

# 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, May 16, 2021

7:00 am & 11:15 am WORSHIP Service

## ***PRELUDE***

Call to Worship

Proverbs 3:5-6 (KJV)

## ***PROCESSIONAL***

***OPENING HYMN: Just As I Am***

## ***Devotion***

Responsive Reading: Romans 10:1-10(KJV)

Hymn and Prayer

## ***WORSHIP AND PRAISE***

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

## ***WORSHIP OF CONSECRATION***

Reading of the Scripture

Jeremiah 10:1-6(KJV)

Altar Call & Prayer

## ***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

## ***PERIOD OF RECOGNITION***

Birthdays, Wedding Anniversaries & Visitors

## ***WORSHIP OF GIVING***

### ***Offertory Period***

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***

# Just As I Am

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*That Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners;  
of whom I am chief — 1 Timothy 1:15 KJV*

1. Just as I am, with - out one plea, But  
2. Just as I am, and wait - ing not To  
3. Just as I am, though tossed a - bout With  
4. Just as I am - poor, wretch - ed, blind, Sight,  
5. Just as I am - Thou wilt re - ceive, Wilt

that Thy blood was shed for me, And that Thou bidst me  
rid my soul of one dark blot, To Thee whose blood can  
man - y a con - flict, many a doubt, Fight - ings and fears with -  
rich - es, heal - ing of the mind, Yea, all I need in  
wel - come, par - don, cleanse, re - lieve, Be - cause Thy prom - ise

come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!  
cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!  
in with - out, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!  
Thee to find, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!  
I be - lieve, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

# RESPONSIVE READING:

## Romans 10:1-10

**Leader:** Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved.

**People:** For I bear them record that they have a zeal of God, but not according to knowledge.

**Leader:** For they being ignorant of God's righteousness, and going about to establish their own righteousness, have not submitted themselves unto the righteousness of God.

**People:** For Christ *is* the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth.

**Leader:** For Moses describeth the righteousness which is of the law, That the man which doeth those things shall live by them.

**People:** But the righteousness which is of faith speaketh on this wise, Say not in thine heart, Who shall ascend into heaven? (that is, to bring Christ down *from above*.)

**Leader:** Or, Who shall descend into the deep? (that is, to bring up Christ again from the dead.)

**People:** But what saith it? The word is nigh thee, *even* in thy mouth, and in thy heart: that is, the word of faith, which we preach;

**Leader:** That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

**... All:** For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.



## *A message from our Pastor*

*Praise the LORD, Saints!*

*“For ye have the poor always with you.”* Matthew 26:11 (KJV)

In today's society, there is always an effort to earn more, save more and spend more. Get rich schemes have flooded our history and present-day thinking, as well as our telecommunications systems. What could make you a ton of money yesterday is not any good today. What is good for today will be no good tomorrow.

In this capitalistic system, it still seems that the rich get richer and the poor get poorer. Jesus said that we would always have the poor among us. What Jesus did not say is that you have to be one of the poor. Too many people have taken a position of acceptance to poverty. Not everyone can be rich, and we know that, but not everyone wants to be rich, or poor either for that matter. Some people just want to be happy with what they have. That's fair. If that fits you, that's fine.

I believe there is divine obligation for us to want better for ourselves that only money can provide. My disclaimer is that “I am not a prosperity preacher but a preacher who prospers as God commands.” Psalm 112:3 teaches me, that wealth and riches shall be in my house.” Why? Because a man who does not take care of his home is worse than an infidel. An infidel is a non-believer of Christ Jesus and a non-believer in the power of our God.

Psalm 53:1 says the fool speaks within his heart that there is no God. It simply means that the fool is an infidel who ignores the absoluteness of God's being. Within God's being are riches, honor and long life, that are reserved especially for the humble Saints according to Proverbs 22:4.

It's important that I teach and employ humility because you gain nothing

## *Pastor's message continued*

by boasting on tomorrow which may never come. That is equivalent to building your forever life house on sand. Jesus said, build your life on things eternal. In other words, build your life on God's Word.

Whatever it is you need to do needs to be done now, as in today. If tomorrow comes, you are prepared for it. If you are waiting on tomorrow, you are already a day late and a dollar short. That is why Jesus said, "the poor will be with you always." Not all people listen to God's Word. I am one who does listen to God's Word and believes it with my whole heart.

The children of our church should be taught as I was. In my childhood days, I was taught to love the Lord God with all my heart, soul, mind and strength. Loving God humbles you, teaches you and reaches you. I have been taught in Proverbs 13:22 to take care of my family and my church family by accepting and enhancing who I am. Each day I live, I thank God for the daily bread and pray that it is the nourishment needed to build on from yesterday.

I am building my life on the eternity factor of God. I can think better, act better and see more clearly through God's plan as opposed to my own. He shields me from destruction and protects me from the wicked. As a matter of fact, He lays up the riches of the wicked just for me. (Proverbs 13:22) So, the best thing that I can share with you about the poor is to not be one of them but to get with the Lord who has the answers to your questions and solutions to all your problems.

Yours because of Christ Jesus,

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

*God bless.*

*The flowers on our virtual altar are in memory of Sister Jennie Hunter and Mother Doris Pitts, on behalf of their children Sister Juanda Faye Williams, Robert Hunter, Jr. & Anita Mitchell.*

*Flowers are also in memory of Darcelia Rose, on behalf of her daughter, Sister Darvita Woodford, Tanisha Woodford, her granddaughter and the Woodford family.*



### ***Taking it to the Altar***

Take your worries, concerns and prayers to the altar and leave them there.

*'Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.'*

*Philippians 4:6-7 (KJV)*



## *Pastor LIVE on Facebook*

Pastor's Friday Nite Sermon on Facebook is on hiatus at this time. We will keep you posted on his return.

## **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.

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=VVBHTlIRc3pLNE5ZVUNsUTIMVGlsdz09>

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

Or connect by phone:

Dial: 1 312 626 6799 Meeting ID: **412 486 0722** Passcode: **570102**

One tap mobile +13126266799,,4124860722#,,,,\*570102#

### Looking ahead:

#### Sunday School Lesson for May 23, 2021

Spring Quarter Study: Proclamation of the Gospel

Unit III: The Implications of the Gospel

Jesus Is Lord of All —Romans 10:11-21



## *Exercise Your Faith*

Rejoice evermore.

~ Thessalonians 5:16

Pray without ceasing.

~ Thessalonians 5:17

Quench not the Spirit.

~ 1 Thessalonians 5:19

Abstain from all appearance of evil.

~ Thessalonians 5:22

Faithful is he that calleth you, who also will do it.

~ Thessalonians 5:24

**Click on picture below and follow onscreen directions for 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/231868828>

## **Message from the Scholarship Committee**

**Scholarship and Grant** applications for the 2021 graduates are still available and can be picked up today. Complete and return by **3:30 pm on Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**. You may obtain a packet from the church office.

The **2021 Student Profile Sheets** are also available and can be picked up from the church office. Complete and return by 3:30 pm on **Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**. These should be completed for students being **promoted from**: (1) **pre-school** to kindergarten; (2) **kindergarten** to 1st grade; (3) **5th** to 6th grade; (4) **8th** to 9th grade; (5) **High School graduates; College, Trade or Professional School graduates.**

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](http://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.



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

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. Verdie Robinson-Curry  
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

**PRAYER LIST (continued)**

Sis. Ovaedia Johnson  
Sis. Tracy Johnson  
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. Williams

***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  
Sis. Josephine Jackson  
Bro. Alex Malden

**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  
Detroit, MI 48219

**HEALTH CONCERNS**

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



***BEREAVED:***



***Please keep all bereaved in your prayers.***

## *The Thank You Corner*

*Thank you for your expression of sympathy. Hope you know how much your thoughtfulness is appreciated during our time of bereavement.*

*Bro. William & Sis. Shirley Davis*

*But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.  
1 Corinthians 15:57*



**It's hard to get in shape spiritually  
if you only work out on Sunday.**

**IT'S OKAY  
TO NOT  
BE OKAY...**

**TAKE OUR  
FREE MENTAL  
HEALTH  
SCREENING  
TODAY**

easterseals  
Michigan

THE  
GUIDANCE  
CENTER

Campaign  
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**Beaumont**

May is Mental Health Awareness Month and these days we all could use a moment to check in with ourselves and take care of our mental health. A quick, free, anonymous screening can help you figure out if how you have been feeling lately (maybe listless or irritable, having a hard time focusing, sleeping more or less) may be a symptom of depression. Even before the impact of the pandemic, nearly 1 in 5 adults in the U.S. had a mental illness.

So, during the month of May, get screened because mental health matters! Click the link below to take a free, anonymous behavioral health screen we are pleased to offer with our partner, Easterseals of Michigan.

<https://screening.mentalhealthscreening.org/eastersealsmi>



# DO YOU NEED HELP PAYING YOUR UTILITY BILLS?



**THAW HAS FUNDS AVAILABLE THROUGH  
THE MICHIGAN ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM  
(MEAP) NOW!**

**CALL 1-800-866-8429  
FOR ASSISTANCE TODAY.**

**VISIT [THAWFUND.ORG/PROGRAMS](http://THAWFUND.ORG/PROGRAMS)  
FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO APPLY.**

## **COVID-19 Emergency Rental Assistance (CERA)**

Rent and utility payment help is available! Apply online at [DetroitEvictionHelp.com](http://DetroitEvictionHelp.com) or call 866-313-2520. Eligibility is based on income and COVID-19 financial hardship.

# **COVID-19 VACCINE LATEST UPDATES**

These groups can now schedule an appointment by calling **313-230-0505 Monday-Friday from 9 am until 6 pm.**

- Any resident of the City of Detroit who is age 16+.
- Any person who works in the City of Detroit whose job requires them to work from their job site.

There will be no cost to individuals for the COVID-19 vaccination.

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?

**Community Saturdays** - COVID-19 Vaccines are also available. Call the number above to find a location near you. You must make an appointment for any location you select.

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## ***REMEMBER!***

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

***800-241-4949***

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# 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

Applications are being 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.

Call the COVID-19 Funeral Assistance Line Number: 844-684-6333

TTY: 800-462-7585

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday

9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Eastern Time

*For more information go to the FEMA website at:*

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

**BE AWARE OF SCAMMERS NOTE FEMA HAS NOT SENT OUT NOTICES OFFERING TO HELP WITH FUNERAL ASSISTANCE  
REGISTRATION**

**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.



**June 2021  
Academic Month**

Sunday, June 20                      Father's Day

**July 2021  
Independence Month**

Sunday, July 4                      Independence Day  
Sunday, July 11                    Laymen's Annual Day  
Sunday, July 18                    **BLUE** Sunday  
Sunday, July 25                    **RED** Sunday



**Dr. Marian Croak**  
Telecommunications Inventor  
(1955 Age: 66)

She was born in Pennsylvania and grew up in New York City. It was her father who influenced her by pushing her to pursue her passion for science in creative ways, like building a chemistry lab at home. she did her undergrad at Princeton University and her doctorate at the University of Southern California in Social Psychology and Quantitative Analysis.

She began her career at ATT and worked her way up to Senior Vice President. She has led a team of over 2,000 developers, engineers and program managers overseeing the applications and services infrastructure of ATT's land and mobile services. She is best known for her many inventions patents in the voice and data communication field, Voice Over Internet Protocols (VoIP) technology. Thanks to her invention we can place a call directly from a computer or other digital device. Skype, MagicJack and other internet-based audio/video and text are all possible because of VOIP.

Dr. Croak was very hands on with her team. If overseeing her team was not enough, she mentored her staff while developing, testing, service planning and product realization. As her responsibilities grew so did the team she managed. It grew from 200 to over 500.

She holds over 200 patents in VOIP technology. After Katrina hit in 2005, she went to work again and invented text-to-donate technology that allows you to donate to organizations when a natural disaster occurs.

In 2014 she left ATT and joined Google as vice president of research and development. We know if anyone knows how to get the most from the internet it's Dr. Marian Croak.

A quote from her: "Go for it. The world is waiting for you."



# *Activities Schedule*

<b>SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES</b>	7:00 am & 11:15 am
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>	9:00 am
<b>CHRISTIAN CAFÉ HOUR</b> (Baptist Training Union)	10:15 am
<b>The ROCK HOUSE</b> (Youth Church)	Sunday, 11:15 am, <u>except</u> 4th Sunday
<b>DEPARTMENT OF MISSION</b>	Monday, 6:00 pm <u>after</u> 3rd Sunday
General Mission Meeting	Each 5th Monday, 6:00 pm
Sister to Sister	4th Saturday, 10:00 am
<b>Music Department</b>	
Senior Choir	Tuesday, 6:30 pm, <u>except</u> after 1st Sunday
Angelic Voices	Thursday, 6:00 pm, <u>except</u> after 4th Sunday
True Praise	Thursday, 7:15 pm <u>except</u> after 4th Sunday
Alzheimer Support	3rd Thursday, 12:00 pm
<b>Prayer Meeting &amp; Bible Study</b>	Wednesdays, 11:00 am & 6:00 pm
Quilting Sewing & Crafts	Saturdays, 10:00 am
Deaconess Meeting	Saturday <u>before</u> 1st Sunday, 10:00 am
Altar Circle Meeting	Saturday <u>before</u> 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 <u>before</u> 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 <u>before</u> 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.**