

The Call to Worship

L: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord; our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem.

P: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.

L: Because of the house of the Lord our God I will seek thy good.

P: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord, shall flourish in the courts of our God.

L: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house. Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth.

P: For the Lord is in His holy temple, let all the earth keep silent before Him.

L: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my Strength and my Redeemer.

P: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, sing praises.

The General Confession

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men, we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word, and deed against Your divine Majesty, provoking most justly Your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us.

Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father for Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake; forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

The Summary of the Decalogue

Here what Christ our Savior saith, "Thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments, hang all the law and the prophets."

The Affirmation of Faith

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our LORD, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of a Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day He arose from the dead; and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty: from hence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen



Rev. Beaman and Bethel Church family, Thank you so much for your cards, calls, visits and prayers for my family during my father's recent illness. He is doing much better by the grace of God. Your expressions of support meant the world to us. God bless you!!

Sincerely, *Shawniqua Williams Roberson & Family*

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

Dolores Bethea	Merl Hair	Generva Jones	Mildred Scudder
Jackie Brown	Codie Homier	Dwight Maness	Craig Washington
Mary Brown	Gladys Jenkins	Jeanette McCallister	Juanita Williams
Keith Dorman, Sr.	Rubie Johnson	Oscar Robinson	
Ernestine Dunn	Mildred Jolley	Kerthia Scales	

Church Nurture Activities April 1st – April 7th

SUNDAY	5:45am - Sunrise Worship [Sanctuary] 7:00am – 7:00 a.m. Morning Worship [Fellowship Hall] 8:00am – 8am Morning Worship [Sanctuary] 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	10:00am-2pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 5:30pm – <i>GriefShare</i> Ministry Business Meeting [Lounge] 6:00pm – King of Kings Rehearsal [Room 103] 6:30pm – <i>GriefShare</i> Support Group [Lounge] 7:00pm – Steward Board I [Board Room]
TUESDAY	10:00am-8pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 3:00pm – Daisy Jackson Homework Club [Spring Break] 6:00pm – Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal [Fellowship Hall] 6:30pm – Liturgical Dance Ministry [Sanctuary] 7:00pm - Trustee Board Meeting [Boardroom]
WEDNESDAY	9:00am – IMAC/Faith in Action [Board Room] 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] 3:00pm – Daisy Jackson Homework Club [Spring Break] 5:15pm - Body & Soul Exercise Class [Fellowship Hall] 5:30pm – Junior Scouts [Annex 103] 6:00pm - Praise Team [108] 6:00pm – Intercessory Prayer [Sanctuary]; Multi-Media [Lounge] 7:00pm – Faith Building Clinic/Bible Study [Sanctuary] 7:00pm – Women's Bible Study [Fellowship Hall]
THURSDAY	10:00am-2pm – Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 3:00pm – Daisy Jackson Homework Club [Spring Break] 6:00pm - WMS Meeting[Fellowship Hall] 6:00pm - Worship Commission [Boardroom] 6:30pm – Thursday Club [Lounge]; 6:30pm – Liturgical Dance Ministry [Sanctuary] 7:00pm - Class Leader Exec. Board [Annex 107]
FRIDAY	10:00am - Beautiful Gate Outreach [Annex 101, 103, 107, 108] 12:00pm - Beautiful Gate Outreach [Fellowship Hall] 6:00pm - Genesis Teen Choir [108]; Children's Choir [103] 6:30pm - BVOL [Sanctuary]; YPD [Lounge, 103, 104, 107, 108, FH]
SATURDAY	8:30am - Communion - Dress Altar [Sanctuary] 9:00am - Sons of Allen Bible Study [Room 103] 9:30am - CYM [Boardroom] 11:00am – Men's Chorus [Annex 103] 4:00pm – Ministerial Staff [Boardroom]
Greeters – April 8th	8:00am –Nancy Boyer, Jane Smith 10:45am –Leesa Kellam-Sheppard, Doris Wiggins

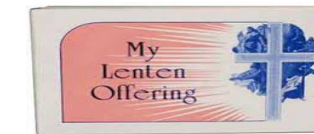
Announcements



Thomas Dorsey is known as the father of black gospel music. He established the first independent publisher of black Gospel music and founded the National Convention of Gospel Choirs and Choruses. Among his influential songs is "Precious Lord", written in the grief following the death of his first wife during childbirth in 1932.

Young Ladies of Radiance (YLOR) is an illustrious Ministry for young ladies ages 8-18 years old. Our radiant ladies unite every 2nd and 4th Thursday for their meetings from 6:30-8pm. YLOR provides opportunities for spiritual enrichment through Bible study which enhances and aids the young ladies' spiritual growth through instructional workshops on life skills, abstinence, health education, guidance for personal growth and development. YLOR also offer fellowship opportunities throughout the month where our young ladies attend local community outings such as performing art events, seminars, recreational activities, informational and spiritual workshops. All girls are welcome. If you or someone you know in and outside of Bethel have a daughter ages 8-18, please have them come out to our meeting, they are lovingly welcome! LaSean Shelton, Coordinator. *Room subject to change, Sister LaSean will alert you prior.

Please join Pastor Beaman on **Sunday, April 8th** @ 3:30pm at St. Matthew CME Church - (2349 Thomas Ave., Twin Oaks, PA) for their Annual Usher Sermon. The Praise Team will accompany Pastor.



Lenten Gleaners containing your sacrificial offering should be turned in on Easter Sunday when the offering plate is passed.

Class of 2019 – Parents & Students: Students and parents will need to have attended both the Middle School and High School Workshops as requirements for the Bethel Family Scholarship. A second Middle School Workshop will be held on April 13th, 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please contact Carlton Lampkins at 302-545-8044 by April 6th, if you did not attend last fall and are able to attend the April 13th session.

Bethel Males – Young & Mature: Sons of Allen have developed two activities for male bonding and fellowship. We will gather on Sat., Apr. 21st, 12 noon – 2 p.m., at Bowlerama (3031 New Castle Ave., New Castle, DE) and Sat., May 5th, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m., for some 3-on-3 Basketball at Bancroft School (700 N. Lombard St., Wilmington, DE). There will be a nominal \$5 fee for each and includes lunch. Sign up opportunities will be available after 8 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. worships on April 1st, 8th, & 15th. Questions? Contact Chuck Parker at 302-236-6047.



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, your desk or Bethel website.



We extend our warmest sympathy to Sisters Nancy & Carol Guy, Jackeline Hunt, Deneen Harris, Leesa Kellam-Sheppard, Brother Michael Ross and Keith Hunt who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

