# PASTOR'S ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY



Happy Anniversary to Pastor James B. Logan

## "GRACE TO REMAIN FAITHFUL"

## Pastor Logan,

May God bless you as you continue to guide us into a deeper relationship with Him. A warm thank you for all you've done in the Lord's service...

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in Heaven. Matthew 5:14

You are indeed a reflection of God's love and we want you to know how very much we appreciate you and all that you've done.

#### When God sent you; He sent two.

#### Lady Logan:

We thank you for your support, love and caring for Pastor Logan. You help to keep him going. Your ministering within this church family has been transparent and purposeful.

May God continue to bless each of you, as well as Olivia and Sydney.

Messiah Baptist Church Family

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#### To the Congregation:

Please accept our sincere 'Thank you' to each and all of you for your support of the preparation and celebration of Pastor Logan's Fifth Pastoral

Anniversary.

It was heartwarming to have not only our church family, but friends of Messiah, the community, our cousins from Convent Avenue Baptist Church and so many others that just came together and supported. That speaks volume. Thank you!

Deacon W. Alfredia Hamm and Trustee Collin Vice, Co-Chairs

## THE ORDER OF SERVICE September 16, 2018 – 10:45 A.M.

THE GATHERING	The Praise Team
THE INVOCATION/LORD'S PRAYER	Pulpit Associate
THE WELCOME	Pulpit Associate
THE PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS AND MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS	
THE TITHING STATEMENT/THE OFFERTORY PRAYER	
THE TITHE AND OFFERING	The Ushers
THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE	All Things Come of Thee (536)
THE SONG OF CONSECRATION	
THE SERMON	Apostle Nathan R. Byrd The Worship Center, New York, NY
THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP	
BAPTISM	Pastor James B. Logan, DMIN
THE BENEDICTION	Pastor James B. Logan, DMIN

#### 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!

WE WELCOME Apostle Nathan R. Byrd, Pastor of The Worship Center in New York City as our guest Preacher for this 'Anniversary' worship service. God blessing Apostle Byrd

**TODAY IS SILVER SAINTS SUNDAY.** They are here in the 'Spirit of Worship' and giving thanks that they are Silver Saints. Bless you!

*THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 7:00 P.M.* Pastor Logan will preach one night of a "Three-Night Revival" at New Hope Baptist Church, 10 Aaron B. Samuel Drive, Danbury, CT. He asks for your prayers.

SAT. SEPT.  $22^{ND}$  AT 12:00 NOON, our Praise Dance Ministry will host its Annual Open House. Males, females...young and older: you are invited to join the ministry. Come dance with them, as they minister in dance. For information, please see Deacon Renetta W. Hill.

*HEALTH WATCH:* Blood Pressure Screening will be provided (in the Rev. Reuben E. Williams Hall) by our Health and Wellness Ministry on next Sunday immediately following worship service. It's free!

*A BREAKFAST FOR CHAMPIONS* – *Champions of Breast Cancer* has been scheduled for Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. in Rev. Reuben E. Williams Hall. Our **Health and Wellness Ministry** will host the event. A donation of \$20.00 is requested. The members of the ministry have tickets. Flyers are available on the table in the narthex.

SAT. SEPT. 29<sup>TH</sup> AT 10:00 A.M. Connecticut State Missionary Baptist Convention Zebulun Association (Rev. Kristopher S. Reese, Moderator) presents at Grace Baptist Church in Waterbury, CT "Diary of a First Lady Prayer Breakfast". Lady Logan is one of the participants. The donation is 20.00. Tickets are available in our church office.

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IN THE HOSPITAL: Sister Sonja Whitaker is in Bridgeport Hospital.

*EXPRESSIONS OF THANKS FROM* Pastor Logan to those who traveled with him to Grace Baptist Church in Waterbury on last Sunday; Deacon Eleanor Fuller and Sister Marie Black for your prayers, cards, calls and compassion shown during their stay in the hospital and rehabilitation facilities; and Brother Jonathan M. Hill, Sr. (Deacon Renetta) and family for your kind expressions of sympathy.

*MINISTRY LEADERS*, the Annual Report Forms and Budget Request Forms should be out of your mailboxes. Please note the deadlines and be in compliance.

**MEETINGS RESCHEDULED:** 

Our Missionary Ministry will meet next Sunday, following worship service.

Our First Aid Ministry will meet Saturday, September 29th at 1:00 p.m.

THE TOT PROGRAM OF OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY IS OPEN. Children 10 years old and younger are invited downstairs in Memorial Hall, where there is adult supervision and a planned learning experience, during worship service. Children must be escorted downstairs and signed in and out.

*FREE CLOTHING IS BACK:* We will continue to make free clothing and items available. Remember: *EVERY WEDNESDAY*, 10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. the merchandise will be available in our Memorial Hall. We ask that if you need or know someone that needs clothing come and take them.

*FREE LUNCH* will be served every Wednesday, beginning at 11:00 a.m. We need persons to help with this area of ministry to our community, as well as our Sympathy Committee. If you are interested and would like to give of your time, talent and resources please leave your name and contact information in the church office.

