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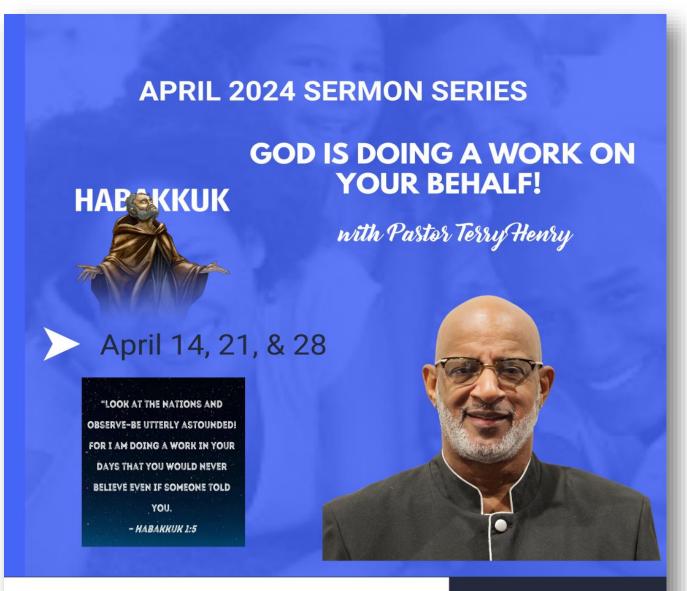
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128 Years of Preaching, Teaching, Serving, and Leading Souls to Christ!

Newsletter for Friday, April 19, 2024



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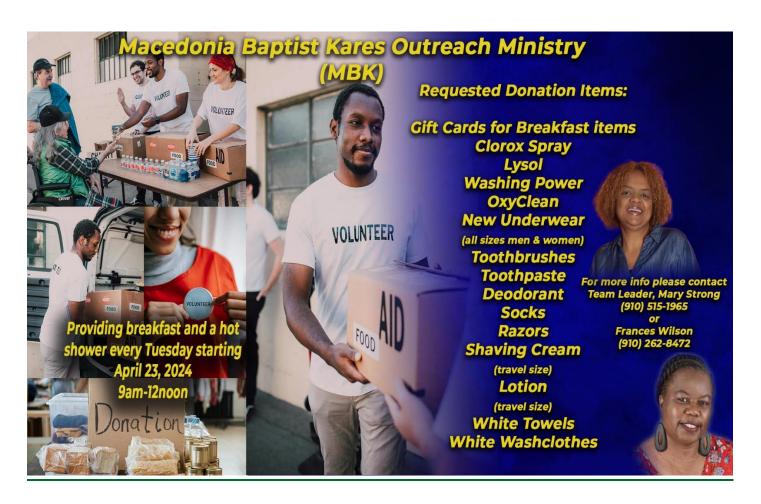


\* \* \* April 21-May 19, 2024 \* \* \*

Special Message

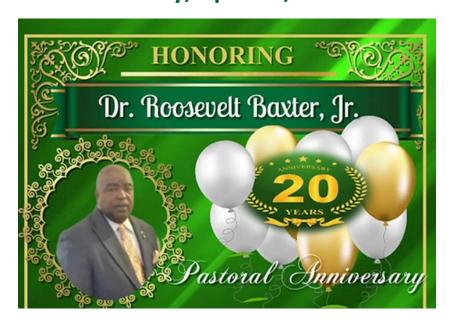
In an effort to capture the pictures of our newest members and have them included in our directory, we are asking each member who has joined in the last year to please have your picture made at the church. Please see Angela Bryant.

This is NOT a retake effort for those who have already had their pictures made.





# Our Fellowship with Mount Calvary Missionary Baptist Church Sunday, April 14, 2024



Tap or Click to view pictures from the fellowship!

### April 21 - April 27

#### **Deacons on Call**

 Mark Alston
 919-610-9204

 Vincent Grant
 614-743-1053

 Ronnie Jenkins
 910-523-0497

 Joe Mitchell
 910-789-2368 or
 910-796-9590

### <u>Church Office Hours</u> 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.



### **Transportation Ministry**

Need a ride to church?



Please call Brother Dan Foy our Transportation Coordinator.



Contact him no later than 12 hours the day before Worship service at 910-200-8550.

Don't miss the fellowship, and most importantly, the Word!



### Saturday, April 20

- 8 a.m. Intercessory Prayer
- 4 9 a.m. Daughters of Zion
- **11** a.m. Youth and Sunshine Band Rehearsal
- ♣ 1 p.m. Worship Service at North Chase Nursing Facility

### Sunday, April 21

- 8 a.m. Sunday Morning Bible Study
- **4** 8:15 a.m. Youth Sunday School
- **4** 8:45 a.m. Praise and Worship
- 🖶 9 a.m. Worship Service
- **♣** 9:15 a.m. Facebook and YouTube Live
- **11** a.m. Roku TV (King Network)
- 3 p.m. Macedonia to St. Pauls in Conway, SC for Rev. Ronald and First Lady Betty Henry's Anniversary. The Praise Team will sing

### Tuesday, April 23

♣ Reading Academy3:30-4:30 p.m. - Grades 2-54-5 p.m. - Six grade students

### Wednesday, April 24

♣ Adult Bible Study: Daniels Hall12 Noon and 6:30 p.m.

### Thursday, April 25

- **♣** 6:30 p.m. Women's Choir Rehearsal
- 4 6:30 p.m. Prerecorded Bible Study on Facebook

### Saturday, April 27

🖶 8 a.m. Intercessory Prayer



### Links to our 9 a.m. Worship Services

Every Sunday morning at Macedonia, there is a Word from the Lord!

The service goes live on Facebook and YouTube at 9:15 a.m.

If you are reading this newsletter online, tap or click the link below to watch this past Sunday service!

Sunday, April 14, 2024

"God is Doing a Work on YOUR Behalf!" (Sermon 1 of 3)

Habakkuk 1:5 BSB (Berean Study Bible)

TAP or CLICK here to watch all of our services!

Join us! Share the links! We are the church!

Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.

1 Corinthians 12:27 NIV



(PrimeTimers) will meet Wednesday, May 8 at 1:15 p.m. in the Daniels Hall



8:15 am - 8:45 am on 1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays

### **OUR APRIL DISCUSSION LEADERS**

**HOSTED BY MMBC** Youth **Ministries** 

We will have real life conversations about what we encounter daily, and learn how to apply the Word to those situations.

Rev. Collette Caldwell 4-7 Sharkia Coker 4-14

Nickeisha Highsmith 4-28









**ELEMENTARY** 



Pastor Terry Henry 4-7 Deacon Ron Jenkins 4-14 **Deaconess Lula Grant 4-28** 







MIDDLE AND HIGH

4925 New Centre Dr. For more info: 910-251-8772



## APRIL

**SUNDAY MORNING** 

2024

## BIBLE STUDY 8:00 am



Minister Jacqi Henry 4-7



Sister Dora Johnson 4-14



Reverend Nicholas Brown 4-21



Reverend Collette Caldwell

ID 902 232 8705 Pass-code: 7777777



**COORDINATORS** 



Deacon
Joseph Mitchell



Deacon
Ulysses Jenkins
4-28



Brother David Toppin

### **Sunday Morning Bible Study Lessons**

## April Topic of the Month—The Measure of Faith

Unit II has four lessons drawn from Luke and Matthew to discuss the range of Christian faith:

- 1. Luke cites **four friends who went through various obstacles** to get their sick friend to Jesus for healing, and when Jesus saw their faith, He forgave and healed the paralytic.
- 2. Luke looks at **the faith of a centurion who amazed Jesus with his faith**, and Jesus acknowledged He had not found such faith in all Israel.
- 3. Luke identifies a sinful woman Jesus forgave because she had much faith.
- 4. Matthew identifies a Canaanite woman recognized by Jesus for her great faith.

### **April 7: Faith of the Persistent**

Devotional Reading: John 4:4-18; Background Scripture Luke 5:17-16 *A valid faith is a persistent faith.* 

#### April 14—Faith of a Centurion

Devotional Reading: Zechariah 8:18-23; Background Scripture: Luke 7:1-10 Faith is found in unexpected situations.

### April 21—Faith of an Anointer

Devotional Reading: Romans 8:1-16; Background Scripture: Luke 7:36-39; 44-50 Saving faith focuses on what Jesus has done, not on what others think.

### April 28—Faith of a Canaanite

Devotional Reading: Psalm 61; Background Scripture: Matthew 15:21-28 Testing of faith can come from many sources—even from Jesus himself.







### DO YOU HAVE A FUTURE FIREFIGHTER?

### **Junior Fire Academy Applications Now Open!**

The Wilmington Fire Department is now accepting applications for its upcoming summer Junior Fire Academy. High schoolers who take part in the academy get firsthand experience in being a firefighter and learn life-saving skills like CPR, first aid, and how to use a fire extinguisher. The academy is free, and lunch is provided.

To sign-up your teen, go here



### Summer Athletic Camps!

Please join our Athletics Team in their Summer Programming Efforts. For questions, please contact Morrell Fox, Abby Smith, or Demetrius Wheeler.

Registration OPENS on April 8, 2024.

Basketball Camp - JUNE 10 - 14

Ages: 8 - 15

**REGISTRATION CLOSES JUNE 3** 

T-Ball & Coach Pitch Camp - JUNE 24 - JUNE 27

Ages: 4 - 9

**REGISTRATION CLOSES JUNE 17** 

**Archery Camp - JULY 8 - JULY 11** 

**Beginner Ages: 7 - 13** 

**Intermediate Ages: 9 - 17** 

**REGISTRATION CLOSES JULY 1** 

Sports/Olympics Camp - JULY 29 - August 2

Ages: 8 - 16

**REGISTRATION CLOSES JULY 22** 

**TAP or CLICK here to register!** 





### The 11th Healthy Kids Day is a one-day festival held at Empie Park on Saturday,

April 20th, 2024. This is the 11th year with the City of Wilmington and the YMCA of Southeastern NC partnering together to present this fun filled day! This is a free community event that will offer families the opportunity to participate in active play and educational opportunities designed to improve health and wellness. As part of the Y's and City's commitment to strengthening community by addressing critical gaps in health and education, Healthy Kids Day will encourage kids and parents to commit to keeping the body and mind active now and throughout the year.

Register here for the Fun Run: https://www.wilmingtonnc.gov/.../althea-gibson-tennis...

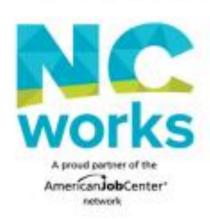
Free admission and free events include:

- 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk
- Sports Stations
- Face Painting
- Bouncy Houses
- Community Booths
- Animal Rescue Groups
- Zumba
- -Tons of free giveaways and prizes!
- Food will be available for purchase by local food trucks This is a FREE event, but you are encouraged to register to secure your Healthy Kids Day shirt. Shirts are available to the first 300 kids to sign up.



NEW HANOVER COUNTY

# JOB FAIR



### **Employers**

- · North Carolina Ports
- Wilmington Health
- Allied Universal
- The Charles Lea Center
- · IHOP
- The Arc of North Carolina

### **Event Details**

TUESDAY **APRIL 23RD, 2024** 



10:00 AM - 2 PM 🚺



**NCWorks New Hanover** 1994 South 17th St Wilmington, NC 28401



#### VETERANS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

The NCWorks Career Center does not discriminate based on sice, color, national origin, see, religion, age, or disability in the employment or the provision of services. Auxiliary aids and services for individuals with disabilities are available upon request.

The Cape Fear Workforce Development Board Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIDA) Programs are federally supported 100% by the U.S. Department of Labor as part of an award totaling



910-945-6900



neworks.gov



newhanovercounty@ncworks.gov

### **SPREAD THE WORD:**

### New student debt relief plan

Dr. Algeania Freeman begs all persons with Student Loan debt to run not walk but run to **Studentaid.gov**, and go to the top right TAB for Student Loan Forgiveness. Click on Public Service. If you have ever worked or volunteered for a tax exempt or public service organization, please apply for service credit. They will send your information to the organization where you served to verify your information.

There are many other ways to qualify for student loan debt forgiveness. This week, I learned about several persons who were blessed to receive forgiveness for their student loans.

Dr. Freeman is requesting that Pastors, HBCUs, Alumni, Sororities, Fraternities, and Community agencies set up information assistance sessions or post links on their websites to help persons understand how to apply for Student Loan Forgiveness. Please help get our people out of this debt. As one church elder said he heard about student loan debt cancellation, but he had never met anyone who actually received it until yesterday.

Let's make sure that people know about and apply quickly for Student Loan Forgiveness.

Tap or Click the link below for more information.

https://www.msnbc.com/the-reidout/watch/biden-announcesnew-student-debt-relief-plan-208591941723

### **Scholarship Application**

The combined Williston Class of 1972, J.T. Hoggard, and New Hanover High School (NHHS), are elated that you have chosen to further and obtain a higher education, equipping you for today's society's work force. We will assist you financially. The Class Motto is, "Making A Difference."

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

- Must be a currently enrolled and attending J.T. Hoggard or NHHS
- Must enter a university, college, or secondary educational institution of higher learning in the fall of this current year.
- Must have a grade point average of 2.5
- Must complete all instructions regarding the completion of the application process

#### **SELECTION PROCESS:**

The combined Williston Class of 1972 J.T. Hoggard and NHHS will select recipients. Each student will be evaluated on their academic achievement, an Essay, the completion of the application, references, and meeting the stated deadline. These requirements will be the determining factors of your timely submitted application. Decisions by the Committee will be final, and the Committee representative will notify the chosen recipient(s).

#### **SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

The selected recipients will receive a \$1,000.00 Scholarship. Once you receive your acceptance letter and your intent to attend, the scholarship funds will be mailed to your campus P. O. Box address, unless notified otherwise with directions and instructions.

#### **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Application must be completed in its entirety.
- Submit a 3x5 photo headshot
- Official school high school transcript
- A typed standard size 12 font, Times New Roman, double-spaced essay, with a minimum of 100 or a maximum of 150 words.
- All items must be submitted online by 11:59 PM, May 3, 2024
- Chosen applicants will be notified by May 15, 2024.
- If the recipient isn't attending classes at the end of the Drop/Add period, you must return the full scholarship funds.
- All items required as listed above must be submitted by the deadline. Applications will not be accepted after the deadline.

### Fill Out the Form

# The New Hanover Branch of the NAACP 2024 Academic Scholarship Awards

The NHC-NAACP is proud to announce its Scholarship Award Program for 2024! This year our branch will award three \$2000 scholarships in memory of Guy A. Cardwell Jr. from the donation of Margaret Higonnet, his daughter, and one \$500 scholarship in honor of Bertha Boykin Todd. These are available to local graduating seniors and/or former NHC-NAACP scholarship recipients to support their continuing education. *Deadline for completed scholarship applications is April 30, 2024.* 

Applications can be found online at <a href="https://nhcnaacp.org/nhcnaacpscholarship/">https://nhcnaacp.org/nhcnaacpscholarship/</a>

More information: contact George Vlasits, Education Chair, at <a href="mailto:gvlasits@gmail.com">gvlasits@gmail.com</a>

NHC-NAACP, Branch 5424

Post Office Box 2199 Wilmington, NC 28402

Email: info@nhcnaacp.org
Website: https://nhcnaacp.org







WOMAN'S AUXILIARY STATEWIDE LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY MAY 8, 2024 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM



Mrs. Lena Johnson
PRESIDENT, WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Greenville Convention Center
303 Greenville Blvd, SW - Greenville, NC

DEADLINE FOR EARLY HOTEL REGISTRATION DISCOUNT: APRIL 21, 2024

Preferred Hotels

- Hilton Greenville: \$169 Per Night + Tax
- Hampton Inn: \$139 Per Night + Tax
- Holiday Day Inn \$129 Per Night + Tax

Book Early

Visit GBSConline.org often For More Infomation and Updates.



MMBC WOMEN'S DAY
WEEKEND
RAINBOW TEA

**22**June

REGISTRATION OPENING SOON

**23**June

### **April**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Office Closed	2	3 No Bible Study	4 6p Praise Team Rehearsal	5	6 8a Intercessory Prayer
	Pastor Henry will be teaching at Brunswick Association – 7 p.m.			k Waccamaw		
8a Sunday Bible Study 8:15-8:45a Youth Sunday School 8:45-9a Praise and Worship Service 9a Worship Service	8 Office Closed	9 Reading Academy 3:30-4:30p Grades 2-5; 4-5p Six grade students 6:30 p.m. Information Meeting: Dubai	10 12 Noon and 6:30p Adults: Bible Study Daniels Hall  1:15p PrimeTimers	6p Combined Choi Rehearsal 6:30 p.m. Bible Study Facebook (Prerecorded)	12	8a Intercessory Prayer 8:30a – 10a MBK Outreach 8:30a Women's Empowerment - Raleigl 10 a.m. – Ushers (Sanctuary) 11 a.m. PrimeTimers
8a Sunday Bible Study 8:15-8:45a Youth Sunday School 8:45-9a Media Presentation 9a Worship Serv 11a Pastor preaching at Mt. Calvary: Rev. Baxter's Anniversary	15 Office Closed	16 Reading Academy 3:30-4:30p Grades 2-5; 4-5p Six grade students	17 12 Noon and 6:30p Adults: Bible Study Daniels Hall		19 1:30-4p C.O.G.I.C. Women's Conference Luncheon: Daniels Hall s Conference: - 9:30 p.m.	8a Intercessory Prayer 11 a.m. Youth and Sunshine Band Rehearsal  1 p.m. Worship Service at North Chase Nursing Facility
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28 8a Sunday Bible Study 8:15-8:45a Youth Sunday School 8:45a Praise & Worship 9a Worship	29 Office Closed	Reading Academy 3:30-4:30p Grades 2-5; 4-5p Six grade students	If you are scheduling meetings, rehearsals, etc. that will require use of the building, please send your request with name of events, exact dates, times and contact information to grbeatty810@gmail.com by April 24.  Choir Rehearsals:  Thursday before 1st Sunday: Praise Team Thursday before 2nd Sunday: Combined Choirs Saturday before 3nd Sunday: Youth/Sunshine Band Thursday before 4th Sunday: Women's Choir Thursday before 5th Sunday: Men's Choir			



Carolyn Vann	1	Reverend David Kelly	13	LeMarc DeShields	20
Charles Brown	2	Zaccheus Henry	13	Jessica Monroe	20
Treadwell Bell	2	A. J. Maynor	14	Joyce McKoy	21
Kianna Wilder	3	Aliyah D. Chasten	15	Nicole Jackson	21
Marilyn Beatty	5	Shirley P. Sharp	15	Elizabeth Blanks	22
Trinitee Wright	5	Angela Pridgen	15	David Toppin	22
Colethia Deouse	6	Harry Bell	16	Arleta Maynard	23
Anthony Durant, Jr.	6	Stacy Adams	16	Casper Powe, Jr.	23
Cher Grear	6	Daniel Adams, Jr.	17	Demure Bell	25
Joseph Bradley, III	7	Reverend Sharon Respus	17	Regina Beatty	26
Margaret Horton	8	Janis Livingston	17	Sadie Chapman	27
Deaconess Joyce Mitchel	l 8	Janice Robinson	17	Ny-Quari White	27
Sherma Svitzer	8	William (Bill) Pickett	18	Chaz R. Johnson	27
Dr. Derek Pantiel	8	Raymond Greene	18	Bernadette Bloodworth	28
Natalie Pridgen	10	Rayshawn DeLoach	18	Willie Patten	28
Eremaine Murphy	10	Gavrielle A. Vickers	18	Deaconess Shirley Jones	28
Minister Shirley Powell	11	Marcus Lacewell	18	Michelle Mitchell	28
Carolyn Lacewell	12	Sharon Stukes	19	Bertha Worley	30
Patricia Pridgen	13	Debbie Dawkins	20	Rosalee Davis	30

# HAPPY AN IVERSARY!

Brother John and Sister Latrea Russ	April 7, 2021	3 Years
Deacon Warrell and Deaconess Debra Harper	April 30, 1998	26 Years
Brother Daniel Jr. and Sister Stacy Adams	April 15, 1994	30 Years
Brother James and Sister Barbara Richburg	April 4, 1993	31 Years
Deacon Curtis and Deaconess Karen Carlton	April 6, 1985	39 Years
Brother Michael and Sister Elizabeth Blanks	April 10, 1982	42 Years
Brother Dan and Sister Bernadette Bloodworth	April 10, 1965	59 Years

## Bible Reading Plan

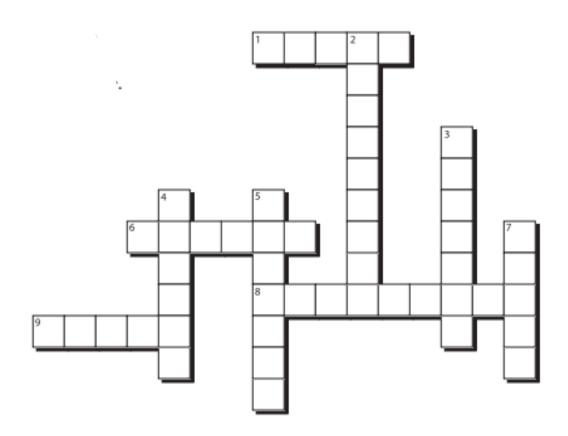
### **What Happened After Easter**

Jesus has risen from the grave and defeated death and hell. So what happens next? Join us as we read through this 29-day Scripture reading plan to see how God starts His church through the power of the Holy Spirit working through the disciples.

April 1	Luke 24	Jesus Has Risen!
April 2	Acts 1	Jesus Taken Up Into Heaven
April 3	Acts 2	The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost
April 4	Acts 3	Peter Heals a Lame Begger
April 5	Acts 4	Peter and John Before the Sanhedrin
April 6	Acts 5	Ananias and Sapphira
April 7	Acts 6	The Choosing of The Seven
April 8	Acts 7	Stephen's Speech to the Sanhedrin
April 9	Acts 8	And Saul Approved of Their Killing Him
April 10	Acts 9	Saul's Conversion
April 11	Acts 10	Cornelius Calls for Peter
April 12	Acts 11	Peter Explains His Actions
April 13	Acts 12	Peter's Miraculous Escape From Prison
April 14	Acts 13	Barnabas and Saul Set Apart
April 15	Acts 14	In Iconium
April 16	Acts 15	The Council at Jerusalem
April 17	Acts 16	Timothy Joins Paul and Silas
April 18	Acts 17	In Thessalonica
April 19	Acts 18	In Corinth
April 20	Acts 19	Paul in Ephesus
April 21	Acts 20	Through Macedonia and Greece
April 22	Acts 21	On to Jerusalem
April 23	Acts 22	Paul's Self-Defense
April 24	Acts 23	Paul Stands Before the Sanhedrin
April 25	Acts 24	Paul's Trial Before Felix
April 26	Acts 25	Paul's Trial Before Festus
April 27	Acts 26	Paul Defends Himself before King Agrippa
April 28	Acts 27	Paul Sails for Rome
April 29	Acts 28	Paul Ashore on Malta
April 30	Psalm 21	King David Rejoices in the Lord!

# Faith of an Anointer Luke 7:36-39, 44-50 NIV

Read Luke 7:36-39, 44-50, and complete the puzzle.



#### **ACROSS**

- 1. She had a bad reputation and a compelling love.
- 6. Not the kind of person with whom the Pharisees usually spent time.
- 8. One from this group invited Jesus to dinner.
- 9. Today's drama took place in a \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **DOWN**

- 2. Not just any jar.
- 3. Some doubted whether Jesus could be even one of those.
- 4. An uninvited guest \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus' feet.
- 5. A sign of repentance.
- 7. We're not sure why the Pharisee invited \_\_\_\_\_ to dinner



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\*Javoke Terrell, \*Bertrand Wilder
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### **Our Mission**

We seek to create an atmosphere of <u>worship</u> and <u>community</u> among our members and our guests. We also strive to help you grow by sharing the <u>Word of God</u> with you through preaching and teaching.

(Composed by our members: The late Sister Mary Belser, Sister Genevieve Beatty and the late Deacon George Syles)

### Ways to give to Macedonia

- 1. In Person during worship service. Offering envelopes are available from the ushers.
- 2. Bring your donation to the church: Tuesday Friday, 10 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
- 3. Scan the first QR Code. Tap in the yellow shape. Scan any of the other codes to access the documents listed.



**Online Giving** 



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