Lead me in the right path, O Lord, or my enemies will conquer me. Make YOUR way plain for me to follow.

Psalm 5:8 - NLT

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Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Triumph Baptist Church for the 15th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration Friday, March 2 and Saturday, March 3. The church address is 2550 S. Liddesdale, Detroit, MI 48217. Rev. Solomon Kinlock, Jr. is the Pastor.

The Brentwood Mass Choir will perform for the United Way Alexis de Tocqueville Dinner on Monday, March 5 at the Wortham Center Grand Foyer at 7:30pm.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Grace Fellowship Founder’s Day Celebration Tuesday, March 6. The address is 3419 Virginia Beach Blvd., #135, Virginia Beach, VA 23452. Dr. James E. Jones is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Mt. Sinai Church Friday, March 9 for the 16th Pastoral Anniversary Banquet Celebration. The church is located at 1039 Donovan, Houston, TX 77091 (713.869.8161). Dr. S.J. Gilbert II is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Everlasting Hope Baptist Church Friday, March 16. The address is 1444 West 74th St., Chicago, IL 60636 (773.314.7060). Rev. Darryl Sims is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message at 8am and 11am at Victory Church for the 24th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration Sunday, March 18. The church is located at 1170 North Hairston Rd., Stone Mountain, GA 30083 (678.476.6000). Dr. Kenneth L. Samuel is the Pastor.

Rev. Joseph G. Ford will be guest preacher at New Hope Baptist Church for the 22nd Pastoral Anniversary service on Sunday, March 18 at 9:30am. The church is located in Metuchen, NJ 08840 (732.549.8941). Dr. Ronald L. Owens, Host Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Greater Elizabeth Bible Church Wednesday, March 28 through Friday, March 30. The address is 745 Bolton Rd., Atlanta, GA 30331 (404.505.2263). Dr. Kenneth A. Walker is the Pastor.

Happy Birthday Staff Members!

Princess Chaisson - March 7
Claudia Gonzales - March 31

Balm in Gilead

This national AIDS awareness campaign engages Black congregations to support, encourage and empower African Americans, Africans and all people of the Diaspora to take action toward stopping the spread of HIV/AIDS in Black communities worldwide.

Brentwood Leadership Staff

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Pastor

Mr. Paul E. Jefferson, Church Business Administrator
Ms. Lydia A. Alston, Minister of Worship and Praise
Rev. Joseph G. Ford, Minister of College, Young Adults and Singles
Rev. Mary A. Frazier, Minister of Youth
Mr. Augusta Green IV, Lifelong Learning Center Manager
Rev. Albert A. Kemp, Minister of Evangelism
Rev. C. Clay Pickens, Institutional Advancement Director
Mrs. Doris G. Ratliff, Center for Child Development Executive Director
Rev. Lillie M. Seals, Minister of Christian Counseling
Rev. Barbara A. Thomas, Minister of Children and Senior Adults
Rev. Garland W. Ward, Minister of Visitation
Rev. Kevin W. Williams, Minister of Facilities Management and Recreation

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713.926.PRAY (7729)/Prayerline
www.brentwoodbaptist.org
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Sunday, March 25
9:30am Relay For Life LLC
12:30pm Relay For Life LLC

Monday, March 26
6:30pm Deacon Ministry LLC
6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, March 27
6:30pm Deacon Wives LLC
7pm STEW Ministry LLC
Women’s Choir Choir Room
Male Chorus Sanctuary
Young Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, March 28
6pm Challengers LLC
Girls In Action LLC
Sisters Who Care LLC

Thursday, March 29
12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm Dance Troupe LLC
6:30pm Tiny Tots Choir LLC
Sunday School Workers LLC
Drill Team Fellowship Hall
7pm Children’s Choir LLC
Children Praise Dancers LLC
Youth Praise Dancers LLC
Voices of Praise Worship Center

Saturday, March 31
10:15am Adult Praise Dancers LLC

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Preaching Schedule

SUNDAY
7:45 AM & 10:45 AM

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7:00 PM

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DON’T FORGET
Sunday, March 11

Colorectal Cancer/Multiple Myeloma Awareness Month
You should begin screening for colorectal cancer soon after turning 50, then continue getting screened at regular intervals.

Cancer Support Ministry Meetings
2nd Tuesdays • 6:30pm
Lifelong Learning Center
Contact Kathy Carter at 713.434.1666
MEMBERS

UPDATES
If you have moved or have a name change, please visit our website and complete an Membership Update Form or contact Debra Jordan at 713.852.1486. Forms are also available at the Receptionist Desk.

SICK & DEATH REPORTS
To report or give an update of a death or illness, please visit our website and complete a Sick or Death Report Form or call 713.852.1410 and leave a detailed message. Forms are also available at the Receptionist Desk.

CONTRIBUTIONS
Please use a contribution envelope to ensure that your tithes, offerings and designated donations are recorded. Contributions made to Brentwood Baptist Church are posted by your individual membership number. Therefore, it is important that you legibly record your complete name, address and amount on your envelope.

MEDIA
CD’s, DVD’s and audio cassettes are available in the Media Center. Please contact George Micheaux at 713.852.1426 or online www.brentwoodbaptist.org/store/shop.

VISITORS
We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us today. We invite you to join in as we give our highest praise to God our Father for giving us the opportunity to come together in worship. If you are looking for a church home please consider us in your spiritual journey. If you would like more information about us, please call 713.852.1400.

If you are not receiving your monthly bulletin, please contact Debra Jordan at 713.852.1486.
**Tuesday, March 13**
10am  Baptist Women III LLC
7pm   Men’s Empowerment Ministry LLC
      Cancer Support Ministry LLC
      Wellness Ministry LLC
      Women Choir Choir Room
      Young Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday, March 14**
5pm   Relay For Life LLC
6pm   Challengers LLC
      Sisters Who Care LLC
      Girls In Action LLC

**Thursday, March 15**
12pm  Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm   Sunday School Workers LLC
      New Members Committee Room 230
      Drill Team Fellowship Hall
7pm   Children’s Choir LLC
      Children Praise Dancers LLC
      Youth Praise Dancers LLC
      Voices of Praise Worship Center

**Friday, March 16**
7pm   SAM Ministry Fellowship Hall

**Saturday, March 17**
8:30am Relay For Life LLC
9am   Youth Sunday School Workers LLC
10am  Creative Artist for Christ LLC
10:15am Adult Praise Dancers LLC

**Sunday, March 18**
9:30am Common Ground Room 118
      Relay For Life LLC
10:45am Love U2 LLC

**Monday, March 19**
6:30pm Alzheimer Ministry LLC
      Youth Choir Sanctuary
5:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
7pm   Church Choir Worship Center

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**Child Care** The Doris Gardner Ratliff Center for Child Development offers childcare for ages 0 to 4 on Sundays during worship services and Monday through Friday from 6am to 6pm. After School Care is also available. Contact Cheryl Kimbrel at 713.852.1470.

**Children’s Drill Team** Children in grades 2 - 4 are encouraged to participate in the Children’s Drill Team. Listen for announcements about registration and rehearsals.

**Middle School Spring Break** Youth in grades 6 - 8 are encouraged to sign up for our overnight trip to Kemah Boardwalk, March 16-17. The fun, food, shopping and entertainment never ends. For Cost and more details, contact Rev. Mary Frazier at 713.852.1440.

**High School Spring Break** Youth in grades 9–12 may register for a Spring Break excursion to Six Flags Dallas March 12-13. For Cost and more details, contact Rev. Mary Frazier at 713.852.1440.
Jewels Bible Study All ladies are invited to attend our bible study on Tuesday, March 6 at 6:30pm in the Lifelong Learning Center. “Dinah's Story” will be our topic of discussion.

Marriage Ministry “Let’s talk about Sex” from the Song of Solomon is this month’s bible study topic. Join us Friday, March 9 at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall and share your thoughts.

AIDS Walk 2012 Join the Brentwood Community Foundation in the 23rd Annual AIDS Walk Houston Sunday, March 11 in Sam Houston Park Downtown. Seventy percent of the money raised will be awarded to Brentwood Foundation and other benefiting agencies providing services to people living with HIV/AIDS. Register today. You can make a difference!

So You Want To Get Married? This workshop is for couples planning to get married or married for less than one year. Our next class is Saturday, April 28 from 10am - 2pm in the Lifelong Learning Center. Please visit our website and register by Monday, April 23. Lunch is provided for those who pre-register.

The Marriage Ministry is designed to minister to the spiritual and social needs of married couples through bible study, seminars and social activities. We want and need your feedback and suggestions. Please go online to brentwoodbaptist.org and complete our 5-minute survey.

To receive text: text “brentwoodbaptist” to 718.728.9542.

To unsubscribe text: text “unsubscribe” to 718.728.9542.

Data fees may apply depending on your carrier.

We need your updated information! If you have a new address, phone number or email address please go to www.brentwoodbaptist.org and complete a “Membership Update” form.
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**Adult Announcements**

**Married Ladies Social Art & Charity Club of American Inc. Honors**

**Mrs. Doris Gardner Ratliff**

2012 W. Q. Hunter Outstanding First Lady Award

**SUNDAY, MARCH 4 • 2PM – 4PM**

The Ensemble Theatre

$40 (individual) • $400 (table of 10)

For ticket information contact the Center for Child Development 713.852.1471.

**FIT FOR THE MASTER’S USE**

Sponsored by the Wellness Ministry

**Tuesday, March 6 • 6:30pm**

Lifelong Learning Center

**Low Impact Aerobics**

Instructor
Phillip Plummer, Owner/Founder
Phil’s Karate School & Kickboxing Aerobics
No registration required!
**Adult Announcements**

**GIA's AACMS**
**Presents**

**SING TO THE RAFTERS**

With
Dr. James Abbington

**SATURDAY, MAY 5 • 9:30am – 12:45pm**

**BRENTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH**

$25 (includes workshop & music)

Register at www.giamusic.com/aacms or call 1.800.442.1358

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**MEN'S EMPOWERMENT**

“**A LOOK AT THINGS**”
Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Speaker

**Tuesday, March 13 • 7pm**
Sanctuary

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**BLOOD DRIVE**

**Sunday, March 18 • 9am - 2pm**
45 minutes = 1 pint = 3 lives saved! All Types Needed!

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**Men and Boys Breakfast**

Saturday, March 10 • 9am – 11am
Lifelong Learning Center

**TICKETS**
Adults-$20
Youth-$15
(12 & under)

Guest Psalmist
Chester D. T. Baldwin

Guest Speaker
Rev. Rudy Rasmus
St. John's Downtown Church

Visit the table in the foyer or contact Rev. Kevin Williams at 713.852.1416.

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**SOUTH AFRICA TOUR**
**Hosted by Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff**

**July 18–29, 2012**
$6,195 per person (from Houston)

A fee of $500 per person is due at registration.
A fee of $1,500 per person is due by March 1, 2012.
For a brochure and payment information contact Tena Davis at 713.852.1412.