

CELEBRATION OF CHRISTIAN WORSHIP

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

FEBRUARY 5, 2012

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY



Celebrating 90 Years of Christian Witness:
"Remembering Our Past, Shaping Our Future"
Psalm 90: 1-2, 12, 17

TABERNACLE COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
2500 WEST MEDFORD AVENUE
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53206
THE REVEREND DON DARIUS BUTLER, M.DIV., PASTOR

WELCOME TO TABERNACLE COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

A preaching, teaching, healing community of faith Matt. 4:23

We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in our worship, program and service life.

OUR SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:30 A.M. CHURCH SCHOOL & DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

10:00 A.M. CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

BAPTISM & HOLY COMMUNION (1ST SUNDAY)

INFANT DEDICATION (2ND SUNDAY)

RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP (3RD SUNDAY)

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP (1ST, 3RD, 4TH AND 5TH SUNDAYS)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION FOR ALL AGES - CHURCH SCHOOL CLASSES

ADULT CLASSES- SANCTUARY, OVERFLOW, LOWER LEVEL

YOUNG ADULT CLASS- PARSONAGE

YOUTH CLASS- GYMNASIUM

CHILDREN CLASSES- LEVEL TWO AND NURSERY

TIPS FOR GROWTH SCHEDULE

(TABERNACLE IN PRAYER & STUDY)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2012

PRAYER SERVICE 6:30 P.M.—7:00 P.M.

Devotional & Prayer Leaders: Reverend Amanda Gray

Deacon Bobby Morrow & Deacon Leotha Stanley

AWANA (Children & Youth) 6:30 P.M.—8:30 P.M.

BIBLE STUDY 7:00 P.M.—8:30 P.M.

Pastor Don Darius Butler, Facilitator

*Stand as you are able

***Worshippers may enter.

Respectfully silence pagers, cellular phones
and similar devices while in the Sanctuary.

THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE, LET ALL THE EARTH KEEP SILENT BEFORE HIM

THE MINISTRY OF PREPARATION: THE GATHERING

CENTERING AND MEDITATION: "Lord, Prepare Me to Be a Sanctuary"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP*

The Reverend Don Darius Butler

HYMN OF ENTREATY*

"The Lord Is My Light"

The Lord is my light and my salvation
 The Lord is my light and my salvation
 The Lord Is my light and my salvation
 Whom shall I fear?

In the time of trouble He shall hide me,
 In the time of trouble He shall hide me.
 In the time of trouble He shall hide me.
 Whom shall I fear?

Whom shall I fear?
Whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the strength of my life.
Whom shall I fear?

Wait on the Lord and be of good courage,
 Wait on the Lord and be of good courage,
 Wait on the Lord and be of good courage,
 Whom shall I rear?

THE INVOCATION*

Deacon Leotha Stanley

SUNG RESPONSE*

"Come, Ye Disconsolate"

Come, ye disconsolate, where'er ye languish,
 Come to the mercy seat, fervently kneel.
 Here bring your wounded hearts, here tell your anguish;
 Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal.

Joy of the desolate, light of the straying,
 Hope of the penitent, fadeless and pure!
 Here speaks the Comforter, tenderly saying,
"Earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot cure."

Here see the Bread of Life, see waters flowing
 Forth from the throne of God, pure from above.
 Come to the feast of love; come, ever knowing
 Earth has no sorrow but heaven can remove.

TABERNACLE AT WORSHIP

RESPONSIVE READING*

Candace Currie

"PATIENCE"

Leader: My soul finds rest in God alone; my salvation comes from him.

People: He alone is my rock and my salvation; he is my fortress, I will never be shaken.

Leader: The end of a matter is better than its beginning, and patience is better than pride.

People: Do not be quickly provoked in your spirit, for anger resides in the lap of fools.

Leader: Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him; do not fret when men succeed in their ways, when they carry out their wicked schemes.

People: Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret--it leads only to evil.

Leader: For evil men will be cut off,

People: But those who hope in the Lord will inherit the land.

Leader: I waited patiently for the Lord; he turned to me and heard my cry. He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand.

People: He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God. Many will see and fear and put their trust in the Lord.

Leader: I am still confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.

All: Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord.

MORNING HYMN*

1. I will trust in the Lord.
I will trust in the Lord.
I will trust in the Lord until I die
I will trust in the Lord.
I will trust in the Lord.
I will trust in the Lord until I die.

2. I'm goin' to treat everybody right.
I'm goin' to treat everybody right.
I'm goin' to treat everybody right until I die
I'm goin' to treat everybody right.
I'm goin' to treat everybody right.
I'm goin' to treat everybody right until I die.

"I Will Trust in the Lord"

3. I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield.
I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield.
I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield until I die
I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield.
I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield.
I'm goin' to stay on the battlefield until I die.

4. I'm goin' to stay on bended knee.
I'm goin' to stay on bended knee.
I'm goin' to stay on bended knee until I die
I'm goin' to stay on bended knee.
I'm goin' to stay on bended knee.
I'm goin' to stay on bended knee until I die.

GREETING & LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY

Darryl Blair

PASTORAL GREETING & PASSING THE PEACE

Pastor Butler

HISTORICAL MOMENT

Samella Williams

CHORAL MUSIC

The Chancel Choir

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD: PROCLAMATION OF THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

A READING FROM GENESIS 37:3-19

Deacon Michael Snowden

A READING FROM PSALM 37:1-17

Maria Daniels

A READING FROM MATTHEW 27:27-31*

The Reverend Donna Childs

CHORAL RESPONSE*

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

CALL TO THE OFFERING

Jarvis Sprewer

CHORAL MUSIC

The Chancel Choir

THE SERMON

Pastor Butler

TABERNACLE AT WORSHIP

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD: INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP & HOLY COMMUNION

THE INVITATION*

1. Jesus is all the world to me,
My life, my joy, my all;
He is my strength from day to day,
Without Him I would fall.
When I am sad, to Him I go,
No other one can cheer me so;
When I am sad, He makes me glad,
He's my Friend.

2. Jesus is all the world to me,
My Friend in trials sore;
I go to Him for blessings, and
He gives them o'er and o'er.
He sends the sunshine and the rain,
He sends the harvest's golden grain;
Sunshine and rain, harvest of grain,
He's my Friend.

PASTORAL PRAYER*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Years I spent in vanity and pride,
Caring not my Lord was crucified,
Knowing not it was for me He died
On Calvary.

*Mercy there was great, and grace was free;
Pardon there was multiplied to me;
There my burdened soul found liberty
At Calvary.*

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor Butler with Ministers & Deacons

FROM COMMUNION TO COMMISSION: THE SENDING FORTH/BENEDICTION

PARTING SONG*

SENDING FORTH & BENEDICTION

"Jesus Is All the World to Me"

3. Jesus is all the world to me,
And true to Him I'll be;
Oh, how could I this Friend deny,
When He's so true to me?
Following Him I know I'm right,
He watches o'er me day and night;
Following Him by day and night,
He's my Friend.

4. Jesus is all the world to me,
I want no better Friend;
I trust Him now, I'll trust Him when
Life's fleeting days shall end.
Beautiful life with such a Friend,
Beautiful life that has no end;
Eternal life, eternal joy,
He's my Friend.

The Reverend Paul Owens

"At Calvary"

By God's Word at last my sin I learned;
Then I trembled at the law I'd spurned,
Till my guilty soul imploring turned
To Calvary.

"Praise Him"

Pastor Butler

With annual celebrations, African American churches across the nation recognize our responsibility to learn and teach Black History as an important source of empowering our communities, which often include few other common venues for disseminating our history. We represent ourselves to ourselves through the stories we tell of those who came before us, paved our pathways to freedom, and shaped us into who we are. As we investigate and honor the lives and experiences of our fore parents, we commemorate great men and women of the faith. Through Black History initiatives we celebrate the faith that has sustained our communities for centuries and **our souls cry out, “Bless the Lord,” and “forget not one of His benefits.”**

We rejoice in God’s great faithfulness consistently displayed through our great struggles and great strides. This moment on the African American Liturgical Calendar reminds us that we have persevered through horrendous adversity, and triumphed, and that we have not done so alone. While celebrations of our history remind us of the work our forbearers accomplished, we are also made aware of what they left undone. We celebrate our history to remind us that empowered by God as they were, we can continue their work and likewise pass down legacies of strength, perseverance, faith, and victory to future generations.

Krystal D. Frazier
Assistant Professor of History, West Virginia University
Black History 2012 Compact Unit- The African American Lectionary

ORDINARY TIME

Ordinary Time is a modern expression to denote the periods of the liturgical year which lie outside principal seasons, a shorter span from the end of the Christmas or Epiphany season to the beginning of Lent and a considerably longer one from Pentecost to the beginning of Advent. In Ordinary Time, the Church celebrates the mystery of Christ not in one specific aspect but in all its features. Many important liturgical celebrations fall during Ordinary Time, including, Trinity, All Saints, and Christ the King. The major celebrations, when occurring on a Sunday, trump the regular Ordinary Time Sunday lessons and liturgy. Green is the liturgical color for this season.

The New Westminster Dictionary of Liturgy & Worship edited by Paul Bradshaw

OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN

HOME

Sis. Arza Armstrong		4064 N. 25th St.	53209
Sis. Lovell Bledsoe		4686 N. 76th St.	53218
Mo. Clara Gardner		3951 N. 14th St.	53206
Sis. Annie Maude Harris		4071 N. 41st St.	53216
Sis. Alzator (Corky) Fourston		2410 N. 25 th St.	53206
Sis. Lorraine Fields		3422 N. 40 th St.	53216
Sis. Addie Hodges	N79W16127	Longwood/Meno Falls	53051
Rev. John Hicks		2229 N. 36 th St.	53206
Bro. Odis Hill		4164 N. 62 nd St.	53216
Sis. Marie Lassiter		6460 N. 67 th St.	53223
Sis. Altha M. Myrick		6151 W. Bradley Rd.	53223
Bro. Stanley Patterson		4641 N. 27 th St.	53209
Bro. Dutchie Pugh		8142 W, Granville Rd.	53224
Sis. Helen Christine Rogers		6345 W. Leon Tr.	53218
Sis. Beatrice Richardson		1304 W. Hadley St.	53206
Sis. Rosemary Triplett		5147 N. 28th St.	53209

NURSING/CONVALESCENT HOME

Sis. Willie Mae Carthran	Golden Living Center	6735 W. Bradley Rd.	53223
Sis. Irma Jean James	Seven Oaks Rehab.	6263 N. Green Bay Av.	53209
Sis. Marvis Johnson	Mill Way N. H.	8534 W. Mill Rd.	53223
Sis. Nora Moore	Birchwood	9632 W. Appleton	53225
Sis. Beverly Pitt	Bayside Manor	9020 N. Port Wash.	53223
Bro. Fred Williams	Golden Living Center	6735 W. Bradley Rd.	53223
Sis. Ida Williams	Golden Living Center	6735 W. Bradley Rd.	53233

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Today Payments for Nashville Trip made in the library.
- Super Bowl "Fella-ship"**
 5:00 pm
- Feb. 8 TIPS for Growth & Awana
 6:30 pm
- Feb. 10 **Women's Ministry Event**
 New Women Fellowship
 6:30 pm
- Feb. 11 WGB One-Day Christian
 Education Practicum at
 New Zion M.B. Church,
 Beloit, WI 8:30 am
- Feb. 15 TIPS for Growth & Awana
 6:30 pm
- Feb. 18 Teachers Meeting 9:00 am
- Black History Reading
 Activity 10:00 am
- Feb. 22 Ash Wednesday Service
 7:00 pm
- Feb. 26 Heritage Sunday
 Unveiling of Church's
 Memory Quilt 10:00 am
- Black History Convocation
 3:00 pm

NASHVILLE BUS TRIP UPDATE

For those traveling to Nashville in May, whether you are riding the bus or not, we will begin collecting payments on Sunday, January 29, 2012. The deadline for payments is Sunday, April 15, 2012. You may break down the total due into as many payments as you like. To determine the total amount due, please see La Keisha Wright Butler or refer to the church website. We will also be creating a room list when you come to make payments so please be sure to know what type of room you would prefer (King with sleeper sofa, or two double beds), and who your roommates will be. Additional information can be found on the church website or you may call La Keisha Wright Butler at (262) 309-6203. We will be in the library on the following Sundays to collect payments: January 29th, February 5th, February 19th, March 4th, March 18th, April 1st, April 8th, and April 15th.

AWANA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Adult volunteers are needed in all age groups and for game assistants for the AWANA Club. Please see Maria Daniels if you are able to assist in this area.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

February 4, 2012 - 1st Women's Ministry Meeting - 11:00 am

March 3, 2012 - Women's Ministry Meeting - 11:00 am

February 10, 2012 - New Members' Meet, Greet, and Fellowship - 6:30 pm. For the last 2 years we have seen and greeted many new faces to Tabernacle.

This is an invitation to ALL WOMEN of Tabernacle of ALL AGES to come together, meet, greet, chat, have fun and fellowship. This is our opportunity to form a strong and lasting bond and friendship.

Proverbs 18:24 is also speaking to us - A woman that hath friends must show herself friendly: and there is a friend that sticks closer than a sister.

PARENTS OF H.S. JUNIORS/SENIORS

Milwaukee Area Technical College in partnership with the Milwaukee Area Investment Board and Milwaukee Public Schools is offering academic enrichment, enhancements, and career exploration with a focus on health careers. Students will attend 16 Saturday sessions and continue with summer sessions. Call Gloria Pitchford-Nicholas at 297-7993 or Valencia Brown at 297-8661.

BLACK HISTORY READING FOCUS

*"Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly."
Langston Hughes*

The members of the Black History Committee are holding to our dream of giving each child who attends the Black History Reading Focus a new book so that they can strengthen their reading skills and learn more about their history.

We are grateful to all the ministries and individuals who have given us money to buy new books. However, we don't have enough as yet and we are soliciting your help. You may give your donation to any member of the committee or you may purchase a book or books yourself and donate it for a child/children.

The reading focus will be on Saturday, February 18, 2012, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

There will be classes for children, youth and adults. Come learn more about BLACK HISTORY— OUR HISTORY.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY 10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
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Mr. Jonnie Johnson - Custodian	414-562-1129	
Benevolent Needs	414-218-2031	
Pastoral Care Needs	414-217-8748	

ASSOCIATE CLERGY

The Reverend Paul Owens - Pastoral Associate	414-463-9822
The Reverend Monroe Meeks - Pastoral Associate (Retired)	414-383-3922
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The Reverend Pauline Brand - Associate Minister	414-442-3183
The Reverend Phyllis Cain-Thornton - Associate Minister	414-562-1129
The Reverend Donna Childs - Associate Minister	414-807-7520
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