

United Baptist Missionary Convention of Maryland, Inc.

## Baptist Congress of Christian Education

80<sup>th</sup> Annual Fellowship & Awards Banquet

**Fri, Feb. 3, 2017 | 6:30 pm**

**Martin's West** | 6810 Dogwood Road | Baltimore, MD 21244

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**CBC Honorees:** Sis. Edie McCracken & Bro. Nathaniel Taylor

Contact: Sis. Lois McLaughlin

### 2016 ANNUAL DAY COMMITTEE

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## THE CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

2035 West Baltimore Street | Baltimore, MD 21223

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# sufficient GRACE

II CORINTHIANS 4:8-12

## *Annual* DEACON, DEACONESS, AND TRUSTEE DAY

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 4, 2016

Church School 9:00 am | Worship Service 10:00 am



## WELCOME

We rejoice in your presence today as we celebrate another year's journey in the work of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Thank you for helping us lift the name of Jesus.

Our mission is to serve God by serving others, that the Kingdom of God might be increased. The road has not always been easy but we resolve that God's grace is sufficient to sustain us all.

It is our sincere wish that God's abiding love will surround you as you participate in our service today. Don't be afraid to join us in praising the name of Jesus for He is the only One who can keep us from falling.

Deacon, Deaconess, and Trustee  
2016 Annual Day Committee

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### To the Deacons, Deaconesses and Trustees of Central

We are thankful for the life in Christ you have chosen and for the riches of God's grace. His grace is indeed sufficient.

Your hard work this year has been quite outstanding and through your efforts in part, our church has grown. We are indeed fortunate to have such dedicated church leaders and I openly congratulate each one of you on this momentous occasion.

I want to express my personal thanks and appreciation to you who have supported me so faithfully during this year and for your continued service to our membership and dedication to our ministry program. I pray this day serves as a source of strength and encouragement in the days ahead and that God continually blesses your good works.

In His Service,

*Pastor Morton*

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Outreach Ministry's Christmas Basket Drive

Now thru Dec. 11

The Outreach Ministry is requesting your help with monetary donations of at least \$3.00 per person. The donations will be used to purchase hats, gloves, toys, and books to stuff Christmas baskets for disadvantaged children, ages 3-15 within our congregation, community, and adopted school #150. Contact Dr. Gail Edmonds or Sis. Deborah Winfield.

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### Christmas Concert Choir Rehearsals

All Rehearsals 7:00-9:00 pm

Thu, Dec. 8 | Thu, Dec. 15

Thu, Dec. 22

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### Prime Age Seniors Celebrate Christmas

Tue, Dec. 13 | 10:00 am

Luncheon & Play '16 Women of the Bible'

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### You are Cordially Invited to Attend

The Central Baptist Church  
Christmas Concert Choir Performance of

### "O Come Let Us Adore Him"

Friday, December 23, 2016

6:00 pm

Come and enjoy the sounds of Christmas.

Bring family and friends.

No cost to attend.

*A special Christmas treat for all attendees.*

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Pastor Morton and the First Family will distribute Christmas gifts to the congregation after service, Dec. 18.

## OUR KNOWN SICK & SHUT-IN

Deacs. Emma Clark, 3800 Old Court Rd, Pikesville 21208  
Bro. Roland Johnson, Manor Care, 4669 Falls Rd, 21209  
Sis. Ethel Smith, Future Care, 2327 N Charles St, 21218  
Sis. Harriett Woods, Keswick Multi-Care, 700 W 40th St, 21211

Sis. Catherine Austin	Sis. Diane Paige
Sis. Shirley Bazemore	Sis. Carrie Powell
Bro. Leroy Briscoe	Deacs. Roslyn Quarles
Sis. Velma Brooks	Dea. Medical Robinson
Bro. Sean Bryant, Sr.	Sis. Mary Settles
Sis. Reather Faison	Sis. Judith Smith
Sis. Shari Fickling	Sis. Marie Starks
Dea. James Franklin	Sis. Viola Vaughn
Sis. Sandra Johnson	Sis. Zelma Wallace
Sis. Betty McDonald	Sis. Minnie Wells
Dea. Presper Melvin	Sis. Eva Wright
Trus. John Morgan	Sis. Marjorie Wright

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Pastor's Bible Study

Resumes Wed, Dec. 7  
12:00 noon only

### Holiday Worship Services

#### Christmas Day

Sun, Dec. 25 | 9:00 am  
No Church School

#### New Year's Day

Sun, Jan. 1 | 9:00 am  
No Church School

### Evangelism Ministry's Annual Coat Drive

Now thru Dec. 10

We are accepting donations of new and gently used coats for men, women, and children. Hats and gloves are also welcome. Totes are available in the front lobby for drop-offs.  
Contact Sis. Clara Carroll

## Sufficient GRACE | II Corinthians 4:8-12

December 4, 2016 | 10:00 am

### ORDER OF SERVICE

\*Please stand as you are able | Silence all mobile devices

Praise & Worship



Deacon Clarence Massey

Worship Leader



\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*OPENING HYMN....."Lift Him Up"

Lift Him Up

(Rev. Johnson Oatman, Jr.)

I

How to reach the masses, men of every birth?

For an answer Jesus gave a key,  
And I, if I be lifted up from the earth,  
Will draw all men unto me.

II

O the world is hungry for the living bread,  
Lift the Savior up for them to see,  
Trust Him, and do not doubt the words that He said,  
I'll draw all men unto me.

III

Lift Him up by living as a Christian ought,  
Let the world in you the Savior see,  
Then men will gladly follow Him who once taught,  
I'll draw all men unto me.

CHORUS

Lift Him up, lift Him up,  
Still He speaks from eternity,  
And I, if I be lifted up from the earth,  
Will draw all men unto me.

SCRIPTURE READING.....Deacon Roy Shoats

II CORINTHIANS 4:8-12

We are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down, but not destroyed. We always carry around in our body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be revealed in our body. For we who are alive are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake, so that his life may also be revealed in our mortal body. So then, death is at work in us, but life is at work in you.



AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power, and love. We believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope and promise of our deliverance from sin and death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our life. Amen.



PRAYER.....Deacon Manzy Fulmore

MUSIC MINISTRY.....Combined Choir

WELCOME.....Hospitality Ministry

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Deacon Kenneth Suggs, Deaconess Mildred Suggs & Trustee Maurice Mayo

IN MEMORIAM, by

Deacon Roy Shoats & Deaconess Mildred Suggs

HONOREE PRESENTATIONS by

Deacon Estee Bulluck, Deaconess Dr. Brenda Henderson & Trustee Horace Love

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory Appeal  
Deacon William Tate

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On behalf of the Church  
Deacon Clifton Sherrod & Deaconess Sheron Blackwell

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On behalf of the Preacher  
Trustee Denise Fowler-Moott

CHILDREN & YOUTH MESSAGE & PRAYER

Minister Brandon M. Hite

INTRODUCTION OF THE PREACHER

Dr. Diane S. Craig

MUSIC MINISTRY.....Combined Choir

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Rodney T. Morton, Senior Pastor  
The Central Baptist Church

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

REMARKS

BENEDICTION

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