

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 Sidney Locks Trustee Deborah Ingram *Allen*

Activities for the Week of January 13-18, 2020

Monday, January 13

7:00 p.m.	Women's Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m.	Deacon-in-Training	CR 2 & 3
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts Troop #1906	Parsonage
7:00 p.m.	Voice Listening Session	MPR

Tuesday, January 14

7:00 p.m.	Deacons Meeting	BD Room
7:00 p.m.	Deaconess Meeting	CR 2 & 3
7:00 p.m.	Ushers Ministry Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Wednesday, January 15

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

Thursday, January 16

7:00 p.m.	Women's Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
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Friday, January 17

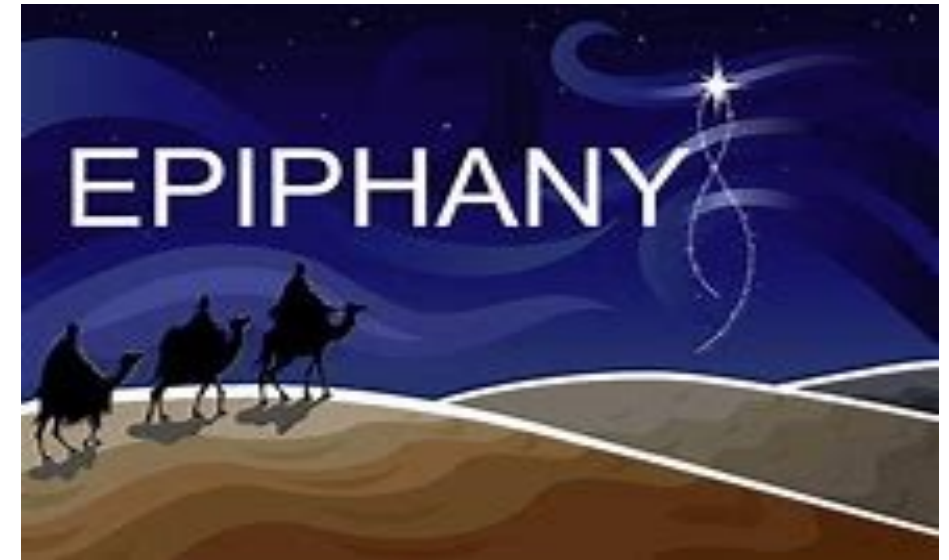
6:30 p.m.	Heaven's Angels Dance Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:30 p.m.	Shabach Dance Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Saturday, January 18

9:00 a.m.	Youth Ushers Rehearsal	Sanctuary
3:00 p.m.	Ventures in Community	
	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Program	Sanctuary
5:00 p.m.	Communion-Set-up	Sanctuary

MPR - Multi-Purpose Room
CR-Classroom

Bethlehem Baptist Church Worship Service Sunday, January 12, 2020 10:00 a.m.



**“BE A TITHER”
PSALM 116:12 (CEV)**

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

**Rev. Dr. Darrell K. White, Pastor
7836 Fordson Road
Alexandria (Gum Springs), Virginia 22306
703-360-4170 (Office)
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Order of Worship	
Worship Leader: Kensington Carter	
*Lighting of Worship Candles	
Sisters Donna Plater & Ryleigh Bowwyner	
Leader:	Gracious God, thank you for manifesting in Jesus sacrifice, love and gifts of helps to be purpose driven redemptive agents.
All:	Give us courage and singleness of heart as we read the Bible and live the Bible to demonstrate a more excellent way.
Leader:	Like Nicodemus and John the Baptist, sometimes we ask questions which God’s response stretches our understanding of what it means to be a disciple.
All:	Spirit of the living God invigorate this worship in our lives so that we might be John 4:24 disciples.
*Scripture Reading	Bro. Phillip Baker
*Morning Hymn #507 “He Has Done Great Things For Me” (Worshippers may enter)	Congregation
Acknowledgements & Welcoming of Guest	Sis. Angela McCormick
Worship & Fine Arts Selection	Stars of Bethlehem
Pre-Sermonic Selection	Stars of Bethlehem
Children’s Moment	Min. Marcus Ferguson
Sermon	Dr. Darrell King Assistant to the Pastor
Invitation to Become a Disciple of Jesus Christ	
Invitational Hymn	
*Giving of God’s Tithes and Offerings/Doxology	
“All Things Come of Thee, O Lord, And of Thine Own Hath We Given Thee.” Amen	
*Altar Prayer/Benediction	
<i>Lighting of the worship candles signals the beginning of worship unto God</i>	
<i>*Congregation please stand.</i>	

<u>Pray for our sick and shut-in during your prayer time</u>	
<u>Nursing Home:</u>	
Ms. Helen Blagman	Envoy Health of Alexandria 900 Virginia Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22302
Mr. Edward L. Brooks	INOVA Mt. Vernon Rehabilitation Ctr. 5th Floor Alexandria, VA 22308 (Brother-in-Law of Doris Dickerson)
Ms. Helen G. Carter	1700 21st Avenue, Room 26B West Brandon, FL 34205
Mr. Lucius Collins, Sr.	Thomson, GA (Father and Father-in-Law of Deacon Lucius Collins, Jr. & Minister Marilyn Collins)
Mrs. Isabelle Feggins	Cherry Lane Nursing Center, Laurel, MD (Mother of Donna Plater)
Ms. Jean King	Sunrise Assisted Living 6541 Franconia Road, Springfield, VA 22150
Mr. Oscar King	Mt. Vernon Nursing & Rehab. Center 8111 Tiswell Drive, Alexandria, VA 22306
Ms. LaMonica Lewis	Manor Care Rehab. Center 1510 Collingwood Road, Alexandria, VA 22308
Mr. Clinton Massenburg	(Brother of Phenories Massenburg)
Mr. John Moore	River Crest Nursing Home, New Bern, NC (Step-Father of Brenda Martin)
Mrs. Mary Reed	Manor Care Rehab. Center 1510 Collingwood Road, Alexandria, VA 22308
<hr/> <i>A heartfelt thank you from the Missions Ministry!</i>	
Missions would like to thank everyone that helped to make this an amazing year by answering the many calls to help our Neighbors. We were able to bless 142 Angels with gifts and distribute 172 food baskets! All families were blessed in an amazing way!	
~All things are possible with God ~	

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Home:

Ms. Edith Aultmon	7403 Ben Drive, Oxon Hill, MD 20745
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
Ms. Mary Butler	806 Glendora Drive, District Heights, MD 207
Mrs. Carolyn Carey	Indianapolis, IN (Sister of Claudette Lewis)
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)

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. _____

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.



NOTICE FROM FORT BELVOIR

Effective immediately, drivers entering Fort Belvoir Access Control Points will be subject to increased security measures. Drivers should be **prepared for delays** and should **adjust arrival times** accordingly. To minimize delays **Valid ID Card Holders should use designated lanes** to access the installation.

Travelers and passengers without valid DoD CAC, military retiree ID card, DoD family member ID, or Fort Belvoir visitors pass **will undergo additional security checks**. It is recommended that **anyone without a valid ID, stop by the Visitor Center at Tully Gate** for vetting and issuance of an **approved visitor pass**.

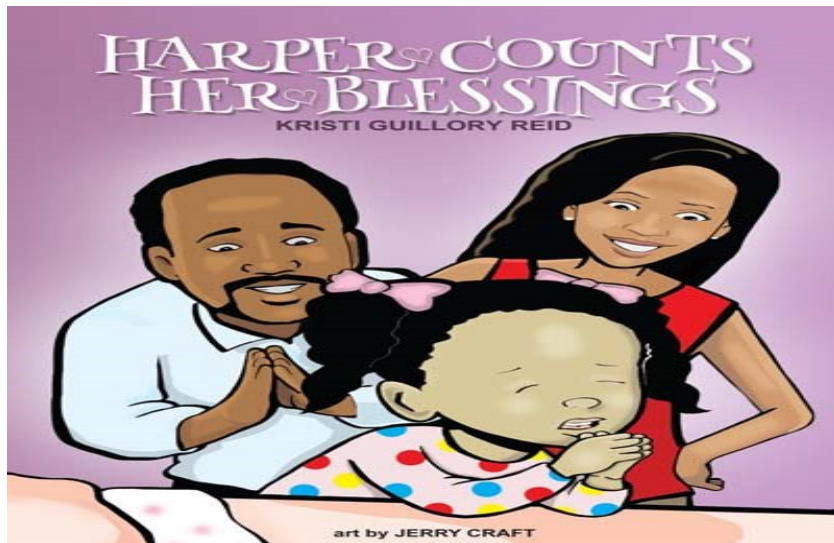
As a reminder, because of the **Real ID Act**, if you have recently renewed your driver's license and did **not obtain a Real ID compliant driver's license** (marked with Not for Federal use) it cannot be accepted as a sole source of identity and a **second form of ID will be required**, i.e. passport or birth certificate.

Expect delays around security gates on Richmond Highway and the Fairfax County Parkway, especially during heavy commuter times. All questions or inquiries should be addressed to Fort Belvoir.

Join the Children's Ministry

Sunday, January 26, 2020 @ 1:30 pm

Author Signing and Reading Meet Attorney Kristi Guillory Reid, Author



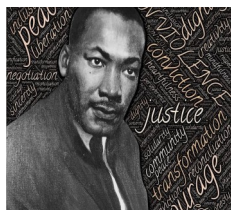
“A thoughtful and engaging book that can be used to encourage family bonding and foster discussions concerning gratitude.” Especially designed for children between the ages of 2-11. The author will sign books and talk to our children about becoming young writers.

Light Refreshments will be served.



JANUARY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 Dr. 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> Click on Membership Login and update your information.

Attention

Worship Bulletins are now on our website.

To download Bulletins:

Go to church website <https://www.bbc-nva.org>, then go to the main menu bar and click on the tab "Sunday Bulletin."

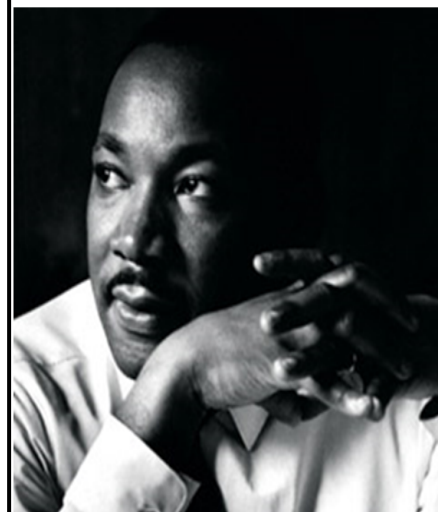


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Sunday's Bulletin
Online

REVEREND DR. MARTIN L. KING, JR.

BIRTHDAY - 1/20/2020 (observed)

A National Day of Service.



The Reverend Dr. Martin L. King, Jr.

We are calling each Bethlehem family member to partner with a friend and embark on a journey over the next 20 days to complete 20 minutes of **Service**, 20 minutes of **Stewardship** and 20 minutes of **Spiritual Self-Care**. Each participant should strive to give 1 hour a day for the next 20 days. In all, you are being asked to do something that will be spiritually enriching inwardly and positively uplifting in the community while sharing the message of hope and that God cares.

REVEREND DR. MARTIN L. KING, JR. DAY

A Spiritual Formation
60 Minutes of Ministry over 20 Days

20 = Service
1 X 20 = Stewardship
20 = Spiritual Self-Care

60 minutes of ministry over
the next 20 days

"A DAY ON... NOT A DAY OFF"