

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

8:30 AM ORDER OF SERVICE

The Voices of Zion
Minister Kenton Joliff, Pianist

WORSHIP THROUGH DEVOTION

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

The Opening Sentence:

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The Opening Selection Choir and Congregation

The Scripture Deacon Edmond Braxton, Jr.

The Prayer of Praise & Thanksgiving Deacon
Brandon Randall

The Choral Response Choir and Congregation

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The Announcements, The Welcome & The Pastor's Remarks

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The Offertory Response

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The Invitation to Christian Discipleship and Church Membership

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YOU HAVE OUR SYMPATHY IN YOUR LOSS

Sis. Carolyn Lewis and family in the passing of her nephew, Bro. Jimmy Holt;
Sis. Sylvia Tabb-Lee and family in the passing of her uncle, Bro. Oliver Tabb;
Deaconess Arlene Armstead in the passing of her uncle, Bro. Jacob Dabney;
Sis. Delois Morris in the passing of her Sister; Sis. Lynita Hartfield and Sis.
LeAnne Taylor in the passing of their aunt, Sis. Betty Ann Curtis; The family
and friends of Deacon Elvin Jones, in his passing; The family and friends of
Sis. Marian Huggins in her passing; Sis. Odessa Cary, Sis. Yvonne Kee, Bro.
Kenneth Taylor, Bro. Richard Taylor and the Taylor family in the passing of
their brother, Bro. Michael Taylor.

From the Prayer Ministry

Lord, God Almighty, You are our Refuge and our Fortress and in Your presence there is fullness of joy. My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Saviour Divine. You are the Infinite, Wise and Eternal God our Heavenly Father. You are The Supreme Being; the Light in darkness; the God who is our strength in weakness; the God who is Glorious and Victorious; and the God who reigns over us forever and ever. Forgive our sins Lord and help us to completely surrender ourselves to You and accept Your saving grace and power. To You Lord, be glory and honor and power. It is in the mighty and powerful name of Jesus we pray and give thanks, according to Your will let it be done, Amen. (Deaconess Diane Fuller)

OUR HEALTH CONCERNS-NZ MEMBERS

Sis. Alice Alexander	Sis. Catherine Conway	Deaconess Lottie Lewis
Bro. Marvin Alexander Sr.	Sis. Cheryl Cooke	Sis. Sandra Napper
Deacon Edward Allen	Sis. Wanda Cooper	Sis. Doris Rainey
Bro. James Alsop	Sis. Evelyn Dandridge	Deacon Edgar Randall
Deacon James Armstead	Sis. Carniece Felton	Bro. Raymond Roane
Bro. Leo Arrington	Bro. Reginald Felton	Sis. Catherine Robinson
Sis. Millie Ball	Sis. Darlene Freeman	Bro. Robert Shackelford
Sis. Mahilda Brown	Sis. Ethel Fuller	Sis. Jane Streeter
Bro. Quinton Brown	Bro. Julius Haynie	Sis. Toni Goode-Sumler
Sis. Viola Brown	Sis. Delores Howard	Sis. Constance Taylor
Sis. Maxine Canaday	Sis. MiAsijah Jackson	Sis. Stephanie Taylor
Bro. Carl Carter, Sr.	Bro. Charles Jimmerson	Bro. Junius Williams
Deaconess Essie Cary	Deaconess Delores Jones	Sis. LaWanda Williams
Deacon Howard Cary	Sis. Elsie Jones	

OUR HEALTH CONCERNS-FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Bro. Tecumseh Alexander	Bro. James Conyers	Sis. Aurelia Miller
Bro. Lovelace Alston	Sis. Maxine Cumber	Sis. Sandra Napper
Sis. Jaesoon Baik	Sis. Lygeia Drayton Duggins	Bro. Mehki O'Neal
Sis. Diane Battle	Bro. Terrell Glee	Bro. Bruce Parrott
Bro. Christopher Benett	Sis. Shona Cary Hall	Sis. Valerie Patterson
Sis. Teresa Bland	Bro. Bobby Horne	Sis. Jean Quick
Sis. Siona Brandison	Bro. James Hundley Jr.	Sis. Brenda Robinson
Sis. Bernette Brown	Sis. Leona Jackman	Sis. Daphne Robinson
Sis. Doris Butler	Bro. Floyd James	Sis. Karen Robinson
Sis. Theresa Butler	Sis. Christine Johnson	Sis. Delia Romain
Bro. Levi Canaday	Sis. Patricia H. Johnson	Sis. Violet Schwab
Sis. Lilly Carter	Bro. Raymond Justice	Sis. Vanessa Sexton
Bro. Cornelius Cary	Bro. Jacob Lanehart	Sis. Faith Young
Sis. Vanessa Chase	Bro. Tommy McMichael	
Sis. Lynn Collins	Bro. Nick Merlo	

OUR MILITARY FAMILY

Bro. Richard Alsop, USN	Sis. Tisha Grooms, USNR	Bro. Zackary Rankin, USA
Bro. Marcus Bethune, USA	Bro. Larry Gunter, USN	Bro. Lonnie Robinson, Jr., USA
Bro. Alonzo Brown, USA	Bro. Aaron Harris, USN GSM2	Bro. Reginald Smith, Jr., USA
Sis. Jennifer Brown, USA	Bro. Ernest Hines, USN	Bro. Kirk Shepperd, USA
Sis. LaTonya Brown, USA	Sis. Carissa Holmes, USA	Bro. Aaron Smallwood, USAFR
Bro. Thomas C. Coleman, III, USN	Bro. LaMar Howard, USA	Bro. Robert M. Smith, USN
Sis. Desiree Collins, USAF	Bro. Troy Howard, USA	Bro. Daniel Sullivan, USN
Sis. Marlene Collins, USAF	Bro. D'Shaun Jones, USA	Bro. Danny Taylor, USA
Bro. Brandon Lee-Cooper, USA	Bro. Jamal Jones, USA	Bro. Rian Thompson, USA
Bro. Jordan Lee-Cooper, USA	Sis. Kendall Kemelek, USA	Sis. Alyca Sweet-Waldrop, USA
Sis. Sateen Danzy, USA	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	
Bro. Jamiah Freeman, USAF	Bro. Tyneil Rankin, USA	

The Scripture: Numbers 12:1-13 King James Version (KJV)

¹And Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married: for he had married an Ethiopian woman.

²And they said, Hath the LORD indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us? And the LORD heard it.

³(Now the man Moses was very meek, above all the men which were upon the face of the earth.)

⁴And the LORD spake suddenly unto Moses, and unto Aaron, and unto Miriam, Come out ye three unto the tabernacle of the congregation. And they three came out.

⁵And the LORD came down in the pillar of the cloud, and stood in the door of the tabernacle, and called Aaron and Miriam: and they both came forth.

⁶And he said, Hear now my words: If there be a prophet among you, I the LORD will make myself known unto him in a vision, and will speak unto him in a dream.

⁷My servant Moses is not so, who is faithful in all mine house.

⁸With him will I speak mouth to mouth, even apparently, and not in dark speeches; and the similitude of the LORD shall he behold: wherefore then were ye not afraid to speak against my servant Moses?

⁹And the anger of the LORD was kindled against them; and he departed.

¹⁰And the cloud departed from off the tabernacle; and, behold, Miriam became leprous, white as snow: and Aaron looked upon Miriam, and, behold, she was leprous.

¹¹And Aaron said unto Moses, Alas, my lord, I beseech thee, lay not the sin upon us, wherein we have done foolishly, and wherein we have sinned.

¹²Let her not be as one dead, of whom the flesh is half consumed when he cometh out of his mother's womb.

¹³And Moses cried unto the LORD, saying, Heal her now, O God, I beseech thee.



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

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The Opening Selection The Voices of Zion
(Worshippers at the door may enter)

The Musical Selection The Voices of Zion

The Scripture Deacon James Alston

The Prayer of Praise & Thanksgiving Deacon
Edgar Randall

The Choral Response The Voices of Zion

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMUNITY

The Announcements

The Welcome and The Pastor's Remarks

REGULAR MEETINGS AND REHEARSALS

Sunday-April 15	New Members-Conf. Rm	10:15 AM
Monday-April 16	Harp Practice-Choir Rm	11:00 AM
Tuesday-April 17	Harp Practice-Choir Rm	2:15 PM
Wednesday-April 18	Daytime Bible Study-F/H Harp Practice-Choir Rm Sunday School Meeting-Conf. Rm Spiritual Movement-Sanc. Prayer & Praise Service-F/H Bible Study-F/H Infinite Praise	11:00 AM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM
Thursday-April 19	Lydia Dorcas Sewing-F/H "Noon" Prayer-Reading Rm Trustees Meeting-F/H Brethren Chorale -Sanc.	9:00 AM 12:45 PM 6:30 PM 7:30 PM
Saturday-April 21	Women's Mission Training-F/H	1:00 PM

DAILY EXPOSURE TO THE WORD

- ◆ ***Daytime Bible Study:** The study will continue in Hebrews 10:5. The Contact is Deacon Robert Ashby.
- ◆ ***Evening Bible Study:** The study will continue in the book of Malachi. 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.

Bible Readings for April 2018

<https://www.biblegateway.com/reading-plans/old-new-testament/readings/2018/04>

1	Judges 13-15, Luke 6:27-49	16	1 Samuel 30-31, Luke 13:23-35
2	Judges 16-18, Luke 7:1-30	17	2 Samuel 1-2, Luke 14:1-24
3	Judges 19-21, Luke 7:31-50	18	2 Samuel 3-5, Luke 14:25-35
4	Ruth 1-4, Luke 8:1-25	19	2 Samuel 6-8, Luke 15:1-10
5	1 Samuel 1-3, Luke 8:26-56	20	2 Samuel 9-11, Luke 15:11-32
6	1 Samuel 4-6, Luke 9:1-17	21	2 Samuel 12-13, Luke 16
7	1 Samuel 7-9, Luke 9:18-36	22	2 Samuel 14-15, Luke 17:1-19
8	1 Samuel 10-12, Luke 9:37-62	23	2 Samuel 16-18, Luke 17:20-37
9	1 Samuel 13-14, Luke 10:1-24	24	2 Samuel 19-20, Luke 18:1-23
10	1 Samuel 15-16, Luke 10:25-42	25	2 Samuel 21-22, Luke 18:24-43
11	1 Samuel 17-18, Luke 11:1-28	26	2 Samuel 23-24, Luke 19:1-27
12	1 Samuel 19-21, Luke 11:29-54	27	1 Kings 1-2, Luke 19:28-48
13	1 Samuel 22-24, Luke 12:1-31	28	1 Kings 3-5, Luke 20:1-26
14	1 Samuel 25-26, Luke 12:32-59	29	1 Kings 6-7, Luke 20:27-47
15	1 Samuel 27-29, Luke 13:1-22	30	1 Kings 8-9, Luke 21:1-19

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 The Postlude (*The End*)



ANNOUNCEMENTS - ADULTS

Appreciation Concert for New Zion Baptist Church!

The United Fellowship Choir, lead by Brother Rob Hall, will give an appreciation concert for New Zion on Sunday, April 15th at 4:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Please plan to attend and be blessed by the choir's ministry. The event is free and no offering will be collected.

- ◆ The NZ Missions Ministry will celebrate their 79th Anniversary on Sunday, April 22, 2018 during the 11:30 a.m. service. The contact is Bro. Quinton Brown.

The Health Concerns List

Please take a moment to review the names on the revised Health Concerns list and send corrections and changes to Sis. LeAnne Taylor at nzbcwmbgva@aol.com or call 757.258.0491.

The NZ Lancaster, PA Church Trip April payment is due today.

The final payment is due May 15, 2018. The contacts are Sis. Vivian Morgan and Sis. Janice Jackson.

The NZBC Women's Ministry Group Discussion will be held on Saturday, April 28th from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. The discussion topic is "ABIGAIL Biblical Womanhood: A Woman's Influence - Courageous or Clever?" The scripture background is 1 Samuel 25:2-44. Breakfast refreshments will be served, sponsored by our "Spring" Group. The contact is Sis. Shirley Smith.

- ◆ The Pastor's Aid Ministry will meet on Thursday, May 3rd at 6:00 p.m. The contact is Sis. Isis Jackson.

New Zion Adult Bowling League team organizational meeting will be held on Monday, May 14, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. League Bowling begins on Monday, May 21st at Williamsburg AMF located at 5544 Olde Towne Road. Teams are forming, men and women are welcome. See the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board and come out and join us for fun and fellowship! The contacts are Sis. Charlotte Tabb and Trustee Harold Mason.

VOLUNTEERS are needed for Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Vacation Bible School will be held June 21, 22, 23, 2018. 5:45-8:30 p.m. The Theme for VBS is, "Splash Canyon". God's Promise on Life's Wild Ride". Registration begins May 6, 2018. Volunteers are needed for all positions; including Teachers, Asst. Teachers, Registration, Crafts, Music, Recreation, Transportation and more. Dinner will be served each day. The contact is Trustee Nancy Shackleford and the VBS Team; 757-715-2206.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - YOUTH

New Zion youth (12 years and up) will go to another inspiring movie

on Saturday, April 21, 2018. The movie is "A Wrinkle in Time." (Disney movie). We will go to the matinee and the details will be given to parents during the week. If you are interested in going, please sign up today with your name and the PARENT's cell phone number. There is no charge for NZ youth. NZ Buses will transport the youth. The contact is Sis. Janice Jackson.

The New Zion Baptist Church Scholarships application process

is 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. The contacts are Deacon Quincy Marrow and Sis. Regina Ihsane.

- ◆ High School Seniors are encouraged to apply for other scholarships including those found in the "Scholarship Binder" on the table in the fellowship hall vestibule.

The Ladies of Virtue and Elegance invite young ladies in grades 6th—12th

to our annual community service event! Come help give back to the community as we clean up a playground on Saturday, May 5th from 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon at the Upper County Park. Please sign up on the bulletin board by May 2nd. The contacts are Deaconess Delores Jones and Sis. Karanita Fuller.

The AGC Male Mentoring Program Presents

a Mother's Day (May 13th) Recognition Contest. To enter, **please write a prayer** thanking God for the things that make your mother special. The prayer should be a minimum of 50 words. Spelling and grammar are important and the prayer MUST be your own. This is open to both males & females ages 12-18. All entries must be emailed by 5:00 p.m. on 5/8/18 to ccwms1@cox.net. There will be 4 winners selected. The contact is Bro. Charlie Williams.