## **Order of Service**

WORSHIP LEADER Minister Darrell Hudson

THE CALL TO WORSHIP "Prove thy servants, I beseech thee, ten days; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. Then let our countenances be looked upon before thee, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat: and as thou seest, deal with thy servants."

Daniel 1:12 –13

**MORNING GLORY** 

THE PRAYER Deacon Lenard Whitfield

THE SCRIPTURE Deaconess Delores Whitfield

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THE WELCOME

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD IN TITHES & OFFERINGS

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

A MOMENT IN BLACK HISTORY

THE WORD Rev. Walter R. Dean, Pastor

INVITATION/PRAYER/ALTAR CALL

THE CLOSING HYMN

THE BENEDICTION

\*\*\*Worshippers May Enter\*\*\*

## **February-March Announcements**

- † <u>Black History Month</u> We continue our tribute to Black History Month with weekly "Moments in Black History". The Black History Program scheduled for this afternoon **is cancelled.**
- † <u>Missions Ministry Meeting</u> will be held on Monday, February 27th, at 7:00pm in the chapel.
- † <u>Donations Needed:</u> The Ebenezer HELP Ministry will be providing shower opportunities for our guests during the annual Nights of Welcome, March 11-18, 2017. Items needed: For men: T-shirts, sizes: small, large and x-large; undershorts, sizes: small and medium; For women: bras, panties and undershirts, all sizes. Also needed are personal size deodorant, toothpaste and toothbrushes. A box will be at the back entrance for you to drop off donated items. Donations are needed by today, February 26, 2017. Please contact Delores Whitfield, 896-0961, if you have any questions.
- † <u>Daniel Fast (March 1-21, 2017)</u> Pastor Dean is calling for a Daniel Fast beginning the first day of Lent, **March 1, 2017, for 21 days**. More information on the fast will be forthcoming.
- **†** Women's Ministry Bible Study—Please join us in our continuing study of the Book of Esther as we focus our study on Queen Vashti. We are excited about getting to know her beyond the incident that got her banished by the king. Come out and get acquainted with your sisters and Queen Vashti, Saturday, March 4th, from 10-11:30 am. We look forward to seeing you!
- † The Joint Board will meet on Tuesday, March 7th at 7:00pm.
- † The Children's Church Ministry Team will meet on Monday, March 6th, at 7:00pm.

## **Announcements Continued**

- † <u>EBC MEN</u> Men's Ministry Bible study, "Unleashed," will be held on **Saturday**, **March 11th**, **at 9:00 a.m**. Please come out and bring a friend. A light breakfast will be served. If you have any questions, please contact **Deacon Ron Riley or Chaplain Jack Johnson**.
- † <u>The EBC Sports Activity Group</u> will be held on Sunday, March 12th, in the MPRM following morning service.
- † The Seniors Ministry is sponsoring a trip to the National Museum of African American History and Culture in Wash., D.C., on April 20, 2017. Money will be collected (\$50 per person adults only) each Sunday after service until March 12th. Please see Sis. Constance Lovett, Sis. Jo Legette or Sis. Eva Bland.
- † The Tidewater-Peninsula Baptist Association's
  Fourth Annual Foreign Missions Ball will be held on
  Fri., March 17, 2017, at the Newport News Marriott
  at City Center, 7:00p.m.—11:00 p.m. All proceeds will
  benefit the Kenya Long Term Missionary Project. A
  \$50.00 donation is appreciated. Contact Deaconess
  Gladys Jordan, Deaconess Bernice Stevens or Sis.
  Lavonne Benton for tickets or more information.
- † <u>Youth Accomplishments</u> All youth are encouraged to submit their second marking period accomplishments by Friday, March 13th, to hollowaych21@gmail.com; goodtidings314@gmail.com or admin@ebenezerhampton.org.
- Entertainment Center (light oak wood)
  Washer and Dryer Please contact Sis. Mattie Evans
  827-6334; Sis. Audrey Clement, 329-2936 or Min.
  Renella Coker, 910-691-1911.

# **Weekly Events:**

"Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it." John 2:5

#### **Monday**

Missions Ministry Meeting, Chapel, 7pm

### **Wednesday**

- **†** Noon Day Bible Study, Sanctuary
- † Prayer and Worship, Sanctuary, 6:45pm
  - **†** Kindergarten and Elementary, 7pm
- † College and Youth Bible Study, Chapel, 7pm

# † Bible Study, Sanctuary, 7pm

<u>Thursday</u>

† Male Chorus Rehearsal, Sanctuary, 7pm

#### **Saturday**

- **†** Prayer Hour, Chapel, 8am
- **†** Women's Ministry Bible Study, MPRM, 9am

#### **Sunday**

- **†** 8:ooam Prayer Hour
- † 8:30am Church School
- **†** 8:30am New Member's Class
- † 10:00am Children's Church Toddlers Loving Christ
  - † 10:00am Worship Service

### **February Choir Schedule**

Today

10:00 am

Women's Choir

### **March Choir Schedule**

First Sunday	10:00 am	Male Chorus
Second Sunday	10:00 am	Mass Choir
Third Sunday	10:00 am	Young Adults Choi
Fourth Sunday	10:00 am	Women's Choir

### Daily Bible Readings February 27 - March 5

Mon. 1 John 3:11-18 — Christ Died for Us.

Tues. John 14:15-24 — Jesus and the Father's Love.

Wed. 1 John 3:19-24 — Believe in Jesus, Love One Another.

Thurs. Psalm 40:1-10 — Thankful for God's Steadfast Love.

*Fri.* 1 *John* 4:1-6 — *The Spirit of God Confesses Jesus.* 

Sat. 1 John 4:7-19 — Dwelling in God's Love.

Sun. 1 John 4:20-5:5 — Loving God and Brothers and Sisters.

**PRAYER:** 

"The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." James 5:16

# In Service at Hospital & Nursing Home

Sis. Willie Cross........Waterford at Virginia Beach (formally Pacifica), 5417 Wesleyan Drive, Va Bch, Rm 230 Deacs. Gladys Hawkins......Coliseum Park Nursing Home, Hpt., Rm 102 Sis. Gloria Hoggard..Northampton Nursing/Rehab. Center, Hpt., Rm 16 Bro. Willie Jackson.......Mary Immaculate Hospital, NN, Rm 335 Sis. Sharon Waters Jackson......Mary Immaculate Hospital, NN, RM 331 Bro. Eric Jimmison.......James River Convalescent Center, NN, Rm 116 Sis. Brenda Vaughan.......Sentara Norfolk General, Norf., Rm 1429

### At Home In Service

\*Brother Julian Anderson, Sr.
Sister Louise Beveridge
Sister Sarah Copeland
Sister Susan Donnelly
Sister Lillie Ferrell
\*Sister Anne Finney-Elie
Deacon James Joe
Brother Lucius Johnson
Sister Lillian Lovett
\*Deacon Caston Porter
Sister Marlene Prather
Sister Sadie Stowes

\*Sister Fannie L. Seymour
\*Sister Sinje Taylor
\*Sister Christine Thorps
Sister Brenda Vaughan
Brother David Wade
\*Brother Howard Wash
Sister Helen Winder
Sister Lucille Winder
\*Brother Gregory Woodhouse
\*Sister Viola Wyatt
Sister Barbara Wynder

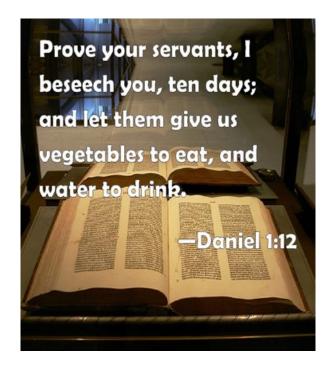
\*Relative or friend of EBC Member



Need a ride to church? Leave a message on the church van cell phone, 240-8184.

# **Ebenezer Baptist Church**

Theme: "Transformation: Moving Forward in Faith, Discipleship and Missions."
Philippians 2:5-7; 2 Timothy 2:1-2



Rev. Dr. Walter R. Dean, Pastor Ernestine Dean, First Lady

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