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Big Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church

REVEREND JOHN FOSTER PH.D., SENIOR PASTOR

Sunday, July 7, 2024 10:00AM



THE PRELUDE

BRO. PHILLIP SKERRETT, JR.

*THE DOXOLOGY

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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

Minister:	I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord!" Our feet have been 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.
People:	They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God.
Minister:	O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your glory dwells.
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.
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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 #572 Battle Hymn of the Republic

1. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord; He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored; He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword: His truth is marching on.

REFRAIN: Glory! glory! Hallelujah! Glory! glory! Hallelujah! Glory! glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

- 2. I have seen Him in the watchfires of a hundred circling camps; They have builded Him an altar in the evening dews and damps; I can read His righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps; His day is marching on. [REFRAIN]
- 3. In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea, With a glory in His bosom that transfigures you and me; As He died to make men holy, let us die to make men free! While God is marching on. [REFRAIN]

THE INVOCATION

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

BIG BETHEL MASS CHOIR

THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE

Minister:	¹ Then all the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and sa and flesh.	id, "Look, we are your bone
People:	² For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led The LORD said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my per ruler over Israel."	out Israel and brought it in. ople Israel, you who shall be
Minister:	³ So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and K with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed Da	
People:	⁴ David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reign	ed forty years.
Minister:	⁵ At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six mont reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.	hs; and at Jerusalem he
People:	⁹ David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. D from the Millo inward.	David built the city all around
ALL: ¹⁰ An	nd David became greater and greater, for the LORD, the God o	f hosts, was with him.
*THE PRE	FACE TO THE DECALOGUE	(IN THE TUNE OF #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 DECALOGUE

Leader: Hear the commandments of God to His people: I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage. You shall have no other gods but me.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not make for yourself any idol.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: Honor your father and your mother.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not commit murder.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

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The Decalogue (continued)

Leader: You shall not commit adultery.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not steal.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not be a false witness.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

People: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Leader: And He 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 "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

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

THE SERMON

PASTOR JOHN FOSTER

BIG BETHEL MASS CHOIR

PHILIPPIAN MINISTRY

THE 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.

BIG BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH

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THE CHORAL RESPONSE

All things come of thee O Lord, and of Thine Own have we given Thee. Amen



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

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



Let us remember our sick and shut-in with our calls & prayers.			
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Sis. Patricia Coles (404) 254-4806			
Rev. Betty Miley (770) 323-6841	I		
Sis. Elizabeth Parks (Liz) (404) 691-4590	I		
Sis. Brenda Queen (404) 274-0705			

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGSSeventh Sunday
after PentecostFirst reading
Pirst reading2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10
Psalm 48Ezekiel 2:1-5
Psalm 123

Second reading

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

July 7, 2024

Gospel

Mark 5:21-43









Wishing a Blessed and Happy Birthday to all our members!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Valentina Johnson	2 Andrade Kenjelique Jacinta Cooper	3 Barry Williams Lucinda Smith Bailey Melissa Wright	4 Inez Greggs*	5 Rev. Dr. Monica Jones	6 Cynthia Copeland Joshua Aiken
7	8 Brenda Boddie* William Dye, III	9	10 Shannon Miller	11 Anna Cornelius- Martin Carmen Lindsey Gwendolyn Langley	12 Rev. Charmain Purvis Coretta Brown Michelle Jackson	13 Kevin White
14 Arielle Miller Delvin Walker* Dennis A. Brazil Gwendolyn Lee Lois Youngblood	15 Annette Petty* Arin Francis Eric Francis Leslie Cone- Sullivan	16	17 Gwendolyn Hart Michael Brown Sharon Pritchett Yvette George	18 Maurice Eckstein	19 J'tavian Johnson	20 Anjelica Miller
21 Anne McKenzie Brenda Middlebrooks Gregory McFadden	22 Charleise Young*	23 Taylor Wilkes	24 Fred Hughey	25	26 Arthur Maddox, Sr.	27 Bernadette Lewis
28 Kallum Taylor	29 Stanley Fos- ter	30 Sheila Henry-Lee* Steven Pritchett Sr.	31 Azaria Graham		Birthday Blessings	

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Reverend Jessica Buford, Thrive College & Young Adult Ministry

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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 Dr. Lairalaine Morgan White, The Reverend Joyce Young

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SERVING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

Acolytes	Journee White & Angelina White	Stewards	Dr. Stan Pritchett & Dr. Chris Parker	
Choir	Big Bethel Mass Choir ~ Nathaniel Fisher, Jr., Director	Trustees	Floyd Baxter	
Philippians	Paul Emery Wright	Ushers	Usherette Ministry #2	
	R.T. Bussey & Eva Watson Stewardess Ministry			
Stewardesses		AV Ministry	Phyllis Smiley & Brandon Collins	
Finance Team				





The Transportation Ministry is in need of volunteer drivers!!

If you or anyone you know are interested in receiving a ride to and from church, please scan the QR code to register or

call the Church Office at 404-827-9707



2PM JULY 14TH NORSHOP Reginald T. Jackson

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CLASS OF 2024

We are **Proud** of You!!

All graduates are asked to complete the Graduate Recognition Form by July 21st. Registered graduates will receive special recognition on Sunday, July 28th @ the 10 AM worship service. Scan the QR code or go to the "Graduate Recognition" button on the Resources tab of the church website: www.bigbethelame.org/member-services



FOR

ALL GROUP





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



Thrive Small Group Zoom

Location: Zoom Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87238857567

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Weekly 10AM Sunday Worship

www.bigbethelame.org WATCH LIVE https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC Uugvak/MYV/M9uae7rK5w6g

Weekly 2PM Sunday Thrive Next Shift Worship

www.bigbethelame.org WATCH LIVE http://www.or.tle.com/home/LCU.p.ol/ /// Mue?K5vig

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

Fordetails contact Rev Jess 770-940-0293

Tuesday 7PM Women's Bible Sludy

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Wednesday Noon & 6 PM Bible Study

Rev. Monica Jones, FhD 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: ¹⁹ See, I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?

Seasoned Saints -Thursdays @ 12pm https://us06web.zcom.us//82 6555698611 Dial in #1 929 205 6099. -Meeting ID: 828 5569 8611 Contact Rev Jess770-940-0293

Adult Sunday School 8:30AM PH: (309)205-3325 Code:7789893084#

ID: 847-251-8679 PassCode: adultclass https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8472518679?pwd=

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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: 775-4987-0483 Password: YEr10W

Youth Sunday School 8:30AM Email Everett Jolly

joll@comcast.net

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

