

# MEN'S EMPHASIS SUNDAY

**"STRENGTH IN UNITY: CELEBRATING BROTHERHOOD AND RESILIENCE IN GOD"**

**"BEHOLD, HOW GOOD AND PLEASANT IT IS WHEN BROTHERS DWELL IN UNITY"**

**PSALM 133:1**

**Sunday June 23, 2024**

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# WELCOME TO BIG BETHEL AME CHURCH • ATLANTA

## 10:00AM WORSHIP SERVICE

### SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2024

THE ORGAN PRELUDE.....BRO. KELVIN THOMPSON

THE DOXOLOGY.....A.M.E. HYMN No. 647

*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

**Minister:** I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord!" Our feet have been standing within your gates, O Jerusalem! (Psalm 122:1-2)

**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 to dwell in the tents of wickedness. (Psalm 84:10)

**Minister:** For the sake of the house of the Lord our God; I will seek your good. (Psalm 122:9)

**People:** They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God. (Psalm 92:13)

**Minister:** O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your glory dwells. (Psalm 26:8)

**People:** But the Lord is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. (Habakkuk 2:20)

**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. (Psalm 19:14)

**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. (Psalm 98:1,4)

THE HYMN OF PRAISE.....Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus Blessed Savior

*Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus blessed Savior He's worthy to be praised  
From the rising of the sun, Until the going down of the same; He's worthy, Jesus is worthy, He's worthy to be praised.*

*Glory, Glory In all things give Him Glory, Jesus blessed Savior He's worthy to be praised.  
God is our rock, hope of salvation a strong deliverer, in Him will I trust;*

*Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus blessed Savior He's worthy to be praised  
From the rising of the sun, Until the going down of the same; He's worthy, Jesus is worthy, He's worthy to be praised.*

*Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him, Jesus blessed Savior He's worthy to be praised*

#### The INVOCATION

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC.....BIG BETHEL PRAISE ENSEMBLE

THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE.....Psalm 133

**Minister:** <sup>1</sup> How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity!

**THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE (CONTINUED)**.....Psalm 133

People: <sup>2</sup> It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes.

**ALL:** <sup>3</sup> It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the LORD ordained his blessing, life forevermore

**THE PREFACE TO THE DECALOGUE**.....**IN THE TUNE OF AME HYMN #258**

*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 yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets

**THE GLORIA PATRI**.....**AME HYMN #627**

*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, Amen.*

**THE WELCOME TO BIG BETHEL**.....**THE PHILIPPIAN MINISTRY**

**THE WORSHIP THROUGH CREATIVE EXPRESSION**.....**KWANZA SOL DANCE MINISTRY**

**THE PASTOR'S WORDS**

**THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC**.....**BIG BETHEL PRAISE ENSEMBLE**

**THE SERMON**.....**REV. GWEN SENATLE**  
ASSOCIATE MINISTER—BBAMEC

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

**THE WORSHIP IN GIVING: TITHES & OFFERING**

**THE BENEDICTION**



**\*\*Visitors may register their attendance on the Big Bethel Guest Registration Form. Thank You for worshipping with us and feel free to come again!!**







Rev. John Foster, Ph.D.  
Senior Pastor

BIG BETHEL AMEC WORSHIP & ARTS  
presents

# KWANZA SOL DANCE MINISTRY

## 2024 DANCE RECITAL

### Sunday, June 30, 2024 | 4 PM

220 AUBURN AVE NE, ATLANTA GA 30303

*You don't want to miss it!*



[www.bigbethelame.org](http://www.bigbethelame.org)



Sis. Rosalyn Johnson, Director- Kwanza Sol Dance Ministry  
Bro. Nathaniel Fisher, Jr., Director - BBAMEC Worship & Arts Ministry

## WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	First reading	Psalm	Second reading	Gospel
June 23, 2024	<a href="#">1 Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49</a> <a href="#">Psalm 9:9-20</a> or <a href="#">1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, 18:10-16</a> <a href="#">Psalm 133</a>	<a href="#">Job 38:1-11</a>  <a href="#">Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32</a>	<a href="#">2 Corinthians 6:1-13</a>	<a href="#">Mark 4:35-41</a>

❤️ 📞 *Let us remember our sick and shut-in with our calls.* 📞 ❤️

Sis. Patricia Coles (404) 254-4806

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

Rev. Betty Miley (770) 323-6841

Sis. Lillian Taylor (404) 284-6414



# Men of Big Bethel



**Friday, June 28, 2024 5:00PM**

Members are encouraged to participate by supplying a prepared food item for residents at Trinity House.



## M.O.B.B. TASTE OF BIG BETHEL

**SUNDAY, JUNE 30th  
11:30 AM**

**BIG BETHEL FELLOWSHIP HALL**

**DONT MISS IT!!**







24th ANNUAL

# M.O.B.B. GOLF TOURNAMENT

● Play Golf  
for a Cause

● All Proceeds  
go to provide  
scholarships to  
our graduating  
high school  
seniors.

**MONDAY  
JULY 1, 2024**

AT Wolf Creek GOLF COURSE  
3000 Union Rd.  
Atlanta, GA 30331

PLAYER REGISTRATION  
8AM-9AM

TEE TIME: 9:30AM

FOR DETAILED REGISTRATION INFO GO  
TO: [WWW.BIGBETHELAME.ORG](http://WWW.BIGBETHELAME.ORG) LOOK  
FOR THE INFO BUTTONS ON ANY OF  
THE TABS LISTED BELOW

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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

HOLE SPONSORSHIP \$500  
PATRON SPONSOR \$125  
IN-KIND SPONSOR

PLAYER REGISTRATION  
TEAM OF 4 PLAYERS: \$500  
INDIVIDUAL PLAYER: \$125



M.O.B.B. Golf Sign up

<https://form.jotform.com/241427928956167>



The North Atlanta District

# WELCOMES

Our new Presiding Elder

*Rev. Kimberly McMichael*



Welcome Reception

6:00 PM | Thursday, June 27, 2024



Mount Carmel AME Church

1140 Henry Thomas Drive, SE, Atlanta, GA 30315

Pastor - Rev. Reginald Cleaver, Jr.

Pastors and 2-3 Local Church Representatives are asked to be present.

The NAD Planning meeting will immediately follow the welcome reception at 7:00 PM.

# June is Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month.

Learn more at [www.alzheimers.gov](http://www.alzheimers.gov).



#NIAAlzheimers



NIH National Institute on Aging

## The Symptoms of Alzheimer's

**BRAIN HEALTH CENTER FOR AFRICAN AMERICANS**

A Program of **BHIM** **GILAD**

## KNOW THE SIGNS

Recognizing the early signs of Alzheimer's and dementia is important. Early detection can help find the best care options and maintain independence longer.



### MEMORY

Memory loss that disrupts daily life.



### PLANNING

Trouble problem solving and planning and doing familiar tasks like tracking monthly bills



### DAILY TASKS

Difficulty completing familiar everyday tasks at home, work, or for fun.



### TIME

Confusion with time or place; Losing track of dates or seasons



### VISION

Difficulty seeing, reading, or avoiding obstacles, trouble coping in bright and/or low light.



### LANGUAGE

Trouble following conversations or finding the word; calling things the wrong name



### SOCIAL

Withdrawal from social and work activities



### MOOD

Beyond confused, depressed, or anxious, easily upset or lashing out at others



Magistrate Court of Fulton County &  
Big Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church Host a

# LEGISLATIVE TOWNHALL

## On New Housing Laws



Come learn about the new housing laws, procedures, & protections.

**Thursday,  
June 27, 2024**



6:00 PM – 7:30 PM



**Big Bethel A.M.E. Church**  
220 Auburn Ave NE,  
Atlanta, GA 30303



**Free & Open to the Public!**

### Speakers

- ✓ **Cassandra Kirk,**  
Chief Magistrate Judge
- ✓ **Margaret L. Kinnear, Esq.,**  
Senior Attorney/Tenant Hotline  
Director, Atlanta Legal Aid Society,  
Inc.
- ✓ **Marshal Maria McKee,**  
Marshal of Fulton County
- ✓ **Randel Hughes, Jr. Esq.**  
Attorney, Self & Associates, LLC
- ✓ **J. Mike Williams, Esq.,**  
Managing Attorney, Fowler, Hein,  
Cheatwood & Williams P.A.

### Topics

- The Safe Home Act
- The Squatters Reform Act
- New Court Procedures
- Court Metrics Update

### Community Partner

**Rev. John Foster, Ph.D.**  
Senior Pastor, Big Bethel A.M.E. Church

INFORM, ENGAGE, EMPOWER OUR COMMUNITY.



# JOIN US

## FOR



**EVERY OTHER  
TUESDAY  
@ 7PM**

FOR MORE DETAILS  
CONTACT REV. JESS @770-940-0293

# SMALL GROUP



Rev. John Foster, Ph.D  
Senior Pastor

Location: Zoom

Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87238857567>



Thrive



**BIG BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH**  
Rev. John Foster, Ph.D.,  
Senior Pastor

**TAKEDOVER**

**SUNDAY**

**JUNE 30TH**

**10 AM**



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WATCH



**COME JOIN US!!**

*with*

**Rev. Jessica**

**BUFORD**

Thrive Young Adult &  
College Ministry  
Director



# BBAMEC VIRTUAL Blessings



## Weekly 10AM Sunday Worship

[www.bigbethelame.org](http://www.bigbethelame.org) WATCH LIVE  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUgYvakiMYVM9uae7rk5w6g>

## Weekly 2PM Sunday Thrive Next Shift Worship

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<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUgYvakiMYVM9uae7rk5w6g>

**Thrive - Every other Tuesday @ 7pm -**  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87238857567>

For details contact Rev Jess 770-940-0283



## Tuesday 7PM Women's Bible Study

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87171726645?pwd=anFGaTlwZlIsaEFlL3ROdIBNGVpFQT09>

NEW



Women's Bible Study

## Wednesday

### Noon & 6 PM Bible Study

Rev. Monica Jones, PhD

**SAME AS Adult Sunday**

**School ZOOM LINK**

## Big Bethel Village

Bible Study Monday 4PM  
Worship Sunday 3PM

**PH: (202)926-1123**

**Code: 673604#**



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

## Prayer Call 6AM Mon-Sat

PH: (605)-472-5512

Code: 772576#

## Wednesday 7PM

### Discipleship Bible Study

PH: (605)-472-5512

Code: 772576#

## Youth Church 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays 10:00AM

**Zoom Meeting ID: 775-4987-0483**

**Password: YB10W**

## Seasoned Saints - Thursdays @ 12pm

<https://us03web.zoom.us/j/82655698611>

Dial in #: 1 929 205 6099 -  
Meeting ID: 826 5569 8611

Contact Rev Jess 770-940-0283

NEW



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL, ZOOM

## Adult Sunday School 8:30AM

PH: (309)205-3325 Code: 7789893084#

**ZOOM LINK:**

**ID: 847-251-8679 PassCode: adultclass**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8472518679?pwd=NzI0RG1qNmVYY0R5RFY2VzV6ZG1MZz09>

## Youth Sunday School 8:30AM

Email Everett Jolly  
[joll@comcast.net](mailto:joll@comcast.net)

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