Welcome to Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015 Enterprise, Alabama 36331 March 23, 2025- 10:45 a.m.

The Morning Worship Celebration



The Reverend Willie White, Jr., Pastor
Dr. Willie Eugene Marshall, Presiding Elder
Ozark-Troy District
Mrs. Deana Young McAllister, WMS Supervisor
Bishop Julius H. McAllister, Jr., Presiding Prelate
God Our Father
Christ Our Redeemer
The Holy Spirit Our Comforter
Humankind Our Family

JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH

Order of Worship led by Dedicated Members of Johns Chapel Honoring Women's History Month

PRELUDE

DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

CALL TO WORSHIP**

Sister Shanequia Scott-Ellis

LEADER: I was glad when they said unto me, "let us go to the house of

the Lord!" Our feet have been standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

PEOPLE: For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. I

would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell

in the tents of wickedness.

LEADER: For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good.

PEOPLE: They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts

of our God.

LEADER: O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your

glory dwells.

PEOPLE: But the Lord is in His Holy temple, let all the earth keep silence

before Him.

LEADER: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be

acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my Redeemer.

PEOPLE: O, sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things.

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth, sing praises!

HYMN OF PRAISE

#390 - "I Am on the Battlefield for My Lord"

Refrain: I am on the battlefield for my Lord, I'm on the battlefield for my Lord; And I promised Him that I would serve Him till I die. I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

Verses:

- 1. I was alone and idle, I was a sinner, too; I heard a voice from Heaven Say there is work to do. I took the Master's hand, And I joined the Christian band; I'm on the battle-field for my Lord.
- 2. I left my friends and kindred, Bound for the Promised Land, The grace of God upon me, The Bible in my hand. In distant lands I trod, Crying sinner come to God; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

3. Now when I met my Savior, I met Him with a smile; He healed my wounded spirit, And owned me as His child. Around the throne of grace, He appoints my soul a place; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

PRAYER Sister Sandra Hammonds

Choral Response

SELECTION The Male Choir

Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden

DeVonte Mills and Kam Elston

SCRIPTURE Sister Rhonda Williams

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

Sister Alexis Elston

Women Empowerment Day Message Sister Odessa Jones

RECOGNITION OF STUDENTS' THIRD NINE-WEEK SUCCESS!

Sister Marge Simmons

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Opportunities to give tithes & offerings: During morning worship service. Or mail to Johns Chapel AME Church, Post Office Box 311015, Enterprise, AL 36331-1015. Or give via Givelify: Johns Chapel AME Church, Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

SELECTION The Male Choir

Praise Dance Ministry "This Morning When I Rose!"

Johns Chapel Women of Praise

Under the direction of Sister Corrina Moore

The Morning Worship Celebration Message **.

Pastor Willie White, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

#239 - Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

- 1. Jesus is tenderly calling you home, Calling to day, calling today, Why from the sunshine of love will you roam Farther and farther away?
- 2. Jesus is calling the weary to rest, Calling today, calling today, Bring Him your burden and you shall be blest; He will not turn you away.
- 3. Jesus is waiting, O come to Him now, Waiting today, waiting today, Come with your sins, at His feet lowly bow; Come, and no longer delay,
- 4. Jesus is pleading, O list to His voice; Hear Him today, hear him today, They who believe on His name shall rejoice, Quickly arise and away.

Refrain:

Calling today, calling today, Jesus is calling Is tenderly calling today.

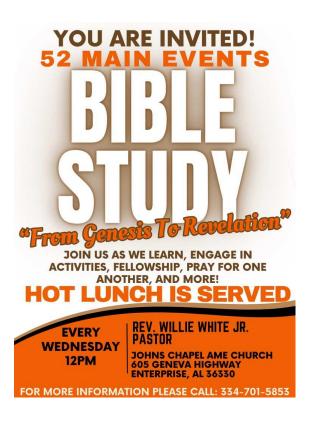
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BENEDICTION

Amen!!



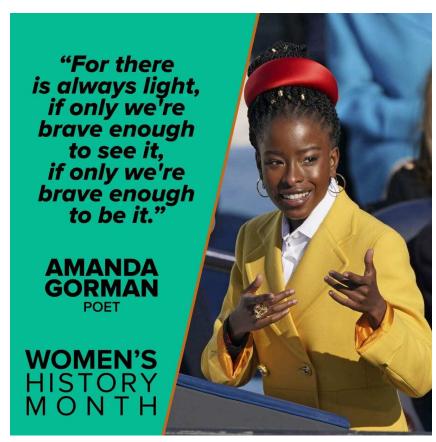
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CONGRATS, STUDENTS! KEEP UP THE

GOOD WORK DO BEST!



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Prayer Concerns Week of March 23-30, 2025

- --Sister Eleanor Bailey
- --Sister Geraldine Booth
- —Sister Lois Boykins
- —Kam Elston
- ---Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- —Sister Marion Griffin
- --Sister Ophelia Hazzard
- —Sister Hattie Huggins
- —Sister Vivian Johnson
- —Sister Corrina Knight
- --Sister Ann McGaughey
- —Sister Nichole Nichols
- —Sister Ruthie Warren—Recovering at home with her sister, Constance Jones
- —Dr. Rachel Wooten Nichols, wife of Ron Nichols, daughter-in-law of Dr. & Mrs. Russell Nichols
- —Nigel Robinson, son of Brother Carlos & Sister Lynette Robinson
- --Sister Betty Simmons Home from hospital. Doing well.
- —Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Roderick Simmons, Daughter-in-law of Sister Betty Simmons

Happy Birthday!

March 26 Jasmine Crawford

March 26 Meredith F. Greene

March 27 Kalycia Haynes

March 27 Kamden Crawford

March 28 Mable Dixon

March 29 Chad Simmons

March 30 Gladys Brooks

There are no wedding anniversaries on record this week.

Opportunities To Worship and Serve This Week TODAY

8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

1:00 pm—Vision Casting & Ministry Fair in fellowship hall

Monday-Friday—Spring Break

Monday

6:00 pm—Sons of Allen Meeting

7:00 pm -JC Recovery Ministry

Tuesday

9:00 am-12 noon—GED class

Wednesday

11 am—Senior Saints Exercise Class at JC—"Drums Alive" - By SARCOA

12 Noon— Noon Day Bible Study

4:30 pm—Pizza With Police

6:00 pm Adult Bible Study IN PERSON in Sanctuary

6:00 pm Freestyle Youth Bible Study GED Room

Thursday

9:00 am-12 noon—GED class

<u>Friday</u>

<u>Saturday</u>

10:00 am — Quarterly meeting of the SE Conference Lay Organization, Greater St. Matthew, Brantley. Please see Dr. Nichols for more info.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please check texts, e-mails, Facebook, and church website for updates

- —Casting the Vision Ministry Fair & Vision Casting by Pastor White & Members immediately after service today. All members are asked to remain for this important motivational session.
- —Thanks to all who supported the hosting of the 9th Episcopal District Sons of Allen Men of Valor Conference on yesterday. A blessed meeting, closed with a dynamic message by Bishop McAllister.
- —Congrats to Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Mills on their marriage on yesterday! May God bless you and your family.
- —March is Women's History Month, with Women's Empowerment Days led by JC Women and Girls. Today's recognition is led by the women, most of whom are new members of Johns Chapel.
- The Month of March is also Alzheimer's Awareness Month. Currently over five million Americans are living with Alzheimer's disease. 9th District congregations are asked to wear purple and send photos to 251-689-9388. Sister Geraldine Sanders has more info.
- —Sister Felecia Britt is asking for donations to purchase Easter lilies for the church... Donations may be given through the church-payable to JC, annotated "Easter Lilies," or give donations to Sister Felecia Britt.
- —Spring Break is this week. Be safe and be blessed!
- —GED CLASSES HERE AT JC ON TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS 9:00 A.M. -12:00 PM IN THE COMPUTER LAB... FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT GED INSTRUCTOR—SISTER ODESSA HERLONG-JONES 334-618-4069 OR PASTOR WHITE 334-701-5853



Sermon Notes

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