



**SERMON NOTES**

EXODUS 4:15

PASTOR JAMES B. LOGAN, D.MIN

SCRIPTURE

PREACHER

"THE IDENTITY CRISIS OF A LEADER"

SERMON TOPIC

CROCK-POT LEADERSHIP SERIES – PART 3

POINTS OF POWER

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**THE ORDER OF SERVICE**  
**JANUARY 20, 2019 – 10:45 A.M.**

- THE GATHERING ..... The Praise Team
- THE INVOCATION/LORD’S PRAYER ..... Pulpit Associate
- THE HYMN OF THE MONTH ..... The Mass Choir and Congregation  
O God our Help in Ages Past
- THE WELCOME ..... Pulpit Associate
- THE PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS AND MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS  
Sister Keandra Snider/Pastor James B. Logan
- THE TITHING STATEMENT/THE OFFERTORY PRAYER ..... Pulpit Associate
- THE TITHE AND OFFERING ..... The Ushers
- THE SELECTION ..... The Mass Choir  
All in His Hands
- THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE ..... All Things Come of Thee (536)
- THE PASTORAL PRAYER  
CHANT ..... The Mass Choir  
Trust Me
- THE SONG OF CONSECRATION ..... The Mass Choir  
His Truth is Marching On
- THE SERMON..... Pastor James B. Logan, D.MIN  
"THE IDENTITY CRISIS OF A LEADER"  
EXODUS 4:15  
CROCK-POT LEADERSHIP SERIES – PART 3
- THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP
- THE BENEDICTION..... Pastor James B. Logan,D.MIN.

## 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.

*A PERIOD OF PRAYER AND FASTING FOR MESSIAH BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY* continues through Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. We will focus on our Annual Theme, “Spiritual Leadership in God’s House”.

*DISCIPLES OF MESSIAH:* Our Annual Church Meeting will be Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Please come and hear the ‘state of the church’ and other information which will be shared.

*OUR ANNUAL DIRECTORY OF INFORMATION AND CHURCH CALENDAR* is available to members. The ushers will see that each of you get a copy. If not, please stop by the church office.

*STUDENTS, GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL, ‘CLASS OF 2019’* members of Messiah only, are asked to **register** in the church office no later than February 24<sup>th</sup>.

*OUR HEALTH AND WELLNESS MINISTRY* meets Sat., Jan. 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

*BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING* will be available on next Sunday; and every fourth Sunday, immediately following worship service, in Rev. Reuben E. Williams Hall. This is compliments of our Health and Wellness Ministry.

*WED. JAN. 23<sup>RD</sup>* .....12:00 Noon. .... Bible Study

*WED. JAN. 23<sup>RD</sup>* .....6:30 p. m.....Prayer and Praise/Adult Bible Study

The Sunday School staff and students will lead the Prayer Service.

*WED. JAN. 23<sup>RD</sup>* .....7:00 p.m. ....Children Bible Study

*FRIDAYS (1<sup>ST</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup>)* ..... 6:30 p.m. .... Youth/Young Adults

*IN THE HOSPITAL:* Sister Marie Black is in Bridgeport Hospital.

*EXPRESSIONS OF THANKS:* The following persons and families express their deepest heartfelt thank you to each and all of you for your expressions of sympathy, love and compassion shown in so many, many ways:

- Minister Terrance & Sister Daila Matthews
- Deacons Yvette and Curtis Patterson and family
- Sister Gloria Davis and Sister Stephanie Alston and family
- Sister Lillian Jackson and family
- Deacon Tyrone Thompson, Sister Theresa Thompson, Sister Beverly Lewis and Sister Gwendolyn Ward and family
- Brother Earl Brooks

**REMEMBER:** Your church family is still praying for you.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE SNOW EMERGENCY AND CANCELLATIONS.* We use the following media for cancellations:

- *MESSIAH’S WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK*
- *WICC RADIO*
- *CHANNELS 8 AND 12*
- *A ROBOT CALL TO YOUR HOME OR CELL PHONE*
- *OUR TELEPHONE SYSTEM.*

Please call 203 368-2405 for cancellations at church.

*A SPECIAL PERIOD OF PRAYER: “Hour of Power”* under the leadership of our Missionary Ministry will be every Wednesday, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. This is a precursor to our regular Prayer, Praise and Bible Study. All are welcome. Come pray with us. Flyers are available.

*THE EXERCISE CLASSES* are in session every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in Memorial Hall. The classes are held the first and second Tuesdays of the month.

### 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.

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*SOULFUL WEDNESDAYS:* 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 who needs clothing come and take them. **FREE LUNCH** is served every Wednesday, beginning at 11:00 a.m. If you would like to help, please notify the church office staff.

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**Faith is taking the first step  
even when you don’t see the whole staircase.**

*-Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.*

**CLOSING:** The church building will be closed Monday.

