

New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church

WEEKLY BULLETIN



Saturday | May 4, 2024

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Sermon | Pastor McCreary

"LIVING IN A BIBLICAL REALITY:

**Abiding in Christ's Love and Keeping the Father and
the Savior's Commandments"**

John 15:9-14

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

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Invitation to Celebration

Minister: Come, let us join our voices to worship our Lord Christ Yahshua for His work of shepherding us as the Good Shepherd.

People: Because the Lord is our Shepherd, we shall not want. He makes us lie down in green pastures; He leads us beside the still waters.

Minister: He restores our soul; He leads us in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

People: Yea, though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death, we will fear no evil; for you are with us; your rod and your staff comfort us.

Minister: You prepare a table before us in the presence of our enemies; you anoint our head with oil; our cup overflows.

All: *Surely goodness and mercy shall follow us all the days of our lives; and we will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. All praise to the Shepherd and Guardian of our souls. Hallelujah! Amen!*

Remembering Our Church Covenant

Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of YAH, to receive the Lord, Yahshua Hamashiach as our Savior, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we do now in the presence of YAH and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aide of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian love.

To strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge, holiness, and comfort;

To promote its prosperity and spirituality;

To sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrines.

To contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the gospel throughout all nations.

We also engage to maintain as far as possible family and secret devotion.

To teach our children the Christian truths;

To seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances;

To walk circumspectly in the world;

To be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, exemplary in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Savior.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love and to remember each other in prayer;

To aid each other in sickness and distress;

To cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech;

To be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rules of our Savior to secure without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place, we will as soon as possible unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of the covenant and the principles of YAH's Word.

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Liturgy of the Table

Salutation

Pastor: YAH is with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to YAH our God.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to YAH our God.

People: It is right to do so.

ALL: 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. Amen.

The Prayer of Confession

Dear YAH, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed. We have not loved you with all our heart and soul, with all our mind and strength, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We ask you to forgive our sins through Yahshua Hamashiach our Savior. Amen.

The Assurance of Confession

Pastor: YAH's way is the way of forgiveness.

People: He removes our sins and remembers them no more.

Pastor: Through Yahshua He offers cleansing and new life.

People: In the name of Christ, we are forgiven.

Amen.

Announcements

Sabbath School meets every Saturday morning in-person at 9:00 a.m. There are classes for all ages. Everyone is welcome! Thanks, Deacon Wendell Clayborn.

Youth worship takes place in the Red Room every Sabbath at 10:45am, with the exception of the second Sabbath. Children between the ages of 4 and 19 are invited to attend for praise and worship, classes, snacks, and more. We are still looking for volunteers, please contact Sis. Pleasont or Sis. Tucker if you are interested in getting involved.

The **Men's Ministry** will be hosting a Mental Health Awareness dialogue on May 25th at 1:00 pm, immediately following Sabbath service. We will have a guest speaker joining us for this important discussion. Let's unlock the power of compassion this Mental Health Awareness Month by coming together to erase stigma, amplify resources, and shine a spotlight on mental health.



The **Women's Ministry** will meet at the church in the Red Room tomorrow at 2:00 pm. It is imperative that all Tea Committee members be present. Let's come together to plan and strategize social, spiritual, health and wellness ministry activities! Sis. Sis. Althea Motley and Sis. Diane Dennis

Announcements

Please join us for the **Women's Ministry Spring Tea** on May 18th at 1:30pm. Enjoy food, fellowship, music, prizes, and fun! We look forward to seeing you there. If you have any questions, please see Sis. Shirley Marshall-Jones.



Assistant Pastor, Brandon Turner will lead the Wednesday night Bible study class, **"Truth Seekers: Living With the End in Mind"** via Zoom from 6:45 pm - 8:00 pm. If you are looking to dive deeper into the Word of God and explore how to live with purpose and intentionality while keeping the end in mind, we invite you to attend.

Meeting ID: 94838991111; Passcode: 294936.

Bible Study with Pastor McCreary meets every Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. via Zoom. The meeting ID is 839 903 2027 and the password is 415. All are welcome!

Beginners Line Dancing Class meets every Thursday from 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. here at the church. The cost is \$6 a person.

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Sick/Shut-In/Bereavement

Sis. Carol Bishop
Sis. Nancy Brown
Sis. Camille Chambers
Sis. Betty Cooper
Bro. Fate Cooper
Sis. Sandra Dyson
Sis. Gloria Edwards
Sis. Leasie Frazier
Sis. Erica Gary
Sis. Cornelius Halbert
Sis. Mary Harris
Sis. Carlita Jackson
Bro. Leon Lewis
Sis. Gurtrue Loggins
Sis. Dolores Mayweather

Sis. Deborah Moore
Bro. Leo Moore
Rev. Freida Peed
Bro. William Pleasont
Sis. Janice Price
Bro. Edward Richardson
Bro. Robert Richardson
Sis. Francis Rucker
Sis. Julia Sandifer
Rev. N. Patrice Sims
Sis. Hattie Taylor
Sis. Lori Vasser
Sis. Debeyon Watts
Bro. Bill Wiley
Sis Christine Wiley

To all our bereaved families who have lost loved ones, we are praying that Father YAH will heal your broken hearts and give you peace.

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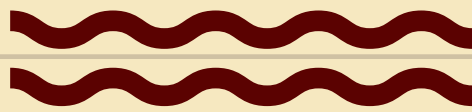
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