Mount Nebo African Methodist Episcopal Church

"God Our Father, Christ Our Redeemer, The Holy Spirit Our Comforter, Humankind Our Family"

Order of Worship Second Sunday in Advent Sunday, December 15, 2019

Worship LeaderRev. Debra Grant

Processional/Organ Prelude:Bro. David Taylor and the YPD Choir
The DoxologyMinister and Congregation
647 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creature here below Praise Him above ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

The Call to Celebrate:

Minister: I was glad when they said to me, let us go into the house of the Lord, our feet shall stand within the gates, O Jerusalem.

People: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.

Minister: Because of the house of the Lord our God I will seek thy good.

People: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord, shall flourish in the

courts of our God.

Minister: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house. Lord, I have loved thy

habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth.

People: For the Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence

before him.

Minister: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation on my heart be

acceptable in thy sight. O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer.

People: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous

things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, sing

praises.

Announcements:

7th Episcopal District, Mt. Pleasant District, Church & Community

<u>7th Episcopal District Background Check:</u> All officers of the AME Church are required to undergo a background check. You may complete this request online. Go to ame7.church and click on the drop-down menu on the upper right corner and choose Background check. Choose your conference (Palmetto) and your district (Mt. Pleasant). The cost is \$10.00 – Debit or Credit cards are accepted..



December Happy Birthday Greetings: The Celebrants are-

May the continued blessings of God be with you always.

December Calendar of Events

• Sunday, December 15th Mt. Pleasant District Planning Meeting to be held at Olive Branch AME Church 1734 N. Hwy 17 Mt. Pleasant at 4:00pm The committee is asking for the Mt. pleasant District Mass choir, along with Olive Branch, Charity, Holy Trinity, Mount Nebo, and New Emmanuel to render the music.

Up-Coming Dates to Remember:

• Sunday, January 26th Pack the Pew Program Rev. Johnny Brown-Speaker

When kneeling in prayer, please remember to include the following names:



<u>Brother(s):</u> Jessie Dingle, John Jenkins, Arthur Lee Simmons, Rev. William Alston, and James McNeal <u>Sister(s):</u> Martha Steed, Earthlee Washington, Mary Young, Geneva Dottery, Earnestine Gillard, Thelma Washington, Elizabeth Browdy, and Magalene Gilchrist

Our request as a church family: Visit, call, send a card and continue to pray.

These four requests will change things. *Our prayer:* "Heavenly Father, when your children are hurting, sick or in despair, **You** love as a mother who tends to the needs of a hurting child. Thank You, for always being close to us. "Amen

Please check with the church office if you wish to have a list of phone numbers of the sick and -shut-in

Scripture (s):
What are the main points or key message of the sermon?
What questions do I have as I listen to the sermon?
How can this message be applied to my life?
As I reflect, what family members or friends can I share this message with?

Set Goals and Focus Encounter – Embrace---Engage

every heart prepare Him d heaven, and heaven and

Joy to the world! the Savior reigns: Let men their songs employ; While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove The glories of His righteousness, And wonders of His love, And wonders of His love, And wonders of His love.

Invocation

Choral Response"Let the Church Say Amen"...........Choir and Congregation Let the Church say Amen, let the Church say Amen. God has spoken, so let the Church say Amen.

The Written Word:.....Rev. Muzzetta Young New Testament Scripture Reading: The Gospel According to Mark 1:1-8 **Responsive Hymn (No. 69):***"From All That Dwells"* From all that dwells below the skies, let the Creator's praise arise, let the Redeemer's

name be sung, through every and by every tongue.

Decalogue (summary):

Hear what Christ our Savior saith, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it. Thou shall love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Benevolent Offerings/Tithes and Offering.....Officers & Ushers **Offertory Hymn (No. 644)**.....*Offertory Blessing*....."*All Things Come of Thee*"

Meditational Call...(Instrumental-#116)..All are welcome...come...kneel...and pray

Visitors' Recognition and Acknowledgement of the Pastor

Sermonic Hymn# 106....."O Come, All Ye Faithful"

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant, O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem; Come and behold Him, born the King of angels:

(Refrain)

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord!

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation, O sing, all ye bright hosts of heaven above! Glory to God, all glory in the highest;(*Refrain*)

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning, Jesus, to Thee be all glory given; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing; (*Refrain*)

The Spoken Word:Rev. Dorine C. Fabor, M. Div., Pastor Theme: "Preparing the way of our Lord"
Scripture: The Gospel According to Mark: 1:18
The Message Bible (MSG)

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship......Pastor, Choir and Congregation

Hymn #113 "Away in a Manger"

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,the little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head. The stars in the sky looked down where he lay,the little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes, but little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes; I love thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the skyand stay by my cradle till morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask thee to stay close by me forever, and love me, I pray; bless all the dear children in thy tender care, and fit us for heaven to live with thee there.

The Affirmation of Faith/Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heavens and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under the Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Church Universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.

Doxology	."Praise God, from	Whom All	Blessings Flow	,, ••••••	Minister
Benediction :					
Departing Hymn:	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		Choir and	Congregation



"In your daily walk this week remember to share the Word; someone may be down in the valley trying to get home".

Church School......9:15 Sunday Mornings Sunday Worship Services......10:30am Wednesday Bible Study......6:30pm-7:30pm Official Board Meeting..... Every 2nd Monday, 6:30pm Awendaw Town Meeting......Every 1st Thursday at 6:30pm



On behalf of Mount Nebo African Methodist Episcopal Church Family, we thank you choosing our church home as your place of worship today.

To all who mourn and need a comforter, to all who are lonely, and need a friend...to all who are weak and need strength, to all who are talented and need expression, to all who are overwhelmed and need a church...to all who are searching and need a Savior.

The Officers and members, along with their Pastor the Reverend Dorine C. Fabor "Says WELCOME"

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