

Announcements

11th Year Anniversary
**Bethel Father Daughter
 Dinner Dance**
Saturday, November 17th, 2018
 Time: 5pm-10pm

CHASE CENTER
 on the Riverfront
 815 Justison St, Wilmington, DE
 19801

Online Tickets
 @[http:// BethelFDD.com](http://BethelFDD.com)

For information and Tickets
 (302)409-0336

Admission
 Fathers and Daughters 13 and Over:
 \$50 person
 Daughters 12 and Under:
 \$30 person
 Fathers, Grandfathers,
 Father Figures, and Daughters of all ages

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 BethelFDD

Strength of our Fathers...
 Love of our Daughters...

Sponsored by Bethel AME Church Sons of Allen

25th Annual "Reach Out Sunday" – The Livingston N. Lee AIDS Task Force of Bethel and the Beautiful Gate Outreach Center will be commemorating the 25th annual "Reach Out Sunday" service on November 18th. Please "reach out" to BLESS someone that is living with HIV by donating a NEW clothing item (for an adult male or female). Please bring a donation of winter outerwear, socks, thermals and/or \$5 and \$10 gift cards (Rite-Aid, ShopRite, CVS, Wal-Mart, etc.) to the 8:00am or 10:45am service. Monetary donations are also greatly appreciated! Please make checks payable to the Beautiful Gate Outreach Center. For additional information, please call BGOC at 302-472-3002.


Happy Holidays from the **Young Ladies of Radiance!** Please help us be a blessing to those in need. We have a food bin at each corner of the vestibule and we're hoping that you would be willing to donate non perishable foods for the holiday season. They will be available until December 19th. We thank you in advance. Also, we will be meeting the 4th Thursday of each month and we'd love if you'd join us. Calling all Young Ladies ages 8-18, to join our sisterhood and become an ambassador for change.

Donations needed for office equipment for the Beautiful Gate Outreach Center: large reception desk, large/small filing cabinets. Will take items that are in good condition. Tax deductible. For more information, contact Janet Bivins at 302-472-3002.

A college graduate will make 2.3 million dollars more in a lifetime than those who don't have one. You can attend college without going into debt – come find out how: Friday, November 16th at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Contact Shawndra C. Johnson at scjconsultingllc@hotmail.com or 302-444-4435.

Church Calendar

The Week of November 11th – November 17th

SUNDAY	7:00am – 7am Morning Worship [Fellowship Hall] 8:00am – 8am Morning Worship [Sanctuary] 8:30am – Adult Church School [Fellowship Hall] 9:00am – Church School [Youth: Annex; Adults: Board Room] 9:45am – Adult Church School [Sanctuary] 10:45am – 10:45am Morning Worship [Sanctuary] 10:45am – Youth Enrichment Service (Y.E.S.) [Lower Annex]
MONDAY	 Church Office Closed
TUESDAY	10:00am-8pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 3:00pm – Daisy Jackson Homework Club [Lounge] 6:00pm – Sanctuary Choir [Fellowship Hall] 6:00pm – Deeds & Abstract [Boardroom] 6:30pm – Joined Hands Cancer Support Group [Lounge] 6:30pm – Liturgical Dance Ministry [Sanctuary] 6:30pm – Scholarship Committee Meeting [Annex 108] 7:00pm – Father Daughter Dance Meeting [Annex 103] 7:00pm – Steward Board II Meeting [Boardroom] 7:00pm – College Care Ministry Meeting [Annex 107]
WEDNESDAY	8:30am – Clothing Distribution Bank [Fellowship Hall] 9:00am – IMAC/Faith in Action [Boardroom] 10:00am-2pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 10:45am – Morning Bible Study/Faith Building Clinic [Board Room] 12:00pm – Hour of Power [Sanctuary] 1:00pm – The Connie Young Fellowship [Fellowship Hall] 5:15pm – Body & Soul Exercise Class [Fellowship Hall] 6:00pm – Intercessory Prayer [Sanctuary]; Praise Team [Annex 108] 7:00pm – Faith Building Clinic (FBC)/Bible Study [Sanctuary] 7:00pm – Women's Bible Study [Fellowship Hall]
THURSDAY	9:00am – Food Distribution [Fellowship Hall] 10:00am-2pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 11:00am – History Preservation Committee [Lounge] 3:00pm – Daisy Jackson Homework Club [Lounge] 6:00pm – Steward Board Exec Committee Meeting [Boardroom] 6:30pm – Thursday Club [Lounge]; Liturgical Dance Ministry [Sanctuary] 6:30pm – Livingston Lee AIDS Task Force [Fellowship Hall] 7:00pm – Class Leader Executive Board [Annex 107]
FRIDAY	10:00am-2pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 10:00am – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Fellowship Hall] 6:00pm – Genesis Choir [Annex 108]; Children's Choir [Annex 103] 6:30pm – Bethel Voices of Light [Annex 103] 6:30pm – YPD Advisor Meeting [Boardroom]
SATURDAY	8:00am – Liturgical Dance Ministry [Fellowship Hall] 9:00am – New Members Class [Boardroom]; Security Team [Lounge] 9:00am – Sons of Allen Bible Study [Annex 103] 11:00am – Men's Chorus [Annex 103] 12:00pm – Horns of Gideon [Annex 108]



We extend our warmest sympathy to who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

Greeters – November 18th

**8:00am – Valerie Tillman, Daphne Davis
 10:45am – Joan Holley, Fred Baynard**

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Recorder of Deeds show Bethel was Incorporated on May 10, 1846. During this time Bethel had more than fifteen families who had been meeting for worship and had come into church membership. First Trustees elected were Bennett P. Hill, Matthew Long, Walter Proctor, William Naudain and Charles Caldwell.

Church Conference and Official Board Meeting will be held on Monday, November 26th at 7pm in the Sanctuary.

The Hearing Impaired Ministry will offer an American Sign Language (ASL) Level 1 class designed to give students basic vocabulary, grammar, and expressive practice to develop everyday conversational skills in ASL. The first class will be on Sunday, November 18th from 1:00pm to 2:00pm in the Annex rooms 106/107. Subsequent classes will be held on the 2nd, 3rd, and 5th Sundays each month. The cost of the class is \$100.00 to be paid by November 18th. All participants must purchase the Signing Naturally Textbook (Levels 1-6), which you can purchase through the bookstore. The course is restricted to High School students (starting at 10th grade) and Adults. If you are interested in registering for the course, please see Casi Phillips or Asaiah Fisher after service. Registration will continue until November 18th.

Bus for Sight and Sound trip to see Jesus will be leaving on Friday, November 16th at 2:00pm. Tickets are sold out.

The bookstore's new catalog is out. If you are interested in preordering calendars, holiday cards, books, etc. please stop by the table in the vestibule Sunday, November 18th and 25th after worship.

The Wilmington (DE) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. held Jabberwock 2018 "Imagine Me" on Sunday, November 4th. Over \$142,000 in scholarships were awarded to 30 beautiful and talented young ladies. Taryn-Marie Jenkins was crowned Miss Jabberwock 2018. Jada Bond, Destiney Skinner and Ravyn Moore also participated in the six month long personal development and cultural enrichment program. They all represented Bethel well and took home collectively over \$28,000 in scholarships.



The Florida Grant Women's Missionary Society wishes to thank the Ministerial Staff, Missionaries, The Sons of Allen and our awesome church members for supporting our school uniform outreach. As a result of your generosity we are able to provide uniforms and a coat for 60 students attending Bancroft, Stubbs, and Pulaski elementary schools. Praise His Name!

Presiding Elders Worthy and Loudon, Pastors Beaman, Saunders, Sis. Bryant and all my Bethel family who thought it not robbery to travel to Elizabeth, NJ to see me be honored at the First Episcopal District Church School's 25th Silver Anniversary. I will forever remember

and appreciate your act of sacrifice and support. I also appreciate and thank those who extended their Christian love with monetary gifts, cards, calls and spoken words of congratulations and encouragement. Please continue to pray my strength in serving God through Church School. I sincerely believe that "It is easier to build strong children than to repair broken men."

Barbara Lash

Pastor Beaman, Ministerial Staff, my Bethel family and Saturday morning Bible Study friends. There's a special place in my heart for you guys. Thank all of you so very much for thinking of me during my absence from church. Your prayers and well wishes blessed my soul. God continues to bless me and my family. He will do the same for you, be faithful and obedient in your personal relationship with God.

Brother James Mayfield

The Order of Worship

- *Praise Period Tehillah Praise Team
- **The Doxology
- **The Call to Worship
- ***The Hymn of Praise "We'll Praise the Lord" AMEC Hymnal #60
- ****The Invocation
- ****The Prayer Response
- *The Recognition of Visitors and Guests
- *Presentation of Loyalty Day Awards Daniel P. Hamilton Award (8:00 a.m.)
Community Service Award (10:45 a.m. only)
- ****The Sacrificial Offering
- ****The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings Horns of Gabriel/Ushers
- ****The Offertory
- ****The Liturgical Dance Ministry
- *The Musical Selection The Loyalty Day Choir
- *The Sermon** **Rev. Dr. Silvester S. Beaman, Pastor**
- ***The Invitation to Christian Discipleship
- ****The Doxology
- ****The Benediction

Sermon Notes

Sermonic Scripture:
Sermonic Subject:



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Loyalty DAY

Hebrews 11:4-12

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018

A LOVING WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS AND FRIENDS

We are honored and grateful that you took this opportunity to worship with us today. We invite you to come again and bring others with you. Our church family will always welcome you.

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CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

"To Foster the Development of and Enhance the Quality of Life for all God's People through Worship, Inspiration, Discipleship, and Social Action"

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The Rt. Rev. Gregory G. M. Ingram, *Presiding Prelate*
The Rev. Richard H. Worthy, *Presiding Elder*
The Rev. Dr. Silvester S. Beaman, D. Min., *Pastor*

BETHEL CHURCH, BUILDING EXCELLENCE

Sick and Shut-In

If you are sick, hospital bound, or have had death in your family, please notify the Church Office at 302-658-1676.

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| Dolores Bethea | Merl Hair | Maryann Johns | Oscar Robinson |
| Jackie Brown | Ron Hannah | Rubie Johnson | Kerthia Scales |
| Mary Brown | Codie Homier | Mildred Jolley | Mildred Scudder |
| Keith Dorman, Sr. | James Jackson | Generva Jones | Craig Washington |
| Carol Dunn | Gladys Jenkins | Jeanette McCallister | |

*Beloved
in
Long Term Care*

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| Ruth Burton | Manor Care |
| Paul Geter | Luther Towers I |
| Delores Jones | Hillside Center |
| Phyllis Newman | Cadia Healthcare |
| Ruth Robinson | Fouk Manor North |
| Lottoria Warner | Gilpin Hall Regency |
| Kenneth Waters | Health Care |

Medical Team on Duty

**8:00 am – Anna Cheers
10:45 am – Gloria Walls**

*Worshippers enter quietly and reverently
** Stand/No entering or leaving

*** Stand/Enter – Remain Standing
**** No Entering, Please



Giving just became easier - Givelify is another option for giving and we encourage you to make your tithes, offerings, and other gifts right from the palm of your hand or on the Bethel website (www.bethelwilmington.org).