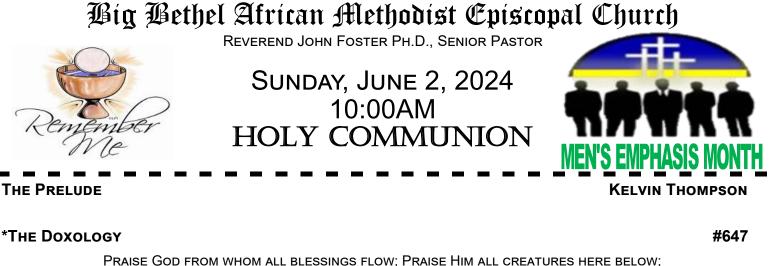
MEN'S EMPHASIS MONTH "STRENGTH IN UNITY: CELEBRATING BROTHERHOOD AND RESILIENCE IN GOD"

"Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity"

Psalm 133-1 HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY JUNE 02, 2024

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PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW; PRAISE HIM ALL CREATURES HERE BELOW; PRAISE HIM ABOVE YE HEAVENLY HOST, PRAISE FATHER, SON AND HOLY GHOST. AMEN.

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

- I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord!" Our feet have been Minister: standing within your gates, O Jerusalem! People: For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness. Minister: For the sake of the house of the Lord our God; I will seek your good. They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God. People: O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your glory dwells. Minister: People: But the Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. Minister: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my Rock, and my Redeemer.
- People: O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things! I will sing of loyalty and of justice, to you, O Lord, I will sing.
- THE HYMN OF PRAISE......A.M.E. Hymn # 306– King of My Life
- 1. King of my life, I crown Thee now, Thine shall the glory be; Lest I forget Thy thorn-crowned brow, Lead me to Calvary.

Refrain: Lest I forget Gethsemane; Lest I forget Thine agony; Lest I forget Thy love for me, Lead me to Calvary.

- 2. Show me the tomb where Thou wast laid, Tenderly mourned and wept; Angels in robes of light arrayed Guarded Thee whilst Thou slept. [**Refrain**]
- 3. May I be willing, Lord, to bear Daily my cross for Thee; Even Thy cup of grief to share, Thou hast borne all for me. **[Refrain]**

THE INVOCATION

THE CHORAL RESPONSE

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

BIG BETHEL MASS CHOIR Nathaniel Fisher Jr.—Director

THE SERMON

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

PRAYER OF SALVATION

Dear Lord, I recognize that I am a sinner. Lord, I am sorry for my sins, and I am ready to change my life. I accept your forgiveness. I confess with my mouth that you are Lord, and I believe in my heart that God raised you from the dead; therefore, according to the word I am saved. The Bible says "if any person be in Christ he or she is a new creation, the old is passed away and behold all things become new." Lord, I thank you for my salvation.

THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE

- Minister: ¹ Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. The word of the LORD was rare in those days; visions were not widespread.
- ² At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying People: down in his room;

Minister: ³ the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was.

- ⁴ Then the LORD called, "Samuel! Samuel!" and he said, "Here I am!" People:
- Minister: ⁵ and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So he went and lay down.
- ⁶ The LORD called again, "Samuel!" Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for People: you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again."
- ⁷ Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been ALL: revealed to him.

*THE PREFACE TO THE DECALOGUE

"From all that dwell below the skies. Let the Creator's praise arise: let the REDEEMER'S NAME BE SUNG, THROUGH EVERY LAND BY EVERY TONGUE."

***THE SUMMARY OF THE DECALOGUE**

And Jesus, said to him, you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, you shall love your neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.

THE GLORIA PATRI

"GLORY BE TO THE FATHER, AND TO THE SON, AND TO THE HOLY GHOST; AS IT WAS IN THE BEGINNING, IS NOW, AND EVER SHALL BE, WORLD WITHOUT END. AMEN."

THE WELCOME TO BIG BETHEL

THE PASTOR'S WORDS

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THE WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING: TITHES & OFFERING



АМЕ Нуми #646

THE CHORAL RESPONSE

"All things come of thee, o lord; and of Thine own have we given Thee". Amen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GENERAL CONFESSION

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all people, we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sin and wickedness which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word and deed against Your divine Majesty, provoking most justly Your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father for Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake; forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

Let us remember our sick and shut-in with our calls and prayers.

Sis. Patricia Coles (404) 254-4806

Rev. Betty Miley (770) 323-6841

Sis. Elizabeth Parks (Liz) (404) 691-4590

Sis. Brenda Queen (404) 274-0705 Sis. Lillian Taylor (404) 284-6414

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS				
Second Sunday after Pentecost	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
June 2, 2024	<u>1 Samuel 3:1-10, (11-20)</u>	Deuteronomy 5:12-15	2 Corinthians 4:5-12	Mark 2:23-3:6
	Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18	Psalm 81:1-10		

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> Reverend Jessica Buford, *Thrive* College & Young Adult Ministry Bro. Nathaniel Fisher Jr., Minister of Worship & Arts

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The Reverend John Foster, Ph.D., The Reverend Shrala Askins, The Reverend Jessica Buford, The Reverend Wilbert Hobbs, The Reverend Ali Holness-Roland, The Reverend Monica Jones Ph.D., The Reverend Andrea Lewis, Ph.D., The Reverend Dr. Charlene Maddox, The Reverend Jacqueline Williams Rucker, The Reverend William Spottsville, The Reverend Dr. Lairalaine Morgan White, The Reverend Joyce Young

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SERVING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

Acolytes	Bianca Thomas and Zaire Carmichael	Stewards	Tony Jones & Dr. Chris Parker
Choir	Big Bethel Mass Choir ~ Nathaniel Fisher, Jr., Director	Trustees	Floyd Baxter
Philippians	Kerry Westbrooks	Ushers	Usherette Ministry #2
Stewardesses	R.T. Bussey & Eva Watson Stewardess Ministry Jacqueline Epps and Ruth McKenzie	AV Ministry	Phyllis Smiley & Brandon Collins

Finance Team |







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BI 08	MEN'S EMPHASIS BRUNCH - 12:00 PM ALEXANDER FARMS SUBDIVISION 2581 Alexander Farms Dr. SW, Marietta, GA 30064 Cost - \$20
	MEN'S DAY CELEBRATION - 10:00 AM Rev. Maurice Wright, II - Guest Preacher Men are asked to wear shades of Green
H 22	MEN'S FELLOWSHIP - 2:00 PM BOWLING - MIDTOWN BOWL 1936 Piedmont Circle NE, Atlanta, GA 30324 Cost - \$25
11 24	BETHEL TRINITY HOUSE DINNER - 5:00 PM TRINITY HOUSE BIG BETHEL
NN 30	THE TASTE OF BIG BETHEL - 11:30 AM big bethel amec



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BBAMEC Scholarship Application

ATTENTION

All Big Bethel Graduating Seniors!!

The Big Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church Scholarship Application IS NOW AVAILABLE

(For those who are active at Big Bethel and going to college this Fall)

Applications must be postmarked by June 3, 2024

Go to <u>https://www.bigbethelame.org/Member-Services</u> and click on the button for application and instructions

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THEME: Strength in Unity: Celebrating Brotherhood and Resilience Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity" ~Ps

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JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday to all members celebrating birthdays during the month of June!!!



- 6/3 Richard Marion, Stacey-Ann Young
- 6/5 Caleb Moore
- 6/6 Jamier Ridgeway, Niko Senatle
- 6/7 Rev. Andrea Lewis, Theodore Roberson
- 6/8 Ruth McKenzie
- 6/10 Eunice Davis, Morgan Freeman, Luel Sutton, Emanuel Amos
- 6/13 Marcus Black, Rodney Dye
- 6/14 Debra Harrell, Keith Burnett
- 6/15 Asher Brazil, Shrala Askin
- 6/16 David Banks, Adrienne Stowe, Alexis Wilson, Christopher Greene
- 6/17 Joel Boykin III, Miya Burrus, Louise Morris

- 6/18 Juanita Aiken
- 6/19 Dorothy Glass, Rosaland Thomas, Fred Hughey Jr,
- 6/20 Nadia Hicks, Charlene Maddox,
- 6/21 Phillip Skerrett Jr., Davion Franklin
- 6/22 Bianca Thomas, Britt Miley, Roane Henry, Susie Senter,
- 6/23 Sean Bogan, Stacey Brayboy
- 6/24 Charles Barksdale, Toni Hicks, James Jackson
- 6/25 Calvin Rosby
- 6/26 Shirley Kimble
- 6/29 Troy Nelson
- 6/30 Tamara Broadnax, Kenya Wilkerson



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METHODIST A CLASS FOR **EVERYONE!!**



Bro. Everett Jolly, Sunday School Superintendant Rev. Monica C. Jones, Ph.D., C.hristian Ed. Director Rev. John Foster, Ph.D., Senior Pastor

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When: June 9, 2024 Where: Fellowship Hall Time: 8:15 a.m.- 10:00 a.m.

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Big Bethel AME Church 220 Auburn Avenue NE Atlanta, GA 30303 12 noon - 2pm

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Occasion: We invite you to celebrate the positive transition of restored men empowered to reclaim their lives and return to their families and communities as mentors and leaders. They have made us proud. As a stakeholder, we hope you will join us in celebrating the hard word and dedication that these men have invested in themselves.

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Rev. John Foster, Ph. D., Senior Pastor



MEN'S DAY CELEBRATION

THEME: Strength in Unity: Celebrating Brotherhood and Resilience in God

Psalm 133:1

JUNE 9,2024 10AM

@ 220 Auburn Avenue, Atlanta GA

GUEST SPEAKER:

Rev. Maurice Wright, II

Senior Pastor-St. John AME Church Hunstville, AL

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IT'S TIME TO PLAN OUR CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE NEW CONFERENCE YEAR AT BIG BETHEL!!!

All Ministries are asked to submit their event calendars for the June 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025 Conference Year to the Church Office via email to (psmiley@bigbethelame.org) by June 20, 2024.

Thanks for your cooperation! 🙂



MAY/JUNE IS BUDGET PLANNING MONTH FOR THE NEW CONFERENCE YEAR AT BIG BETHEL!!!



All Ministries are asked to submit their budget requests for the July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025 Conference Year to Bro. Ed Jones

(erjones@bigbethelame.org) by June 20, 2024. Thank you





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Weekly 10AM Sunday Worship

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Weekdy 2PM Sunday Thrive Next Shift Worship

www.blgbotholama.org WATCH UV8 http://www.usatabe.com/aharne//UC2unvaki/// usasa715wéa



Thrive - Tuesdays @ 7pm https://us06web.zoom.us()67236657667

Contact Rev Jess 770-940-0293

Prayer Call 6AM Mon-Sat PH: (605)-472-5512 Code: 772576#

Wednesday 7PM Discipleship Bible Study PH: (605)-472-5512 Code: 772576#

Youth Church 2nd Sundays 10:00AM

Zoom Meeting ID: 775-4787-0488 Nexword: YB10W

Youth Sunday School 8:30AM Email Everett Jolly joll@comcast.net

Tuesday 7PM Women's Bible Sludy

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Wednesday Noon & 6 PM Bible Study

Rev. Marica Jones, RD SAME AS Adult Sunday School ZOOM LINK

> Big Bethel Village Bible Study Monday 4PM Worship Sunday 3PM PH: (202)926-1123 Code: 673604#

> > Seasoned Saints -Thursdays @ 12pm https://wt0web.com.ut//12 655696011 Dial in # 1 929 285 6008 -Needag ID: 825 5599 8611

Contact New Jena 770-848-4010

Isaiah 43: ¹⁹ See, I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?

> Adult Sunday School 8:30AM PH: (309)205-3325 Code:7789893084# ZOOM UNK: ID: 847-251-8679 PassCode: adultalass https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8472518679?pwd= NzIDRGIgNmVYY0RsRFY2VzV6ZGHMZz09

Don't miss your opportunity to receive God's Blessings!