

PERSONAL NOTES ON THE MESSAGE

Use this sheet to make personal notes and allow God to apply His truths to your life.

January 21, 2018

BIBLE TEXT: _____

SERMON TITLE: _____

MAIN POINTS OF THE SERMON:

JOIN US EACH SUNDAY:
EMPOWERMENT WORSHIP – 8:30 AM
SUNDAY SCHOOL – 10:15 AM
NEW MEMBERS ORIENTATION – 10:15 AM
REGULAR WORSHIP – 11:30 AM

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JANUARY 21, 2018



We love God.
We love others.
We serve humanity!

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

8:30 AM ORDER OF SERVICE

The Voices of Zion

The Voices of Zion ~ Minister Kenton Joliff, Pianist

WORSHIP THROUGH DEVOTION

The Call to Worship Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

The Opening Sentence:

Leader: Oh Lord, our Lord, how excellent is Your name...

People: You have set Your glory above the heavens.

All: We love God. We love others. We serve humanity!

The Invocation Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

The Opening Selection Choir and Congregation

The Scripture Deacon Edmond Braxton, Jr.

The Prayer of Praise & Thanksgiving ... Deacon Quincy Marrow

The Choral Response Choir and Congregation

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMUNITY

The Announcements, The Welcome & The Pastor's Remarks

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

The Pre-Offertory Prayer Deacon Robert Martin

The Giving of Tithes & Offering Ushers

The Offertory Response

WORSHIP THROUGH INTERCESSORY PRAYER

The Prayer for the Sick & Altar Call

WORSHIP THROUGH THE GOSPEL

The Message Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

"Some Requirements of Being Committed"

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship and Church Membership

WORSHIP THROUGH RENEWAL

The Benediction Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

YOU HAVE OUR SYMPATHY IN YOUR LOSS

Bro. James Harrison, III in the passing of his brother, Bro. Alva Harrison; Sis. Eugenia Russell in the passing of her mother, Sis. Clara Martin; Sis. Leslie Williams in the passing of her cousin, Sis. Rochelle Jackson; Bro. Adam Dixon and family in the passing of his brother; Sis. April Brown in the passing of her father, Bro. Clarence Taylor; The Greenhow and Wilson families in the passing of Deacon William Greenhow; Sister Joyce Evans and the Evans family in the passing of her brother, Bro. Lee Jones; Sis. Yvonna Wilson in the passing of her brother, Bro. George Stevens; Sis. Deborah Parker and the Carey family in the passing of her son, Bro. Anthony Parker; Bro. Paul Stroble in the passing of his sister; Dr. Gail Cash and Bro. Rodney Cash in the passing of their mother, Sis. Clara Cash; Deaconess Clara Marrow in the passing of her sister, Sis. Cassie Chaney.

From the Prayer Ministry

Jesus in heaven..... thank you for Your grace and mercy. Please Lord, forgive me and forgive us for our sins. God, thank you for Your only Son who died for us 2000 years ago, thank you Lord. You have done so much for us in 2017; so many blessings You have done... thank you. Jesus bless the ones who are behind closed doors and with no way out, bless them right now in the name of Jesus. Bless this branch of Zion, bless this leader and continue to give him the knowledge of Your Word to share with us. Bless the members one by one and all together. Thank you lord for this year of 2018, in the name of Jesus I pray. AMEN. (Bro. David Williams)

OUR HEALTH CONCERNS

Sis. Alice Alexander	Sis. Evelyn Dandridge	Sis. Helen Miller
Bro. Marvin Alexander Sr.	Sis. Billie Davis	Sis. Sandra Napper
Bro. Tecumseh Alexander	Sis. Yolanda Dixon	Bro. Mehki O'Neal
Deacon Edward Allen	Sis. Lygeia Drayton Duggins	Bro. Bruce Parrott
Bro. James Alsop	Sis. Carniece Felton	Sis. Valerie Patterson
Deacon James Armstead	Bro. Reginald Felton	Sis. Shannon Pierce
Bro. Leo Arrington	Sis. Ethel Fuller	Sis. Jean Quick
Sis. Jaesoon Baik	Bro. Terrell Glee	Sis. Doris Rainey
Sis. Bernice Bailey	Bro. Julius Haynie	Deacon Edgar Randall
Sis. Millie Ball	Bro. Bobby Horne	Rev. Morris Randall
Sis. Diane Battle	Sis. Delores Howard	Bro. Raymond Roane
Bro. Christopher Benett	Sis. Judy Huckaby	Sis. Brenda Robinson
Sis. Teresa Bland	Bro. James Hundley Jr.	Sis. Catherine Robinson
Sis. Mary Boyd	Sis. Leona Jackman	Sis. Daphne Robinson
Sis. Siona Brandison	Bro. James Jackson (*)	Sis. Karen Robinson
Sis. Bernette Brown	Bro. Floyd James	Sis. Delia Romain
Sis. Mahilda Brown	Bro. Charles Jimmerson	Sis. Evelyn Romain
Sis. Viola Brown	Sis. Christine Johnson	Sis. Violet Schwab
Sis. Doris Butler	Sis. Patricia H. Johnson	Sis. Vanessa Sexton
Sis. Theresa Butler	Deaconess Delores Jones	Bro. Robert Shackelford
Bro. Levi Canaday	Sis. Elsie Jones	Sis. LeeAnn Stallings
Bro. Matthew Canaday	Deacon Elvin Jones	Bro. James Tabb, Jr.
Sis. Maxine Canaday	Sis. Loujean Jones	Sis. Ann Taylor
Bro. Carl Carter, Sr.	Bro. Raymond Justice	Sis. Constance Taylor
Bro. Cornelius Cary	Bro. Jacob Lanehart	Sis. Stephanie Taylor
Deaconess Essie Cary	Deaconess Lottie Lewis	Bro. John "JC" Traybron
Deacon Howard Cary	Sis. Aakina Lilly	Sis. Melissa Whistleman*
Bro. Carl Coleman	Sis. Irene Manley	Sis. Annette White
Bro. James Conyers	Bro. Robert Manley	Bro. Junius Williams
Sis. Cheryl Cooke	Bro. Tommy McMichael	Sis. LaWanda Williams
Sis. Maxine Cumber	Sis. Aurelia Miller	Sis. Faith Young

OUR MILITARY FAMILY

Bro. Richard Alsop, USN	Bro. Jamiah Freeman, USAF	Bro. Tyneil Rankin, USA
Bro. Marcus Bethune, USA	Sis. Tisha Grooms, USNR	Bro. Zackary Rankin, USA
Bro. Alonzo Brown, USA	Bro. Larry Gunter, USN	Bro. Lonnie Robinson, Jr., USA
Sis. Jennifer Brown, USA	Bro. Aaron Harris, USN GSM2	Bro. Reginald Smith, Jr., USA
Sis. LaTonya Brown, USA	Bro. Ernest Hines, USN	Bro. Kirk Shepperd, USA
Bro. Thomas C. Coleman, III, USN	Sis. Carissa Holmes, USA	Bro. Aaron Smallwood, USAFR
Sis. Desiree Collins, USAF	Bro. LaMar Howard, USA	Bro. Robert M. Smith, USN
Sis. Marlene Collins, USAF	Bro. Troy Howard, USA	Bro. Daniel Sullivan, USN
Bro. Brandon Lee-Cooper, USA	Bro. D'Shaun Jones, USA	Bro. Danny Taylor, USA
Bro. Jordan Lee-Cooper, USA	Bro. Jamal Jones, USA	Bro. Rian Thompson, USA
Sis. Sateen Danzy, USA	Sis. Kendall Kemelek, USA	Sis. Alyca Sweet-Waldrop, USA
Bro. Joseph Davis, USN	Bro. Matthew Kemelek, USA	Bro. Rodney Waldrop, USA
Bro. Linrey Dowden, USA	Bro. Marc Marchand, USAFR	Bro. Curtis E. Warren, USMC
Bro. Rawlins Dowden, USA	Bro. Antori Marsh, USA	Bro. Wayne Wiggins, USAF
Bro. Donald Druitt, Jr., USA	Bro. Damion Marsh, Jr. USA	Bro. Valroy Williams, USA
Sis. Simone Druitt, USA	Bro. John Parrott, Jr., USA	Sis. Bonnie-Lyn Wilson, USAR
Sis. Dawn Dunning USAF	Bro. Carlos Randall, USA	

The Scripture: Mark 1:16-20 (King James Version)

16 Now as he walked by the sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and Andrew his brother casting a net into the sea: for they were fishers.

17 And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men.

18 And straightway they forsook their nets, and followed him.

19 And when he had gone a little farther thence, he saw James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, who also were in the ship mending their nets.

20 And straightway he called them: and they left their father Zebedee in the ship with the hired servants, and went after him.



NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

11:30 AM ORDER OF SERVICE

The Voices of Zion
Minister Kenton Joliff, Pianist

11:20 Praise and Worship.....Infinite Praise

WORSHIP THROUGH DEVOTION

The Call to Worship Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

The Opening Sentence:

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humanity!

The Invocation Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor

The Opening Selection The Voices of Zion

(Worshippers at the door may enter)

The Liturgical Dance Selection The Children of God

The Scripture Deacon Brandon Randall

The Prayer of Praise & ThanksgivingDeacon Robert Ashby

The Choral Response The Voices of Zion

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMUNITY

The Announcements

The Welcome and The Pastor's Remarks

REGULAR MEETINGS AND REHEARSALS

Sunday-Jan. 21	New Members-Conf. Rm	10:15 AM
Monday-Jan. 22	Harp Practice-Choir Rm	11:00 AM
Tuesday-Jan. 23	Harp Practice-Choir Rm	2:15 PM
Wednesday-Jan. 24	Daytime Bible Study-F/H	11:00 AM
	Children of God-Sanc.	5:30 PM
	Harp Practice-Choir Rm	6:00 PM
	Infinite Praise-SC2	
	Prayer & Praise Service-F/H	7:00 PM
	Bible Study-F/H	7:30 PM
Thursday-Jan. 25	"Noon" Prayer-Reading Rm	12:45 PM
	Trustees Meeting-F/H	6:30 PM
	Brethren Chorale-Sanc.	7:30 PM
Saturday-Jan. 27	Joy Ensemble-Sanc.	10:00 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS-YOUTH

The Pearl Taylor Foundation provides grants for youth

between the ages of 6 and 19 to explore opportunities in education, the arts and sports by participating in workshops, private lessons/ classes, camps or attending professional programs and performances as well as obtaining materials for classes or workshops. Grants are not intended for credit bearing courses/classes or lessons. The maximum grant amount is \$200.00. Applications are located on the table in the vestibule or you may see the Church Administrator, Sis. LeAnne Taylor.

The Ladies of Virtue and Elegance

would like to invite young ladies in grades 6th-12th to our program kick-off Paint Party event! Come enjoy an exciting night of painting, food and fellowship on Friday Jan. 26th from 6-9p.m. at NZBC. Please sign up on the bulletin board by Jan. 21st. The contacts are Joy Johnson and Karanita Fuller.

BIBLE STUDY

Emphasis on the Word

- ◆ ***Daytime Bible Study:** The study will continue at Hebrews 6:14. The Contact is Deacon Robert Ashby.
- ◆ ***Evening Bible Study:** The Contact is Dr. Brenda Christian.

Daily Exposure to the Word (DEW)

Daily reading or listening to the Bible is important! It helps us with the problems of life. It gives us God's perspective on living. It helps us to grow in our faith. What can we do? Pray to be committed. Start today. Some Helpful Suggestions and Resources: Use the weekly Bible reading information in the bulletin, Get an App for your cellphone or Pad, Go to: oneyearbibleonline.com, Listen to BBN on WYFI 99.7 FM every day at 3:00 PM. Listen to the Bible on CD's. "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." – Romans 10:17

11:30 AM ORDER OF SERVICE continued

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

The Pre-Offertory Prayer Deacon Edgar Randall
The Giving of Tithes & Offering..... Ushers
The Offertory Response

WORSHIP THROUGH INTERCESSORY PRAYER

The Prayer for the Sick & Altar Call
The Altar Selection The Voices of Zion

WORSHIP THROUGH THE GOSPEL

The Meditative Offering The Voices of Zion
The Message Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor
"Some Requirements of Being Committed"

The Invitational Selection The Voices of Zion

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship and Church Membership

WORSHIP THROUGH RENEWAL

The Closing Selection The Voices of Zion
The Benediction Dr. Robert Whitehead, Sr., Pastor
The Postlude (*The End*)



ANNOUNCEMENTS - EVERYONE

The New Zion Baptist Church Scholarships application process

is now open. Scholarship applications may be found on the church's website or on the table in the vestibule. The deadline to submit scholarship applications is May 1, 2018. Please note: INCOMPLETE OR LATE applications will not be accepted. Members of the Scholarship Committee will be available on the 1st and 3rd Sunday's to answer questions and assist as needed. The contacts are Deacon Quincy Marrow and Sis. Regina Ihsane.

All New Zion Members are asked to attend the Annual Church Business

Meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 30th at 6:00 p.m. The 2018 Proposed Church Budget will be presented and voted on. All members are encouraged to attend this very important annual meeting.

New Zion 21st Annual "Big Game Fellowship"

will be held on Sunday, February 4th. The event is sponsored by the Men's Ministry will be held in the fellowship hall at 5:30 p.m. Remember to wear your favorite team's colors to church that day. Men, women, girls, and boys **ages 12 and up** are welcome to this event. **Enjoy free food**, fun, and fellowship. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board across from Pastor's Study. The deadline to sign-up is Sunday, January 28th. We must have a number count for the quantity of food needed.

⇒ Congratulations to Sister Deidre Jones upon her successful completion of New Members' Orientation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - ADULTS

The New Zion annual church trip for 2018 will be to Lancaster, PA

The second payment is due NOW so please make your payment today. The contacts are Sis. Janice Jackson and Sis. Vivian Morgan.

An important organizational meeting for all

members interested in working with the Youth Lock-In event will be held on Thursday, January 25th at 5:30 p.m. The Lock-In dates and times are Friday, February 16th beginning at 6:00 p.m. until Saturday, February 17th at 8:00 a.m. The contact is Sis. Deborah Dandridge.

The NZBC Men's Fellowship breakfast meetings

will resume on Saturday, January 27th at 8:00 a.m. at Golden Corral. This is a very important meeting because it is the first of the year. Please attend and enjoy the fellowship with other men. The contact is Deacon Edgar Randall.

New Zion Women's Ministry

... In His answer to the prophet, Habakkuk, God said, "Write the vision; make it plain upon tablets, so the runner may read it..." (God instructs the prophet to write the answer (vision) plainly so that it will be understood, preserved, and shared with others). (*Habakkuk 2:2*). In light of this passage, all women 18 and older are invited to the first **Group Discussion** for year 2018, to hear and share in the vision of the New Zion Baptist Church Women's Ministry. Saturday, January 27th, from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m., Dr. J. J. Moody Fellowship Hall. Light Breakfast refreshments will be served. **The 2018 Mission Statement: *Finding the "bridge" that brings women from generation to generation together -- we are all His daughters.*** The contact is Sis. Shirley Smith.

The first Men's Ministry quarterly meeting

of the year will be held following both worship services on next Sunday, January 28th. Men, please join us in section one after either service. The contact is Deacon Edgar Randall.