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Edifying, Equipping, and Encouraging the Saints for the work of the Kingdom!

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday

### February 18 , 2024

## Theme: "The Model Christian Man "

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On behalf of Dr. Michael Evans Sr., Senior Pastor, Official Ministry, Staff, and the members of The Bethlehem Baptist Church Family, we thank you for coming and being a part of our worship service. We pray that you have been encouraged and uplifted. If you are without a church home, you are welcome to come and join the BBC family. Once again, thanks and please come again!



\*Jarryl Jenkins - \*Freddie White - Sis. Francis White - \*Bro. Fred Hall - Farr Family -Bro. Rudolph Fisher - Sis. Ametta Wright - Sis. Sharon Drayton and family - Bro. Eddie Hall - Sis. Gwendolyn Hewitt and family - Sis. Verlilah Burris - Sis Mildred Dears - Sis. Sherri Henderson - Bro Joshua Johnson - Sis. Dorothy Williams - James and Claudia Williams - Sis. Beverly Steward - \* Benjamin Madlock-Dent - Sis. Cellia Long - Bro. Maddlen Douglas - Steve Murray - Horace Purvis - Sis. Frances Flemings - Michael Lassiter -Julie Noble - Sis. Lorraine Hutson Johnson - Cheyenne Thomas - Barbara Harrison -Sis. Teleri Evans - Derrick McCraw - Sis. Della Ross and family - Deac. Terrance Sims -Sis. Jennie Curtis - Willie Bragg - Sis. Kate Outlaw-Thompson - Bro. James Gosa and family - Sis. Regina Davis - Sis. Cheyenne Thomas - Bro and Sis. Scales - Gene & Tennie - Bro. Alfonso Frazier - Bro Eddie and Sis. Sheryl Hall - Bro. Samuel Fry - Sis. Diane Morris and family - Sis. Preshawn Ford -Rev. Charles Colston and family - Sis. Brenda Butler - Evon Jones \*Military Families

We offer our sincere condolences to Sis. Brenda Farr and family in the homegoing of her sister; Bro. Robert McKeever and family in the homegoing of his cousin and Sis. Debbie Williams and Sis. Candance Loyd in the homegoing of sister/aunt Ms. Evelyn Hemphil.

## **Responsive Reading**

### THE CHURCH COVENANT

**LEADER:** By what common and gracious experience do we enter into spiritual fellowship with God and one another?

**CONGREGATION:** Having been led, as we believe, by the spirit of God to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour and, on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of God, Angels, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

**LEADER:** What is the great bond of our union with God and each other?

**CONGREGATION:** We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian Love.

LEADER: What are our great privileges and duties in this, our church?

**CONGREGATION:** To strive for the advancement of this Church in Knowledge, Holiness, Ordinances, Discipline, and Doctrines.

**LEADER:** What vows do we gladly make as stewards of that which God has entrusted in us?

**CONGREGATION:** To contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expense of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the gospel through all nations.

**LEADER:** For the sake of our home and our loved ones, what gracious task do we humbly assume?

**CONGREGATION:** We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to religiously educate our children, to seek salvation of our kindred and acquaintances.

**LEADER:** For what sake of the unsaved for whom our Saviour died, to what manner of life and conversation are we solemnly and sincerely pledged?

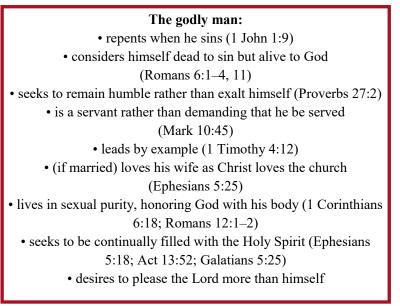
**CONGREGATION:** To walk circumspectly in the world, to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment; to avoid tattling, backbiting, and excessive anger, to abstain from the sale of, and use of, destructive drugs or intoxicating drinks as a beverage; to shun pornography; to be zealous in our efforts to advance the Kingdom of our Saviour.

**LEADER:** Since one is our Master, even Christ, and we are all one body, by what fraternal ministries are we to strengthen each other and adorn the teachings of our Lord and Saviour?

**CONGREGATION:** We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember one another in prayer; to aid one another in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

LEADER: What is our duty in moving from this place?

ALL: We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word. And now unto Him, who brought again from the dead, our Lord Jesus, the power and glory forever, Amen.



### Announcements

Announcement articles must be submitted to the church office either by phone, fax, or email no later than 12:00 p.m. on **TUESDAY** of each week (except when the office is closed).

DO NOT give last minute announcements to the Announcement Clerk or the Tech Ministry! Thank you!

#### Annual Men's Day

Join BBC and the Black Businesses for the **HBCU Fair and Black Business EXPO** Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Join BBC for the **Annual Dr. Martin Luther King Celebration**, Sunday February,25<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. **Guest Speaker:** Dr. Sean Madison from TCC and **Guest Choral:** Timberview High School.

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#### **PROM 2024 FASHION SHOW**

Where: Bethlehem Baptist Church Gymnatorium

When: Saturday, March 2, 2024

**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$10.00

All proceeds benefit the Dr. Michael A. Evans Sr. Scholarship Foundation. for more information please contact Sis. Barbara Pipkin.

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#### African American Leadership Conference

March 8, 9:00 a.m.- March 9, 1:00 p.m. Community Missionary Baptists Church, 820 E. Wintergreen Rd., Cedar Hill, TX.

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### Numbers 30:2; Deuteronomy 23:21 (KJV)

TITHER: If a man vow a vow unto the LORD, or swear an oath to bind his soul with a bond; he shall not break his word, he shall do according to all that proceedeth out of his mouth.

ALL: When thou shalt vow a vow unto the LORD thy God thou shalt not slack to pay it: for the LORD thy God will surely

require it of thee; and it would be sin in thee.

PRAYER. Amen.





### Weekly Ministry Schedule

#### <u>Monday</u>

Discipleship Training (Adult) Health Ministry Mtg. Brotherhood Church Business Meeting Youth Advisory Committee Intercessory /Decision Team Women Ministry Mtg.

#### Tuesday

Ministry Leader's Mtg. Discipleship Training (Adult) Grief Discovery Classes

#### Wednesday

Bible Study Children/Youth Meeting. Praise Team Rehearsal Youth Choir Rehearsal Evening Worship Service Education Ministry Mtg.

#### <u>Thursday</u>

Mass Choir Rehearsal Women's Choir Rehearsal Technology Ministry Mtg.

#### <u>Friday</u>

Fine Arts Meeting

#### <u>Saturday</u>

Deacons/Trustee Mtg. Pastor's Aid Mtg. Deaconess Room Full of Sisters Male Chorus Media Ministry Minister's Wives Joint Usher's Mtg. JWA Hospitality Committee Mtg. Seasoned Saints Mtg. GEMS Meeting 11:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. (1<sup>st</sup> Mon. ea. mo.) 7:00 p.m. (conference call) 7:30 p.m. (quarterly) 7:00 p.m. (1<sup>st</sup> Mon. ea. mo) 7:00 p. m. (every Mon. ea. mo) 7:00 p.m. (1<sup>st</sup> Mon. ea. Mo /Zoom)

6:30 p.m. (2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. ea. mo.) 7:00-8:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.

11:00 a.m. (in Billingslea Hall) 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. (in Sammon's Chapel) 7:00 p.m. (4<sup>th</sup> Wed. ea. mo.)

7:00 p.m.(before 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> &4<sup>th</sup>Sundays) 7:00 p.m. (Thursday before 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday) 7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. (4<sup>th</sup> Fri. of ea. mo.)

8:00 a.m.  $(4^{th} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 10:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 9:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 9:00 a.m.  $(2^{nd} \& 4^{th} \text{ ea. mo.})$ 9:00 a.m.  $(4^{th} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 9:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 9:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 10:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 11:00 a.m.  $(1^{st} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 10.30 a.m.  $(4^{th} \text{ Sat. of ea. mo.})$ 11:00 a.m.  $(2^{nd} \& 4^{th} \text{ ea. mo.})$ 

### **Children/Youth Worship Schedule**

### Youth/Children Worship is every Sunday except the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday is Youth Sunday; Youth/Children remain in the 11 a.m. Worship Service with their parents!

Youth are encouraged to go directly to their places of worship. (Need help? Children/Youth Ambassadors are in purple vests)

#### NURSERY

18 mos. – 3 years of age (The nursery is available during all worship services.)

#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH (Pre - K - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

YOUTH WORSHIP (6<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)

DAY / TIME	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	LOCATION
7:45 a.m.	Parent Check-in (all students)	Kids Zone
9:00 a.m.	Mime Practice	Ed Bldg.
10:00 a.m.	Sunday School (all students)	Kidz Zone
10:45 a.m.	Parent Drop-off (2 <sup>nd</sup> worship service)	Kids Zone
11:00a.m.	Praise and Worship (all students)	Kidz Zone
11:00-12:15 p.m.	Youth Spiritual Growth	Kidz Zone
12:15-1:00 p.m.	Youth Choir Practice	Sammons Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Children Reassemble	Kids Zone
12:20-12:35p.m.	Children's Class Review	Kids Zone
12:45 p.m.	Parent Pick-up	Sammon's Chapel

## **Children/Youth Weekly Schedule**

DAY / TIME	ΑCΤΙVITY	LOCATION
<u>Monday</u>		
7:00 p.m.	Bibles and Basketball	Gymnatorium
<u>Wednesday</u>		
	Youth Meeting	
6:30 p.m. 7:00-8:15 p.m. 6:30-8:30 p.m. 7:00-8:15 p.m. 8:15-8:30 p.m.	Dinner Children Choir (Pre-K - 5th Grade) Praise Dance Ministry Student Bible Study (6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> ) Free Time/ Parent Pick-up	Billingslea Hall Gymnatorium Gym Kidz Zone Gymnatorium
	<b>YAC Meeting</b> (Youth Advisory Committee)	
7:30 p.m.	On the Wednesday following the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	Kidz Zone
<u>Saturday</u>		
8:00-10:00 a.m.	College Prep (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. ea month)	Kidz Zone
10:00-12Noon	SEAAMS (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. ea month)	Kidz Zone
<u>Sunday</u>		
7:45 a.m. 7:45 a.m. &11:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:00 – 1:00 p.m	Parent Check-in (all students) G.A.P. (Special Needs) Speaker's Ministry Sunday School (all students) Parent Drop-off (2 <sup>nd</sup> worship service) Praise and Worship (all students) Pre k - 10th grade Nursery (18 months - 3yrs)	Kidz Zone Sammons Chapel Ed. Library Kidz Zone Kidz Zone Kidz Zone Sammons Chapel Gym



## **Worship Schedule**

#### 7:45 A.M. Worship Service

Call to Worship/Welcome	Minister	
Devotion	Deacons/Appointee	
Song of Praise & Worship	Choir	
Welcome	Associate Minister	
Song	Choir	
*Altar Call (remain in place)	Pastor Evans/Minister	
*Hymn of Preparation	Congregation	
Message from God	Pastor Evans/Minister	
Invitation To Discipleship	Pastor Evans/Minister	
Recognition of Guest	Pastor Evans/Minister	
*Benediction	Pastor Evans/Minister	
Offertory Period (place in baskets at doors upon exit) Tithes, Benevolence, Public		

#### 11:00 A.M. Worship Service

Call to Worship/Welcome	Minister	
Devotion	Deacons/Appointee	
Song of Praise & Worship	Choir	
Welcome		
Song	Choir	
*Altar Call (remain in place)		
*Hymn of Preparation	Congregation	
Message from God	Pastor Evans/Minister	
Invitation To Discipleship		
Recognition of Guest		
*Benediction		
Offertory Period (place in baskets at doors upon exit) Tithes, Benevolence, Public		
(*) Congregation Standing		

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#### Prayer

Dear God,

we believe you are hear among us. Help us become loving men and women and care for others in our family, and in our families here at the church. Keep us from hurting one another in anyway. And give us courage to say <u>"I'm sorry"</u>.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

