

A MOTHER'S LOVE

The first Mother's Day was celebrated in West Virginia in 1912. Mothers were to be recognized as an important part of our culture and lives. The heart of a mother is like a rare jewel. They love their children during the worst and best of times.

Yet all mothers are not the same. Author and speaker Patsy Clairmont says, "Normal is just a setting on your clothes dryer." We are all different. She shared that as women we may "struggle, fail, start over, and celebrate." But we are mothers who can love unlike any other person.

A familiar mother's day poem written in the early 1900's is:

M is for the Many things she gave me,
O means only that she's growing Old.
T is for the Tears she shed to save me,
H is for her Heart of purest gold.
E is for her Eyes with love light shining,
R means Right and Right she'll always be.

Put them all together, they spell MOTHER.
A word that means the world to me.

God created families and gave mothers a unique place in that unit. We can love, give of ourselves, cook, clean, wash clothes, put Band-Aids on scrapes ... be the first one up in the morning or the last one down at night. We juggle a lot of things including raising children, working at jobs, managing a home, and sometimes finding time for ourselves.

Each day is a new beginning of what lies before us. We have destiny, purpose, and the power to do and be all that we are called to be. Nothing can stop us except ourselves. As mothers, we need to find the strength to face each day knowing that God loves us.

This scripture seems to be written just for mothers.

"If you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, then make my joy complete by being like minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose. Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others." Philippians 2:1-4

Our children need that unselfish love of a mother. We as mothers need to love our mothers too. Long life is promised to all who show honor to them.

"Children, obey your parents because you belong to the Lord, for this is the right thing to do. "Honor your father and mother." This is the first commandment with a promise: If you honor your father and mother, "things will go well for you, and you will have a long life on the earth." Ephesians 6:1-3

Mothers make up a crucial part of our lives. So whether it is a Hallmark card, dinner out, hug, or a kiss on the cheek, we should show we care. It is so important to give our love to these dedicated women in our lives and don't take them for granted.

"Dear children, let's not merely say that we love each other; let us show the truth by our actions." I John 3:18

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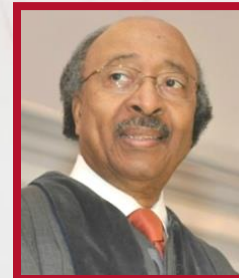


Quioccasin Baptist Church

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Mother's Day

5th Sunday in Eastertide
Sunday, May 14, 2017



**Reverend Earl L. Bledsoe
Interim Pastor**

The Celebration of Morning Worship.....8:00 A.M.

“So she went and came unto the man of God to mount Carmel. And it came to pass, when the man of God saw her afar off, that he said to Gehazi his servant, Behold, yonder is that Shunammite: Run now, I pray thee, to meet her, and say unto her, Is it well with thee? is it well with thy husband? is it well with the child? And she answered, It is well.” 2 Kings 4:25-26 KJV

The PreludeMs. Angela M. Mosley
“My Faith Looks Up to Thee” No. 273

The Call to Worship..... Minister
“Great is the LORD: and greatly to be praised in the city of our GOD:
in the mountain of his holiness.”

The Prayer of InvocationIn Unison
God of hope: you promise many homes within your house where Christ now lives in glory. Help us to take you at your word, so our hearts may not be troubled or afraid, but trust your fatherly love, for this life, and the life to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The ChantNo. 9
“Alleluia”

The Responsive Reading..... Minister/Congregation
“THE IDEAL MOTHER” No. 613

The Hymn of Praise and AdorationNo. 275
“FAITH OF OUR MOTHERS”

THE MUSICAL INTERLUDE

The Welcome/Announcements/Recognitions Deacon Edith Lomax, Church Clerk

THE MUSICAL INTERLUDE

The Scripture..... Minister
"2 Kings 4:8-26"

Special Music..... The Volunteer Choir
“I Am on the Battlefield for My Lord” No. 433

The Prayer..... Minister

The Prayer ResponseVolunteer Choir/Congregation
“Hear Our Prayer, O Lord” No. 551

OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN LIST
PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN MEMBERS

- Mrs. Dorothy Clark 1261 Marywood Lane, Apt 311
- Mr. Moses Fenner 2903 Lawson Street, 23224
- Deaconess Florine Fleming 6201 Whistler Road
- Mrs. Helen Foster Beth Sholom Lifecare – 1600 John Rolfe Prkwy - Room 111/Unit 3
- Miss Helena Fountain..... 607 Fountain Lane
- Mrs. Denise Hardy 10640 Anna Marie Drive
- Mr. Herbert Jackson 709 Parham Road
- Ms. Joyce Johnson..... 8300 Ridge Road
- Ms. Everlena King..... 4403 Forest Hill Avenue
- Ms. Marjorie McIntyre 1261 Marywood Lane, Apt 209
- Mrs. Josephine Norrell 2514 Shadyside Avenue, Suitland, MD 20746
- Mrs. Emma J. Truman..... Morningside Assisted Living, 3000 Skipwith Road, Unit 241
- Reverend P. Frances Watson..... 121 Taylor Avenue West, Hampton, Virginia 23663
- Mrs. Quovardis White-Mosley..... Golden Living Center-Elizabeth Ann Crump, Room C17
- Mr. James Woodson..... 3221 French Street

HOW MAY WE SERVE YOU?

- Sickness in the Home
- Desires Offering Envelopes
- Moved to the Address Below
- A Newcomer in the Community
- Seeking Church Membership
- Desires A Pastoral Call
- Children for Church School
- In Need of Prayer

NAME _____ PHONE _____
 ADDRESS _____ DATE _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

Information supplied by: _____

Please check desired one(s), tear off, and place in the offering plate or give to the Minister.

DEACONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

Deacon George Willcox (804) 747-7775 and Deacon William Hudgins
(804) 270-1386. Please inform them of any persons that are sick.

Announcements

May 15 at 6:00 P.M. Trustee meeting
May 18 at 11:00 A.M. **Aging with Grace travel to Abner Baptist Church, 15143 Abner Church Road, Glen Allen, VA 23059. Van departs 10:15 A.M.**

May 18 at 6:30 P.M. Male Chorus rehearsal
May 18 at 7:00 P.M. **Sanctuary Choir rehearsal**
 May 20 at 8:30 A.M. Deacon's meeting
May 20 at 10:00 A.M. **Deaconess meeting**
 May 20 12 noon – 2:00 P.M. Delver Women Club Luncheon
May 21 at 3:00 P.M. **Quioccasin Baptist Church Youth Ushers and Praise Team will usher and perform at North Gayton Baptist Church Youth Revival, 3244 Pump Road, Richmond, VA 23233**

May 21 at 3:00 P.M. Male Chorus will sing at Mt. Herman Baptist Church, 2814 Moss Side Ave., Richmond, VA 23222
May 22 at 6:30 P.M. **Commission on Finance meeting**
 May 22 at 6:30 P.M. Deacons Conference of Richmond and Vicinity meeting at Fifth Baptist Church, 1415 W Cary Street, Richmond, VA
May 27 at 11:00 A.M. **Choral Ensemble rehearsal**
 June 1 at 6:00 P.M. Combined Usher meeting
June 1 at 7:00 P.M. **Sanctuary Choir rehearsal**
 June 2 at 6:30 P.M. Children/Youth Choir rehearsal
June 3 at 9:30 A.M. **Media Committee meeting**
 June 3 at 5:00 P.M. Goochland NAACP Banquet
June 4 at 3:30 P.M. **Male Chorus will sing at Plumblin United Holy Church, Enfield, NC**
 June 10 4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. Reverend Bledsoe Pastor Appreciation Day - see page 6
June 11 **Graduate Sunday**
 June 17 at 12 Noon Tuckahoe Baptist Association Women's Auxiliary English Tea
June 24 7:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. **Yard Sale - tables \$20. Contact Bessie Royster (804)874-9998**

NOTICE: MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY & AUGUST - ONE JOINT SERVICE

7:45 A.M. - 8:30 A.M.	Continental Breakfast
8:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.	Church School
9:40 A.M.	Prayer and Praise
10:00 A.M.	Joint Service

Age with Grace Senior Citizens meet every Wednesday at 11:00 A.M. in New Fellowship Hall unless traveling

Bible Study is every Wednesday night starting at 6:45 P.M. with Dr. Earl L. Bledsoe followed by Prayer and Praise at 7:30 P.M.

THE MUSICAL INTERLUDE

The Stewardship Challenge/Prayer..... Deacon Ann Stafford

“2 Corinthians 9:6-7”

THE MUSICAL OFFERING/TITHES/OFFERINGS

(Benevolence).....In Unison

“Psalm 24” *KJV*

(Tithes/General/Mortgage)..... Ushers/Deacons/Congregation

“You Can't Beat God Giving” No. 528

The Offertory Prayer Deacon Vaughn Dennis

The Offertory Response.....No. 559

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

The Presentation of the Messenger Deacon William Hudgins

The Preparatory Selection Choir/Congregation

“Lead Me, Guide Me” No. 233

The Sermon Reverend Dr. Theodore T. Brown

“A PORTRAIT OF A PHENOMENAL WOMAN”

THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

The Invitational HymnNo. 198

“I Surrender All”

The Benediction/Grace..... Reverend Dr. Brown

The Choral Response Choir/Congregation

“The Threefold Amen” No. 553

The Postlude..... **“Let the Church Say AMEN”**

<<<The Church School 9:30 A.M.>>>

Deacon Arthur W. Byrd, Jr. – Superintendent

The Period of Prayer and Praise10:40 A.M.
The Celebration of Morning Worship..... 10:55 A.M.

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The Prelude Ms. Angela M. Mosley

The Introit No. 4

“Bless His Holy Name”

Processional Selection..... Choir/Congregation

“Glad to Be in God’s Service”

The Call to Worship..... Minister

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The Prayer Minister

The Prayer Response Choir/Congregation

“Thank You, Lord” No. 324

SERMON NOTES AND REFLECTIONS



Quioccasin Baptist Church

Youth Ushers' Summer Trip

Friday, June 30, 2017

Package Includes:

- ❖ Roundtrip deluxe motor coach transportation
- ❖ Continental Breakfast
- ❖ Admission to Hershey Park
- ❖ Snacks on the bus

\$85.00 per person

\$25 non-refundable deposit due now

\$30 due by May 14, 2017

\$30 due by June 11, 2017

The bus will depart from Quioccasin Baptist Church at 6:30 a.m. and return at 9:00 p.m.

If you have questions please contact Tawana Montague (804) 647-2839 or Chaldea Montague (804) 986-5515.

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 "I Surrender All"

The Silent Moment

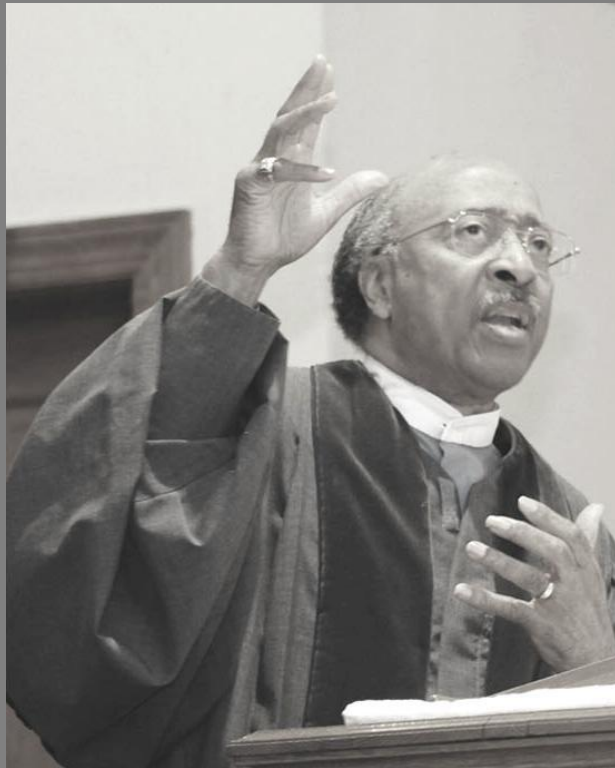
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Pastor Appreciation Day



Reverend Earl Leslie Bledsoe

Saturday, June 10, 2017

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

New Fellowship Hall

POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

**2017 ANDREW M. MOSLEY, JR.
FELLOWSHIP HALL DEDICATION**



AND



**E. MAXINE CARTER
KITCHEN DEDICATION**

**Sunday, June 25, 2017
3:00 P.M.**

**Quioccasin Baptist Church Sanctuary
Ribbon Cutting and Reception**