

True Love

Missionary
Baptist Church



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Dr. Herbert B. Robinson, Jr. Pastor

Proverbs 3:5-6

"Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths."

Sunday, April 4, 2021

7:00 am & 11:15 am Worship Service

PRELUDE

Call to Worship

Proverbs 3:5 & 6 (KJV)

PROCESSIONAL

OPENING HYMN: He Arose

DEVOTION

Responsive Reading ~ Church Covenant, Hymn and Prayer

WORSHIP AND PRAISE

*(Worshippers, fill out your prayer requests & bring them to the Altar)

WORSHIP OF CONSECRATION

Reading of the Scripture: Isaiah 11:1-5

Altar Call & Prayer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PERIOD OF RECOGNITION

*Birthdays, Wedding Anniversaries & Visitors

WORSHIP OF GIVING

Offertory

Preparation: Deuteronomy 26:5-10a (KJV)

Dedication: Deuteronomy 26:13-15 (KJV)

Offertory Response “All Things Come of Thee”

WORSHIP OF INSPIRATION

*Inspirational Music

Sermonic Hymn

Sermon

Invitation Period

Benediction

Recessional Fellowship

POSTLUDE

The asterisk (*) indicates times in which the ushers may allow worshippers to enter the sanctuary.

Church Sacred Covenant

Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour; and, on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place in our affections, prayers and services above every organization of human origin; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrine; to contribute cheerfully and regularly, as God has prospered us, towards its expenses, for the support of a faithful and evangelical ministry among us, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world. In case of difference of opinion in the church, we will strive to avoid a contentious spirit, and if we cannot unanimously agree, we will cheerfully recognize the right of the majority to govern.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to study diligently the word of God; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintance; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be kind and just to those in our employ, and faithful in the service we promise others; endeavoring in the purity of heart and good will towards all men to exemplify and commend our holy faith.

We further engage to watch over, to pray for, to exhort and stir up each other unto every good word and work; to guard each other's reputation, not needlessly exposing the infirmities of others; to participate in each other's joys, and with tender sympathy bear one another's burdens and sorrows; to cultivate Christian courtesy; to be slow to give or take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, being mindful of the rules of the Saviour in the eighteenth chapter of Matthew, to secure it without delay; and through life, amid evil report, and good report, to seek to live to the glory of God, who hath called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.

When we remove from this place, we engage as soon as possible to unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

He Arose

*He is risen from the dead — Matthew 28:7**Refrain*

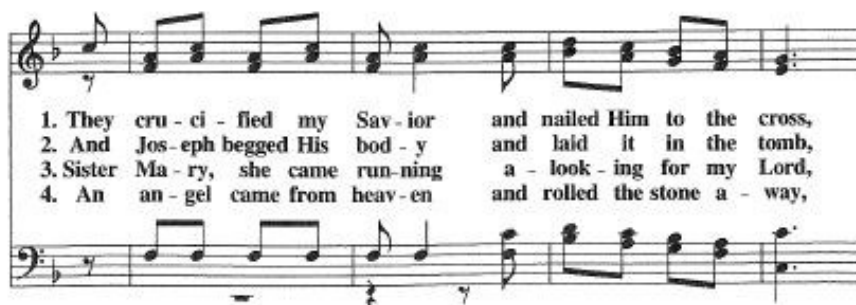
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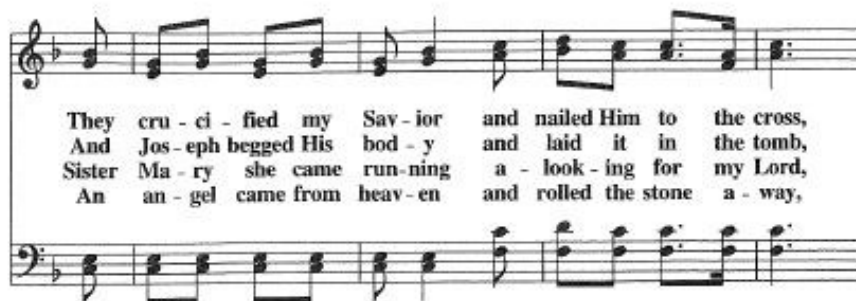
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He Arose



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 2. And Jos - eph begged His bod - y and laid it in the tomb,
 3. Sister Ma - ry, she came run - ning a - look - ing for my Lord,
 4. An an - gel came from heav - en and rolled the stone a - way,



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A message from our Pastor

Praise the LORD, Saints!

Once again, we globally celebrate our faith in Jesus Christ as our risen Savior and Lord. The world has been served noticed that Easter Sunday is recognized and recorded as the day our beloved Savior rose from the grave.

In some places, Easter is seen as a holiday. Some look at it as a time to dress up, enjoy Easter plays and hunt for Easter eggs. Years ago, the little girls wore new bonnets, frilly dresses and carried Easter baskets full of treats. The boys wore new suits, shirts and ties with pockets full of jellybeans and chocolate smeared faces. That's when boys were boys and girls were girls. Those times are now past and today is a different venture.

Easter is not looked at with the same appreciation and thanksgiving that it once was. We cherished Good Friday and joyfully embraced Easter Sunday. We loved to hear the story of how Mary Magdalene found the stone had been rolled away. Nowadays, we roll one up our preferred way and get stoned. I loved to hear how the angel said, "He is not here. He has risen. He got up." When I look around the sanctuary for Brother Polo on Sunday mornings, I'm told, "He's not here. He got a raise. He got up." We get our raises, our blessings and get out of the fellowship.

We pick and choose when we want to worship and Easter Sunday seems to be the day of choice for the whole world. We give God homage for that day, but it is all the other days that concerns God. Busy schedules, working overtime, helping the children or tending to other community activities are really the popular excuses that we use. If God found other things to do than give us our daily bread, it would be an invalid excuse as far as we are concerned.

We are not as concerned about church as we once were. We have labeled the church as being a place for the holy rollers, senior citizens and religious ceremonies such as

Pastor's message continued

weddings and funerals. Then of course, some look to the church for helping them with life challenges when it comes to soup kitchens, food distribution or substance abuse problems.

People look for favors, sympathy, and compassion from the church while rarely or never offering services in return. Unless, of course, if it's for community service to meet a required mandate from a judge in exchange for jail time. It's strange how people have to be threatened with jail in order to go to the church.

We look at the church for handouts, freebies and community services. We want tutoring for the children, activities for the teens, socialization for young adults and babysitting for our elders. We expect more from the church than the church expects from us. It's the way of the world and the view of the church.

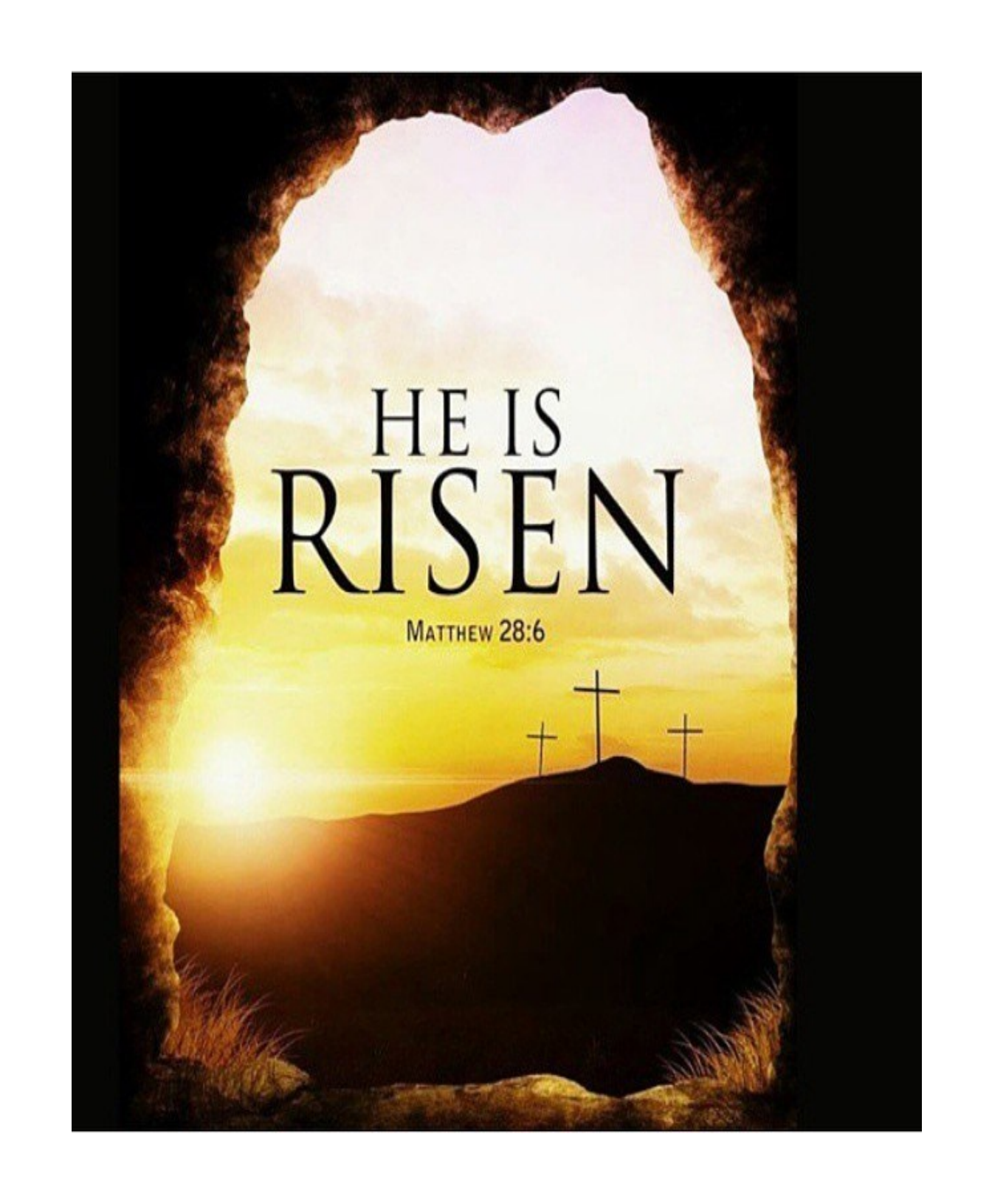
If it sounds like I'm complaining, I'm not. I am just glad to know that the church is available for more than Easter Sunday.

Yours because of Christ Jesus,

Pastor H. B. Robinson, Jr., D. Min.

God bless.





HE IS RISEN

MATTHEW 28:6



Pastor is LIVE on Facebook

Watch Pastor's Friday Nite Sermon on Facebook starting at 7:30 pm

You do not have to have a Facebook account to see him live. Click on the "Not Now" at the bottom of the account creation screen when it appears. Click picture below to be connected or use link.



Link: <https://www.facebook.com/True-Love-Missionary-Baptist-Church-100530718552457>



Watch 'From The Solid Rock'

Watch any of Pastor's messages anytime you need a word. Simply type **Dr. HB Robinson, Jr.** in the search bar from your phone or computer and all of his messages "From the Solid Rock" will be brought up for your viewing. Or you can click on his picture to go directly to his broadcast.

You can also subscribe and receive a notification when new messages are available.



Sunday School—10:00 am

We meet every Sunday morning promptly at 10:00 am by way of Zoom. Please make plans to join us next Sunday and every Sunday. Click on the link below to be connected.

LINK: <https://zoom.us/j/4124860722?pwd=VVBHTlRc3pLNE5ZVUNsUTIMVGlsdz09>

Meeting ID: **412 486 0722** Passcode: **g8RVP5**

Or connect by phone:

Dial: **1 312 626 6799**

Meeting ID: **412 486 0722**

Passcode: **570102**

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Looking ahead:

Sunday School Lesson for April 11, 2021

Spring Quarter Study: Proclamation of the Gospel

Unit II: The Proclamation of Good News

Justification by Faith — Romans 5:1-11

A limited number of Sunday School Books are now available in the church office on a first come first serve basis.

Bible Study

Is now on Zoom

Every Wednesday at 6:00 pm

Use the Sunday Zoom link below

Link : <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/231868828>

Or call in at 1(646)558-8656 ID #231-868-8283#

LIVE Sunday Zoom Service at 11:00 a.m.

use link below or call in at

1-(646) 558-8656 ID # 231-868-8283#



Link : <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2318688283>

Many have called to see how they can continue to pay their tithes and offerings. Here are a few options for you.

Online: Pay Pal System through our church website:
www.TrueLoveBaptist.org

Mailing address: True Love Missionary Baptist Church
8130 Tireman
Detroit, MI 48204

Drop Off: Church office through the mail slot.
(Please call before making the trip)

Feel free to contact the office with any questions you may have. Make sure we have a good email address for you so you don't miss any church updates. At this time the office is open **Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Please share this information with other church family members so we can all be informed of the latest news and information.



El Bethel Church Anniversary

*On Sunday, April 11th we will fellowship with El Bethel via **Zoom** in celebration of their 81st Church Anniversary. Our very own Pastor Robinson will deliver the message. This service will start at 2:00 pm via Zoom the link information is below.*

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/95034285086>

Meeting ID: **950 3428 5086**

Go Fund Me for Thomas Dixon

Deacon Thomas Dixon recently lost his home because of a fire, and he needs our help. Go to his [Go Fund Me Page](#) to read his story and see the devastating pictures.

In the search bar of Go Fund me, please type: **Help Thomas Dixon**, and his link should populate first. The word **HELP** must be included. You can also use the link: **[gf.me/u/znza7k](https://gofundme.com/u/znza7k)** or click on the his picture to be taken directly to his page.

Thanks so much!



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

PRAYER LIST

Sis. Harriett Austin
Trustee Johnny Belton
Sis. Mildred Belton
Bro. Curtis Bennett
Sis. Joan Brewer
Sis. Pamala Broner
Sis. Veronica Campbell
Bro. Carlos Craig
Sis. Shirley Davis
Trustee William Davis
Sis. Ione Dyer
Sis. Muriel Fegins
Sis. Waltina Gorman
Sis. Dorothy Harris
Sis. Annie Holcomb
Sis. Cathy Jackson
Sis. Delisa Jackson
Sis. Mary Jackson
Sis. Karen Jenkins
Sis. Ovaedia Johnson
Sis. Tracy Johnson

PRAYER LIST (continued)

Bro. Percy Jones
Sis. Evelyn King
Sis. Nettie King
Sis. Kimberly Lane
Bro. Marvin Phelps, Jr.
Sis. Shirley Quick
Sis. Ruby Ray
Sis. Patricia Richardson
Sis. Alice Bey-Robinson
Sis. Dionne Scott
Mother Elsie Scruggs
Bro. Edward Sumler
** Sis. Johnnye Summerville
Sis. Shirley Sykes
Sis. Mary Taylor
Sis. Michelle Thurmond
Sis. Shirley Trent
Sis. Monica Van Buren
Sis. Ceciel Walker
Sis. Bessie M. William

Healing Scriptures

*Isaiah 53:3-5 Isaiah 54:17
Jeremiah 32:27 Psalm 103:3
Matthew 8:16-17*

Take this dosage 3 times a day.

** No phone calls please



SHUT-IN

Sis. Rosa Berry
Sis. Rosie Campbell
Sis. Eleanor Denson
Sis. Bertha Gilliam
Sis. Earnestine Haugabook
Bro. Lee Richardson

HEALTH CONCERNS

Sis. Jeanette Benson
Bro. Desmond Brassell
Sis. Bernice Jones

IN NURSING / REHABILITATION CENTERS

Sister Francis Garland
Hartford Nursing & Rehab Center
6700 W. Outer Drive,
Detroit, MI 48235

Sister Louise Manning
Regency Heights
19100 W. Seven Mile Rd.,
Detroit, MI 48219



BEREAVED:



Please keep all bereaved in your prayers.

Please **contact Sis. Ivory at (248) 356-6372** if you are interested. All are invited and welcomed to attend. Individual course or workshop registration is \$25 if your church is not registered. The **deadline** to register is **Sunday, April 18th**. Thanks in advance. Use the link below for course or workshop selection.

Participant Registration Link for all participants:

<https://forms.gle/dbnAthNwTRMXaFft5>

Baptist, Missionary, & Educational State Congress of Christian Education
Ministry of the BM&E State Convention of Michigan
Dr. Wallace R. Mills, Jr. - Convention President

72ND ANNUAL SESSION
via ZOOM

THEME:
Glorifying God
Through Our Commitment To
CHRIST-CENTERED EVANGELISM
Matthew 9:35, John 14:6, Acts 14:21, Romans 1:16

Monday, April 26, 2021 through Friday, April 30, 2021
6:00pm to 8:30pm (Monday through Thursday)
6:30pm to 7:30pm (Friday)

Tuesday – Dean's Night
(Address @ 7:30PM)
Dean Corinne Russell

Thursday-President's Night
(Address @ 7:30PM)
President Damon Moseley

Friday-Youth & Young Adult Night @6:30PM
Ministry led by President Antoinette Pearson

#1004 Effective Bible Reading

#1007 Survey of the Old Testament

COURSES / WORKSHOPS
(Monday - Thursday @6:00PM)

#2007 Christian Stewardship

#2011 Baptist Doctrine

WORKSHOP #1
Moving from Mistake to Ministry

#9005 Writing Techniques II

#9024 Technology in the Life of the Church

WORKSHOP #2
Digital Evangelism

Dial: 312.626.6799 Meeting ID: 865 0496 0005 Passcode: 722021

****Church Or Individual Registration Required For Courses****
For Registration Information Please Email: bmecongress@gmail.com



CITY OF DETROIT COVID-19 VACCINES UPDATE - DETROITERS

Updated: March 2nd, 2021



WHO IS ELIGIBLE AT TCF CENTER?

There is **NO COST** for the vaccine.

- **NEW!** Manufacturing employees, provided they live or work in Detroit. Employees should check with their employer first to determine whether their company vaccinations will be done at TCF or on site. Employees at FCA/Stellantis plants (Jefferson North and Mack) will be offered vaccinations on site.
- **NEW:** A Good Neighbor who is age 55 or older who lives in Detroit or in Michigan, who drives a Detroit age 60+ to the TCF Center vaccine site. The appointments must be made at the same time.
- Any resident of the City of Detroit who is age 60 or older (that means anyone born in 1960 or earlier).
- Childcare providers and K-12 school employees.
- Adult Foster Care caregivers.
- U.S. Post Office employees who live or work in Detroit.
- Employees of the City of Detroit or city-related agencies who are working from their regular job site. Employees working from home are not eligible at this time.
- Federal, state law enforcement officials who live or work in Detroit and report to a job site, such as FBI, ATF, DEA, U.S. Marshall, U.S. Attorney, State Police, and Michigan Attorney General.
- Funeral home/mortuary services employees who live or work in Detroit.
- Active members of the clergy who live or work in Detroit and whose ministry brings them into face-to-face contact with congregation members.
- All food or beverage workers living or working in the City of Detroit: Grocery stores, restaurants, meat packing, food & beverage handling facilities.
- Security guards and janitors.
- All identified populations in Group 1A. Paid and unpaid persons in health care settings who have the potential for direct or indirect exposure to patients or infectious materials working in Detroit.
- Detroit residents 18+ with intellectual and developmental disabilities, caregivers of those residents and home healthcare providers if they travel in the same vehicle during the appointment. One live-in caregiver per resident. Evidence of condition required at appointment.

HOW TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE CITY OF DETROIT COVID-19 VACCINE PROGRAM AT TCF

Appointments are being scheduled for the TCF Center. Here's how:

1. Call (313) 230-0505 Monday through Friday, 9 am – 6 pm
2. Choose Prompt 1 to make an appointment "vaccine option."
3. If you are in one of the identified groups to receive a vaccine, one caller can book for multiple people in your car. You will need 6 pieces of information for each person when you make the call:
 - Name, Address, Date of Birth, Phone number, Email, Have you had previous allergic reactions

to vaccines.

- For workers and others, you will need to provide essential work type, employer name, work address, and bring proof of employment to the vaccine appointment (i.e. work badge or employer paystub printed or on your phone).
4. You will be given appointments for 2 vaccine dates.
 5. Reminders and instructions will be sent via text and/or email.

Please check back for updates on vaccines for additional groups.

REMEMBER!

If you need help, or know anyone who needs assistance,
always remember our 24-hour access number:

800-241-4949



FEMA

COVID-19

Funeral Assistance

Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, FEMA will provide financial assistance for COVID-19-related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020.

FEMA will begin to implement COVID-19 funeral assistance in April. In the meantime, people who have COVID-19 funeral expenses are encouraged to keep and gather documentation.

Who is Eligible?

To be eligible for funeral assistance, you must meet these conditions:

- The death must have occurred in the United States, including the U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia.
- The death certificate must indicate the death was attributed to COVID-19.
- The applicant must be a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien who incurred funeral expenses after January 20, 2020.
- There is no requirement for the deceased person to have been a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien.

How to Apply

In April, FEMA will begin accepting applications. If you had COVID-19 funeral expenses, we encourage you to keep and gather documentation. Types of information should include:

- An official death certificate that attributes the death directly or indirectly to COVID-19 and shows that the death occurred in the United States, including the U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia.
- Funeral expenses documents (receipts, funeral home contract, etc.) that includes the applicant's name, the deceased person's name, the amount of funeral expenses, and the dates the funeral expenses happened.
- Proof of funds received from other sources specifically for use toward funeral costs. We are not able to duplicate benefits received from burial or funeral insurance, financial assistance received from voluntary agencies, government agencies, or other sources.

How are Funds Received

If you are eligible for funeral assistance you will receive a check by mail, or funds by direct deposit, depending on which option you choose when you apply for assistance.

For more information go to the FEMA website at:

<https://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>

**HELP AVAILABLE for
Detroit/Wayne County Residents**

Rent, Emergency and crisis assistance

Detroit Residents 313-388-9799

Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency

(Wayne County Residents outside Detroit) 734-284-6999

United Community Housing Coalition 313-963-3310

Friendship House 313-871-7443

The Heat and Warmth Fund (800) 866-8429

DTE Case Management (utility bills) 800.545.8064

Salvation Army (energy bills, rent, and food) 734-453-5464

Focus Hope 313-494-4600

Adult Well-being/Healthy Aging 313-736-5541/313-925-1135

Financial Assistance for various expenses & bills

Society of Saint Vincent DePaul 313-393-2930

Michigan Department of Human Services 313-361-7300.

Wayne County Veterans Affairs Dept. 313-224-5045

Detroit Area Agency On Aging 313-446-4444

St Christine Christian Services (Brightmoor) 313-535-7272

Detroit Housing Commission 313-877-8807

Free food and vouchers in Wayne County Michigan

Several non-profits and organizations to turn to include:

City Mission Harvest -food pkgs/groceries 313-541-3531

Detroit/Wayne County Rescue Mission 313-993-6703

The Safe Center 313-839-6664 -- provides food products and groceries acquired through affiliation with Forgotten Harvest and distributes to individuals in need.

UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendars* EVENTS



May 2021 Poetry Month

Sunday, May 9

Mother's Day

Sunday, May 30

Pack-A-Pew Sunday

Monday, May 31

Memorial Day (Office Closed)

June 2021 Academic Month

Sunday, June 20

Father's Day

DO YOU KNOW? BLACK HISTORY FACTS

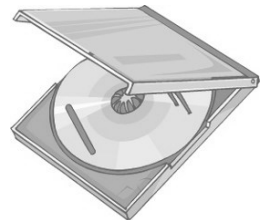
John Morton-Finney

Educator / Lawyer / Civil Rights Activist
(June 25, 1889 — January 28, 1998) age 108

Born in Kentucky to a former slave father and a free mother, he and his six siblings learned the value of education at an early age. At the age of 22 he joined the U. S. Army in the 24th Regiment known as the Buffalo Soldiers. After his honorable discharge he earned his first degrees from Lincoln College in Missouri. He then rejoined in 1918 as an infantryman during WW1 in France.

During his lifetime he earned eleven academic degrees, five of which were in law, and several in the math, French and history. He moved his family to Indianapolis, Indiana where he taught at Crispus Attucks High School. He would fill the position of Dean of Foreign Languages for 47 years while teaching the importance of quality education to African American youth.

While teaching he would continue his education fulfilling all requirements to earn his Ph. D in education but turned down. In 1935 he earned his first law degree from Lincoln College, passed the bar and started private practice which proved to be very lucrative for him. He was allowed to argue cases before the Indiana Supreme Court. He continued his education earning his last degree at the age of 75. In 1972, at the age of 83 he was admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court and the young age of 96 he earned his Doctor of Letters degree from Lincoln College. In 1996 he was inducted to the National Bar Association Hall of Fame before he retired at the age of 107. He is believed to be the longest practicing attorney taking the record from Rush Limbaugh, Sr. John Morton Finney lived his life under the following principle: "I never stop studying. There's always lots to learn. When you stop learning, that's about the end of you."



Activities Schedule

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

7:00 am & 11:15 am

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:00 am

CHRISTIAN CAFÉ HOUR

(Baptist Training Union)

10:15 am

The ROCK HOUSE (Youth Church)

Sunday, 11:15 am, except 4th Sunday

DEPARTMENT OF MISSION

General Mission Meeting

Monday, 6:00 pm after 3rd Sunday

Sister to Sister

Each 5th Monday, 6:00 pm

4th Saturday, 10:00 am

Music Department

Senior Choir

Tuesday, 6:30 pm, except after 1st Sunday

Angelic Voices

Thursday, 6:00 pm, except after 4th Sunday

True Praise

Thursday, 7:15 pm except after 4th Sunday

Alzheimer Support

3rd Thursday, 12:00 pm

Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

Wednesdays, 11:00 am & 6:00 pm

Quilting Sewing & Crafts

Saturdays, 10:00 am

Deaconess Meeting

Saturday before 1st Sunday, 10:00 am

Altar Circle Meeting

Saturday before 1st Sunday, 12 noon

Joint Board Meeting

1st Saturday, 9:00 am

Pastor's Aide Meeting

1st Saturday, 11:00 am

Nurses Guild Meeting

1st Saturday, 12 noon

Teachers Meeting

2nd Saturday, 9:00 am

Divine Mothers of Favor

As needed

Adult Usher Board

Saturday before 3rd Sunday, 1:00 pm

Senior Usher Board

4th Saturday, 2:00 pm

Laymen's Meeting

1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:00 pm

Junior Laymen Meeting

Thursday before 4th Sunday, 7:00 pm

EACH FIRST SUNDAY ~ BAPTISM AND THE LORD'S SUPPER

Mission Statement:

Elevate Jesus, Edify Saints, Evangelize Souls, and Pray for our Enemies.