

**Weekly 10AM
Sunday Worship**

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**BBAMEC VIRTUAL
Blessings**

**Weekly 2PM
Sunday Thrive
Next Shift Worship**

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Tuesday 7PM

Women's Bible Study
Zoom ID: 406 713 1874
(312) 626-6799, access
code 4067131874#

**Wednesday Noon
Bible Study**

Rev. Monica Jones, Ph.D.
515-606-5183
Code: 673604#

**Thursday 7PM
Bible Study**

Rev. Monica Jones, Ph.D.,
515-606-5183
Code: 673604#

**Big Bethel Village
Bible Study
Monday 6PM**
515-606-5183
Code: 673604#

**Big Bethel Village
Worship Sunday 3PM**

515-606-5183
673604#

**Adult Sunday
School
8:45AM**
605-472-5512
Code: 772576#

**Big Bethel Saturday
School 12:30 - 2:00PM**
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82182945727?pwd=K2N8bkxhMmNkDSVpOWVlZkFhOYzNjZD09>

Prayer Call

6AM Mon-Sat
605-472-5512
Code: 772576#

**Wednesday 7PM
Bible Study**

605-472-5512
Code: 772576#

Meeting
Days

**Youth Church 2nd &
3rd Sundays 12:30PM**

Zoom Meeting ID:
775-4987-0483
Password: YEr10W

**Youth Sunday
School 8:45AM**

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

During this season of Covid-19, Don't miss your opportunity to receive God's Blessings!

Big BETHEL AME CHURCH

**"THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME,
BECAUSE HE HAS ANOINTED ME TO
BRING GOOD NEWS TO THE POOR. HE
HAS SENT ME TO PROCLAIM RELEASE TO
THE CAPTIVES AND RECOVERY OF SIGHT
TO THE BLIND, TO LET THE OPPRESSED
GO FREE,**

**4:19 TO PROCLAIM THE YEAR OF THE
LORD'S FAVOR."**

LUKE 4:18-19

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022

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WELCOME TO BIG BETHEL AME CHURCH • ATLANTA
10:00AM WORSHIP SERVICE
SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022

THE ORGAN PRELUDE.....BRO. PHILLIP SKERRETT, JR.

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.....A.M.E. Hymn #461 Love Lifted Me

1. I was sinking deep in sin, far from the peaceful shore, Very deeply stained within, sinking to rise no more,
But the Master of the sea, heard my despairing cry, From the waters lifted me, now safe am I.

Refrain: Love lifted me! Love lifted me! When nothing else could help Love lifted me!
Love lifted me! Love lifted me! When nothing else could help Love lifted me!
2. All my heart to Him I give, ever to Him I'll cling. In His blessed presence live, ever His praises sing,
Love so mighty and so true, merits my soul's best songs, Faithful, loving service too, to Him belongs. (**Refrain**)
3. Souls in danger look above, Jesus completely saves ,He will lift you by His love, out of the angry waves.
He's the Master of the sea, billows His will obey, He your Savior wants to be, be saved today. (**Refrain**)

THE INVOCATION

THE CHORAL RESPONSE

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC.....BEARDEN-SCOTT YOUTH CHOIR

THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE.....Psalm 19:7-14

Minister:⁷ The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple;



\$\$ CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS \$\$

The 2021 giving statements will be emailed on Thursday, January 27, 2022. The email will come from (automail@360members.com).

Members receiving their giving statements by regular mail should have them by Monday, January 31, 2022.

THANK YOU for your contributions in support of all ministries at Big Bethel AME Church!

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Alter and Big Bethel AME Church Present...

Dementia-Friendly Church Partner Launch

The Goal

To learn about a new initiative at Big Bethel AME aimed at supporting African American families affected by dementia.



Saturday, January 29th

10 AM – 11:30 AM

Registration Required

[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/ALTERDEMENTIA](https://tinyurl.com/alterdementia)

Who's Invited?

- Church leaders
- Staff members
- Volunteers

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR ASSISTANCE WITH REGISTRATION:



(770) 686-7730



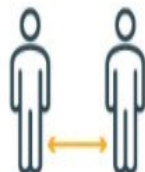
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THE RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE (CONTINUED).....Psalm 19:7-14

People: ⁸ the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;

Minister: ⁹ the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

People: ¹⁰ More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.

Minister: ¹¹ Moreover by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.

People: ¹² But who can detect their errors? Clear me from hidden faults.

Minister: ¹³ Keep back your servant also from the insolent; do not let them have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

ALL: ¹⁴ Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

THE PREFACE TO THE DECALOGUE.....AME HYMN #69

*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

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.....HANDS FOR CHRIST SIGN MINISTRY

THE PASTOR'S WORDS

THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC.....BEARDEN-SCOTT YOUTH CHOIR

THE SERMON.....PASTOR JOHN FOSTER

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

THE BENEDICTION

THE WORSHIP IN GIVING: TITHES & OFFERING ON EXIT



Big Bethel AMEC

announces

Discipleship ~ New Members Hybrid/Virtual Orientation Classes

Many current and seasoned members of Big Bethel AME Church may recall it has been a long time since they experienced New Member's Orientation. Some may be unsure if they did, or maybe never had an opportunity. Keeping these possibilities in mind, the "Discipleship - New Members" Ministry Team invites the entire Big Bethel Congregation to join us for the occasion to explore the New Members Orientation and to study "Discipleship". It is a time to dialogue about Gods' Plan of Salvation, AME Church History, Doctrine & Discipline, Spiritual Growth, Stewardship, and Spiritual Gifts.

As part of the 2022, course study now known as "Discipleship - New Members" all are invited to attend discussion classes held on the **1st-3rd Sunday of each month at 8:45 AM.**

We invite those who started, have never started, or are ready to explore this foundational course of study which honors God's charge to "make disciples". Those interested can register via the church website (www.bigbethelame.org).

- Go to Member Resources,
- Scroll down and click the "Discipleship-New Member Class" button.
- Then expect an email with the Class Manual, Class Schedule and instructions to sign into the hybrid Zoom Class

Please joins in this foundational course study of discipleship!

Discipleship ~New Members Ministry

Hybrid/Virtual Orientation Classes

1st – 3rd Sundays @ 8:45 AM

Let's talk about Faith!

Discipleship ~ New Members Ministry Team



SCAN ME

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

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WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS				
Third Sunday after the Epiphany	First reading	Psalms	Second reading	Gospel
January 23, 2022	Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10	Psalm 19	1 Corinthians 12:12-31a	Luke 4:14-21

JANUARY 23rd

JOIN US IN

CELEBRATING

Big Bethel's Thrive College and Young Adult Ministry




MINISTRY ANNIVERSARY

SUNDAY EVENTS

NEXT SHIFT WORSHIP EXPERIENCE
2:00 PM

SERVICE SUNDAY
3:00 PM

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