Youth and Children: \$10.00. Flyers with additional information and registration forms will be available soon.

COME TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Classes FOR All Ages.

Bring your Family.

Sunday
School
Begins at 9:30 a.m.

STUDY THIS QUARTER (March - May): Discipleship and Mission

This quarter surveys several calls to ministry and the expectations of those called. Calls to service, as recorded in the Gospels of Mark and Luke, are highlighted. We explore Paul's call to ministry, with special attention to the Roman church. On Easter Sunday, we examine Matthew's account of the Resurrection.