



## 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 9<sup>th</sup> 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 24<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$125.00 and they are ready to accept reservations. Please see DIT Patricia McCrimmon. The seating is limited.

**MON. MAR. 4<sup>TH</sup>** .....6:00 p.m. .... Women In Prayer Ministry

**WED. MAR. 6<sup>TH</sup>** .....12:00 Noon. .... Bible Study

**WED. MAR. 6<sup>TH</sup>** .....6:30 p. m..... Prayer and Praise/Adult Bible Study  
The Pastor's Aid Ministry will lead the Prayer Service.

**WED. MAR. 6<sup>TH</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:** Deacon Carrie Billups is in 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 30<sup>TH</sup> 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**

**CLASSES FOR ALL AGES.**



**Bring your Family.**

**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.