

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

January Lunch Delivery:

WARD 3

"What Do You Dream Of?"

Prayer Leaders

WARD 4

Scriptures

Friday, January 12th

Genesis 37:18 - 20

Saturday, January 13th

Matthew 5:3 - 12

Sunday, January 14th

Psalms 82:3 - 4

Monday, January 15th

Matthew 5:43 - 48

Tuesday, January 16th

Amos 5:21 - 24

Wednesday January 17th

Colossians 3:12 - 14

Thursday January 18th

Isaiah 1:16 - 17

I mourn the loss of thousands of precious lives, but I will not rejoice in the death of one, not even an enemy. Returning hate for hate multiplies hate, adding deeper darkness to a night already devoid of stars. Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.

- Martin Luther King, Jr.



Love Your Enemies and Pursue Peace

As we celebrate the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday, this is a good time to draw attention to the fact that no one in the history of reading the Bible from the streets was better at **#OccupytheBible** than Dr. King. The one fundamental thing Dr. King understood is that you actually had to be on the street to read the Bible from the street.

Streets, banks, parks and bridges have been occupied by the #OccupyWallStreet movement. Recently, someone started the Twitter tag **#OccupytheBible** where each day they tweet a different verse from scriptural teaching on justice for the poor and how riches could be a stumbling block to discipleship. The Bible is one of the most important places Christians who are concerned about social justice need to occupy. To Occupy the Bible simply means reading the Bible from the perspective of those who are driven to the streets to protest rising economic and social inequality in our own time, as those who listened to Jesus on the streets did in the first century.

No one has ever done this better than Dr. King. When King marched, a multi-religious, multi-racial America suddenly became visible, and America was forever changed.

First African Baptist Church
Sacrificial Solitary Prayer
23 Montgomery Street
Savannah, GA 31401
Wednesday @ 6:00AM
For Transportation call
The Church office
@ 912.233.6597

117th Adjourned Session

The Berean Missionary Baptist Association, Inc.
Saturday, January 20, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
@ New Generation Full Gospel Baptist Church
2020 Tennessee Ave. Savannah, GA 31404

www.TheBereanAssociation.org

Homebound Disciples

Ward 1:

Sis. Henrietta Ward
Sis. Marion Dobson
Dr. Ethel P. Stokes

Ward 2:

Sis. Thelma Tharpe
Sis. Elizabeth Williams
Bro. Jerome Williams
Sis. Joanne Mouzon
Sis. Natasha Garvin-Holmes

Ward 3:

Sis. Carolyn Mars
Sis. Sara Herring
Sis. Pearl Holmes

Ward 4:

Sis. Leola Young
Bro. Earl Thornton
Sis. Juanita Geiger

Ward 5:

Sis. Julia Rhaney

Join us on the prayer line
each day at 6:33 AM!
The call-in number is
(218) 632-1707 and the
passcode is 345184#.

We Welcome all of
our **F.R.A.N.s**
(*Friends, Relatives,*
Associates &
Neighbors) **and all**
other Guests

Martin Luther King, Jr.!

The MLK, Jr. Observance Day Association Scholarship Committee invites you to their 39th Annual Business and Community Brunch. The Keynote Speaker for this event will be George E. Shinhoster. The Brunch will be held on **Saturday, January 27, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** in the **Chatham Ballroom** of the **Savannah International Trade and Convention Center**. If you are interested in purchasing a ticket please contact the Church office by 12 noon on January 17, 2018. If you are not able to attend, we ask that you please consider purchasing a table or a half for deserving youth or mentoring groups.

Volunteers Are Needed GRACE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY Tutoring & Learning Center is in need of: Volunteer Teachers ~ All Grade Levels & All Subjects
Homeschool Accredited Program ~ Learn how you can make a difference today! Contact GCA at 912.239.4876 or at GraceChristianTutoring@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE

FIRST AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH CREDIT UNION will have it's
Annual Shareholders Meeting on January 29, 2018 @ 6:00 P.M.
For more information stop by the credit union.

Anyone interested in serving on the 241st Anniversary Committee is asked to Contact Mother Rebecca Wilson prior to the 3rd Sunday in January 2018. Mother Wilson can be reached at 912-234-6497



Join the **Miami University Men's Glee Club** at the **Historic First African Baptist Church** of Savannah on **Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at 7:30 PM** to share in their Brotherhood of Song. The Miami University Men's Glee Club, founded in 1907, has maintained a tradition of musical excellence, brotherhood, and camaraderie throughout its storied history. With a membership of approximately 100 students representing academic disciplines across the university, it is among the oldest and largest collegiate male glee clubs in the nation. The Glee Club is among Miami's oldest student organizations and is its oldest music ensemble. Regularly touring, the Glee Club has presented concerts in 19 states and 10 countries in the past seven years.