

THE SHILOH BEACON

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This month, the Prayer Ministry's emphasis is "Trusting in God." Their Morning Prayer Line devotions, scripture lessons and their meditations will all focus on a loving and gracious God who only desires for us to trust Him. Trust is difficult to gain and easy to lose. We are so fragile so that one sleight or word of offense, one misdeed by a leader, one perceived act of impropriety can shatter our trust in one another and in the God we serve. Our very ability to trust God is often dependent on God doing all that we want in the way that we want it.

But I want to assure you that God has already done what is necessary. He reached into the bowels of His being, took on the form of humanness and suffered for us; endured the cross and the shame, bore our transgressions; simply to demonstrate his profound love for us. His ordeal on our behalf frees us from bondage, grants us a security that says that all things can work to our good, and lets us sleep at night knowing that God has our backs. And all God says to us is "Just trust me." Can you trust God? Trusting God is the path to peace in your spirits, a happier home and work life and a stronger church. Folks may hurt you. People can disappoint. Life can be hard. But in all of life's circumstances, can you trust God? That's all that God wants...He says, "Trust Me!"

*Join us throughout the summer for our **JOINT SUNDAY SCHOOL** as we review the book, "**I AM A CHURCH MEMBER**". Get your copy today by seeing our Christina Education Coordinator, Sister Berline Brown. She'll be in the chapel following Sunday worship.*

Continued...

A Love Note From Pastor continued...



*In the meanwhile, get ready for **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, “FAMILY MATTERS”**, to be held **17 JULY TO 21 JULY AT 6PM NIGHTLY** You do not want to miss this! Bring a neighbor or a friend.*

***ONLINE GIVING IS HERE!** Praise the Lord! Check out the last two pages of this Newsletter very carefully!*

***ON SUNDAY, 9 JULY, WE WILL WORSHIP AT 4PM WITH THE HISTORIC FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORFOLK ON BUTE STREET FOR THEIR 217TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.** What an honor that they have invited us to share in their celebration. Please journey there with our choirs, ushers, and deaconate and ministry leaders as we glorify God with Dr. Murray and that wonderful church family.*

Happy and God Blessed July, Shiloh!

I Love My Shiloh Family

Pastor Keith





Trust God, Keep the Faith

Trusting God doesn't come easy. We can't see, touch, or hear His voice---at least not in the same way we do the humans in our lives. Every time we put our trust in Him and decide to obey, His Spirit transforms us and makes us more like Him.

Perhaps these quotes will encourage you:

1. *Pray, and let God worry. – Martin Luther*
2. *We can make our plans, but the Lord determines our steps. – Proverbs 16:9 NLT*
3. *Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God. – Corrie Ten Boom*
4. *Don't ask God to guide your steps if you're not willing to move your feet.
– Unknown*
5. *Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. Seek his will in all you do and he will show you which path to take.
Proverbs 3:5-6 NLT*
7. *The beginning of anxiety is the end of faith, and the beginning of true faith is the end of anxiety. – George Mueller*
8. *I have learned that faith means trusting in advance what will only make sense in reverse. – Philip Yancey*
9. *Faith is the vision of the heart; it sees God in the dark as well as in the day.
– Unknown*
10. *If you wish to know God, you must know his Word. If you wish to perceive His power, you must see how He works by his Word. If you wish to know His purpose before it comes to pass, you can only discover it by His Word. – Charles Spurgeon*
11. *And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them.
Romans 8:28 NLT*

THE SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH PRAYER MINISTRY

Welcome to Shiloh!

OUR TYPICAL ORDER of WORSHIP

MOMENTS OF PREPARATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRELUDE

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP & INVOCATION

MOMENTS OF PRAISE

SONGS OF PRAISE

MOMENTS OF PROCLAMATION

OFFERTORY STATEMENT, LITANY & PRAYER

WORSHIP WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory Selection – Musicians & Choir

Presentation of Tithes & Offering – Congregation

Offertory Response – “All Things Come of Thee, O Lord”

MINISTRY IN SONG

SERMON

INVITATION TO CHRIST

ALTAR PRAYER AND BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

POSTLUDE

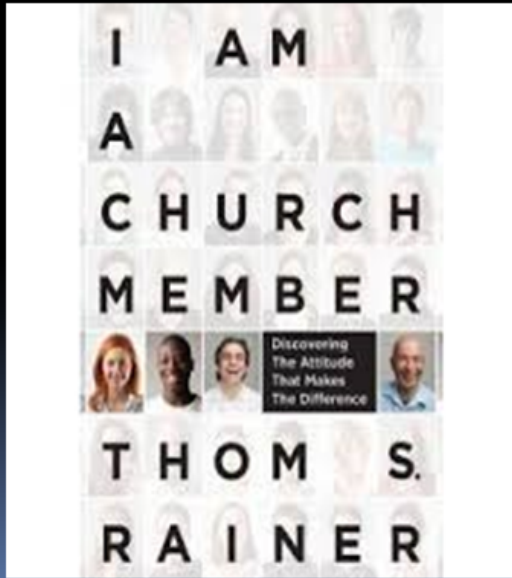
This Order of Worship is intended to be a guide. Upon the dictates of the Holy Spirit, the order may change without advance notice.



STAND DOWN:

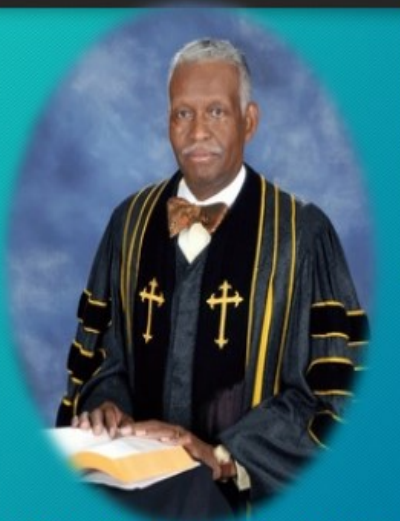
- (1) Worship Service at 10:30am
- Relax Your Dress - Worship Appropriate, Dress Down Attire Encouraged
- Minimal Meetings
- Choir Rehearsals & Worship Focused Meetings
- Visioning Team Meetings

JOINT SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS JULY 2ND – AUGUST 20TH



**ORDER YOUR BOOK
FOR ONLY \$5.00**

SHILOH IN MINISTRY



Rev. Dr. Robert G. Murray

**Sunday, July 9th
4pm**

**Historic First Baptist Church
Of Norfolk**

418 East Bute Street

217TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

**TIDEWATER PENINSULA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
118TH ANNUAL SESSION**

JULY 9-13, 2017

**SIXTH MOUNT ZION BAPTIST TEMPLE
3100 BUTTERNUT DR.
HAMPTON, VA
DR. JEROME BARBER, HOST PASTOR**



**DR. REGINALD WOODHOUSE
MODERATOR**



**DR. WILLARD MAXWELL JR.
DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

**Youth Explosion!
JULY 9TH**

**WORKSHOPS
PREACHING
AND MUCH MORE**

**All Missionaries (Men, Women, Youth)
who desire to attend, please see
Missionaries Lucretia Singleton and
Erma Brown for more information.
Transportation will be provided.**



Vacation Bible School

July 17 - July 21
6pm

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FAMILY MATTERS

Shiloh's Vacation Bible School is an exciting week-long event for youth and adults. Children from 4-17 will enjoy a week of fun activities as they learn about Jesus' love, meet new people and get in touch with their creative side through art, drama and song.

Each day youth will be involved in physical activities and will be provided a healthy snack. During the week youth will have some outdoor activities. The teens will visit the Shepherds Village Nursing Home.

Adults will be engaged in Bible Study, "Redeemed: Seeing the Messiah in the Book of Ruth."

Join the Evangelism Team on Saturday, July 8th at 10am to share this wonderful opportunity with our neighbors. Hope to see you all at VBS 2017!!!

Thank You!

Shiloh,

I want to thank you for all the many blessings that you have been presented to me throughout my time here but especially during this time of my graduation. All of the well wishes, words of encouragement, prayers and financial blessings are truly appreciated. There are too many of you to say thank you individually so I am saying thank you to you all. Again thank you Shiloh and God Bless.

*Love,
Jade*

I am truly blessed to be part of such a wonderful and caring Church Family...My village. Your kind words and encouragement helped sustain me during some difficult hours. May God continue to bless each and everyone of you. I pray for you, you pray for me, and watch God change things.

*Love,
Dana Hazzard*

To Pastor Jones and my Shiloh family, Thank you for the love and your acts of kindness expressed during the passing of my beloved Mother. Your words of comfort were gratefully appreciated. You're a blessing.

Sis. Violet Goodman & Family





Sick & Shut-in Disciples



Let us remember our Sick and Shut-In Disciples.
May God keep and strengthen them.

Sister Alice Askew
Sister Emma Askew
Sister Melvine Blakeley
Sister Irene Brooks
Brother J. W. Finnie
Dr. Salona Foster
Sister Helen M. Griggs
Deaconess Vernell S. Harris
Sister Juanita Haskins
Sister Olillian Hazel
Sister Rosa Henley
Sister Nelia Holoman
Sister Essie Joyner
Brother Luther Joyner, Jr.
Sister Dolly M. Jones
Brother Dennis Mabry
Sister Geraldine McNeil
Sister Emma Reid
Deacon James Reid
Sister Audrey Shands
Sister Lillie Sloan
Sister Julia Varner
Sister Beatrice Williams

Youth Highlights

The Spotlight Is On . . .

Shiloh Scholars & Graduates!

Class of 2017

Jade Baum-Gardner

Amber Brown

Brenten Hamilton

Kydria Haynes

Dana Hazzard

Chalae Johnson

Alfred Shirley

NAME	PROMOTED TO	ACHIEVEMENT
D. J. Alexander	2nd Grade	Satisfactory, Ranked 34/135 AAU District Meet Shot Put
Kailyn Alexander	9th Grade	Honor Roll
Acacia Brooks	10th Grade	
Quintyn Brooks	6th Grade	Advanced Proficiency
Daniel Davenport	2nd Grade	Principal's List, Perfect Attendance
David Davenport	5th Grade	Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, 1st Place Poetry Contest
Solon Davenport	6th Grade	Yearly Honor Roll
Kobi Davenport, Jr.	8th Grade	Honor Roll, 2nd Place Regional PTA Reflections Contest
Makaila Davenport	Senior in College	Dean's List
Robert Davenport, III	12th Grade	
Jira Gardner	6th Grade	A-B Honor Roll, AP Proficient in all subjects
Andrea Hall	3rd Grade	Student of the Month, Reading Award
Kevin Haynes, II	10th Grade	
Joel Hicks	9th Grade	
John Hill	Junior in College	Dean's List
Naomi Hurt	11th Grade	
NJ Hurt	Sophomore in College	
Mariah Jackson	5th Grade	B-Honor Roll
Christian Johnson	Senior in College	
Nyteka McGlone	Senior in College	Dean's List (Spring Semester)
Miles Parker	Sophomore in College	Dean's List
Aaron Shirley	11th Grade	All A's, GPA 4.4
Darrell Trotter	11th Grade	
Alyssa Whitley	6th Grade	
Renee Whitley	9th Grade	



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FELLOWSHIP



FOOTGOLF

Sunday, July 16, 2017

Following 10:30am Worship Service

\$5.00 per person

See Rev. Amanda Haines for more info

Youth Basic Tennis Sessions

Saturdays July, 15th, 22nd, & 29th 2017

Ages 7-17

A photograph of a bright yellow-green tennis ball resting on the strings of a tennis racket. The racket has a yellow frame and a white mesh.

**See Brother J. J. Moore
for more information**

YOUTH MISSIONS OPPORTUNITY IN AUGUST



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MORE DETAILS TO COME...

Wednesday, August 23rd



**National Museum
of African
American History
and Culture**

Bus Transportation: **\$30**

**Payment Due July 9th
See Sis. Andrea Taylor**

MEDITATION ON PRIOR PLANNING

Verse

Both Mahlon and Kilion also died, and Naomi was left without her two sons and her husband. Ruth 1:5 NIV.

Thought

My father died when he was 47 years old. He had not been sick, but he did have to undergo tests that required minor surgery. Unfortunately, he was given more anesthesia than his heart could handle, and he died of a heart attack in the hospital. My mother was 44 years old and had never lived independently. She got married to my father at 19 years and moved from her mother's house to my father's. It was a devastating loss for our entire family.

Thank God my father had life insurance and mortgage insurance. When he died, all of his major bills were paid because he was well insured. He also had all of his business organized in a way that made handling his affairs after his death quite easy. In fact, a week before he died, he took me to his bank and showed me the contents of his safe deposit box, which is where he kept all of his important papers. There was a note in that box detailing the exact steps I should take when he died - names, phone numbers and the information to be discussed with the person named. A week later, when my father died, I went back to the bank, retrieved the papers and followed the written instructions.

A few years ago, when I was diagnosed with cancer, I did the exact same thing with my sons that my dad had done with me. It doesn't make much sense to work a lifetime, accumulate assets and leave loved ones and family in disarray when life comes to an end. Things happen.

Naomi lost her husband and her two sons. This left three women widowed with still a lot of living remaining for them to do. Enjoying success in life must include preparing for the end of life. Failing to do so is to live in denial and to undo whatever success you have achieved.

Prayer

"God, help me take steps to prepare for the end of my life. Amen."

**JULY FIRST
RESPONDERS**

1st Sunday:

Angela Glover
Glenda Moore

2nd Sunday:

Taffy Hunter
Crystal Trotter

3rd Sunday:

Melvena Gregg
Norma Haynes

4th Sunday:

Bernadine Hazzard
Barbara Jordan

5th Sunday:

Lelia Haynes
Barbara Jordan

Get Checked



Blood Pressure and
Blood Glucose
Screenings Following
Morning Worship
July 2nd

SUMMER'S HERE SAFETY TIPS...

Drinking Water & Staying Hydrated



Drinking enough water every day is good for overall health. Drinking water can also help with managing body weight.

Water can prevent dehydration, a condition that can cause unclear thinking, result in mood change, cause your body to overheat, constipation and kidney stones.



Water helps your body:

- Keep your temperature normal
- Protect your spinal cord and other sensitive tissues
- Get rid of wastes through urination, perspiration and bowel movements

Your body needs more water when you are:

- In hot climates
- More physically active
- Running a fever
- Having diarrhea or vomiting

**COMING
SOON!**



**Shiloh Baptist Church's Fall Blood Drive
Wednesday, September 27, 2017**

PLEASE PLAN TO GIVE!

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Taffy Hunter
Crystal Trotter

3rd Sunday:

Melvena Gregg
Norma Haynes

4th Sunday:

Bernadine Hazzard
Barbara Jordan

Get Checked



Blood Pressure and
Blood Glucose
Screenings Following
Morning Worship
August 6th

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Shiloh Baptist Church has entered a new era: the age of anytime, anywhere giving. We are now signed up with Givelify, the mobile giving app for places of worship and charities.

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- 3 Tap My Place of Worship

- 4 Tap the Give button

- 5 Tap an amount

- 6 Select an envelope

- 7 Tap Give Now

- 8 Create your account

- 9 Enter payment information

- ➔ Next time you use Givelify, save time with the **1-TAP GIVE NOW** button

Please leave this slip here to help spread the word.

July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Please Note: Scheduling is Subject to Change.</i>						1 <i>Arnold Shands</i>
2) JOINT SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS Storehouse Sunday <i>Charlotte & Sylvester Smith Derrell & Alphonso Thompson</i>	3 (Office Closed)	4 Independence Day (Office Closed)	5 <i>Joyce Lawrence</i>	6 <i>1p Clothes Closet 7p Choir Rehearsal</i>	7 <i>John Hazzard II</i>	8 <i>Hope Gordon Dennis Mabry</i>
9 COMMUNION 4p Shiloh In Ministry Historic First Baptist Church of Norfolk	10 <i>Marva Baker Jonita Jones Sheila Thompson</i>	11 <i>11a Food Rescue</i>	12 <i>Marion Hill Iris Wood</i>	13 <i>7p Choir Rehearsal Julia Varner</i>	14 <i>Vernell Harris</i>	15 <i>Kevin Haynes II Romeo Lambert III Yvette Williams Reginald Yates</i>
16 <i>Vanda & Marty Dixon Annette & Edwin Sloan</i>	17 <i>6p Vacation Bible School Mary Hill</i>	18) 11a Food Rescue 6p Vacation Bible School Byron & Mary Hall	19 <i>6p Vacation Bible School</i>	20) 1p Clothes Closet 6p Vacation Bible School Gary Murrell	21 <i>6p Vacation Bible School</i>	22) <i>Pamela Lewis James Reid Sr. Lucretia & Walter Singleton</i>
23 YOUTH SUNDAY Milton & Dianne Reid	24 <i>Brenten Hamilton Donna Williams</i>	25 <i>11a Food Rescue</i>	26 <i>Ernie Williams Jr.</i>	27 <i>7p Choir Rehearsal Patrice Rountree</i>	28 <i>11a Food Distribution Derrick Rountree Lillie & Edwin Burrell</i>	29 <i>Salona Foster</i>
30 <i>Nicholas Wiggins</i>	31 <i>Christy Hunt</i>					