



**“Changing Lives On Purpose”**

**FIRST RISING MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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**INTERIM PASTOR**  
 Rev. Reginald M. Green, Sr.

**BOARD OF DEACONS MINISTRY**  
 Deacon Harold Gilliard, Chairman  
 Deacon Harold Logan, Sr., Vice Chairman

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINISTRY**  
 Trustee John Holland, Sr., Chairman  
 Trustee William Thompson, Vice Chairman

**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
 Sunday School for All Ages—8:00 AM  
 9:30 AM - WORSHIP

**WEDNESDAY SERVICES**  
 MID DAY PRAYER MEETING - 11:30 AM  
 BIBLE INSTITUTE - 12 NOON  
 EVENING PRAYER SERVICE – 7:00 PM  
 BIBLE INSTITUTE - 7:45 PM

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

Loving \*\* Caring \*\* Sharing

**Sunday, April 26, 2015**  
**CHOIR DAY**

*Music: Combined Youth Choir, Orchestra, Voices of Zion, and Spirit of Praise (Adult Dancers)*

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

**We Worship Through Praise**

Call to Worship ..... Worship Leader  
 Invocation ..... Worship Leader  
 Chant #551 ..... Choir/Congregation  
 Opening Hymn ..... Congregation  
 Unison Reading ..... Minister/Congregation  
   #602 "The Upright Man"  
 Chant #12 ..... Choir/Congregation  
 Morning Prayer..... Deacon  
 Choral Response ..... Choir/Congregation  
 Selections ..... Choir and Chorus  
   Orchestra

**We Worship Through Fellowship**

Announcements ..... Sister Melanie Matthews  
 Pastoral Emphasis ..... Rev. Green  
 Welcome ..... Minister  
 Fellowship Moment ..... Minister/Congregation  
 Presentation ..... Spirit of Praise Dance Ministry

**We Worship Through Giving**

Offering ..... Deacons in Charge  
 Offertory Selection..... Orchestra  
 Doxology #356 ..... Choirs & Congregation

**We Worship Through Prayer**

Altar Call and Prayer ..... Minister

**We Worship Through Instruction**

Selections ..... Choir and Chorus  
 Message ..... “What God Demands”  
   Scripture: Amos 5:18-24  
 Invitation to Discipleship ..... Rev. Green  
 Invitational Hymn / Selection ..... Choir/Chorus  
 Closing Hymn/Benediction ..... Rev. Green/Congregation

**Min. Lori Davis**  
**Rev. William Fowlkes**  
**Rev. Lucy Horne**  
**Rev. Claudius Jones**  
**Min. Christopher Martin**  
**Rev. Joseph Tillmon**  
**Min. Roland White**

Assistant for Transportation & Seniors  
 Assistant for Christian Education  
 Assistant for Children

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**CHALLENGE: ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL**



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**Sons and Daughters of the Church**

**Announcements for Sunday, April 26, 2015**

**CHOIR DAY**

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. – Choir Day Dinner  
3:00 p.m. – Choir Day Celebration  
5:00 p.m. -- Narcotics Anonymous and NAR ANON Family Group Meetings

<b>Mon, April 27<sup>th</sup></b>	7:00 p.m.	Senior Choral Choir Rehearsal
<b>Tue, April 28<sup>th</sup></b>	7:00 p.m.	Sunday School Conference Call
<b>Wed, April 29<sup>th</sup></b>	11:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Mid-day Prayer and Bible Study Prayer Meeting and Baptism <u>Ministries Leading Prayer &amp; Praise</u> Ushers and Nurses Ministries
<b>Thu, April 30<sup>th</sup></b>	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Laymen's League Ministry Meeting Orchestra
<b>Fri, May 1<sup>st</sup></b>	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Spirit of Praise (Adult) Rehearsal God's Promise (Youth) Rehearsal
<b>Sat, May 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	8:20 a.m.	Telephone Corporate Prayer of Agreement. Call (605) 562-3000 Access Code: 164030# <a href="mailto:MyRequest4Prayer@gmail.com">MyRequest4Prayer@gmail.com</a>

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Saturday, May 9, 2015 – All Usher Board Meeting – 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, May 10, 2015 – Mother's Day

Wednesday, May 13, 2015 – Friday, May 15, 2015

79<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary Services – 7:00 p.m. nightly

Saturday, May 16, 2015 – Anniversary Parade and Fellowship – 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, May 17, 2015 – 79<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary Celebration

(Anniversary Colors: White and Gold)

9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

12:00 p.m. – Baptist Training Union

1:00 p.m. – Church Anniversary Dinner

3:00 p.m. – Church Anniversary Service

Sunday, May 24, 2015 – Follow-Up Meet and Greet for Young Adults

**WE WELCOME TWO (2) NEW MEMBERS!!!**

**TOTAL NEW MEMBERS 2015 – 15**

*“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*

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**MOTHER OF THE YEAR:** Don't miss the opportunity to nominate the #1 lady in your life for Mother of Year. The last day to submit your nomination is May 2, 2015. If there are any questions, please see Mrs. Addie Watson, Mrs. Odessa White, Mrs. Dorothy Wells-Fowlkes or Mrs. Anna Smith.

**CHURCH ANNIVERSARY PARADE:** All Church Ministries that will march in the Church Anniversary Parade on Saturday, May 16, 2015 are asked to see Brother David Williams, Sr. so the parade procession can be finalized.

**79<sup>TH</sup> CHURCH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

Please come and join the church as we celebrate 79 years of service in the Lord. The anniversary colors are white and gold.

Wednesday, May 13, 2015 – Men's Night – 7:00 p.m.

Pastor Winston C Ridley, Jr., The Greater First Bapt. Church, Wash., DC

Sponsors: All Men's Ministries

Thursday, May 14, 2015 – Women's Night – 7:00 p.m.

Minister Karen Taylor, Assoc. Minister, Mt. Airy Bapt. Church, Wash, DC

Sponsors: All Women's Ministries

Friday, May 15, 2015 – Family Night – 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Dr. Terry D. Streeter, Pastor, Mt. Pleasant Bapt. Church, Wash, DC

Sponsors: All Families

Saturday, May 16, 2015 – Church Parade and Fellowship – 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, May 17, 2015

9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service – Rev. Reginald M. Green

1:00 p.m. – Church Anniversary Dinner

3:00 p.m. – Church Anniversary Service - Rev. Dr. Duane T. Kay, Pastor,  
The First Baptist Church Inc. of North Brentwood