

Worship Services

9:00 a.m. ~ Church School & New Disciples Class

10:00 a.m. ~ Worship Services

1st Sundays Only in the Parsonage

9:00 a.m. ~ Engaged & Married Couples Sunday School Class

Leadership on Duty

Deacon Sinclair Dennery, Sr. ~ Trustee Keefe Matthews

Activities for the Week of January 6-11, 2020

Monday, January 6

7:00 p.m.	Deacon-in-Training	CR 2 & 3
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts Troop #1907	Parsonage

Tuesday, January 7

7:00 p.m.	Ushers Ministry Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m.	Free Legal Consultation.	CR 6
7:00 p.m.	Associates Ministers Meeting	CR 2 & 3

Wednesday, January 8

10:30 a.m.	Senior's Ministry	MPR
12:00 p.m.	Noon Day Bible Study	MPR
1:15 p.m.	Prayer Service	MPR
6:30 p.m.	Bible Study	MPR
7:45 p.m.	Prayer Service	Sanctuary

Thursday, January 9

6:00 p.m.	Healing Hearts Ministry Meeting	CR 2 & 3
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Friday, January 10

7:30 p.m.	Stars Rehearsal	Sanctuary
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Saturday, January 11

10:00 a.m.	Shawl Ministry	Parsonage
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MPR - Multi-Purpose Room
CR-Classroom

Bethlehem Baptist Church

Sunday, January 5, 2020

10:00 a.m.



"BE A TITHER"
PSALM 116:12 (CEV)

Season: Epiphany
Color: Green
January 6-February 25, 2020

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James G. Daniely Pastor of Roberts

Pray for our sick and shut-in during your prayer time

Home:

Ms. Edith Aultmon	7403 Ben Drive, Oxon Hill, MD 20745
Ms. Faye Attidore	(At Home)
Mr. Arthur Battle	(Son of Deaconess Elizabeth Battle)
Mr. Dexter Basnight	Norfolk, VA (Brother of Polly Hargrove)
Ms. Terri A. Bearden	Coatsville, PA (Sister of Russell Bearden)
Mr. James Boyd	261 Evans Lane, Alexandria, VA 22305
Mr. Edward L. Brooks	7510 Moores Road, Brandywine, MD 20613
	(Brother-in-Law of Doris Dickerson)
Ms. Mary Butler	806 Glendora Drive, District Heights, MD 207
Mrs. Carolyn Carey	Indianapolis, IN (Sister of Claudette Lewis)
Ms. Tyesa Collins	7957 Janna Lee Avenue, Apt. 302, Alex., VA 22309
Ms. Jane Dillard	Omar, WV (Sister of Teresa Johnson)
Mrs. Glorene Driver	Charlotte, NC (Cousin of Denise & Keith Scott)
Mrs. Lora Edwards	Lake Charles, LA (Aunt of Pastor White)
Mr. Russell Fairfax	(Brother of Evelyn Fairfax-Harper)
Mr. Marcus D. Ferguson	7414 Republic Court, Apt. 202, Alexandria, VA 22306
Mrs. Marian Ferguson	Gaithersburg, MD
Mr. Charles Fisher	316 15th St., N.E., Washington, DC 20002
	(Nephew of Carolyn Collins)
Mr. Vann Fleming	5358 DeVoe Court, Dale City, VA22193
Mrs. Julia Freeman	3000 Sherwood Hall Lane, Alexandria, VA 22306
Mrs. Mary C. Gardner	9212 Marovelle Fort Drive, Lorton, VA 22079
	(Mother of Cynthia Snyder & Robbie Crite)
Mr. Charles Gordon	7502 Calderon Court, U-C, Alexandria, VA 22306
Mr. Freddie Herrington	Augusta, GA (Father of Nicholas Herrington)
Mrs. Ida Mae Hunter	2808 Hackle Street, Augusta, GA 30909
	(Mother of Dorothy Saules Wilson)
Ms. Terrie Jackson	8106 Lake Park Drive, Alexandria, VA 22309
Mr. Ronnie Johnson	Little Rock, AR (Brother of Shirley Porter)
Ms. Bernadette Kamara	Alexandria, VA
Ms. Toba Leverett	(Friend of Deaconess Julia Gaskins)
Mr. Fenton Mims	8697 Bent Arrow Court, Springfield, VA 22153
Mr. Joel Minnis	(Brother of Mary Futrell)
Mr. William (Billy) Pannell	Warrensville Heights, OH
	(Brother of Deaconess Doris Houston)
Mrs. Betty Parks	(Mother of Cyd Parks)
Mrs. Jerlene Payne	(Cousin of Tina Speight)
Mr. Anthony Perry	Bowie, MD (Nephew of Carla Page)
Ms. Josephine Pryor	Clinton, MD (Cousin of Leroy Jones)
Ms. Addie Thompson	(Mother of Gail Clarke)
Mrs. Dale Thompson	2609 Douglas Lane, Hopewell, VA 23860
	(Niece of Shirley Howard & Mary Reed)
Mr. Jaden Thompson	(Nephew of Doris Houston)
Mr. Vernell Triggs	Parker, TX (Cousin of Leroy Jones)
Ms. Louise Ward	8199 Tiswell Dr., #208, Alexandria, VA 22308

Sermon Notes

Listen to the message from God’s Word. Use this sheet to make some personal notes. Go back over them through the coming week. Let God crystallize His truths in your life.

Date:_____

Biblical Text: _____

Sermon Title:_____

Main Ideas of the Sermon:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Illustrations I want to remember:

What should I do as a result of hearing the Sermon?

ENTER TO WORSHIP – DEPART TO SERVE

“The Season of Epiphany”



Epiphany is the third season of the **Christian Calendar**. The **Epiphany Season** completes the Advent/Christmas Season celebration and the [Twelve Days of Christmas](#).

Epiphany always begins on **January 6** and continues until **Ash Wednesday**, which begins the Lenten Season. **Epiphany** means “appearance” or “to make known” or “to reveal.”

[Epiphany](#) is one of the **oldest festivals in the Christian church**, it celebrates the manifestation of Christ as God Incarnate. **Epiphany** commemorates three events: (1) the Baptism of Christ by John The Baptist, (2) the miracle of Cana (the turning of water into wine at the wedding feast), (3) the Adoration of the Magi. The **Epiphany Season** stresses the various ways in which Jesus Christ has made the manifestation of God to us by making the Father known through his mighty signs and teachings.

The **Epiphany** Season is also a time of focusing on the mission of the church in reaching others by "showing" Jesus as the Savior of all people. As well as a time of focusing on Christian brotherhood and fellowship between God’s children.

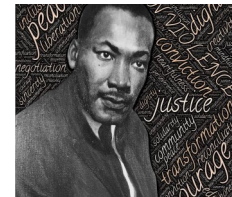
The seasonal colors for **Epiphany** are **green** and **white**. **White** denotes the themes of light and glory. **Green** is the color of growth, symbolizing the spread of Christ’s love to all people. **Gold** is an optional color, which reminds us of the rich gifts of the wise men and the royalty of the infant Lord.

JANUARY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Wednesday, January 8, 2020. ~ Bible Study will resume.

Monday, January 13, 2020 ~ 7:00 p.m. ~ Virginians Organized for Interfaith Community Engagement (V.O.I.C.E.) listening Session.



Saturday, January 18, 2020 ~ 3:00 p.m. ~ Bethlehem is hosting the Ventures in Community (VIC) Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Program. Bethlehem Choir will be ministering.

Sunday, January 19, 2020 ~ 3:00 p.m. Bethlehem is hosting the Northern Virginia Baptist Association (NVBA) Region 1 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration.



Monday, January 20, 2019 ~ Church Office will be closed in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday.



Sunday, January 26, 2020 ~ 5:00 p.m. ~ All persons getting married in 2020, please meet with Pastor White & Deacons in classrooms 2 & 3.

ADDRESS UPDATE

Attention: If any changes have occurred, please update your address information on the Portal. [Go to church website https://www.bbc-nva.org](https://www.bbc-nva.org) Click on Membership Login and update your information.

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