

Saint Paul

Christian Methodist Episcopal Church
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January 13, 2019

Liturgical Color: Green

8:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M

ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE CALL TO WORSHIP.....8 am Rev. Saundra Thomas/11 am Rev. Johnny Hickman
THE CHOIRS ON DUTY.....8 am & 11 am The Mass Choir
THE HYMN OF PRAISE..... "Amazing Grace"

A Modern Affirmation

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ, 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 lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen

**THE INVOCATION & THE CHANT.....8 am Rev. John Osborne/11 am Min. Alzora Graham
THE WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC.....The Teen Performing Arts Ministry.....The Choir

**THE WORD IN RESPONSE....8 am Rev. Diane Williams/11 am Rev. Patricia HunterPsalm 145:1-5(NIV)
THE GLORIA PATRI

**THE READ WORD.....8 am Dr. Faye Price/11 am. Min. Molly Johnson.....Galatians 5:1-6(NIV)
THE OFFERING OF GRATITUDEThe Stewards

THE SONG OF DEDICATION.....The Choir
"All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.....Amen.

THE INSPIRATIONAL WELCOME.....8am Sis. Tamika Simmons/11am Sis. Amirah Reeves
THE PASTORIAL CONCERNS

THE SONG OF PREPARATION.....The Choir
**8 AM & 11AM THE SPOKEN WORD.....Bishop Thomas L. Brown, Sr.

Presiding Prelate, 6th Episcopal District
CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

**THE CALL TO COMMITMENT - ROMANS 10:9
THE WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES AND WILLING HEART OFFERING.....Exodus 35:5

THE OFFERTORY
"We give Thee but Thine own, What-e'er the gift may be;

All that we have is Thine a-lone, A Trust, O Lord, from Thee." A-men

THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION.....8 am Sis. Tamika Simmons /11 am Sis. Amirah Reeves

THE MINISTRY OF FELLOWSHIP..... "In the Name of Jesus"

THE DOXOLOGY AND BENEDICTION

**Worshippers Should Refrain From Movement During These Times, Thank You.

“Amazing Grace”

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come;
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun.



Bishop Thomas L Brown

Presiding Prelate of the Sixth Episcopal District

Bishop Thomas L. Brown, Sr. was elected the 54th Bishop of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church on June 28, 2006 in Memphis, Tennessee. Upon his election, the General Conference assigned him to the Fourth Episcopal District which encompasses the states of Louisiana and Mississippi. At the 2018 General Conference, Bishop Brown was assigned to the Sixth Episcopal District. He is the Chair of the Department of Christian Education.

Bishop Brown was born June 21, 1951 in Oakland, Mississippi, the eighth child of Stephen and Lillie H. Brown. His elementary and secondary education was attained at Walker High School in Oakland from which he graduated as valedictorian of his high school class. He attended Northwest Junior College, Senatobia, Mississippi; and earned the Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Mississippi (Ole Miss) in 1973. He matriculated at the Phillips School of Theology at the Interdenominational Theological Center, Atlanta, Georgia, from which he earned the Master of Divinity degree, with honors, in 1976. Bishop Brown also earned, with honors, the Doctor of Theology degree in Pastoral Counseling from the Interdenominational Theological Center (ITC) in cooperation with Candler School of Theology/Emory University and Columbia Seminary in 1991. He is a member of Theta Phi Honor Society.

The ministry of Thomas Louis Brown, Sr. began during his junior year at Ole Miss when he answered the call to Christian Ministry. In the fall of 1973, he was admitted on trial in the Mississippi Annual Conference by Bishop Joseph A. Johnson, Jr. and was assigned to pastor Rice Chapel in Durant, Mississippi. In 1975 and 1976 respectively, Bishop Joseph C. Coles Jr. ordained him Deacon and Elder and admitted him into Full Connection in the Georgia Annual Conference.

Bishop Brown's itinerant ministry in the C.M.E. Church has been extensive and thorough. In addition to Rice Chapel, he served Murray Memorial, Covington, GA; St. James, Columbus, GA; Butler Street, Atlanta, GA; and College Park, College Park, GA. He was the organizing pastor of the Good News Community Church in Lithonia, GA. From June 1990 until July 2006, Bishop Brown served with distinction as the sixth President/Dean of the Phillips School of Theology at the ITC. During his tenure, more than ninety-five students graduated. It was under his leadership in 1996 that the Annual C.M.E. Pastors' Conference was established.

The 54th Bishop is a noted scholar, lecturer and preacher. He has served as adjunct professor of CME History and Polity as well as pastoral care; lectured at Candler School of Theology, (Emory University) and Columbia Theological Seminary, and Princeton Theological Seminary; and regular teacher and preacher with the Institute of Church Administration and Management (ICAM). He is in national demand as a preacher both within and outside the CME Church. Moreover, Bishop Brown has represented the church exceptionally well. He has been a delegate to the General Conference of the CME Church from 1978 to 2006; and was a delegate to the World Methodist Conference in Nairobi, Kenya and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. He was a founding member of Concerned Black Clergy of Atlanta, an advocate for the homeless and persons on death row. Civic participation include the NAACP, SCLC and Urban League.

Bishop Brown is married to Dr. Louise Baker-Brown. They are the parents of Charisa Nicole Brown-Jefferson and Thomas, Jr.

WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF PRAYER ON BARNARD STREET

We welcome all guests, members, and friends to St. Paul CME Church. We are glad that you selected St. Paul as your place of worship this Sunday. Our prayer is that our service will touch your heart. If you are in need of a church home, we extend to you an invitation to join St. Paul CME Church.

BIBLE STUDY

Attend Bible Study where God's Word is taught and the Gifts of the Spirit are manifested. Come and be blessed. Classes are 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM on Tuesdays. On Tuesday, January 8th. The Bible Study instructor was Rev. LaTrell Boddie and the Bible Study topic was "Be Free" the focal scripture was John 8:31-36 and there were 75 persons present. Come and be blessed!!!

HOME PRAYER

Remember to pray on Monday from 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm. IT BLESSES YOUR HOME. Pray for our pastor Rev. Da'Henri Thurmond and his family, other families, the ministries of St. Paul and other churches, our children, and world conditions.

ST. PAUL IS THE HOUSE OF PRAYER ON BARNARD STREET

Come to the church to pray for our pastor, families, the ministries of St. Paul, other churches, and world conditions. The following organizations will be in prayer:

January 13th H. R. Delaney Singers

January 17th Pastor's Aide Ministry

January 14th Mighty Voices Male Chorus

January 18th Evangelism Ministry

January 15th Ministerial Staff

January 19th Hospitality ministry

January 16th Missionary Society

January 20th Children's Choir

SCRIPTURAL BLESSINGS

*But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God:
for it is He that giveth thee power to get wealth,
that He may establish His covenant which He sware unto thy fathers, as it is this day.
Deuteronomy 8:18*

*Call unto Me, and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things,
which thou knowest not.
Jeremiah 33:3*

MEDITATIONAL SCRIPTURE

*"It is for freedom that Christ has set us free.
Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves
be burdened again by a yoke of slavery,"
Galatians 5:1 (NIV)*

Freedom Fast

2019

January 7th - 28th



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Be

F. R. E. E.

Faithful

Responsible

Empowered

Encouraging

Join us every morning at 6:30 AM
for Meditation & Prayer.

Young Adult
Ages: 25 - 45 yrs old

Bible Study

Rahab and R. Kelly

is there a connection...?



Pastor Amber Lowe-Woodfork
Guest Instructor

Tuesday, January 22nd

6:30 - 8:00 PM

Simplicity Creations

311 Us Hwy 80

Pooler, GA

Refreshments will be served

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School will begin after the 8am service in the upper and lower levels of the church from 9:45-10:30 am The Sunday School Lesson Topic for Sunday, January 13th is "Submit to God in Love"

ALL ORGANIZATIONS - PLEASE NOTIFY THE CHURCH OFFICE BEFOREHAND IF YOU PLAN A SPECIAL MEETING AND/OR CHANGE YOUR REGULAR MEETING DAY AND TIME. THANK YOU.

New Members Class will be held on Saturday, January 19, 2019 at 10:00 am. For more information please see Rev. Constance Thomas (663-4344) or call the church office.

Attention All Ministers and Ministry Leaders!!! Quarterly Conference reports will be available for pick up on Tuesday, January 15th. All Completed Reports are due back in the church office on Tuesday, January 22nd. Thank You!!!

Attention All Members!!! Please take time to write names, check numbers and amounts legible on all envelopes. This is the only way an accurate total will be given when you request information for tax purposes. Thanks, The Stewards

2018 Contributions for income tax purposes will be available by request only beginning January 15, 2019. Please call the church office and leave your name, phone number and/or address if you want it mailed to you. Thank you, Sis. Bettye Clarke

The Young Women of Christian will meet on Friday, January 25th at 6:30 PM. All young ladies ages 5-17 are invited and encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be served. Thank you, The Advisors

Attention All Members of Steward Ministry #2!!! Steward Ministry #2 will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, January 14th at 7:00 PM. Please be present and on time. Bro. James Franklin, Ministry Leader

Attention Parents!!! if you are interested in having your child participate in the MLK Day Parade. Please stop by or call the church office and leave your child's name as well as contact information. Thank You!

Attention Parents of Honor Roll Students!!! Please submit a copy of your child's report card to the church office by Friday, January 25th. All Young Scholars will be recognized in the bulletin on Sunday, January 27th. Thank you!

Birthday Blessings are extended to **Shawn Capers** and **Sherrie Harris** who are celebrating their big day on today, to **Lamonn Hunter** who will celebrate his big day on January 14th, to **Roosevelt Jones** and **Jabriel Tucker** who will celebrate their big day on January 15th to **Destiny Whitehead** who will celebrate her big day on January 16th, to **Johnathan Abdullah** who will celebrate his big day on January 17th, to **Patty Lyde, Marie L. Scott and Jalia Smith** who will celebrate their big day on January 18th, and to **Moses Calhoun, III**, who will celebrate his big day on January 19th. May God bless you all with many, many more is our prayer!!!

ONGOING TELECASTS

*Our services are on the radio. Listen on **WSOK 1230 AM or 103.5 FM**
each Sunday at 1:00 PM.*

LAST WEEK IN REVIEW

8:00 AM & 11:00 AM - "Be Free" - Pastor Da'Henri R. Thurmond, Sr.

*Angel Cafe - 331 Dinners
Horace Magwood, Jr. Memorial Breakfast Servings - 182 persons
Total Attendance for the Week - 1,344 persons*

St. Paul is blessed to receive 40 persons this conference year

We welcome to the St. Paul Faith Family:

Stacy Sloan

UPCOMING EVENTS

Bishop Thomas L. Brown's Visit • TODAY • 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism • January 20th • 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM

Ugandan Children's Choir Concert • January 20th • 5:00 PM

Young Adult Bible Study at Simplicity Creations • January 22nd • 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

2nd Quarterly Conference w/ Presiding Elder Thomas • January 26th • 3:15 PM

Hosting NAACP Mass Meeting • January 27th • 4:00 PM

Health and Wellness Ministry
The Rev. Patricia Hunter & Minister Molly Johnson

“O Lord my God, I cried unto thee, and thou hast healed me.” Psalm 30:2

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Rev. Johnnie Mae Law & Family	***		
Edward Smith & Family	***		

***Prayer**

****Sick**

*****Death in Family**

SERMON NOTES

Text: _____

Key Verse: _____

Subject: _____

Major Points: _____

Life Applications: _____

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