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GREATER MT. ZION AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

# The Zion Trumpet



is the start of Holy Week, which ends on Easter Sunday. The biblical account of Palm Sunday (also known as Passion Sunday) can be found in Matthew 21:1-11; Mark 11:1-11; Luke 19:28-44; John 12:12-19. This day celebrates the triumphal entry of Jesus Christ into Jerusalem, the week before His death and resurrection. We celebrate this day today:



**Sunday, April 1, 2012 both Services.**

Join us as we celebrate these other services:



**Friday, April 6, 2012  
7:00 pm**



**Sunday, April 8, 2012—6:30 am**



**Sunday, April 8, 2012—11:00 am**



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## Something The Government Can Do For The Church

A minister was asked by a politician, "Name something the government can do to help the Church."

The minister replied, "Quit making one dollar bills."



To Bible Trivia

### Trivia Question for March

The first chapter of Hebrews related Jesus as being greater than what?



### Answer:

Hebrews 1:4-14 tells us that Jesus is greater than angels.

**Think About It.**

### Trivia Question for April

What should a person never say when they are tempted?

## **An Easter Meditation**

*"...Jesus Christ has abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel." 2 Timothy 1:10*

In the Glorious Easter story  
A troubled world can find  
Blessed reassurance  
And enduring peace of mind—  
For though we grow discouraged  
In this world we're living in,  
There is comfort just in knowing  
That God triumphed over sin,  
For our Savior's resurrection  
Was God's way of telling men  
That in Christ we are eternal  
And in Him we live again—  
And to know life is unending  
And God's love is endless, too,  
Makes our daily tasks and burdens  
So much easier to do,  
And our earthly trials and problems  
Are but guideposts on the way  
To the love and life eternal  
That God promised Easter Day.





<b>April 03, 1961</b>	Entertainer Eddie Murphy is born.
<b>April 05, 1856</b>	Educator Booker T. Washington is born.
<b>April 10, 1943</b>	Tennis great Arthur Ashe is born.
<b>April 12, 1966</b>	Emmett Ashford becomes first Black major league umpire.
<b>April 15, 1889</b>	Human and civil rights leader Asa Philip Randolph is born.
<b>April 20, 1914</b>	Musician and bandleader Lionel Hampton is born.
<b>April 21, 1906</b>	First Black woman to earn C.P.A. credential Mary T. Washington is born.
<b>April 23, 1856</b>	Inventor Granville T. Woods is born.
<b>April 26, 1886</b>	Blues musician Gertrude "Ma" Rainey is born.
<b>April 28, 1962</b>	First Black admiral in the U.S. Navy Samuel L. Gravely is born.

### Spotlight on a Great African American



**Elizabeth "Bessie" Coleman.** (January 26, 1892—April 30, 1926) an American civil aviator, the first female African-American pilot and the first to hold an international pilot license. She was born in Atlanta, Texas, the tenth of thirteen children to sharecroppers George and Susan Coleman. At the age of 18, she enrolled in the Oklahoma Colored Agricultural and Normal University. She became known as "Queen Bess" a highly popular "barnstorming" stunt flier. Primarily, she flew Curtiss JN-4 "Jenny" biplanes and army surplus aircraft left over from the war. Her first appearance in an American airshow was September 3, 1922, at an event honoring veterans of the all-black 369th Infantry Regiment of World War I.



## 10 Scriptures to Pray on the Road

There have been several accidents in the last couple of weeks. Here are some tips to help with this from Sister Edna Stevens.

Talk with the Lord while traveling on the road! When you see the following road signs, be prompted to pray these Scriptures:



**Lord, I'll trust You in these uncertain days ...**

Romans 8:28, *"And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to His purpose."*



**Lord, help me be alert to the strategies of my enemy...**

1 Peter 5:8, *"Be watchful! Your adversary, the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour."*



**Lord, who do I need to come along side to help?**

1 Thessalonians 5:14, *"And we urge you, brothers, admonish the idle, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with them all."*



**Lord, thank You for what's ahead...**

Philippians 3:13-14. *"Forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus"*

**Lord, thank You for this way of escape...**



1 Corinthians 10:13, *"No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it."*



**Lord, thank You for showing me the way...**

Acts 4:12, *"And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."*

**Lord, Thank You for working on me...**



Ephesians 2:10. *"For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in"*



**Thank You, Lord, for forgiving my sins...**

Micah 7:15, *"You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea."*



**Lord, what would please You in this decision?**

James 1:5, *"If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given to him."*



**Lord, I got off track, but I'm coming back to You...**

Hosea 6:1, *"Come, let us return to the Lord. . ."*



04/01 "Are You the King?"  
John 18:28-38

04/02 To Save Sinners Like Me  
1 Timothy 1:12-17

04/03 Judgment of Jesus  
John 19:4-16

04/04 "We Have a Law"  
Leviticus 24:10-16

04/05 Crucifixion of Jesus  
John 19:17-25

04/06 "Father, into Your Hands"  
Psalm 31:1-5

04/07 Burial of Jesus  
John 19:38-42

04/08 Resurrection of Jesus  
John 20:1-10, 19, 20

04/09 Building the Temple  
1 Chronicles 28:1-10

04/10 The Lord Has Chosen Zion  
Psalm 132:1-14

04/11 Keeping the Passover  
2 Chronicles 30:1-9

04/12 The House of the Lord  
Psalm 122

04/13 My Father's House  
Luke 2:41-51

04/14 Zeal for God's House  
Psalm 69:6-15

04/15 Cleansing the Temple  
John 2:13-22

04/16 Planted by Streams of Water  
Psalm 1

04/17 Longing for God  
Psalm 42

04/18 The Water of Life  
Revelation 22:10-17

04/19 The Samaritans' Heresy  
2 Kings 17:26-34

04/20 Worshiping What You Do Not Know  
John 4:16-22

04/21 Fields Ripe for Harvest  
John 4:35-42

04/22 "Come and See"  
John 4:7-15, 23-26, 28-30

04/23 Hope for the Future  
Isaiah 29:17-21

04/24 Separating Light from Darkness  
Genesis 1:14-19

04/25 Light for the Journey  
Exodus 13:17-22

04/26 The Blind Questioning Blindness  
John 9:18-23

04/27 Teaching the Unteachable  
John 9:24-34

04/28 Seeing but not Seeing  
John 9:35-41

04/29 The Light of the World  
John 9:1-17

04/30 Feeding the Hungry  
John 6:1-15

05/01 Walking on Water  
John 6:16-21

05/02 Giving Eternal Life  
John 6:36-40

05/03 Offering Living Bread  
John 6:41-51

05/04 The Life-giving Spirit  
John 6:60-65

05/05 To Whom Can We Go?  
John 6:66-71

05/06 The True Bread of Heaven  
John 6:22-35



## Get YOUR study on!

This month continues our spring quarter's study into our Personal Savior Jesus Christ.

### 4/1 *Jesus Testifies To The Truth*

*How do you "hear" Christ's voice?*

*John 18:37*

### 4/8 *Jesus Lives!*

*How does evidence of the resurrection lead one to faith in Jesus?*

*John 20:20*

### 4/15 *Temple Is Cleansed*

*How can you submit to Jesus?*

*John 2:16*

### 4/22 *Samaritan Woman Finds Living Water*

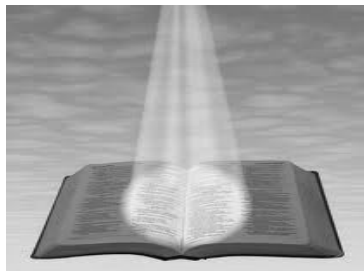
*Thank God that Jesus, the Messiah, is for everyone.*

*John 4:14*

### 4/29 *Blind Man Receives Sight*

*How significant is it to have sight again?*

*John 9:16*



## Church School Staff

Superintendent	Alyshia Keys-Harris
Assistant Supt.	DeJuan Patrick
Beginners	Shuronda Hill Barbara Smith
Primary	Dawn Bannister Verna Thompson
Juniors	Valerie Lee
Intermediates	Shirley Morgan
Seniors	Cheryle Harrell
Young Adults	Wilma Lancaster Monique Brown
Progressive Women	Karen Stanford
Adult Women	Mable Gibson
Men	Robert Boyd

# Church School Highlights

Welcome to Greater Mt. Zion's Church School Page. Here you will find great information on what to look forward to *this* month in your Church School class.

## April Calendar of Events

4/8 Easter Program

4/29 Zion Store

***Behold, children are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward. Psalm 127:3***

**PARENTS!!** A Few Words On Why You Should Bring Your Children To Church School.

Children ultimately belong to God. They are bountiful gifts presented to parents by God to be raised in a manner that honors God.

1. **Send the right message:** Making Church School a priority shows your kids that God's Word really does matter more than pillow-time.
2. **Friends:** In Church School, your child will build positive friendships with their peers by discovering God's Word together.
3. **Systematic Bible Learning:** Our curriculum is designed to give a broad foundation, so children will understand how all the parts of Scripture point to Christ.
4. **Big Reward For a Small Investment:** If you're already coming to Church, just come a little earlier. That one change will equal over 800 hours of additional Christian teaching before your child graduates.
5. **Adult Bible Fellowship:** While the children enjoy their class, you can fellowship with other adults in your own Bible study group.
6. **You'll Be On Time:** Families who come to Church School always get to worship on time. It's the easiest way to avoid being late.

## The Zion Store

If you are interested in financially supporting this amazing tool for spiritual growth please leave your financial donations with either of our Superintendents.

Special Thank you to:

**Sister Monique Brown**

For your financial blessings.

## SHOWING UP AND SHOWING OUT!

Overall high averages for the month of March.

Highest Youth Attendance

**Tie Between All Classes**

Highest Adult Attendance

**Adult Women**

Highest Youth Offering

**Primary**

Highest Adult Offering

**Tie Between Adult Women**

**and Progressive Women**

# HEALTH & WELLNESS



## Voter Registration Offered at Zion

The **third Sunday** of each month (**April 15, 2012**) has been designated as Voter Registration Sunday.

You may register to vote, change your address, change party affiliation, etc.

Did you know your address on the Supervisor's of Elections Roll must match your identification?

Please do not give them any reason to question your eligibility. **Check you paperwork NOW!!**

Also, if you did not vote in the last two Presidential elections, (2004 and 2008), you must complete a new form. Stop by the Wellness Office.

Thank you,  
Sister Anna Herring  
Commissioner  
Health and Wellness

## Vintage Speakers

**April 11, 2012**  
**State of Florida**  
**Department of Elderly Affairs**  
Ombudsman Division

**May 09, 2012**  
**May 16, 2012**  
**Peggy Macaluso**  
**Program Specialist**  
**Alzheimer's Association**

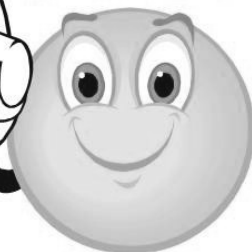
Topic: How to maintain a healthy brain and symptoms of the disease.

**On May 16th**, the specialist will return to administer memory screenings to selected members.

*Word-Filled*  
**Wednesday**



**Don't FORGET!**



to get your  
blood pressure  
checked every  
second Sunday  
after 7:30 am  
worship.  
Thank you.

**APRIL IS NATIONAL  
MINORITY HEALTH AND  
STRESS AWARENESS  
MONTH**





## Heart Healthy Recipes

### Tomato Basil Chicken

Serves 4

#### Ingredients

- 8 oz. uncooked whole wheat fettuccine
- 2 teaspoons olive or vegetable oil
- 1 medium onion, finely chopped (1/2 cup)
- 1 clove garlic, finely chopped
- 3 medium tomatoes, chopped (2 1/2 cups)
- 2 cups cubed cooked chicken or turkey breast
- 3 tablespoons chopped fresh or 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon red pepper sauce



#### Directions

Cook and drain fettuccine as directed on package. Cover to keep warm. Meanwhile, in 10-inch nonstick skillet, heat oil over medium-high heat. Cook onion and garlic in oil, stirring occasionally, until onion is crisp-tender. Stir in remaining ingredients except fettuccine, reduce heat to medium. Cover, cook about 5 minutes, stirring frequently, until mixture is hot and tomatoes are soft. Serve over fettuccine.

#### Nutrition Information:

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|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| • Calories 360        | (Calories from Fat 60) | Total Fat 6g  | (Saturated Fat 1 1/2g, |
| • Trans Fat 0g),      | Cholesterol 55mg;      | Sodium 540mg; | Total Carbohydrate 47g |
| • (Dietary Fiber 6g,  | Sugars 5g),            | Protein 30g;  |                        |
| Percent Daily Value*: |                        |               |                        |
| • Vitamin A 20 %;     |                        |               |                        |
| • Vitamin C 15 %;     |                        |               |                        |
| • Calcium 6 %;        |                        |               |                        |
| • Iron 15 %;          |                        |               |                        |



## Happenings at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church



### ***Mt. Zion Travels to the Northwestern United States***



Tentative plans are being considered to travel to the Grand Canyon or Grand Tetons National Park in the summer of 2013. This time, we will not have to deal with passport or sea sickness!



We need to determine interest in order to obtain group rates for travel and lodging. Payment arrangements will be available.



The sign up sheet is located on the board in the Fellowship Hall. Questions, see Sister Anna Herring or Sister Ruth Davis.



Thank you, Sister Anna Herring



**Saturday, April 7th  
10—12 (noon)**



**Car Wash  
Saturday,  
April 14th  
9am—1 pm**

Talent Night will be held on **Friday, April 20th, 6:30 pm**. All of God's children got talent, so show up and show yours. Sign up in the Fellowship Hall or see a YAC member. We are looking for soloists, group singers, liturgical dancers, instrumentalists, clean comedy, etc. Bring your best and please be "decent and in order."



**Vacation Bible School  
July 16 -19, 2012  
6:30 PM Nightly**



## Happenings at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church



### Fellowship of the Rings

*"Therefore a man will leave his father and his mother,  
and will cling to his wife: and they will be one flesh."*  
Genesis 2:24

Fellowship of the Rings Ministry will be hosting our  
**FIRST (1ST)**

#### **Married Couples Workshop**

Registration Fee: \$40 per couple

Theme: "Becoming One"

Presenters: Rev & Mrs. Mark Crutcher, Orlando Florida

**April 27 -28, 2012**

Greater Mt. Zion A. M.E Church

Wishing all the April Couples' a Happy Anniversary

Marriage Tip for April:  
**"Love"**

**\*We are encouraging all couples to come and be a part of this Ministry.\***

### **O.L. Nicks Missionary Society**

Next meeting will be **Thursday, April 12th, 6:30 pm.**

WMS would like to thank everyone that donated clothes to our clothes give-away on Tuesday, March 27th. Many families were helped.

We also would like to thank everyone who participated in our Annual Tea. The Area Season Tea will be held on **Saturday, April 28th, 3:00 pm** at Mt. Olive, Clearwater. Contact Sister Valarie Lee for further information.

#### **Attention High School Seniors!**

Applications for scholarships are available, please see Sister Mable Gibson if you are interested in applying at this time.

**Save the date!**

### **Mother's Day Luncheon**

**May 12, 2012**

**11:00 AM — 1:00 PM**

at

Greater Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church

Fellowship Hall

Donation: \$10.00



04/01 Kesha Clark  
 04/01 Antonia Swain  
 04/02 V. Louise Mack  
 04/02 Gwen Woods  
 04/02 Marvin Butler  
 04/02 Ebony Harrell  
 04/03 Cassandra Jackson  
 04/03 Inez Bynum  
 04/04 James Davis  
 04/04 Curtis Dawson, Sr.  
 04/04 Frederick Davis  
 04/04 Keontae Mosley  
 04/05 Priscilla Alexander  
 04/06 Samuel Boney  
 04/06 Tommie Keys  
 04/06 Dorothy "Dot" Harrell  
 04/06 Elisha Gilbert  
 04/07 Linda Thompson  
 04/08 Edna Dawson  
 04/08 Latasha Gilbert  
 04/08 Curtis Dawson, Jr.  
 04/09 Willie Brown, Sr.  
 04/09 Michael Crawford  
 04/09 Chris Davis  
 04/09 Latedra Everett  
 04/10 Vincent Cole  
 04/10 Ashley Pickens  
 04/11 Jacqueline Mitchell  
 04/11 Floyd Crawford  
 04/12 Untilla Davis  
 04/12 Donovan Brown  
 04/15 Kadijah Ervin  
 04/16 Gregory Keys  
 04/16 Jamy'ya Washington  
 04/16 Henry Jackson  
 04/17 Patricia Whitaker  
 04/17 Shekerra Rose



04/18 Omega Adams  
 04/18 Angela Butler  
 04/19 Tikki Davis  
 04/19 Antonio Wilson  
 04/20 Dorothy Walker  
 04/20 Javonda Bryant  
 04/21 Calvin Butler  
 04/21 Sampson Canfall  
 04/21 Dennis Williams  
 04/21 Candice Mells  
 04/22 Pierce Bryant  
 04/22 Robert Green  
 04/22 Malik Brown  
 04/23 Charlie Jenkins  
 04/23 Kristen Gibson  
 04/23 Nikisha Jno-Baptiste  
 04/23 Felicia Pizana  
 04/23 Amber Bannister-Akins  
 04/24 Willie Mae Davis  
 04/24 Ophelia Wilson  
 04/24 Patricia Daniels  
 04/24 Herman Williams, Jr.  
 04/25 M.C. Jordan  
 04/25 Alicia Johnson  
 04/26 Tangerae Brown  
 04/26 Tiffany Lene' Williams  
 04/27 Calvin Ward  
 04/27 O'shen Allen  
 04/28 Latricia Harrell  
 04/29 Michael Bivens  
 04/29 Marvin Poe, Jr.  
 04/29 Melissa Smith  
 04/30 Cassandra Bellamy  
 04/30 Alfreda McClendon  
 04/30 Walter Butler  
 04/30 Shamoya Hedley



**Ruthie Davis**  
**James Jackson**  
**Thomas Lawrence**



## TO COMFORT YOU



Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.

John 14:27

## Our prayers go out to :

Debborah, Dwayne and family on the death of your brother and uncle

### Brother Tyrone Armond Howard

Sister Willie Mae, Rodney and family on the death of your sister and aunt

### Sister Betty Gaskin Jordon

Cheryle, Dozier and family members on the death of your sister  
**Sister Patricia "Minnie Pettis" Williams**

Linda Churches and Quatrell Williams and family members on the death of your father / grand-father

### Brother Robert Churches

Please keep the family of **Sister Mary Stokes** in prayer as she passed away on Tuesday, January 31, 2012 in Erie, Pennsylvania.

## Sick & Shut-In

## God Healed Me"



*I'm a Walking Miracle !!*

Sister Ethel Eva	1534 14th Street South
Brother Herbert Johnson (prayer only)	3244 B 38th Way South
Sister Sylvia Johnson	At Home
Brother Amos Keys	2567 26th Avenue South
Sister Daisy Powell	3474 15th Avenue South
Sister Shirley Stubbins	1934 17th Street South
Sister Mable Thomas	2129 Walton Street South
Brother Charles Wilcher	2520 21st Street South

### Nursing and Rehabilitation Centers

Sister Inez Bynum	Apollo Nursing and Rehab
Brother Bobby Jackson	Pinellas Point Rehab Ctr #22B
Brother Lawrence Powell	Pinellas Point Rehab Ctr #28
Sister Ophelia Wilson	Coquina Key Rehab
	435 42nd Avenue South
Sister Ruby Wysinger (prayer only)	Allegro at College Park
	4600 54th Avenue South

### Hospital

Sister Jackie Thomas	St. Anthony's, Room 521, B
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## Youth Church - March 2012



In March, we spent time in the Old Testament. The younger children learned about creation, Noah and the ark, Abraham and Sarah having a baby and we had fun craft activities to go along with the lessons.

The older children focused on the first five books of the Bible, "The Law". We learned how to look up scriptures. We used an atlas to find some of the towns and regions mentioned in the Bible. We discussed Joseph's life and the fact that everything that happened to him early in life looked bad but in the end it was all a part of God's plan and so it worked out for good. And then, we looked at the 10 commandments.



We finished the last week by looking at the Holy Week and everything that Jesus went through during that week. Through our studies in March, while looking at Joseph's life and 'Jesus' final week, we realized that sometimes what looks like it is bad can be God "working all things together for the good of those who love Him".



**every Tuesday, from 6-8 pm, we specialize in math tutoring.** All ages are welcome.

Tutors are needed to assist with this very important Ministry. Please See brother Elijah Gilbert Jr., or Sister Mable Gibson if you would like to volunteer. Our youth need your help.

Thank you,  
Brother Elijah Gilbert, Jr.



***Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised!***

Greater Mt. Zion Officers, Members, Friends and Community...Get Ready, Get Ready Get Ready! as we prepare to take off as host of the upcoming **72<sup>nd</sup> Session of the West Coast Annual Conference** to be held at 1045 16<sup>th</sup> Street South, October 6-12, 2012.

Get on board and buckle up as we embark on this journey. We are asking one and all to ride with us. We need your time, talent, commitment, input, support and participation as a vital part of this venture at our church, Greater Mt. Zion AME.

As a Church body, we know that the Lord is great; He can and will do great things with us and through us if we are humble and trust Him. We prayerfully request that you join in as we take flight at Zion; moving the West Coast Annual Conference to higher heights as we set the stage for the next level. We have done it before and look ahead eagerly with much anticipation and excitement, as we do it all over again, bigger and better than before.

**We** are Mt. Zion, a first class *Church*, blessed to have a first class *Pastor*, Rev. Clarence A. Williams, who shepherds first class *members* determined to provide first class *service*. We need all of you to take the journey with us as we land...on task, on target, friendly, all functioning host of this 72<sup>nd</sup> Session of the West Coast Annual Conference.

Remember: There is no experience like a Greater Mt. Zion experience! Because we are a

**TEAM..... Together Everyone Achieves More**

Make plans to join us!

***The Preached Word***

**March 04th**

**7:30**—Rev. Clarence Williams

1 Peter 5:10-11

The Best Is Yet To Come

**11:00**—Rev. Clarence Williams

Song of Solomon 2:1-6, 15-16

My Mutual Delight

**March 11th**

**7:30**—P.E. Jerome Denmark

Matthew 8:27

What Manner of Man Is This?

**11:00**—Rev. Clarence Williams

Galatians 5:7

In The Way

**March 18th**

**7:30**—Rev. Clarence Williams

Numbers 21:9

How To Deal with Snakes

**11:00**—Rev. Clarence Williams

Psalms 34:11

An Experienced Teacher

**March 25th**

**7:30**—Rev. Robert Boyd

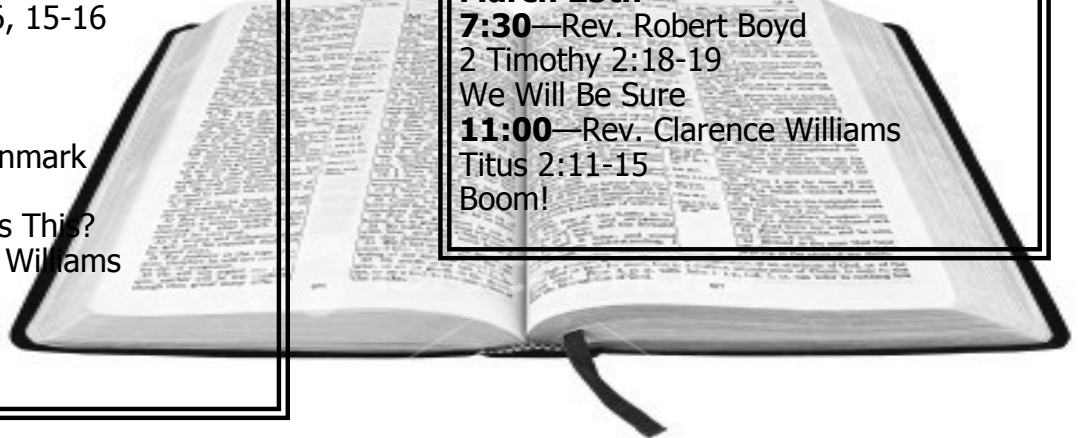
2 Timothy 2:18-19

We Will Be Sure

**11:00**—Rev. Clarence Williams

Titus 2:11-15

Boom!



## Commission on Stewardship and Finance



### Church Sign Update

It's here—our new sign.

Thank you for your faithfulness, commitment and blessing us. We hope all of you that made the sacrifice are very pleased and enjoy looking at our new addition. We feel it was well worth the wait.

Thank you to Sister Terri Murph and Brother Pierce Bryant for your tireless efforts to make it become a reality. We certainly appreciate all your hard work.

Thank you Mt. Zion for being the caring and concerned CHURCH that you are. Sister Williams and I greatly appreciate you and your commit-

### Church Anniversary Update:

Our sincere apologies to Sister Verbenia Wells and Sister Valarie Lee for the error made in our not reporting your contributions. We thank you very much for your donations,

Sister Valarie Lee	\$100.00
Sister Verbenia Wells	\$100.00
Brother Jimmy Pritchett	\$ 62.00







**The Greater Mt. Zion Business Corner** is a public service for our Church family. This is a blessing for you and the congregation. Members, please place your business card in the offering basket, give it to an Usher or email your information to

[helen@greatermtzionname.org](mailto:helen@greatermtzionname.org).

It is free advertisement, please take advantage of it and allow our Church Family to bless you through their support of your business.



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# Trustee News

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## Thank you

To everyone who came out to do cleaning, repaired and painted on **Saturday, March 31st** at our Annual Clean Up Day. Thank you for your dedication and hard work. We appreciate all you did to make this clean-up a huge success. Thank you, Brother Stanley Wright and The Board of Trustees.



## Parking Lot/Building Security CALLING ALL MEN!



Do you have a desire to help your fellow members have a safe and joyous worship experience?

Join Greater Mt. Zion's Security detail to insure that all is safe around our building, parking lots during worship services and other activities. You can sign up in the Fellowship Hall or see Brother Stanley Wright.

Let's join the Men in ~~Black~~ **Green !**




## Applause! Applause! Applause!



The 1st Baptist Church Choir, 60 voices strong, orchestra and Music Directors, Rev. Greg Crane and Rev. Alberto Bent tickled the ears of a very large audience on Sunday evening here at the Church. A variety of hymns, Anthems, African American Spirituals were beautifully arranged and presented.

Kudos to Dr. Royal Colbert for bringing such a fine choir and we are looking forward to the continued concerts in the near future.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Tutoring 6 pm Prayer Meeting 6 pm	Vintage 11 am Bible Study 6 pm Youth Bible Study 6 pm <b>Steward Board Meeting 7:00 pm</b>	Drama Rehearsal 6 pm	Good Friday Worship Service 7 pm	Easter Egg Hunt 10 am <b>Funeral Service 11 am</b> <b>Iverta Beasley</b> Easter Program 3 pm
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Easter Sunrise Service 6:30 am Easter Services 11 am Fellowship of the Rings Breakfast		Tutoring 6 pm Prayer Meeting 6 pm Class Leaders Meeting 6:30 pm	Vintage 11 am Bible Study 6 pm Youth Bible Study 6 pm <b>Trustee Board Meeting 7:00 pm</b>	Drama Rehearsal 6 pm WMMS Meeting 6:30 pm		YAC Car Wash 9am YPD Meeting 3 pm <b>Dedication of St. Mark A.M.E. 12 pm (noon)</b>
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
<b>Church Conference after 11:00 service</b>		Tutoring 6 pm Prayer Meeting 6 pm	Vintage 11 am Bible Study 6 pm Youth Bible Study 6 pm	Drama Rehearsal 6 pm Pastor's Aide Board 6:30 pm Youth Choir Rehearsal 6 pm	YAC Talent Night 6:30 pm	<b>Greeters and Ushers Workshop 10 am</b> SOA Mtg. 8:30 am Women's Ministry meeting 10 am Fellowship of the Rings 4 pm
			<b>District Revival, St. James, Clearwater, 7 pm nightly</b>			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Lake City Connection Breakfast <b>Concert – 4 pm</b> <b>UCF Gospel Choir, Orlando</b>		Tutoring 6 pm Prayer Meeting 6 pm	Vintage 11 am Bible Study 6 pm Youth Bible Study 6 pm	Drama Rehearsal 6 pm	Couples Workshop 5 pm	Couples Workshop 8 am
29	30					
<b>Pastor and congregation, St. James A.M.E., Palmetto, 4 pm</b>						

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*In spite of everything that was  
done to me, in spite of the  
adversity and the bitter moments,*

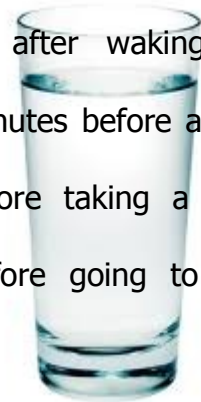


### Water before bedtime...

About 90% of heart attacks occur early in the morning and it can be minimized if one takes a glass or two of water, **NOT** grog or beer, before retiring in the evening. I know water is important, but I never knew about special times to drink it. Did you know that drinking water at the correct time maximizes its effectiveness on the human body?

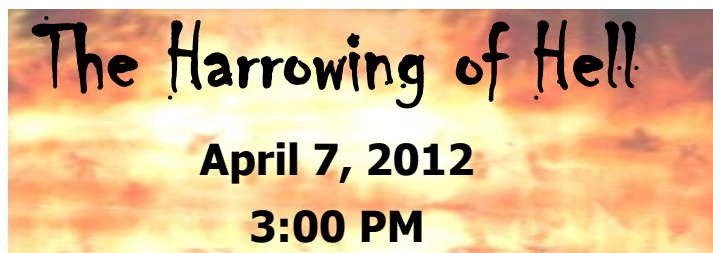
- Two (2) glasses of water after waking up — helps activate internal organs.
- One (1) glass of water 30 minutes before a meal — helps digestion.
- One (1) glass of water before taking a bath — helps lower blood pressure.
- One (1) glass of water before going to bed — avoids stroke or heart attack.

- from Brother Pierce Bryant



## The Drama Ministry

Presents:



Come see Satanas and his Boards Members: Hell, Death, Superbia, Avarita, Luzuria, Invidia, Gula, Ira and Acedia proclaim victory over **CHRIST** - or will they?

Admission free, wing baskets available for a small donation.

