

**SEATON MEMORIAL
A.M.E CHURCH**

November

**20
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Reverend Ronald A. Boykin, Pastor

CHURCH CALENDAR

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5507 Lincoln Avenue - Lanham, MD 20706 - (301) 794-6476



WELCOME to CHURCH

LIFE CAN HURT SOMETIMES

It's a wonderful day to be a child of God. Have you ever had a heavy heart? No matter what you say or do, people refuse to listen. Have you ever cried out to the Lord? Life become more challenging as each day went by. Have you ever questioned weather the sun would shine again? Currently, all you see and experience are storms. Have you ever felt handcuffed in ministry? No matter what you did, someone doubted your integrity and anointing. So often in our lives, we spend so much time trying to figure out where things went wrong. We begin to do self-evaluations. We begin to point the finger at ourselves. Even when you know you did nothing wrong, you find yourself accepting the blame. Have you been there? Are you there now?

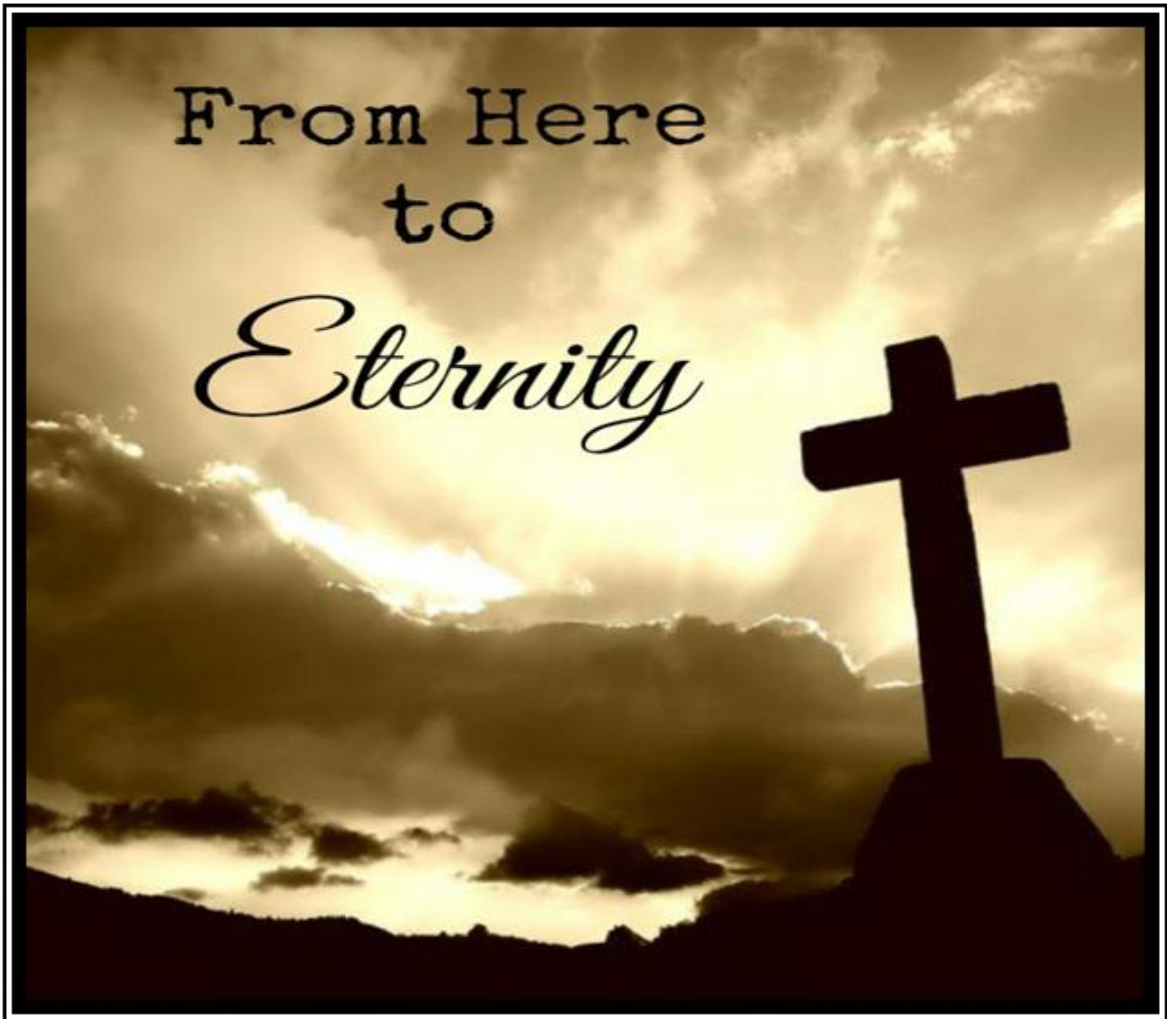
Today, I have been commissioned to come and minister to you. Do you have unanswered questions running through your mind? You sit back and notice how different people are now. Once worshipers, now worriers. Once confident, now complainers. Once blessers, now backstabbers. Once joyous, now jealous. Things have changed. You find yourself surrounded but you still feel alone. My friend, **LIFE CAN HURT SOMETIMES!** You watch the news and everything sounds negative. You watch television and everything seems degrading. You walk the neighborhood and everyone seems afraid. People have changed. There are days when you wonder if people still reverence and respect God. Everywhere you turn, someone is trying to remove the Lord's name. **LIFE CAN HURT SOMETIMES!** It is during the toughest times in your life that God draws closer to you. The Bible declares in **Isaiah 59:1** – **Behold, the Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither His ear heavy, that it cannot hear:** He understands how you feel right now!

My brother, my sister, the Bible declares in **James 4:8** – **Draw nigh to God, and He will draw nigh to you...** It is during your challenging and overwhelming times, that you must know who God is (**Hebrews 13:8**). You must understand what He can and will do (**Ephesians 3:20**). You can never doubt His abilities. **LIFE CAN HURT SOMETIMES,** but God can heal all the times. In your life, there are no problems, dilemmas, burdens, worries, concerns or circumstances that God cannot handle. Even when friends and family forsake you, God will never leave you alone (**Hebrews 13:5**). Remember, earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal. The Bible declares in **2 Corinthians 12:9** - ... **My grace is sufficient for thee: for My strength is made perfect in weakness...**

Thought to Remember: Yes, **LIFE CAN HURT SOMETIMES, BUT GOD WILL BE THERE ALL THE TIME.**

Scripture Reading for the Day: Hebrews 13

May God Bless you at Your pint of need!



**Every Wednesday @ 7pm
In person or on Facebook live**

SEATON MEMORIAL

AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

MILITARY RECOGNITION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2019
11:00 AM

VETERANS
DAY

Invite your Friends and Family

Thanksgiving Day

Worship Service

Thursday, November 28, 2019
10:00 am

"Oh, give thanks unto the Lord; for He is good:"
Psalm 118: 1

Host Church:

Brookins Faith Temple AME Church
7731 Finns Lane
Lanham, Maryland 20706
Reverend Dr. S. Isaiah Harvin, Pastor

Guest Church:

Seaton Memorial AME Church
5507 Lincoln Avenue
Lanham, Maryland 20706
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Seaton Memorial AME Church
will bring the Thanksgiving Message

Connecting, Growing, Giving



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SAVE THE DATE

108th Church

Anniversary Celebration

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2019

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Know the **10** Warning Signs of Alzheimer's Disease

1. Memory loss that disrupts daily life
2. Challenges in planning or solving problems
3. Difficulty completing familiar tasks at home and work
4. Confusion with time or place
5. Decreased or poor judgment
6. New problems with words in speaking or writing
7. Misplacing things and losing the ability to retrace steps
8. Withdrawal from work or social activities
9. Changes in mood and personality
10. Trouble understanding visual images and spatial relationships

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NOVEMBER 14, 2019

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**WORLD PANCREATIC
CANCER DAY**



NOVEMBER 21, 2019

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR

ONLINE & CHURCH-WIDE ACTIVITIES

3 **Divine Worship Service* "Communion Sunday"**

4 Prayer Line @7pm – call#(1-218-936-0868)
access code (142650#)

6 Bible Study @ 12 noon & 7pm

10 **Divine Worship Service* Veterans Day Recognition**

11 Veterans Day Observed
(Church office closed & all Activities Cancelled)

11 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868)
access code (142650#)

13 Bible Study @ 12 noon & 7pm

14 Third Quarterly Conference @ 7pm

17 **Divine Worship Service***

18 Prayer Line @7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868)
access code (142650#)

20 Bible Study @ 12 noon & 7pm

21 **World Pancreatic Cancer Day**

23 Missionary Meeting at 9am follow by Women
Ministry Meeting at 10am

24 **Divine Worship Service***

25 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868)
access code (142650#)

28 Thanksgiving Day Service at 10am
(Brookins Faith Temple AME Church)



Save-the-Date December 2019

1 **Divine Worship Service***

2 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868) access code (142650#)

4 Bible Study @ 12noon & 7pm

8 **Divine Worship Service***

9 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868) access code (142650#)

11 Bible Study @ 12noon & 7pm

15 **Divine Worship Service***

16 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868) access code (142650#)

18 Bible Study @ 12noon & 7pm

22 **Divine Worship Service***

23 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868) access code (142650#)

25 Christmas Day
(Church office closed & all Activities Cancelled)

29 **Divine Worship Service***

30 Prayer Line at 7pm - call #: (1-218-936-0868) access code (142650#)

31 New Year' Eve Watchnight service*



*Sunday Service:

Breakfast: 9am

Church School: 9:30am

Worship Service: 11am

Hymn: #200 "Joys Are Flowing Like a River"

**PRAYER IN PRIVATE
RESULTS IN
BOLDNESS IN
PUBLIC.**

11:00 am

Praise & Worship

Doxology

Call to Worship

Hymn/Praise Song

Morning Invocation

Prayer Response

Choral Selection

Scripture Reading - **JONAH 1: 1 -17**

Decalogue

Gloria Patri

Affirmation of Faith

Our Mission and Our Vision

Choral Selection

Visitors' Welcome

Pastoral Remarks

Worship of Giving

Altar Call

Sermonic Selection

Sermon **"TO HELL AND BACK"**

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Doxology/Benediction

Every decision is an act of worship!

OUR VISION: To be **BOLD DISCIPLES** evangelizing our community with the love of Jesus Christ by holding to strong Biblical values, faithfulness and a heart for service!

OUR MISSION: To know, share and build upon God's love to impact lives through effective and relevant teaching and preaching the message of salvation!

OUR FOCUS: Worship, Education, Evangelism/Community Engagement and Spiritual/Physical Wellness

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Rev. Frances Sparkman, Itinerant Elder

Exhorter: Steve Daniels

Betty Jones, Steward Board -Pro Tem

Darryl Richardson, Sr. Trustee Board - Pro Tem

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Penny McGruder, Carrie L. Hay Women's Missionary Society - President

Erica LeSane, YPD (Young People's Division) - Director

Kathy Ellis, Seaton Empowering Action in the Community, Inc. (SEAC, Inc.) - President

DEPARTMENT OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

**Cheryl Petty Garnette, Director
Christian Education**

**Alesha Wilson, Director
Liturgical Dancers**

**Rosalind Wilson, Assistant Director
Christian Education**

**Tony Jones
Ministry of Music**

**Pamela Hay, Superintendent
Church School**

**Kathy Ellis, Coordinator
Youth Recognition Sunday**

**Linda Walton, Assistant Superintendent
Church School**

**Delicia Wells, Coordinator
Technology Ministry**

**Tyrone Smith, President
Sons of Allen Men's Ministry**

**Leslie Swann, Director
Vacation Bible School**

SICK AND SHUT-IN

**Brother Charlie Holloway
5704 Lincoln Avenue
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**Sister Doris Reid
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**Sister Phyllis Ellis
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Bowie, MD 20720**

**Sister Peggy Nicholas
5210 Galveston Road
Lanham, MD 20706**

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9939 Franklin Street
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**Rev. Darlene James
13107 Christie Place
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SUNDAY

9AM.....MORNING BREAKFAST

9:30AM.....CHURCH SCHOOL

11 AM.....WORSHIP SERVICE

MONDAY

7PM – 7:30PM....EVENING PRAYER

PHONE #: 218-936-0868 ACCESS CODE: 142650#

7:30PM.....GOSPEL CHOIR

AFTER THE 1ST & 4TH SUNDAYS

TUESDAY

7PM.....MIME REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAY

12NOON.....SENIOR BIBLE STUDY

7PM.....BIBLE STUDY

FRIDAY

8PM.....MEN'S CHOIR

SATURDAY

9:00AM.....SONS OF ALLEN

LAST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

4PM.....GOD'S POETS CHOIR

BEFORE THE 2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS

5PM.....ELBERT JOHNS CHOIR





NOVEMBER



Happy Birthday



Happy Anniversary

TO ALL MEMBERS, FAMILY, FRIENDS
AND VISITORS OF
SEATON MEMORIAL A.M.E. CHURCH



God Bless You

USE THIS SHEET FOR
FUTURE REFERENCE ABOUT TODAY'S SERMON

As you listen to the message, you may use this sheet for notes.
We pray the Word today will inspire, lift and challenge you.
Why not refer to your notes during the week.

Date: November 2019

Speaker: _____

Sermon Topic: _____

Biblical Text: _____

Main Points:

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