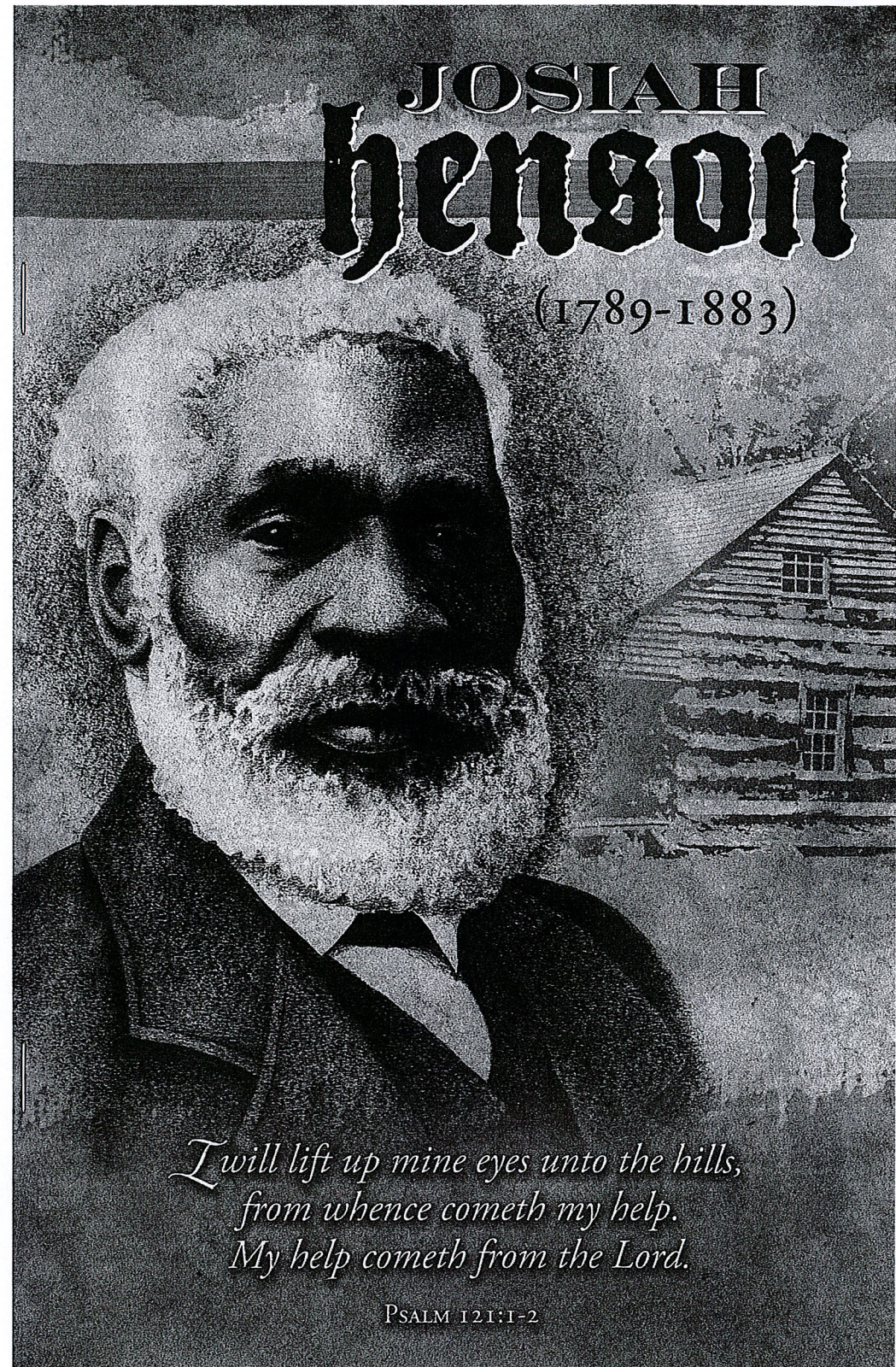


**Note:**

**Please keep this bulletin for the duration of the month of February.**

**Next full bulletin will be printed  
March 4, 2012**

*Josiah Henson* was born into slavery in Charles County, Maryland. As a boy, he witnessed the unspeakably cruel punishment of his father and was eventually separated from his entire family, except for his mother. Sold three times as a young man, Henson became a trusted, valued worker and overseer on the plantation, as well as a Methodist minister. When he was to be sold yet again, he managed to escape to Canada with his wife and four children. There he helped establish a self-sufficient Black community and trade school for other escaped slaves. He also worked with the Underground Railroad and traveled widely as a public speaker for the abolitionists. His autobiography inspired author Harriet Beecher Stowe in her development of the title character for *Uncle Tom's Cabin*.



# W O R S H I P   S E R V I C E

February 5, 2012  
7:30 am & 10:45 am

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## TESTIMONY & DEVOTION TIME OF GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP & INVOCATION.....Rev. Gregory Jackson

HYMN OF CELEBRATION ..... #477, "Lift Every Voice.."

\*THE ANNOUNCEMENTS ..... Pastoral Emphasis

LITANY..... "In Celebration of Black History"

INTERCESSORY PRAYER.....Deacon Sheldon D. Barnes, Sr.  
Deacon Kenneth Bascomb

MINISTRY OF SHARING.....Benevolent Offering

\*THE WELCOME OF VISITORS .....Hospitality Ministry

THE PRAISE REPORT OF HEALING .....Deacons

PRAYER OF HEALING & INTERCESSION ..... Altar Call

THE PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### THE SPOKEN WORD

### THE SCRIPTURE READING

\*SERMONIC SELECTION.....Sanctuary Choir

MINISTRY OF THE WORD ..... Pastor Gregory J. Jackson

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD

THE CALL TO SALVATION & CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

ORDINANCE OF COMMUNION.....Church Covenant

### THE DOXOLOGY & BENEDICTION

\*Worshippers may enter the sanctuary

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## Litany In Celebration of Black History

**All:** "God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, Thou who has brought us thus far on the way. Thou who hast by thy might led us into the light keep us forever in Thy path we pray."

**Leader:** Even as the worlds were formed, continents named, oceans separated, and your plan for mankind began to unfold, you had us on your mind.

**People:** **Thank you, Gracious Lord, for including us in your divine plan.**

**Leader:** When you decided to perfectly place man in your world, you chose to place him in our Motherland.

**People:** **Thank you, Gracious Lord, for including us in your divine plan.**

**Leader:** Throughout Holy Scripture and throughout our history, we have witnessed your keeping power and we have been recipients of your love and grace.

**People:** **Thank you, Gracious Lord, for including us in your divine plan.**

**Leader:** We shall ever be mindful of how you brought us together after the middle passage, delivered us from the chains of slavery, and carried us through the civil rights movement.

**People:** **May we always remember your love towards us, O God.**

**Leader:** We thank you, dear Savior, for the gifts, talents, uniqueness, and cultural blessings you have poured out upon our people.

**People:** **May we always appreciate the blessings you have bestowed upon us, O God.**

**Leader:** We thank you for our mathematic, scientific, and literary genius. We thank you for jazz, gospel, and the blues. We thank you for beautiful locks of hair and beautiful shades and complexions of skin, and even for soul-food.

**People:** **May we always appreciate our unique beauty and giftedness, O God.**

**Leader:** We thank you for the wisdom, strength, and determination we learned from our ancestors and for the blessings and love of family, O God.

**All:** **And we stand today, O God, as a corporate family in love to remember, reflect, honor, and celebrate the heritage, history, and legacy you have given to us. And we ask that you, O Lord, will keep us forever in thy path, we pray. Amen.**

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**SERMON NOTES**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ PREACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

BIBLE REFERENCE: \_\_\_\_\_

SERMON TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

Main ideas of the sermon: \_\_\_\_\_

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**GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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- Please turn off cell phones, pagers and other devices during worship.
- Please, No food or drink in the sanctuary at any time.
- Your support and contributions of \$10.00 to the BIRTHDAY CLUB continues to help to pay down the principal on the Family Life Center. Your support is appreciated.

**Monthly Schedule: Sunday Worship Services: 7:30am & 10:45am,**

- **Sunday School, 9:30am; New Members Class every Sunday 9:30am in The Ray Agnew Banquet Room, Family Life Center**
- **Communion and Right Hand of Fellowship 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays** (for all new members who have completed the New Members' classes)
- **3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays, Baby Dedication** during 10:45 am service
- **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Baptism** during 10:45 am service
- **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Youth Sunday; 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays Youth Church** at 12:30pm in the FLC Chapel
- **Senior Bible Study, Wednesdays, 11am, Fellowship Hall**
- **Wednesday; Hour Power-12noon; Prayer Services-7pm**-in the Sanctuary
- **Bible Study in FLC Banquet Room**
- **Bookstore Hours: Sunday-9:30am-10:30am**
- **GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT MINISTRY meets every Thursday, 6:30PM in the JFKing Room; Rev. Ella Hayes, Facilitator.**
- Have you placed your name or your family's name on the **Tree of Life?** (forms available outside church office). Gold leaf: \$500; Silver leaf: \$300; Bronze leaf: \$150 Rocks: Small-\$1000; Medium-\$1500; Large-\$2000
- **THE GOOD SHEPHERD MINISTRY** meets on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sunday of the month at the Teaneck Nursing Home, 1104 Teaneck Road, from 2pm-3pm. Volunteers are welcome. See Rev. Ella Hayes.

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**Black History**  
MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
**LECTURE**  
**SERIES**

**FREE LECTURE SERIES**

**Series Part I:**

*Spirit in the Dark: The Origins and Evolution of  
"The Black Church" in America*

**Lecturer:** Dr. Josef Sorrett, Assistant Professor of Religion and  
African-American Studies at Columbia University

**TODAY: February 5, 9:30am in the Sanctuary**

Topic: *"True to Our God, True to Our Native Land": Africa in the  
Making of American Religion*

**Monday, February 6, 7:30pm,  
Family Life Center Banquet Hall**

Topic: *"A Zion of Our Own: From Invisible Institution to  
Independent Black Churches"*

**Monday, February 13, 7:30pm,  
Family Life Center Banquet Hall**

Topic: *"From the Spirituals to Hip Hop: The Arts of African-  
American Faith"*

**February 26 - African Heritage Sunday**

**Guest Speaker: Dr. Joseff Sorrett**

- Wear your African attire

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**Series Part II:**

**Monday, February 27, 7:30pm  
In the Sanctuary**

**Lecturer:** Mr. Larry Hamm Civil Rights Activist,  
Humanitarian, Lecturer

*"The African American Struggle for Racial, Social, and Economic Justice: Past,  
Present & Future"*

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

**1PM-3PM**

**MARKET PLACE**

**&**

**INTERNATIONAL**

**FOOD TASTING-\$5 p/p**



Market Place Price:

Table & Space:

\$ 25.00

Space only: \$ 20.00

Additional tables: \$ 15.00

**DEADLINE FOR SIGN-UP: February 20**

**(We're looking for a variety of vendors with superior quality  
merchandise)**

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## NEW YEAR.....NEW YOU!



Join our biggest loser challenge; Let's Get Healthy Together. Guidelines will be provided at weigh-in:

February 4<sup>th</sup> 8:30 am - 10:30 am

February 5<sup>th</sup> 7:00 am - 7:30 am

10:30 am - 11:30 am

1:00 pm - 2:00pm

Admission is \$20. REGISTER TODAY in the bookstore.

NOTE: YOGA CLASSES ARE STILL IN SESSION-MONDAYS, 7PM



### Sunday School Black History Tea

February 25, 2012, 11am-2pm

It's that time of year again. This year the Sunday school students will research Black inventors that are unsung heroes. Our history is our responsibility to teach!

### LENTEN SERVICES

Begin Wednesday, 7:30pm nightly

February 29, March 7, 14, 21, 28

**February 29**, Rev. Dr. W. Franklyn Richardson  
Senior Pastor, Grace Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon

**March 7**, Rev. Dr. Alyn E. Waller, Senior Pastor  
Enon Tabernacle Baptist Church, Philadelphia, PA

**March 14**, Rev. Dr. Johnny Ray Youngblood, Senior Pastor  
St. Paul & Mount Pisgah Baptist Church, Brooklyn, NY

**March 21**, Rev. Dr. Jerry Carter, Senior Pastor  
Calvary Baptist Church, Morristown, NJ

**March 28**, Rev. Kenneth D.R. Clayton, Senior Pastor  
St. Luke Baptist Church, Paterson

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# All Girls Conference



Presents

## Take His Hand

A conference for girls in grades 6th-12th grade

SATURDAY, FEB. 11, 2012  
FROM 10a.m. - 4p.m.

### Conference Speakers



Julia A. Hall

Lisa Bracco

Vyldiana S. Grant

Gloria Kim

Theme verse:

"My beloved spoke and said to me, arise  
my darling, my beautiful one, come  
with me. See! The winter is past;  
the rains are over and gone."

Song of Songs 2:10-11

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For info. contact Julia at 973-246-4098  
Info@unityalliance.org

**Church Calendar – February 19-29, 2012**


Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
19 <b>Envisioning Sunday</b> Baby Dedication 9:30am Sunday School-FLC Pastor/Mrs J B'day Celebrations NJMBA SEMI-ANNUAL	20 <b>President's Day</b> Youth Movie/Share a meal-7p Prayer Line NJMBA SEMI-ANNUAL	21 4p Blsd Readers 27 7p SS teachers -Rm 21/23 7:30p NAFH 7p Educ Scholarship-Rm. 26 NJMBA SEMI-ANNUAL	22-ASH <b>WEDNESDAY</b> 11a Senior Bible Study 12p Hour Power 4p Blsd Readers Rm 27 8p NA-FH NJMBA SEMI-ANNUAL-concert-at CBC	23 6a Intercessory Prayer 9am Food Pantry 6:30p Grief Support-King Rm 7:30p Deacons	24 7:30 Women's Ministry Dance Exercise-FLC <b>YOUTH LOCK-IN</b>	25 7a Intercessory Prayer 9a Feed Homeless 11a-2pm-SS <b>BLACK HISTORY TEA-FLC</b> 6pm-Foreign Missions Hunger Supper-FH
26- <b>African Heritage Sunday</b> (wear African Attire) - Mktplace) Baptism/Youth Church 9:30am Sunday School-FLC	27 7p Prayer Line 7:30pm-Lecturer— Larry Hamm	28	29 7:30pm LENT Service Rev. W. Franklyn Richardson-			

**Church Calendar February 5-18, 2012**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 <b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> Lecturer-Dr. Josef Sorrett-FLC	6 6:30 Foreign Missions- 26 7p Prayer Line 6:30pm FLC Bd Mtg-King 7:30p Assoc Choir-Sanc 7:30pmLecturer -Dr. Josef Sorrett-FLC	7 4p Blsd Readers 27 7p SS teachers-Rm 21/23 7:30p NA—FH	8 11a Senior Bible Study 12p Hour of Power 4p Blsd Readers 27 7p Prayer/Bible Study-FLC 8p NA-FH	9 6a Intercessory 9am Food Pantry 6:30p Grief Support-King 7:30p Home Missions 3:30pm-6-Girl Scouts-FH/Kitchen	10 7pm Women Bible Study-Rm. 20	11 7a Intercessory Prayer 9:30a-Math Tutor -Cmpr 10a-4pm <b>ALL GIRLS CONFERENCE</b>
12- Rev Hilton prchg Youth/Children Church 9:30am Sunday School-FLC Black History (meet & greet 9:30a New Mbrs Class-FLC Terpesies Dancing	13 7p Prayer Line 6:30p Diabetes Workshop -Rm. 20 7:30p Assoc Choir Rehearsal-Sanc Lecturer-Dr. Josef Sorrett-FLC	14 4p Blsd Readers 27 7:30p NA—FH 7:30 Trustees Mtg	15 1a Senior Bible Study 12p Hour of Power (Hilton) 4p Blsd Readers rm 27 7p Prayer/Bible Study 8p NA-FH	16 6a Intercessory Prayer 9am Food Pantry 6:30p Grief Support-King Rm <b>FOOD PANTRY</b> 9a-11a; 7:30p H&W Mtg. -Rm. 26 3:30pm-7:30pm - Girl Scouts-FH	17 7p Men's Ministry 6:30pm Dances-26, 27, 21/23 7pm-Marriage Enrichment -Rm. 20 6:30pm-9:30pm Leadership Mtg-FLC Ray Agnew Room	18 7a Intercessory Prayer 9:30a-Math Tutor -Cmpr 1-3pm- Mentoring <b>NJMBA SEMI-ANNUAL-Begins</b>

## MOUNT OLIVE WORSHIP & ARTS

### FEBRUARY 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Scripture</b> "Now the Lord is that Spirit and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty." <i>2 Corinthians 3:17</i>	<b>Prayer Focus</b>  Oh Freedom!	HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL BORN IN FEBRUARY 	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Hymn # 477 "Lift Every Voice and Sing" 7:30 Sanctuary Choir 10:45 Sanctuary Choir	7:30 p.m. NJDMBA (MOBC)  8:00 p.m. Young Adult Choir Rehearsal (Room 24-Chapel)	6:00 p.m. Rose of Sharon  7:30 p.m. Inspirational Choir Rehearsal		6:00 p.m. Y4C Choir Rehearsal 6:45 p.m. Teens 4 Christ Choir Rehearsal		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Hymn # 477 - "Lift Every Voice and Sing" 7:30 Young Adult Choir  10:45 Inspirational Choir	7:30 p.m. NJDMBA (Community BC)  7:00 - Joint Board Meeting	6:30 p.m.  Rose of Sharon		6:00 p.m. Y4C Choir Rehearsal 6:45 p.m. Teens 4 Christ Choir Rehearsal 7:15 p.m. W.O.W. Rehearsal		North Jersey
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
North Jersey District Semi-Annual Session @ MOBC						
"Lift Every Voice and Sing" 7:30 p.m. W.O.W.  10:45 Y4C/Teens 4 Christ Choir		6:30 p.m. Rose of Sharon  7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir	Ash Wednesday  7:00 NJDMBA (Community BC)	7:30 p.m. Men of Praise Choir Rehearsal		
26	27	28	29			
Hymn # 477 "Lift Every Voice and Sing" 7:30 p.m. Men of Praise 10:45 Sanctuary Choir	7:15 p.m. Leadership Team	6:00 p.m. Rose of Sharon  7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir				

## SAVE THE DATE THE BLACK CELESTIAL CHORALE ENSEMBLE OF SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Saturday, March 10, 2012

7PM

If you are a Syracuse University alumni and would like to assist in hosting this event,



For example:

**Greeters**

**Servers**


**Help Prepare food, etc., or**

**Participate on the program, please contact the office.**

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### Our Sick & Shut-In

Member Name	Address
Sis. Levonia Chaney	470 Maple Hill Drive, #25, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. Josephine	187 Anderson St., Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. June Fields	280 Stanley Pl., Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. Commry Clarke	302 E. 119 <sup>th</sup> Street, Apt. 1B, NYC 10035
Sis. Catherine	305 Marion Ave., Gaffney, SC 29341
Bro. Clinton Jackson	49 Bogert St., Teaneck, NJ 07666
Deaconess Ruthie Spruill	184 Washington St, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. James McCain	220 Green St. Englewood, NJ 07631
Bro. John King	164 Beech St. #6C, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. Wannetta Jones	70 Polifly Rd., #306, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Deaconess Pauline	Bristol Manor Nursing Home, Rochelle Pk., NJ
Sis. Carolyn Gaston	49 Finnegan Avenue, Apt. #C7, Saddle Brook, NJ
Bro. Arthur Sims	215 Second St., #22, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. Vernon Rudd	Maple Glen Ctr, 1215 Saddle Rvr. Rd., Fairlawn,
Sis. Ruby Jones	199 High Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. Henry Hall	96 Chadwick Street, East Rutherford, NJ 07073
Sis. Aloma Price	Cntr. for Nrsg. & Rehab, 520 Prospect Pl., Bklyn,
Sister Jessie Wright	15 Lehigh Street, #17, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. Margaret Sylan	9 Gabriel Ct., Washington Twp, NJ 07676
Sis. Marjorie Burgess	Bristol Manor Nursing Home, Rochelle Pk., NJ
Sis. Jasmine Smith	240 Third St., Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. Bobby Higgs	10 Orchard Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. Darryl Folsom	Oak Ridge Rehabilitation Center, Wayne, NJ
Sis. Dollie Cheek	31-51 1 <sup>st</sup> St., Apt. A3, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis. Ollie Atkins	302 Berry Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Sis Annie Howell	303 Park Ave., Park Ridge, NJ 07656
Sis. Carrie Gunn	215 Central Avenue, Apt. 27, Hackensack, NJ 07601
Bro. Elmore Clark	St. Joseph Hospital, Paterson, NJ
Eric Echols--#641575D (would like to receive mail)	Albert Wagner Youth Correctional Facility, 500 Ward Ave., Bordentown, NJ 08505

 If you have suffered loss in your family or in the event of hospitalization or extended illness, please (have a family member or hospital staff) contact the church office at 201.489.6888. Please contact the office when your status changes.

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### MISSION STATEMENT

The vision of Mount Olive Baptist Church is to be a culturally relevant church that minimizes dogma and maximizes Love--the Love of a living God as embodied in Jesus Christ in order that we might cultivate a faith that supports broken humanity throughout the difficulties of life.

We want to be a Church dedicated to the mission of spiritual, academic and economic growth of individuals through teaching, serving and guiding them to grow beyond their personal experiences into new creatures in Jesus Christ. We want to involve everyone in ministry, so that people will minister to people.

We want to be a Church where Biblical enlightenment, healing, renewal, reclamation, rehabilitation and reconciliation are the cornerstones of our faith.

We want to be a source of spiritual sustenance, security, and inspiration to those who are struggling with the burdens of life throughout our spiritual journey together. We want to be strengthened in our commitment to serve as instruments of God in our Church, our community and the world, by confronting, transforming and eliminating those things in our culture that dehumanize us and perpetuate psychological enslavement.

ADMINISTRATION	
REV. GREGORY J. JACKSON, M. Div., Senior Pastor	
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Attn: Annette Simmons

Deacon's email: [deacons@mountolivebaptist.org](mailto:deacons@mountolivebaptist.org)

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(Please check, sign, tear off, and place in offering Plate)

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Is ill and should be visited

New to Community

Is interested in our Church

Unaffiliated Baptist

Address changed to above

New baby in home

Should join the Church

Other suggestions:

### SERMON NOTES

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