

**Sunday, March 19, 2017
NURSES DAY**



“Changing Lives on Purpose”

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Trustee John Holland, Chairman
Trustee William Thompson, Vice Chairman

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School for All Ages—8:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Midday Prayer and Bible Study - 11:30 a.m.
Evening Prayer and Bible Study – 7:00 p.m.

We Praise God for What He Has Done. We Worship God for Who He Is.
Loving ** Caring ** Sharing

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Music: Gibson Gospel Singers, Men’s Chorus &
God’s Promise Dance Ministry

PRELUDE TO WORSHIP - Praise Team (9:15 a.m.)

We Worship Through Praise

Call to Worship Minister
Invocation Minister
Chant (Page 551) Choir/Congregation
Opening Hymn Choir/Congregation
Unison Reading Minister
#594 – “The Christian Hope”
Chant (Page 12) Choir/Congregation
Morning Prayer Deacon
Choral Response..... Choir/Congregation
Selections Choir/Chorus

We Worship Through Fellowship

Announcements Sister Melanie Matthews
Pastoral Emphasis Rev. Oran W. Young
Welcome..... Minister
Liturgical Dance Presentation God’s Promise Dance Ministry

We Worship Through Giving

Offering..... Deacons in Charge
Offertory Selection..... Choir/Chorus
Doxology (Page #356)..... Choir/Congregation

We Worship Through Prayer

Hymn of Meditation Choir/Chorus
Altar Call and Prayer Rev. Young/Minister

We Worship Through Instruction

Selection..... Choir/Chorus
Message Rev. Young
Invitation to Discipleship..... Rev. Young
Invitational Hymn / Selection Choir/Chorus
Benediction/Closing Hymn Rev. Young/Congregation



CHALLENGE: ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL

FIRST RISING MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Sons and Daughters of the Church

Rev. Lori Davis
Rev. William Fowlkes Assistant for Transportation & Seniors
Rev. Dr. George E. Holmes
Rev. Lucy Horne Assistant for Christian Education
Rev. Claudius Jones Assistant Director, New Members Orientation
Rev. Joseph Tillmon
Rev. Roland White

Announcements for Sunday, March 19, 2017

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8:00 a.m. – Sunday School

8:00 a.m. – New Members Orientation

9:30 a.m. -- Worship Service

12:00 Noon – Baptist Training Union

1:00 p.m. – Anniversary Dinner

3:00 p.m. Anniversary Service

Guest Preacher: Rev. Robin Toogood II – Purity Baptist Church

Mon, March 20th 7:00 p.m. Spiritual Wholeness Task Force Meeting

Tue, March 21st 7:00 p.m. Joint Board Meeting

Wed, March 22nd 11:30 a.m. Midday Prayer and Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer and Bible Study
Ministries Leading Prayer & Praise
All In-Reach and Out-Reach Ministries

Thu, March 23rd 7:00 p.m. Laymen's League Ministry Meeting
7:00 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal

Fri, March 24th 6:30 p.m. Combined Youth Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. God's Promise Dance Ministry Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Spirit of Praise Dance Ministry Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Voices of Zion Rehearsal

Sat, March 25th 8:20 a.m. Telephone Corporate Prayer of Agreement. Call (515) 604-9000
Access Code: 145196#
MyRequest4Prayer@gmail.com
10:00 a.m. to Seminar sponsored by God Cares Cancer
1:00 p.m. Ministry

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS FOR THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Wednesday 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Please contact the Church Office for scheduling.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, March 26, 2017

Brunch sponsored by the Breakfast Ministry (following Worship Service)

Combined Youth Choir 1st Annual Spring Concert – 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 28, 2017

Food Distribution – 10:00 a.m.

Quarterly Church Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH HISTORICAL NOTE # 41: To reinforce the history of the church amongst all its members, a church historical quiz contest based on the CHURCH HISTORICAL NOTES placed in the Sunday bulletins since May 22, 2016, is coming soon. And, if you didn't read or save your forty (40) copies of the bulletin, at some point all copies will be placed in the church lobby for your review and study. After a reasonable time for your review, the quiz begins. Further detail will be given later relative to the procedures and process for the quiz. So, get out your thinking caps and become a First Rising Mount Zion Baptist Church Historical Scholar!!!! (To Be Continued). And let us not forget that **"Our History Is Our Legacy."**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS TO RESCHEDULE PASTOR'S ANNIVERSARY: Copies of the proposal to reschedule the celebration of the Pastor's Anniversary from May to September, effective September 2017, are available in the Church office. Every member is asked to pick up a copy and review it prior to the quarterly Church meeting on Tuesday, March 28, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. Your support is greatly appreciated.

WE NEED YOUR HELP: Please go to the website: <http://www.dccycletrack.com> and dispute the accuracy of the District Department of Transportation's report on bicycle lanes. Please enter your comments on the website to help the Church maintains its current parking availability, which includes angled parking.

THE SENIOR CITIZENS MINISTRY is sponsoring an outing to the movies on Tuesday, March 21, 2017. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

GOD CARES CANCER MINISTRY is sponsoring a Seminar on Saturday, March 25, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Facilitators from Doctors Community Hospital, SOSI & others. Please come & gain knowledge & power for yourself and/or loved one. If you are going through or are a Survivor, please see Sister Stacey Watson or Sister Lolita Plummer.

THE BREAKFAST MINISTRY WILL HAVE "BRUNCH" immediately after the Sunday morning worship service on March 26, 2017. There will be good eating and good fellowship. Donations accepted.

COMBINED YOUTH CHOIR 1ST ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT - Sunday, March 26, 2017. Please come & invite family & friends to support our youth in their new level of music ministry. Financial donations are needed & welcomed.

81st CHURCH ANNIVERSARY – T-SHIRTS can be ordered each Sunday after the worship service through Sunday, April 2, 2017. See the Anniversary Committee in the copy room to give your orders and donations.

A PRE-MOTHER'S DAY LUNCHEON will be sponsored by The Deaconess Ministry on Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The Guest Speaker will be Elder Felicia Motley. Donations Accepted.

"Likewise I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth." Luke 15:10-KJV
