## ~ Enter to Worship ~ **ORDER OF SERVICE** April 21, 2019

# PRELUDE .....

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## (The Presiding Prelate Bishop Gregory G.M. Ingram's Creed)

Leader: I BELIEVE every person is called to make a difference.

People: I BELIEVE God sent HIS only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into the world as a living and loving sacrifice to restore all persons to a right relationship with HIM.

Leader: I BELIEVE the human mind finds the wasteness of God's love incomprehensible, yet even the soul for a little child can understand and experience HIS love and HIS presence.

People: I BELIEVE God created every person in HIS image, full of possibilities and endowed with unique gifts and a place in Creation...a place no other person was created to fill.

Leader: I BELIEVE the only way to complete fulfillment...now and throughout eternity...is through the acceptance of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

TOGETHER: I BELIEVE the highest honor of a person's life is to be called a Christian, that the Christian's supreme obligation is to be available to God and the greatest gift one person can bestow upon another is the Gospel message of salvation.

HYMN OF PRAISE	"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" Hymn #156
<b>**</b> INVOCATION	Rev. Dorothy Ola
THE PRAYER RESPONSE	"Lord I Lift Your Name On High"

### **\*\***SCRIPTURE LESSON:

Old Testament: Isaiah 25:6-9	. Rev. Dorothy Ola
New Testament: I Peter 1:3-9	Rev. Christy Nelson

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From all that dwell below the skies, Let the Creator's praise arise let the Redeemer's name be sung, through every land by every tongue. Eternal are thy mercies Lord; Eternal truth attends Thy Word; Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore; till suns shall rise and set no more. Amen

**SUMMARY OF THE DECALOGUE (page xvii)	Rev. Christy Nelson
**THE GLORIA PATRI	Hymn #626
Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the Beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, A	

### SACRIFICIAL LAY ORGANIZATION OFFERING

# EASTER PLAY – "His Name Is Jesus"

CONGREGATIONAL SELECTION	"They Crucified My Savior" Hymn #170	
MEDITATION	Pastor Howard M. Jenkins, Jr.	
<b>**</b> THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP	"You Thought I Was Worth Saving"	
VISITORS & ANNOUNCEMENT HIGHLIGHTS	Pastor Howard M. Jenkins, Jr.	
TITHING I Chronicles 29:10-14(KJV - Church Bible)		
PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
<b>**</b> THE OFFERTORY		
	; and of Thine own, have we given Thee."Amen	

 <b>**</b> AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
 **RECESSIONAL
 **DOXOLOGY
 <b>**</b> BENEDICTION

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### **Prayer Requests:**

- Bishop Gregory G.M. Ingram and Rev. Dr. Jessica Kendall Ingram
- Presiding Elder Jocelyn K. Lovelace and First Gentleman Bro. Ed Lovelace
- Sis. Elizabeth and Bro. William Faboyede (Birth of their daughter Xena-Faye Olubukola Faboyede)
- Sis. Schami Haskins and Family
- Ethel Reed-Etchison (Sister of Sis. April Johnson)
- Bro. Donald Lopes and ENTIRE Family (Passing of Father of Bro. Donald Lopes, Sr.)
- Carolyn Regina David (Daughter of Reverend Ted Davis, Associate Minister Allen AME Church, who passed unexpectedly)
- **Rev. Philip Devens**
- Traicena Claiborne and son Jaidoni, Mary Wiley, Tiandra Swann, Lili D'Niqua DiGicamo (Family & Friends of Sis. Kristy Emmons)
- **Bro. Delbert Collins**
- Christopher Pineault, Krista Pounders, Arnold Bert (Friends and Family Members of Co-workers ... of Bro. Daniel McCall)
- Elliot Nelson (Son of Rev. Nelson)
- Victims of Human AND Sex Trafficking
- Rev. Frank Smart (Pastor of Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, Trenton, NJ)
- Family of William Parsons (*Sis. Kathy Baker*)
- All Christians in foreign lands being persecuted and murdered for their "Belief" in Christ
- Sis. Sarah Ashley
- Marquerite Craveiro (Mother of Bro. Joe Craveiro)
- James Colbert (Brother of Barry Colbert)
- (PRAY FOR FAMILIES of) 50 people killed and dozens injured in shootings at two mosques in New Zealand on March 15, 2019
- Elijah Blyden (Grandson of Sis. Eva Simmons)
- Sis Denise McCall and daughter Kailah Sneed
- The Church family of Emanuel AME Charleston, SC
- Bro. Jallah Leonard
- The Mother and FAMILY of Bro. Kent Pope
- Sis. Janie Clifton and Bro. Richard Clifton
- FAMILY in Guatemala of Sis. Nisshy Urizandi
- Sis. Barbara Jones (*Member of Bethel AME Danbury*)
- Bro. Richard Cannon (Son of Rev. Dr. Jerry L. Cannon & Rev. Veronica Cannon)
- Bro. Danny McCall and Sis. Rosetta McCall
- Victims and families killed and/ or injured in the Jewish Mosque mass shooting in Pittsburgh, PA
- Sis. Samantha Kendall (Mother of Rev. Dr. Jessica Kendall Ingram)
- Bro. Isaiah Wooden (U.S. Air Force) and Bro. Joseph Wooden (U.S. Air Force)
- Adam Jones (Grandson of Mother Logan and son of Mother Logan's daughter Lamone Jones)
- Sis. Amber Johnson
- Chris Barron and son CJ (Friend of Pastor Jenkins)
- Jennifer and Gregory McCoy
- Family of Sis. Rosedelma Seraphin and Sis. Cheerita Nicholas living in Dominica
- Cora Watkins and Austin Whiteing (Sister & Son of Sis. Dhana Whiteing)
- Sis. Maggie Daniels (Friend of Sis. Teresa Jenkins and Pastor Jenkins)
- Pernell Whitfield (Father of Sis. LaTarsha Jenkins)
- Mother of Sis. DelRita Butler and Sonia Bennett (friend of Sis. DelRita Butler)
- Armand Calouro (Husband of Pastor Jenkins Co-Worker)
- Howard M. Jenkins, Sr. & Delores Jenkins (Father and Mother of Pastor Jenkins

# **\*\*INDICATES USHERS ARE NOT TO ALLOW ENTRY TO SANCTUARY**

#### **REMEMBER OUR SICK AND SHUT IN WITH** A PRAYER, A CALL OR A CARD

Rev. Clyde O. Walker **Summit Commons Nursing Home** 99 Hillside Ave. Providence, RI 02906 (401) 574-4800

Family of Sis Cynthia Mills: Joseph Pemberton (Brother), Quelon Page (Nephew), Leurone Thomas & Family (Daughter) and Jimmie Page Jr. (Son)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!! To all in APRIL!

Sunday school is a MAJOR BUILDING BLOCK in teaching Christian values. The entire Bethel Providence church family is encouraged to attend SUNDAY SCHOOL @ 9:30 a.m. Thank you Bro. Kent Pope, Sunday School Superintendent.

Please join us on Sunday May 19th 2019, directly after worship service to learn more about Church School and take part in our 2019-2020 elections. ALL teachers, and persons interested in Church School leadership should in be attendance.

Youth Bible Study helps to build self - esteem and serve as foundations for Christian character and moral values. Did you know that you are an important part of God's plan?! Join us every TUESDAY 5pm-6pm. Thank you, Rev. Nelson.

FOR 2019 include in your weekly schedule Wednesday BIBLE STUDY and FRIDAY PRAYER...BOTH START @ 7:00 p.m.!

## PASTOR JENKINS WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL PERSONS THAT CAME OUT TO SUPPORT HIM **DURING THE VARIOUS HOLY WEEK PREACHING ENGAGEMENTS. AGAIN, THANK YOU!!**

## **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

<u>1<sup>st</sup> District Prayer</u>	<b>EVERY MONDAY morning</b> @ <b>6:00 A.M.</b> our 1 <sup>st</sup> Episcopal District Prayer Conference Call: Dial 7127757031 code# 658487982 AND please press <b>*6 (Star Six)</b> to mute.
District Conference Prayer Call	ALL MEMBERS OF BETHEL PROVIDENCE ARE ENCOURAGED TO JOIN THE PRAYER CALL EVERY THURSDAY (6:00a.m. and/or 8:00 p.m.) AS WE PREPRARE IN HOSTING the 2019 Boston-Hartford District Conference Oct. 18 & 19, please join the prayer call EVERY Thursday, (6:00a.m. and/or 8:00 p.m.). PLEASE TAKE NOTE: NEW DIAL IN NUMBER <u>515-606-5796</u> followed by Access code: 478473#. PRAYER WORKS!! Thank you, Pastor Jenkins.
PLEASE NOTE!	For the month of APRIL, there will be NO Steward Board. No Trustee Board, and No Official Board Meetings. Thank you.
<u>Members-at-Large</u>	Members listed below volunteered to assist the Steward of Finance Committee each Sunday for the months identified. The goal is to give members insight to the financial workings of the church. Thank you in advance for your support. <u>April: Bro. Kent Pope</u> . May: Sis. Sonia Thomas. June: Sis. Tarsha Barton.
The SMART CHURCH 2020	Please SAVE THE DATE: Saturday May 18, 2019. Bethel Providence will be hosting a workshop brought to us by our First District Leaders. ALL CHURCH LEADERS must be in attendance.
<u>2019-2020 Officers</u>	Voting on officers for all organizations for the new conference year must be complete and/or presented to Pastor Jenkins no later than Sunday May 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2019. Thank you in advance.

# "Bethel A.M.E. Church Providence TITHING Proclamation to God"

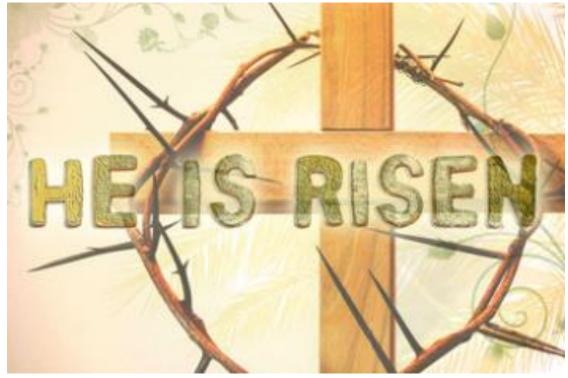
## I Chronicles 29:10-14 (The Life Connecting Bible...translation)

10 David praised the Lord in front of all the people who were gathered. He said: "We praise you, Lord, God of our father Israel. We praise you forever and ever. 11 LORD, you are great and the powerful. You have glory, victory, and honor. Everything in heaven and on earth belongs to you. The kingdom belongs to you, Lord; you are the ruler over everything. 12 Riches and honor come from you. You rule everything. You have the power and strength to make anyone great and strong. 13 Now, our God, we thank you, and praise your glorious name. 14 These things did not really come from me and my people. Everything comes from you; we have given you back what you gave us.



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Motto: "God Our Father, Christ Our Redeemer, The Holy Spirit Our Comforter, Humankind Our Family"



Apríl 21, 2019 Resurrection Sunday

Rev. Howard M. Jenkins Jr., Pastor Rev. Dr. Jocelyn K. Hart Lovelace, Presiding Elder Rt. Rev. Gregory G.M. Ingram, Presiding Bishop

Church School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Bethel A.M.E. Church

**Ministerial Staff** Rev. Christy R. Nelson **Rev. Dorothy Ola**