

CHURCH NEWS AND OTHER FEATURES

It's Praying Time



Evangelist Inez Pinckney

Dear hearts, It's praying time now like never before. The Bible tells us "thus watch you therefore and pray always, that you may be account worth to escape all these things that shall come to pass and to stand before the son of man."

Prayer is one of a christian's great weapons against sin and evil. Remember our Lord had to pray to the Father when he was on earth in the flesh.

You see, the Lord is always listening to hear your prayer, and to answer. Though the Lord bears long with you, the answer will

come. Jesus said in Luke 18:1 "that men ought always pray, and not faint."

On this christian journey you can never give up praying, especially when Satan comes in and evil things begin to happen. Many churches, homes, and schools have closed the door on prayer. Men are calling good evil, and evil good, and putting not separating holy, and profane. The farther man goes from God, the worse things get on earth.

Things to shameful to talk about are now being published abroad. Isaiah 59:1-2 says, "Behold, the Lord's, hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear: But your iniquities have separated between you and God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear."

On our own we cannot do anything, but with God we can do all things by His grace, though the Holy Spirit in Jesus' name. Jesus loves you, and so do I.

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Sensational Travelers to Celebrate 51st Anniversary

The Sensational Travelers will celebrate their 51st Anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 8 at 6 p.m. at the Fair Lawn Baptist Church, Hwy 21, in Garden City.

Special guests will include The Sensational Tones of Brunswick, Ga. Also appearing will be the Spiritual Lights of Savannah,

Ga., and the Rainbow Gospel Singers, and the Rainbow Gospel Singers.

First Lady Juanita Hartford of Caanan Missionary Baptist Church will be the Mistress of Ceremony.

Tickets are \$5 per person.

New Birth Savannah to hold Night of Laughter

Join Senior Pastor Kenneth K. Law and the New Birth Savannah Family, 118 Pipemaker's Circle, Suites 202-205 Pooler, GA for "A Night of Laughter", Friday November 6th at 7:30PM with guest comedian Akintunde. Admission is Free! (Offering May Be Taken Up)

Invite your family, friends and coworkers to come out for a night that will lift your spirit. We look forward to having you join us!

For more information contact the offices of New Birth Savannah at (912) 748-

2969 or email newbirthsavannah@gmail.com.

Under the leadership of Senior Pastor, Kenneth K. Law, New Birth Savannah's mission is to lead, teach, equip and disciple God's people into their destiny and purpose.

New Birth Savannah is a cutting edge ministry built on prayer and love. Through this vision, its members operate in love and excellence to win souls, make disciples, change the culture, and advance the Kingdom of God.

Tremont Temple to host Family Empowerment



Rev. William Blount

A Church and Family Empowerment Family Seminar will be held on November 5 - 7, 2009 at Tremont Temple Missionary Baptist Church located at 1110 Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard.

The Guest Lecturer will be Rev. William B. Blount, Pastor of Greater Young Zion

Baptist Church, Augusta, GA.

Services begin at 7:00 p.m. on November 5th and 6th, and at 8:00 a.m. on November 7th (breakfast will be served).

Issues and challenges that are threatening our families will be discussed. You are invited to submit a question that you would like addressed at the seminar by e-mailing it to tremonttm-bc@bellsouth.net or fax (912) 234-0162.

There is no cost to attend the Church and Family Empowerment event.

Contact Tremont Temple Baptist Church at (912) 234-0167 for additional information.

Jerusalem Announces Upcoming Events

Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church Family, 904 Staley Avenue is cordially inviting the public to help them celebrate their pastor, Reverend Allen J. Banks, Sr.'s 5th Anniversary November 4-6, 2009 at 7:30 pm nightly. On Saturday, November 21, 2009 at 6:00pm. Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church Combined Choir will celebrate their 62nd Choir Anniversary.

Family and Friends Day at Mt. Hermon

The Mt. Hermon Baptist Church invites you to come out and celebrate our Friends and Family Praise on the Bluff.

We are located at 13813 Coffee Bluff Road. Come out and enjoy Jesus with us as we sing dance and shout in the name of the Lord.

We are calling all choirs, praise dancers, and

steppers. On Saturday, November 7, Praise on the Bluff is from 3-7 p.m. and Sunday, November 8, services begin at 4 p.m.

If you are interested and want to be a part of this awesome event, please contact Sister Monefa Murdock at (912) 927-0129 or (912) 257-8119.

Historic Bolton Street Announces the Retirement of Pastor and First Lady



Rev. and Mrs. James Shipman

The officers and members of the Historic Bolton Street Missionary Baptist Church have announced the retirement of their pastor, Reverend James Carver Shipman, and First Lady Dr. Kermetta Clark Shipman.

Reverend Shipman has been the pastor of the Historic Church for twenty seven (27) years.

Fifth Anniversary for Elder Neal and Rev. Debbie Grant



Eld. Neal and Rev. Debbie Grant

In recognition and appreciation of Presiding Elder R. Nathaniel Neal's fifth anniversary as Presiding Elder of the Savannah District, the Savannah District of the African

Methodist Episcopal Church invites you to a "Black Tie Gala" for Elder Neal and Reverend Debbie Grant Neal on Saturday, December 5, 2009 at 6:00 - 9:00 PM at the Bethlehem Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, 1008 May Street, Savannah, GA.

The tickets are \$35.00 per person, \$60.00 per couple and \$300.00 per table.

Please contact Rev. Donna Baker at 843-338-6841 or email to revdonna@comcast.net for information and tickets.

To God be the Glory for the great things He has done.

Retirement Program for Rev. James Carver Shipman



Rev. James Shipman

The officers and members of the Historic Bolton Street Missionary Baptist Church have announced the retirement of their Pastor The Reverend James Carver Shipman. Reverend Shipman has been the pastor of the Historic Church for twenty seven (27) years.

The retirement program will be held at the Church 821 Martin Luther King Blvd. on November 15, 3.00 pm.

The Reverend Matthew Southall Brown Sr., Pastor Emeritus of the St John Baptist Church (The Mighty Fortress), and Moderator of The Berean Baptist Association, will be the Messenger.

The entire Savannah community is invited.



Rev. Matthew S. Brown, Sr.

Mt. Carmel to hold Harvest Day Celebration

Mt. Carmel Methodist Church, Inc., 2018 Grove Point Road will hold its Harvest Day Program on November 8, 2009 at 3:00 p.m.

Delores Yeldell of Abundant Life Christian

Center will serve as the speaker for this special occasion.

All are welcome to worship with us.

Dr. Dorsena J. Grant, Pastor.

Greater Gains Chapel to hold Harvest Day Service



Rev. Henry Ingram

The Pastor, officers and members of Greater Gains Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, 1006 May Street cordially invite you to our Annual Harvest Day Celebration on Sunday, November 8, 2009 at 11:00

a.m.

Our special guest for this occasion will be the Reverend Henry Ingram and congregation of Hazel Grove Baptist Church, Beech Island, South Carolina.

This year's Harvest Day Celebration is chaired by Sister Lucinda Chisholm and Sister Sharon Judson. Music will be provided the Greater Gains Chapel Mass and Youth Choirs and our special guest choir from Hazel Grove Baptist Church.

Dinner will be served by the hospitality committee.

Please join us for this holy ghost, spirit-filled celebration.

The Reverend Bernard Clarke, Pastor

Bethel A.M.E. to hold Fall Revival



Rev. George A. Moore, Jr.

The Pastor, Officers and Members of Bethel A. M. E. Church, 1814 East 38th Street, invites you to

fellowship with us in our Annual Fall Revival, November 4th- 6th at 7 PM nightly.

The dynamic quest Revivalist will be Rev. George A. Moore Jr., senior Pastor of St. Philip Monumental A. M. E. Church.

Please come out and worship with us in making this a Holy Ghost filled revival! Contact person is Sis. Judy A. Williams (912) 354-7967

Rev. Charles W. Purnell, Pastor.

First New A.M.C to hold Women's Conference, Birthday Celebration for Bishop Shabazz



Bishop Estella Shabazz

The public is cordially invited to come and celebrate with us at our 1st Annual Women's Conference and Birthday Celebration for Bishop Estella Shabazz at First New A.M.C. Church on November 6-8, 2009.

All worship services of this anointed conference will be held at the church located at 2611 Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd.

The opening worship service of the conference will be held on Friday, November 6, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Dr. Dorothy Manker-Tanksley, founder and Pastor of Restoration Praise and Worship Ministries, Inc. will be our guest Pastor and speaker.

On Saturday, November 7, 2009 at 12:00 noon will be The Hour of Power with the Daughters of Thunder. This year the Daughters of Thunder will include Min. Lori Blige, Rev.

Chandra George, Founder and Pastor of Sanctuary of Restoration, Rev. Lolita Hickman of Connor's Temple M8C, Rev. Josephine Seegars, of Litway MBC, Min. Janice Swan-Butts, Min. Antoinette "Tina" Gordon, and Min. Shirley Wright all of the Thankful MBC. Attire: T-shirts, blue jeans or jean skirts.

On the evening of Saturday, November 7, 2009, Bishop Estella's birthday celebration and Benefit Dinner will be held at the elegant Con-Ed ballroom at 714 Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd. and Gwinnett.

Benefit contribution is \$10.00 per person. The proceeds will benefit the Savannah SAFE Shelter. Attire: Semi-formal. Tickets can be purchased at Shabazz Seafood Restaurant, corner of MLK and Victory Drive, or at the church.

On Sunday, November 8, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. will be the closing worship service of the conference. Evangelist Connie Williams of St. Paul C.M.E. church will be our guest speaker.

We are also asking all churches and pastors to join us in this rejuvenation week-end of your mind, body and spirit that the Lord has deemed to be so. For more information please call 912-213-6444.

Attend the Church of Your Choice!