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SAINT JOHN AME CHURCH HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

REV. DR. HOMER L. McCALL, Pastor APRIL 4-11, 1982

PRAYER CHANGES THINGS



May the Spirit of Easter which is faith in the risen Christ who gives us freedom from sin, liberation from oppression, and victory over evil be with us during these Holy Week services and throughout our lives.

Dr. & Mrs. Homer L. McCall & Family Dr. & Mrs. E. L. Blankenship & Family Bishop & Mrs. Philip R. Cousin & Family

SAINT JOHN AME CHURCH CHURCH STREET Huntsville. Alabama

April 4, 1982 6:00 PM

First Series of Holy Week Services: EASTER PROCLAMATION

Meditation:

(To be read silently) "Almighty God, for keeping your promises through words and deeds and through the suffering, death, and resurrection of your beloved Son, we praise you." Amen.

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** ORDER OF WORSHIP **

Opening Song	Senior Choir, Saint John	
Welcome	Dr. Jeanette Jones	
Song	Senior Choir, Saint John	
Easter Meditations	Ms. Cassandra Clark	
Choral Response	Senior Choir, Saint John	
Scripture		
Song	. Guest Choir, Progressive Union M.B Church	
Gathering of the Offeri	ng Ushers	
Prayer of Dedication .	Rev. Karnie C. Smith	
Response	Choirs	
Song	. Guest Choir, Progressive Union M.B. Church	
Introduction of Speake	r Rev. Dr. H. L. McCall	
Song	. Guest Choir, Progressive Union M.B. Church	
Sermon	The Reverend Herbert Cartwright, Pastor, Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church - Huntsville, Alabama	
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
Closing Thoughts & Ar	nnouncements Rev. H. L. McCall	
Benediction	Rev. H. Cartwright	
Postlude		

SAINT JOHN AME CHURCH CHURCH STREET Huntsville, Alabama

April 9, 1982 7:30 PM

Second Series of Holy Week Services: THE CRUCIFIXION

Meditation:

(To be read silently) "Good Friday -- the day of atonement. O God, this fills us with shame, but also with hope. May we find the grace to glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, as the only hope of our salvation." Amen.

** ORDER OF WORSHIP **

Opening Song	Young Adult Choir, Saint John
Welcome	Ms. Barbara Johnson
Song	Young Adult Choir, Saint John
Easter Meditations	Ms. Ellen Cobb
Prayer	Elder Dave Townsend
Choral Response	Young Adult Choir, Saint John
Scripture	
Song	Male Choir, Greater Saint Paul
Gathering of the Offering	Ushers
Prayer of Dedication	Rev. Karnie C. Smith
Response	
Song	Male Choir, Greater Saint Paul
Introduction of the Speaker	Rev. H. L. McCall
Song	Male Choir, Greater Saint Paul
Sermon	Rev. Percy W. Jones, Pastor Greater Saint Paul AME Church Florence, Alabama
Invitation to Christian Discipleship "I Surrend	
Closing Thoughts & Announcements	s Rev. H. L. McCall
Benediction	Rev. Percy Jones
Postlude	

SAINT JOHN AME CHURCH CHURCH STREET Huntsville, Alabama

April 11, 1982 6:00 AM

Third Series of Holy Week Services: HE IS NOT HERE. HE IS RISEN

Meditation:

(To be read silently) "Calvary was loveliness. Lilies that flowered there upon. Why seek the living among the dead? He is not here, the Angel said. Lord, we praise and worship you, the risen Son today. May our worship be sincere." Amen.

** ORDER OF WORSHIP **

Prelude	Organist	
The Doxology "Praise God"	Congregation & Choir	
The Call to Worship	Rev. Karnie C. Smith	
Opening Song	Senior Choir	
	Dea. Robert Jones St. Bartley PB Church	
Choral Response	Combined Choirs of St. John	
Song	Young Adult Choir	
Scripture	Rev. Dr. Wendell Thompson Owens Chapel MB Church	
Decalogue	Rev. Karnie C. Smith	
Song	Senior Choir	
Welcome	Mrs. Louise Watts	
Song	Young Adult Choir	
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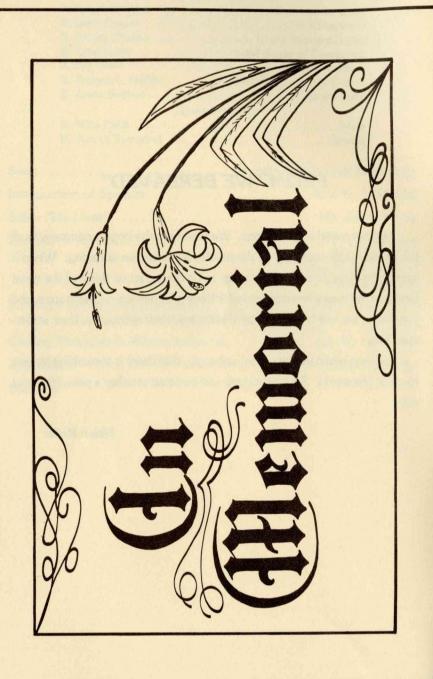
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Closing Thoughts & Announcements Rev. H. L. McCall
Benediction Dr. Blankenship
Postlude

FROM "WE BEREAVED"

We bereaved are not alone. We belong to the largest company in all the world -- the company of those who have known suffering. When it seems that our sorrow is too great to be borne, let us think of the great family of the heavy-hearted into which our grief has given us entrance, and inevitably, we will feel about us their arms, their sympathy, their understanding.

Believe, when you are most unhappy, that there is something for you to do in the world. So long as you can sweeten another's pain, life is not vain.

Helen Keller



In Memory of Our Parents MR. & MRS. CURTIS JONES

"For all who weep tonight,
the hearts that cannot rest,
Reveal thy love, that wondrous love
which gave for us Thy best.
— Anonymous

CHILDREN:

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Mable Perry
George Jones
Bessie Moore
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Annie Jackson
Lirse Jones
Zola Jones

OF OUR PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thornton, Sr.

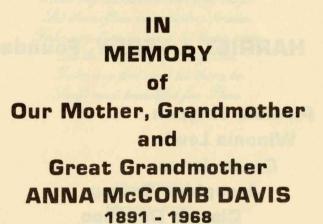
"Friends, fortune, fame,
Or what might come to me —
I count all loss
If I find not companionship with Thee
—Anonymous

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Mamie T. Bonner
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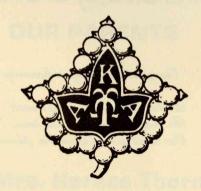
"Our guide, our way to heavenly rest,
Be thou the aim of every breast;
Be thou the soother of our tears,
Our sweet reward above the spheres"

Blanche E. Stone



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IN MEMORY OF OUR MOTHER Mrs. Mildred H. Jones (1910-1962) AND FATHER Mr. Preston G. Jones (1909-1972)

"Take My Life"

Take my life, and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days;
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my hands, and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

CHILDREN:
Earnest Jones
Nellie Jones Maxie, Deceased
Henry Jones
David Jones
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In Sweet Love
and Memory of
Our Wife and Mother
MRS. LYTHA HEREFORD



"May She rest in Peace"

THOMAS, WELLINGTON & DARRIUS In Memory
of
My Father
ISSAC McCRAW
and
Step-Mother
EARNESTINE McCRAW

Man is like a breath

His days are as a fleeting shadow.

In the morning he flourishes and grows up like grass,

In the evening he is cut down and withers.

So teach us to number our days,

That we may get us a heart of wisdom.

Mark the man of integrity, and behold the upright,

For there is a future for the man of peace.

Psalms

HOMER McCRAW

A TRIBUTE

Each of you had a youthful life. Each of you wrought well while here. Each of you was generous with your time, as you each toiled from year to year. Many a life you each did touch, always doing your part, glad to serve when called upon with a meek and humble heart. Each of your lives were dedicated to things noble and true. We have not forgotten thee, though you each have passed away. The deeds you left behind will live on and on each day. We didn't want to give you up, though this act of God we do not question. For He alone knows best. Silent now are your voices, but we send this loving tribute in memory of:

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Mr. Eddie L. Harris
Mrs. Lou Berta Wade
Mrs. Lillian Bell Harris
Mr. Robert L. Outlaw, Sr.
Mrs. Sarah B. Outlaw

FROM THE OUTLAW, JOHNSON & WADE FAMILY

In Memory of our Son and Brother RICHARD ALLEN HALL

"I wonder in what fields today He chases dragon flies in play, My little boy -- who ran away." — Chiyo —

Parents: Richard and Marion Hall Brother: Danny C. Hall Sister: Debra H. Henderson



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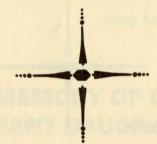
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of my
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WILLIE MAE JONES

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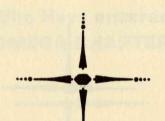
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and Grandfather
DR. SIRDASTION D.
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OUR FATHER
AND BROTHER

Mr. Carl Black, Sr. Mr. Carl Black, Jr.

> Irene Hyter Sarah Ali

IN MEMORY OF MY HUSBAND Rev. Thomas Wiggins

"There is so much to thank Thee for, Thy favors are so great, My heart seems breaking, dear Lord, beneath their precious weight."

Mary Ann Wiggins, Wife

IN MEMORY OF OUR INFANT DAUGTHER Nicole Kate Cobb

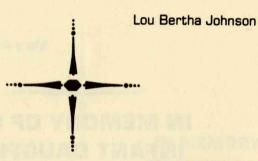
If we could find one word that would shudder the air like that frightened sob, that wordless prayer of our newly-born, who drew one breath, and with unopened eyes sank back into death; If we could break the world's cold heart with that cry, then this grief would lift and we could find joy.

Dr. & Mrs. Nimrod Cobb

IN MEMORY OF MY
MOTHER & FATHER
Mr. & Mrs. Ira Brewton

Mrs. Bertha Spencer

In Memory
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My Husband
Parents
Grandparents
Sisters
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Nephews and Cousins



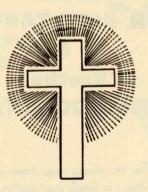
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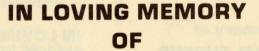
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My Sister - Amelia Thompson
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Walter James Wells

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In Loving Memory of our Father MR. ALTO TARVER & Brother MR. THEODORE TARVER

"Tho' the clouds may hover o'er us, There's a bright and golden ray. It's the promise that in heaven — God shall wipe all tears away."

Mrs. A. T. Burks & Family



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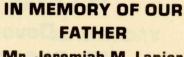
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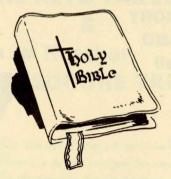
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Dorothy Ann Thomas

The Rankin Family

May they all rest in peace!!

MARY KING

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&
Her Brother
ARTHUR L. BRANDON

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AND
PARENTS
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IN MEMORY OF JOHN WESLEY BENSON 1945 - 1979

Excerpts from
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by
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The life he lived was a beautiful song. He composed it daily and rendered it long. Whatever talent he had, he was ready to share. John Benson's life was a melody of Love. It is now being sung by the choir above.

ANN, ANGELA & DAVID



OF
OUR MOTHER, ELLA K. MYHAND

SHE

IS

GONE BUT

NOT

FORGOTTEN

Sean and Carver Myhand

In Loving Memory of Our Parents MR. & MRS. WILLIAM BONNER



"My God, How Wonderful Thou Art"
My God, how wonderful Thou art
Thy majesty how bright,
How beautiful Thy mercy-seat,
In depths of burning light!
How wonderful, how beautiful,
The sight of Thee must be.

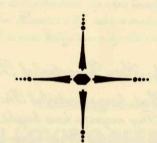
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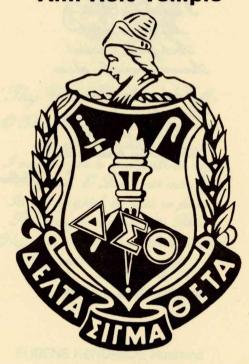


IN MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED SISTER

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In Memory of our Parents WILL & EMILY LINER

I asked for Love —
My lovers failed,
And griefs assailed
Around, beneath, above
I asked for Thee —
And Thou didst come
To take me home
Within Thy heart to be.

Dolben

CHILDREN: John, Chip, Dene and Will, Jr.

In Memory of My Wife MRS. ELLA B. KENDRICK



"Thy Will Be Done In Me"
O Thou to whom, without reserve,
My all I would resign,
I ask for grace and faith to say,
"Thy will, O Lord, not mine!"
In joy or grief, in bliss or pain,
This prayer shall rise to Thee,
"Thy will, not mine, O blessed Lord,
Thy will be done in me!"

EUGENE KENDRICK, Husband

DEDICATED

OF MRS. DICIE POWERS who passed away January 17, 1980



"Oh - to be kept by Jesus, Kept by the power of God Kept from the world unspotted, Treading where Jesus trod."

THE CHILDREN

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Although our loved ones leave us
for a brighter, fairer place,
The time when we must part with them
is very hard to face,
But may time's passing somehow ease
your loneliness and sorrow,
And may the memory of your loved one
brighten each tomorrow.

Mrs. Andrea Lanier Weston Miss Cleanza M. Lanier Mrs. Odysseus M. Lanier Mrs. Elnora Clay Lanier

of OUR GRANDPARENTS and GREAT-GRANDPARENTS Lorenzo J. Lewis Martha S. Lewis

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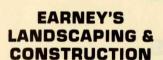
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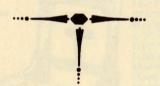
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Walter Henry Garner

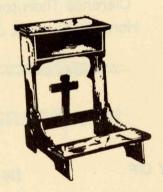
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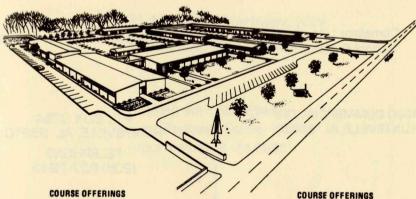
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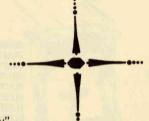
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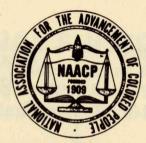
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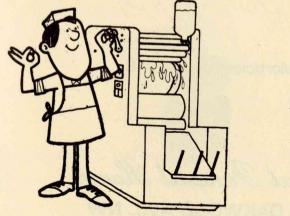


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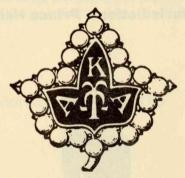
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A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

Welcome to all our guests and visitors. Many thanks to our guest ministers, musicians, choir members and all program participants.

Easter is the time that opens our hearts to love, to life and hope. Special thanks for the "Spirit of Easter" exhibited by the Presidents of the Senior Stewardess Boards, Steering Committee and the advisors to the Jr. Stewardesses.

The spiritual and financial success of these Holy Week Services is due to the cooperative attitude, interest and concern of our Stewardess Board members, other church members, friends and neighbors. We thank each of you.

Thanks also goes to the organizations and businesses whose ads appear in our booklet. Please patronize those who have assisted us.

Finally, I wish to extend "Special thanks" to my mother, Mrs. Ann P. Daniel, who planted the seed for this beautiful project.

May God continue to bestow His richest blessings on each of you and your loved ones here and beyond.

Charlsie D. Brooks

GOD OUR FATHER CHRIST OUR REDEEMER MAN OUR BROTHER ST. JOHN A.M.E. CHURCH - HUNTSVILLE, AL. HOMER L. MCCALL, D. MIN., PASTOR

ORDER OF SERVICE

OCTOBER 9, 1988

MEDITATE: "He will renew your life and sustain you in old age."
-Ruth 4:15

PRELUDE......Mrs. Wini Rivers, Organist
Mr. Karl W. Henry, Pianist

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN OF ADORATION CALL TO WORSHIP

MORNING PRAYER OF CONFESSION

CHORAL RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE (Ruth 4:1-17)

MUSIC......Gospel Choir

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GUEST RECOGNITION......Dr. L. W. Bonner

MUSIC......Gospel Choir

THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS:

Offertory Sentences Prayer Of Thanksgiving

HYMN OF PREPARATION AND ALTAR CALL TO PRAYER
"At The Cross"

CLOSING HYMN(#196)....."Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

DOXOLOGY..... "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow "

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School convenes each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Plan now to attend.

Prayer Meeting and Bible Class are held Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. Chapters 16-19 of Acts will be discussed.

Aerobics Class is held each Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The flowers on the altar today are given by Mrs. Hazel Gilmore in memory of her mother.

The Senior Choir Anniversary will be held this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. The service will feature Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church and the Reverend Wayne Snodgrass, Pastor, who will preach the sermon. Everyone is cordially invited.

The officers and members of Livingston Chapel A.M.E. Church, Guntersville, Al. invite everyone to Pastor's Day honoring Presiding Elder and Mrs. E. L. Blankenship on Sunday, Oct. 16, 1988 at 4:00 p.m. The Reverend Karnie C. Smith will preach the sermon. The church van will leave St. John at 2:30 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack 399 needs men of St. John to volunteer as leaders. Contact Mr. Campbell or Mrs. Ezell if you can serve.

OUR KNOWN SICK AND SHUT-IN

Mrs. Amanda Derrick Mrs. Lizzie Petty
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Mrs. Ruth Morris Mrs. Grieffie Russell

Mrs. Mary King

Boards and Organizational Meetings for October 10-15, 1988:

Monday - Aerobics Class - 6:30 p.m.

Monday - Trustee Board - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday - Senior Choir - 6:00 p.m.

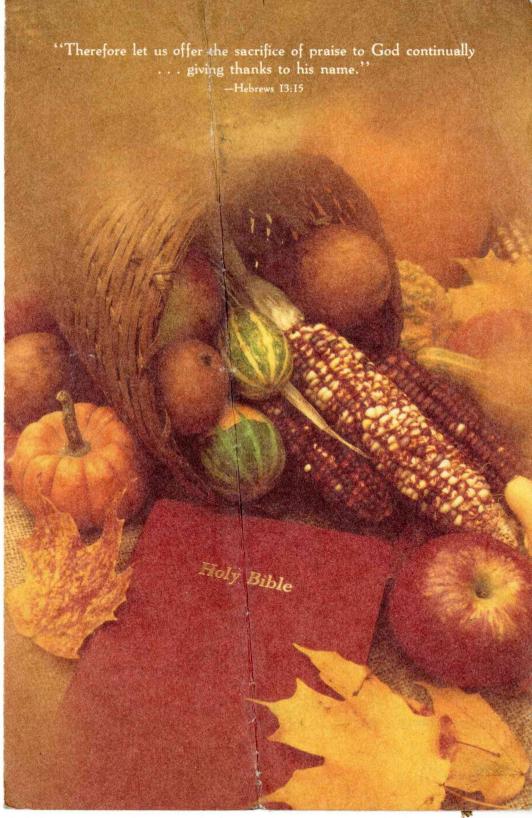
Thursday - Steward Board - 7:00 p.m.

Friday - Male Chorus - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday - Sunbeam/Intermediate Choir - 11:00 a.m.

Saturday - Cub Scouts - 12:00 p.m.

Saturday - Youth Choir - 12:30 p.m.



GOD OUR FATHER CHRIST OUR REDEEMER MAN OUR BROTHER ST. JOHN A.M.E. CHURCH - HUNTSVILLE, AL. HOMER L. MCCALL, D. MIN., PASTOR

ORDER OF SERVICE

NOVEMBER 13, 1988

PRELUDE.......Mr. Rufus Gilmore, III, Minister Of Music Mr. Karl W. Henry, Pianist

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN OF ADORATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

MORNING PRAYER OF CONFESSION

CHORAL RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE - Revelation 21:1-8

DECALOGUE......Rev. Kenneth D. Johnson

MUSIC.....Youth Choir

YOUTH PRESENTATION - Alice and Lady Hereford, Edward Heyward, Joel Liner and Akil Smith

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GUEST RECOGNITION......Dr. L. W. Bonner

MUSIC.....Youth Choir

REPORT FROM THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE -

Mrs. Barbara Bradford

THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS:

Offertory Sentences

Prayer Of Thanksgiving

HYMN OF PREPARATION AND ALTAR CALL TO PRAYER.....(#448)
"It Is Well With My Soul"

SERMON.... "He Makes Everything New"..... Rev. Homer L. McCall

"I Know Who Holds Tomorrow"

CLOSING HYMN(#196)....."Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

DOXOLOGY

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School convenes each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Plan now to attend with your family.

Prayer Meeting and Bible Class will be held Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Acts 21-25 will be analyzed.

The flowers on the altar today are given by Ms. Doris Outlaw in memory of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Outlaw.

The Official Board will meet Monday at 6:30 p.m. Members are asked to assemble promptly.

Beginning on next Sunday, November 20, 1988, the 11:00 a.m. worship service will begin at 10:50. Please plan to adjust your schedule accordingly. Thank you.

A remake date for those who were unable to take photos for the Church Directory is being scheduled. Please sign up in the vestibule. We need at least 30 sittings for this rescheduling to be effective.

Please leave cash receipts from Food World/Bruno's and Lucky's in the designated box in the vestibule. These receipts will be transferred by these companies for food items for the less fortunate. You can also leave can goods, clothes or any non-perishable items in the vestibule or Stewardess Room for the poor and less fortunate as well.

The monthly meeting of the Stewardess Boards will be held Saturday, November 19 at 4:00 p.m.

The eighth annual Downtown Thanksgiving Service will be Sunday, November 20, at 7:15 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 600 Governors Drive. Combined choirs from the twelve downtown sponsoring congregations will participate in the service. This year's offering will go to the Food Bank of North Al. Donations of canned goods for the Food Bank are also welcomed, and containers will be provided. Child Care will be available, and refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall immediately following the service.

OUR KNOWN SICK AND SHUT-IN

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Board and Organizational Meetings for week of Nov.14-19, 1988:

Monday - Aerobics Class - 6:30 p.m.

Monday - Official Board - 6:30 p.m.

Thursday - Senior Choir - 6:00 p.m.

Friday - Male Chorus - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday - Sunbeam Choir - 11:00 a.m.

Saturday - Cub Scouts - 12:00 p.m.

Saturday - Stewardess Boards - 4:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov. 19....Ninth Episcopal District W. M. S. Annual Meeting St. Luke Church, Birmingham, Al.

Nov. 25-26...Annual State Meeting of the Lay Organization, St. Paul- Troy, Alabama

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Our Father, thank you for the loving, perfect model of Jesus Christ. Renew us each day by the speaking power of the Holy Spirit to go about doing good of others as He did. In His name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

"The Spirit of the Soverign Lord is on me because He has anointed me to preach good news to the poor."

-Isaiah 61:1(NIV)

HOME DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOV. 14-19, 1988

Monday......Psalm 147
Tuesday.....Psalm 116

Wednesday.....John 15:1-17

Thursday.....Isaiah 12

Friday......Ephesians 6:10-20

Saturday.....Romans 6:15-23

Sunday.....Zechariah 14

A LIBERATING AND RECONCILING PEOPLE A PEOPLE IN THE WORD--MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD ORDER OF SERVICE PALM SUNDAY

March 31, 1996 -- 10:50 A.M.

MEDITATE: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord."Luke 19:38
(*The asterisk indicates when people may enter to worship.)
PRELUDE
DOXOLOGY
CALL MO WODSHID
*MORNING HYMN
"To God Be the Glory" (21)
MORNING PRAYER OF CONFESSION
CHORAL RESPONSE
CONTINUE.
014 Mestament
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71 Luke 7:23-21
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psalm 118 (704) "Give Thanks to the Lord"
NOIST VOICES OF Triumph
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PASTORAL AND BIRTHDAY PRAYER FOR MARCH 1996
PASTOR'S MOMENTS
THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Offertory Sentences
Prayer of Thanksgiving
*HYMN OF PREPARATION
"Tow in the Grave He Lay" (168)
SERMON Reverend Kenneth D. Johnson
Assistant to the Pastor
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"Just As I Am" (208)
CLOSING SONG "This Little Light of Mine"
RECESSIONAL
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BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL convenes each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Plan to attend with your family. --Mr. Claudewell Campbell, Superintendent

PRAYER SERVICE, BIBLE CLASS AND CATECHISM CLASS will meet on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The Book of Zephaniah will be the topic for discussion. Love Feast will also be held.

The FLOWERS in the sanctuary today are given by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie C. Sherrod and daughter in memory of his mother.

St. John A.M.E. Church will observe its 111th ANNIVERSARY Sunday, April 14, 1996, during the 10:50 a.m. worship service. Reverend C. C. Cummings, pastor of Bryant Chapel A.M.E. Church, Bessemer, AL will preach the sermon. --Dr. Katie E. Blanding, Chairperson. The CLASS LEADERS will be collecting for this event. --Mrs. Agnes Bailey, Class Leader.

The GOSPEL CHOIR will rehearse Wednesdays from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the church. New members are invited to join.

-- Mrs. Phyllis Barrett, President

The WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOOD PROJECT will climax on Sunday, April 21, 1996 at 10:50 a.m. with the blessing and distribution of all items received. You can participate in this worthy cause by leaving all non-perishable items in the Stewardesses' Room.

--- Mrs. Sandra Connaway, President

The Y.P.D. will hold its monthly meeting this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Please plan to attend and bring your bright ideas.

--Sonya McCall, President

REHEARSALS for the EASTER PROGRAM which will be during the Sunday School hour on Sunday, April 7 are as follows: Saturday, March 30 after choir rehearsal and Saturday, April 6 after choir rehearsal.

An EASTER EGG HUNT is scheduled for the children and youth after practice. --Mrs. Rose Bell, Mrs. Zelda Goggans, Chairpersons

The DEADLINE FOR FOODSOURCE for April 1996 is April 15. Distribution/Bagging will be on Saturday, April 27.

--Mr. A.A. Burks, Chairman

A Liberating and Reconciling People ~A People in the Word-Serving People in the World~ The Day of Pentecost The Descent of the Holy Spirit Order of Worship Sunday, May 18, 1997 ~~~ 10:50 A.M.

Prelude	John 20:22~	My Rulus Cilo	nave 111 Divertay of Music
	***************************************	Mr.	Karl W. Henry, Musician
~Enter and	d Worshio.	Depart and	
The Prelude is the signal to begin			
Doxology			
Pall to Worship			
Morning Hymn"Come, Thou	Fount of Every	Blessing" (77)Choir~Congregation
Morning Prayer of Confession	~~~	-	Choral Response
Scripture: Old Testament.	Joel 2:28	3-32	Rev. Vickie L. Sanders
New Testament	John 20:19-23	Brot	her Robert B. Hereford, Sr.
Decalogue	**************	******************	Rev. Kenneth D. Johnson
Responsive Reading			Pentecost (728)
Music			Houth~Children Chair
Announcements & Guest Recognit	ion 1135 p	N^ Col	(Ret) James O. Heyward
Music	***************	********	
Pastor's Moments			
The Giving of Tithes & Offerings:	Offertory Mu	sic	
	Trayer of Th	anksgiving	Rob Hareford
Hymn of Preparation & Altar Cal	l to Frayer		Choir ~ Congregation
Sounon C Sous Sound Spirit of God Sounon C Sous Sound Mange Hymn of Invitation	l, Descend Up	in My Heart"	(189)
Sounon Con Acuting Wings	LA HORA	a sen los	Pastor Homer L. McCall
Hymn of Invitation"Joys a	tre Flowing Li	ke A River "	Choir~ Congregation
Losing Song"There's	s A Sweet, Sw	ect Spirit"	Choir~Congregation
Recessional The Apostles	10 1	Doxology	Benediction

Announcements

Church School convenes each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Flan to attend with your family. ~~~ Mr. Claudewell Campbell, Superintendent

Prayer Service, Bible Class & Catechism Class will meet Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The theme of Prayer in the Book of Acts is the topic for discussion.

Flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Dr. and Mrs. Clifton Pearson.

The deadline for May food source payment is today, and the distribution date is Saturday, May 31, 1997. Your family, board, or organization may want to consider donating unit(s) to the less fortunate. ~~Mr. A. A. Burks, Chairman

Quarterly financial reports (January-March 1997) are available in the Church office. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Cora Speight at 895-0677.

Future Generations ~ Come and spend some time with us each Saturday 1:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. Share an opportunity to improve, strengthen, and enjoy a learning activity. Flease share your love, time, and talents helping children in our church and community.

~~~ Mrs. Rosa Walker, Coordinator ~~~ Mr. Homer McCall 11, Director

The persons responsible for serving with the St. John Nursery and Children's Church today are Mrs. Thalia Love-Brown and Mrs. Claire Philadelphia.

The Stewards and Stewardesses who have duty to assist during the invitation to Christian discipleship today are:

Stewards

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The Stewards responsible for serving with the Finance Committee today are: Mr. Rufus Gilmore 111, Mrs. Vanona Walton, Mr. Everett E. Brooks, Sr. and Ms. Patricia Grier.

# A LIBERATING AND RECONCILING PEOPLE -~A PEOPLE IN THE WORD-MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD~ SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### SEPTEMBER 15, 1996~~10:50 A.M.

Psalm 27:8

PRELUDE......Mr. Karl W. Henry, Organist

MEDITATE: When you said, "Seek my face," my heart said to you "Your face, Lord, I will seek."

RELUDE......Mr. Karl W. Henry, Organist Mr. Larry Jenkins, Musician

#### -ENTER AND WORSHIP, DEPART AND SERVE-

(The prelude is the signal to begin worship Prayerfully remain silent in the presence of God)

| DOXOLOGY                                                         |                                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| CALL TO WORSHIP                                                  |                                 |
| *MORNING HYMN"When We Walk With The Lord" (377)                  | Choir/Congregation              |
| MORNING PRAYER OF CONFESSION                                     |                                 |
| CHORAL RESPONSE                                                  |                                 |
| SCRIPTURE: OLD TESTAMENTPsalm 1                                  | Mrs. Maple Smiley               |
| NEW TESTAMENTMatthew 5:1-11                                      | Ms. Candice Smiley              |
| DECALOGUE                                                        | Sister Vickie L. Sanders        |
| RESPONSIVE READING"As The Deer Longs"Psalm 42 (681)              | Brother Robert B. Hereford, Sr. |
| *MUSIC                                                           | Gospel Choir                    |
| *MUSICANNOUNCEMENTS & GUEST RECOGNITION                          | Col (Ret) James O. Heyward      |
| *MUSIC                                                           | Gospel Choir                    |
| PASTOR'S MOMENTS                                                 |                                 |
| THE GIVING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS:                                |                                 |
| OFFERTORY SENTENCES                                              |                                 |
| PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING                                           | Rev Kenneth D. Johnson          |
| HYMN OF PREPARATION "We Are Often Tossed and Driven" (3          | (204) Choir/Congregation        |
| SERMON VAKINGE - AND YOU AGAINST                                 | OV 9845 WHastor McCall          |
| HYMN OF PREPARATION"We Are Often Tossed and Driven" (3<br>SERMON | Chair/Congregation              |
| OLOGING CONG. "Black By The Tie That Birds"                      | Choir/Congregation              |
| CLOSING SONG"Blest Be The Tie That Binds"                        | Choir/Congregation              |
| RECESSIONAL                                                      |                                 |
| DOXOLOGY                                                         |                                 |
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#### The Asterisk Indicates When People May Enter To Worship

#### Announcements

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CHURCH SCHOOL convenes each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Plan to attend with your family.

~~ Mr. Claudewell Campbell, Superintendent

THE STEWARD BOARD will meet this afternoon, from 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

~~Col. E. C. Smith, Sr., Vice Chairman

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THE OFFICIAL BOARD will meet tomorrow evening, Monday, September 16, 1996 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Please assemble promptly.

PRAYER SERVICE, BIBLE CLASS & CATECHISM CLASS will meet on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The Book of Luke is the topic for discussion.

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given by Ms. Barbara Johnson in honor of the children and youth of St. John A.M.E. Church.

FOOD SOURCE PAYMENTS can be made after worship service today. The deadline for September is today the 15th. Anyone can purchase units at the church on the first Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m. ~~Mr. A. A. Burks, Chairman

ST. JOHN A.M.E. CHURCH is invited to lead in the worship and singing at the Mothers'/Deacons' Candlelight March at New Jerusalem M.B. Church on Bob Wade Lane on Sunday, September 15, 1996 at 6:30 p.m. The Gospel Choir will sing and Pastor McCall will give the sermon. Rev. Rickey Sykes is Pastor.

MEN'S DAY will be celebrated on Sunday, September 22, 1996 during the 10:50 a.m. worship service. The guest speaker for this event is the Reverend Sam Walker, Pastor of Greater St. Paul A.M.E. Church, Scottsboro, Alabama. Each adult male is asked to contribute \$40.00 each; women are asked to give \$30.00 each; young adults \$10.00 and children 12 and under \$5.00; boards and organizations \$50.00 each. Above all, let the love of God fill our hearts with the joy of our salvation as we plan to be lifted to new heights of serving others daily.

~~~Mr. Darrel Campbell, Chairman & Mr. James Henderson, Co-Chairman

CONFERENCE CLAIMS are now due. The yearly amount is \$25.00 for adult members and \$10.00 for children 12 and under. If you have not completed your donation for this year, please do so as soon as you can.

The Pastor May Be Contacted At:

(205) 534-3265 (Office) (205) 852-7541 (Residence)

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First Sunday In Advent

Order of Worship

Sunday, December 1, 1996 ~~~ 10:50 a.M.

"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given." ~~~ Isaiah 9:6 Meditate: Mr. Larry Jenkins, Musician

~Enter and Worship. Depart and Sewe~

The Prelude is the signal to begin worship. Prayerfully remain silent in the presence of God Doxology Call To Worship

| | *Morning Hymn"Angels We H | tave Heard On High" | (118)Choir/Congregation |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Morning Frayer Of Confession | ~~~ | Choral Response |
| | ScriptureJsaish 9:6-7 | Spanish | Ms. Patricia Banks |

French Mrs. Catherine K. Matand Mrs. Thalia Love-Brown English..... Decalogue Brother Robert B. Hereford, Sr.

Call To Prayer: .Minister - The Lord Be With You ~ People- and With Thy Spirit

Prayer of General Confession

Second Collect Rev. Vickie L. Sanders

Prayer of Adoration

*Music_____Sanctuary Choir *Music Sanctuary Choir

Pastor's Moments

Recessional

Tastor's Moments

The Giving of Tithes & Offerings: Offertory Frayer Trayer of Thanksgiving Sermon 70 Lord Still Remonts RS Pastor Homer L. McCall Prayer of Humiliation ~ Prayer of Consecration ~ Holy Communion ~ Lord's Prayer

Doxology

Benediction

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The Apostles' Creed

announcements

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Frayer Service, Bible Class & Catechism Class will meet Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The Class will discuss the theme of prayer in the book of John.

Flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Mrs. Esther H. Fields in memory of her husband, Mr. H. G. Fields.

The Fifty Plus Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Monday, December 2, 1996. The Christmas program will be the Voices Celebrating Diversity of J. O. Johnson High School.

~~~ Mrs. Marie Cobb, President

The Annual Christmas Service featuring the youth and children of St. John and the Church School Open House will be held Sunday, December 15, 1996 at 9:00 a.m. and 9:45 a.m. respectively. Mrs. Zelda Goggans, Mrs. Rosa Walker & Mrs. Rose Bell-Chairpersons for Christmas Trogram Ms. Patricia Grier ~~ Chairperson for Church School Open House

The St. John A.M.E. Church Y.F.D. will host its first LOCK-IN at the church Friday evening December 13, 1996 beginning at 7:00 p.m. Please see Ms. Claudinette Purifoy, Ms. Sonya D. McCall, Mrs. Rosa Walker or Mrs. Lorraine E. Farham for further details.

If anyone is in need of clothes for boys (sizes 3-5) or know of anyone, please contact Mr. & Mrs. Theodore B. Bailey at 533-2385 or call the church office at 534-3265.

Pentecost A.M.E. Church (Marbury Circuit, East Alabama Conference) cordially invites St. John A.M.E. Church to the appreciation service for Mr. Lamar Higgins, today at 4:00 p.m. The Gospel Choir will sing. The van and car caravan will depart immediately after service. Dinner will be served upon arrival at the church. ~~~ Rev. Samuel Nelms, Pastor

# ST. JOHN A.M.E. CHURANKIND OUR FAMILY

Z.L. Grady, Presiding Bishop - E.L. Blankenship, Presiding Elder - H.L. McCall, Pastor HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

