

SEPTEMBER

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A.M.E Church*

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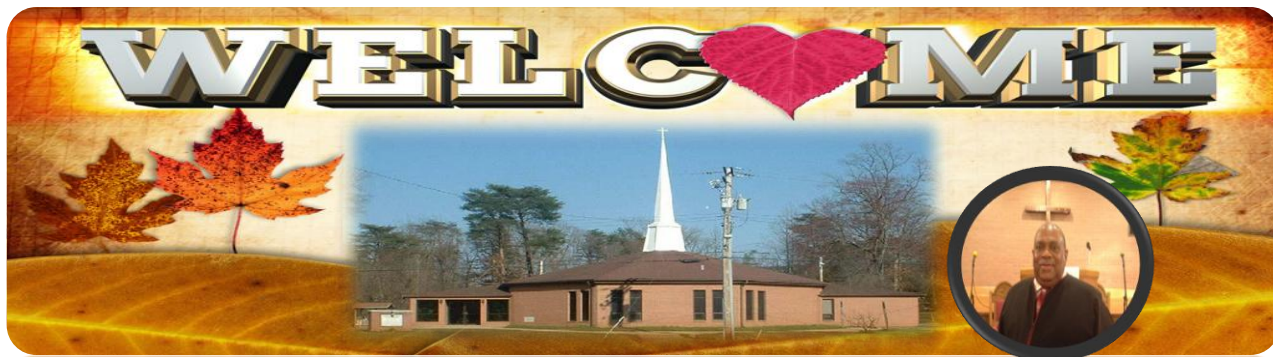
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TOGETHER!!!



Bishop James L. Davis, Presiding Prelate
Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Braxton, Presiding Elder

Rev. Ronald A. Boykin, Pastor



Greetings, Visitors! *It is indeed a privilege to have you attend our Worship Service. With an extended hand and a joyful spirit, we welcome you today! We are blessed by your visit and we believe that God has directed our paths to cross. Our meeting is not an accident but a divine appointment, so we want to express Christ's love to you with genuine warmth.*

We're excited to share with you the marvelous ways in which God's hand is at work in our church. We believe you will discover that our fellowship is truly a family, rich in the relationships that matter most.

Growing together, we worship, we serve, we laugh, we cry, we learn, and we reach out to our world with life-transformation truth. We reach out to you as well. Our doors are open. Our hearts are open, too.

Our prayer is that you find worshiping with us here at Seaton to be an edifying experience. If you've been thinking, praying, searching and hoping for a place to belong, we welcome you to join our church family.

God Bless you and we look forward to your next visit and hopefully your decision to join our Seaton family.

Again, welcome!

Greetings, Seaton Family! *I delight in our journey towards the heavenly kingdom where we hope to spend eternity, giving praise and honor to the God of our salvation, navigator of our destiny, and deliverer of our souls. It is indeed an honor and high privilege to serve you in this congregation of believers where we are family and Christ is our leader.*

In our Strategic Plan that has been adopted and is now being implemented, we are enthusiastic about moving towards a new plateau of spiritual development and service. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!!! We are engaged in meeting the goals of the element of Worship where we are designing, developing, and directing a determined and definitive pattern of worship. In order to achieve the goals, we must incorporate the principles defined in Christian Education as well as Stewardship. This then brings us to the need for self-inspection and self-determination to know what worship is and how we as individuals give earnest and sincere worship.

We must make decisions for self. Our decisions are choices that confirm or compromise our values. And our decisions will influence others in our speaking and in our living. And so, in following the leadership and influence of the Holy Spirit, we will begin a series of sermons on a very influential individual from the Bible – Daniel. In particular, we will develop these messages from the 5th chapter over a period of six to seven weeks.

Additionally, we will begin a new Bible Study under the theme "Breaking Through to the New You!" This study is a 13-part lesson. Included in this bulletin is an introduction to the Book of Daniel and the outline for the Bible Study. Please be prayerful with us and for us as we journey together in this experience. May God bless you real good!!!

Yours in Christian love,

Rev. Ronald A. Boykin, Pastor

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR **SEPTEMBER**

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CHURCH-WIDE ACTIVITIES

- 3 **Church Service* Communion Sunday**
- 4 Labor Day Observed
(church office closed & activities Cancelled)
- 4 Church-wide Prayer Line at 7:00 pm
(Prayer call line No. (1-218-936-0868) access code 142650#)
- 5 Steward Board and Strategic Planning Team meeting @ 7:00 pm
- 6 - 8 Potomac District Fall Conclave – Greater Mt. Nebo AME Church
(Bowie, MD)
- 13 Bible Study at 12:00 noon and 7:00 pm
- 10 **Christian Education Sunday – Krunk Prayer Service***
- 16 Women's Ministry meeting @ 10am
- 17 **Carrie L. Hay Missionary Sunday Service***
- 17 Black History Presentation – Kya Ellis
- 20 Bible Study at 12:00 noon and 7:00 pm
- 22 Seaton Memorial @ Church of the Redeemer , UM @ 7pm
- 23 Seaton Memorial @ Mt. Moriah AME Church @ 9am
- 23 Brookins Faith Temple AME Church 27th Anniversary Gospel Concert and Joy Night at Seaton Memorial AME Church @ 7pm.
- 24 **Church Service***
- 27 Bible Study at 12:00 noon and 7:00 pm
- 28 2nd Quarterly Conference @ 7:00 pm (All Activities Cancelled)
- 29 – 30 Ministry Leadership Training 7:00 pm (Friday) and 9:00 am (Saturday)

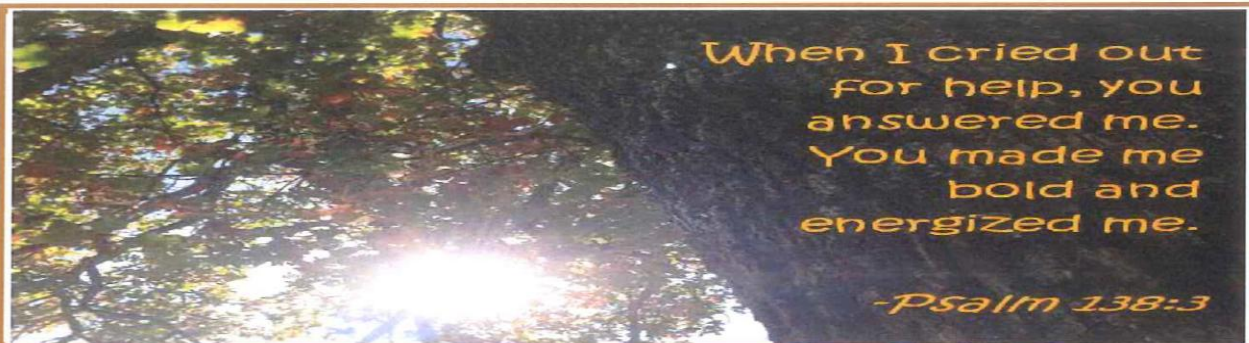


*Sunday Service

Breakfast: 9:00 am
Church School: 9:30am
Worship Service: 11:00am

Hymn: #5 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

**PRAYER IN PRIVATE
RESULTS IN
BOLDNESS IN
PUBLIC.**



Christian Education Sunday
SEATON MEMORIAL A.M.E. CHURCH



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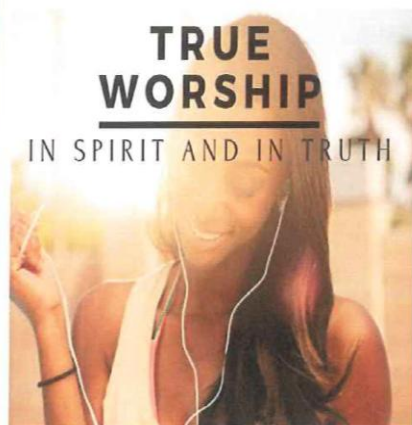
Church Email: seatonamechurch@yahoo.com Website: www.seatonmemorial.org

Sunday, September 10, 2017

Bold Worship

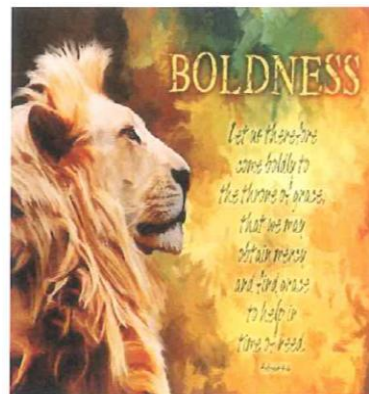
11:00 am

*Bold Message:
"Call a Daniel!"*



*Bold "Krunk"
Prayer*

Praise God ...
Thank God ...
Confess to God ...
Ask God ...
Intercede ...
Listen to God!



Bold Presence: Worship Service On the Church Parking Lot!

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Cheryl Petty Garnette, Director of Christian Education
Rosalind Wilson, Assistant Director of Christian Education

Breaking through to the New You!



A 13-part Bible Study Lesson – Every Wednesday
Beginning September 13, 2017 @ 7pm

Part One

- Lesson 1: Your Purpose in God's Creation
- Lesson 2: Your Power to Start Over
- Lesson 3: Your Source for Transformation
- Lesson 4: Your Journey as One of God's People

Part Two

- Lesson 5: Your Legacy for the Next Generation
- Lesson 6: Your Call to Create a Christian Community
- Lesson 7: Your Call to Live Under the New Covenant
- Lesson 8: God's Promise to Keep Your Hope Alive
- Lesson 9: God's Plan to Create a Renewed Trust

Part Three

- Lesson 10: God's New Approach to His Old Rules
- Lesson 11: God's Design for Your New Body
- Lesson 12: God's Plan for the New Improved You!
- Lesson 13: God's Vision of One Family in Christ

Carrie L. Hay Missionary Society

AND

YOUNG PEOPLE'S & CHILDREN DIVISION

"Annual Day"



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2017
11 AM

THEME:

"USING OUR GIFTS AND TALENTS TO MAGNIFY GOD'S NAME"



*"Search me, O God, and know my heart:
Try me, and know my thoughts."*

PSALM 139:23



LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

SEPTEMBER 29-30, 2017

LEADERSHIP MATTERS

WE STRIVE TO DEMONSTRATE UNSHAKEABLE
FAITH MOVING OUR CHURCH TO EVER-GREATER
HEIGHTS AND MORE MEANINGFUL
INVOLVEMENT IN THE COMMUNITIES WE SERVE
THROUGH ALMIGHTY GOD.

REV. RONALD A. BOYKIN



Video presentation by
Pastor Robert Morris
Gateway Church
Dallas/Ft. Worth, TX



Guest Lecturer:
Pastor William Lamar, IV
Metropolitan AME Church
Washington, DC

Introduction to the Book of Daniel A Six-part Sermon Series

The exemplary personal character of Daniel makes him a favorite Bible personality for many. He is one of only a handful of men in the Bible about whom God says nothing negative. Although he shared the human nature of all Biblical leaders, he seems to rise above the others because of a combination of qualities:



- CHARACTER – He displays character by refusing to do wrong before foreign kings.
- COMPETENCE – Kings offer to pay him for his ability to interpret dreams
- CONVICTIONS – He refuses to eat the king's meat or drink his wine.
- COURAGE – He faces the lion's den without flinching.
- CHARISMA – He is so winsome that royalty wants him to play key roles in government.
- COMMITMENT - He remains committed to his God despite the pressure to compromise.
- COMPASSION – He never loses his love for others, even in an enemy culture.

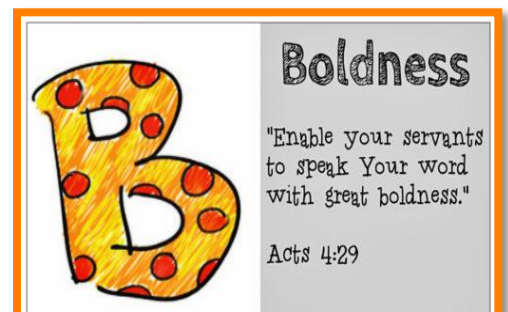
In the early chapters of the Book, we see Daniel and his Hebrew friends in action as they live out their faith and leadership in a foreign land. Daniel stands up to King Nebuchadnezzar and requests that he and his friends be allowed to eat something other than what fills the plates of the other young men in the palace. He negotiates terms and ends up stronger and healthier for his decision. This catches the attention of the Babylonian officials and Daniel becomes a man of influence, even as a youth.

Soon he is interpreting dreams for the king, offering wise counsel to the officials and demonstrating a commitment to his faith – rare for anyone, young or old. Before he is through, Daniel has left a legacy stretching over the reigns of three kings, both Babylonians and Persians. He was a leader who lived the life that God meant for him to live.

As he aged, he moved from interpreter of dreams to a dreamer himself – providing prophetic insight into the end times. He delivered his deep and complex words from a pure heart, showing himself to be a man who loved God, lived his faith, and wanted to influence many others to embrace Yahweh. As one reads the Book of Daniel, watch for Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach and Abed-Nego to demonstrate leadership powerful enough to influence entire groups of people to follow.

Our focus for this series will be Daniel 5 and the sermon topical outline is as follows:

- "HE GOT MY ATTENTION" – DANIEL 5:1-9
- "CALL A DANIEL" – DANIEL 5:10-12
- "IT'S YOUR TIME" – DANIEL 5:13-17
- "HAVEN'T YOU LEARNED ANYTHING" – DANIEL 5:18-22
- "MISPLACED WORSHIP" – DANIEL 5:23
- "THREE WORDS" – DANIEL 5:24-31



11:00 am

Praise & Worship

Doxology

Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise

Morning Invocation

Prayer Response

Choral Selection

Scripture Reading

Decalogue

Gloria Patri

Affirmation of Faith

Choral Selection

Visitors' Welcome/Pastoral Remarks

Worship of Giving

Altar Call

Sermonic Selection

Sermon

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Doxology/Benediction

Every decision is an act of worship!

USE THIS SHEET FOR
FUTURE REFERENCE ABOUT TODAY'S SERMON

As you listen to the message, you may use this sheet for notes.
We pray the Word today will inspire, lift and challenge you.
Why not refer to your notes during the week.

Date: _____

Speaker: _____

Sermon Topic: _____

Biblical Text: _____

Main Points:

1.

2.

3.

Illustrations _____

How can I apply this sermon to my life?

B B O L D !

OUR VISION: To be **BOLD DISCIPLES** evangelizing our community with the love of Jesus Christ by holding to strong Biblical values, faithfulness and a heart for service!

OUR MISSION: To know, share and build upon God’s love to impact lives through effective and relevant teaching and preaching the message of salvation!

OUR FOCUS: Worship, Education, Evangelism/Community Engagement and Spiritual/Physical Wellness

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SEATON MEMORIAL

AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SUNDAY

9:00AM.....MORNING BREAKFAST
9:30AM.....CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00AM.....WORSHIP SERVICE

MONDAY

7PM — 7:30PM EVENING PRAYER
PHONE #: 218-936-0868
ACCESS CODE: 142650#

7:30PM.....GOSPEL CHOIR
AFTER THE 1ST & 4TH SUNDAYS

TUESDAY

6PM.....YOUTH DANCE MINISTRY
6:30.....BRIGHT STARS REHEARSAL
7PM.....MIME REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAY

12NOON.....SENIOR BIBLE STUDY
7PM.....BIBLE STUDY

FRIDAY

8PM.....MEN'S CHOIR

SATURDAY

9:00AM.....SONS OF ALLEN
LAST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

4PM.....TEEN CHOIR
BEFORE THE 2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS

5PM.....ELBERT JOHNS CHOIR

CAN'T MAKE IT TO CHURCH?
JOIN US ON OUR LIVE WEBCAST
COMING SOON!

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