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Brentwood Baptist Church

"The Church Where Christ is the Main Attraction"

FEBRUARY 2017



But He knows...
THE WAY THAT I TAKE; WHEN HE HAS TESTED ME,
I WILL COME FORTH AS *Gold.*
-JOB 23:10

ON THE MOVE

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will attend the Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference Monday, February 20 and Tuesday, February 21 in Richmond, VA. Dr. Iva E. Carruthers, General Secretary.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Greater Barbour's Chapel Baptist Church Thursday, February 23 at 7pm. The Church Choir will accompany him. Rev. Andrew Berry II will celebrate his 5th Pastoral Anniversary. The address is 7420 FM 1765, Texas City, TX 77591 (409.935.1100).

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church Sunday, February 26 at 8am and 11am for their 10th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The address is 2731 Enterprise Ave., Memphis, TN 38114 (901.323.6507). Rev. Hosie L. Hopkins, Jr., Pastor.



AT THE WOOD

FEBRUARY		MARCH	
4	Sunday School Equipping	5	Balm in Gilead
8	Pre-Pastoral Anniversary	12	Daylight Savings Time
12	37th Pastoral Anniversary	26	Beaus & Debs Cotillion
15	Rollins-Stewart Alumni Chorale		
22	Youth Black History		

BRENTWOOD LEADERSHIP STAFF

DR. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF, PASTOR

- Mr. Paul E. Jefferson, *Church Business Administrator*
- Ms. Lydia A. Alston, *Minister of Worship & Praise*
- Dr. Joseph G. Ford, *Minister of College, Young Adults & Senior Adults*
- Rev. Mary A. Frazier, *Minister of Youth*
- Mr. Augusta Green IV, *Lifelong Learning Center Manager*
- Rev. Albert A. Kemp, *Minister of Evangelism*
- Dr. 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 / Events Coordinator*
- Rev. Kevin W. Williams, *Minister of Facilities Management & Outreach*

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MEMBERS

UPDATES

If you have moved or have a name change, please visit our website and complete a Membership Update Form or contact Debra Jordan at 713.852.1486.

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. When designating monies to an organization, please write the full name of the organization.

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PREACHING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY • 7:45AM/10:45AM

5	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff - 7:45am & 10:45am <i>Music: Church Choir</i>
12	PASTOR'S ANNIVERSARY Dr. Ralph Douglas West - 7:45am & 10:45am <i>Church Without Walls (Houston, TX)</i> <i>Music: Mass Choir</i>
19	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff - 7:45am & 10:45am <i>Music: Voices of Praise</i>
26	Dr. Joseph G. Ford - 7:45am Dr. C. Clay Pickens - 10:45am <i>Music: Chorale</i>

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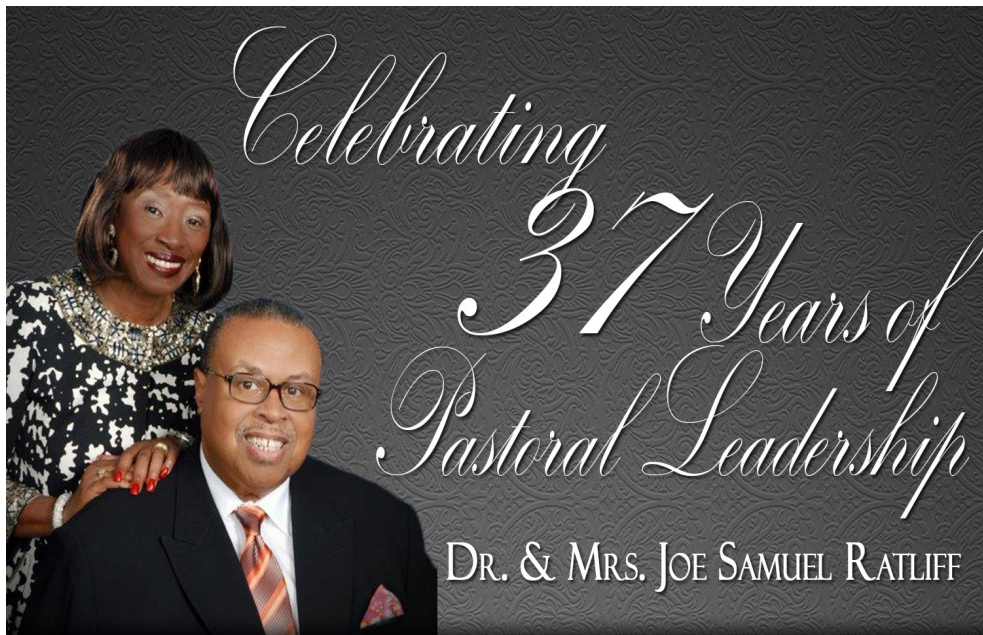
WEDNESDAY • 7PM

1	Habitat for Humanity Salute
8	PRE-PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY Rev. Terry E. Mackey <i>Riceville Mt. Olive Baptist Church (Houston, TX)</i>
15	Rollins-Stewart Alumni Chorale, <i>Texas Southern University</i>
22	Youth Black History Program

BLACKS IN THE BIBLE

THURSDAYS - 12NOON
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

Join Noon Bible Study for this insightful presentation each Thursday during the month of February. See you there!



*Celebrating
37 Years of
Pastoral Leadership*

DR. & MRS. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF

Wed., February 8 - 7pm

REV. TERRY E. MACKAY
RICEVILLE MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
HOUSTON, TX



Sun., February 12 - 7:45am & 10:45am

DR. RALPH DOUGLAS WEST
CHURCH WITHOUT WALLS
HOUSTON, TX



Tuesday, February 21

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
7pm	Beaus and Debs	LLC
	GLORY Ministry	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

Wednesday, February 22

6pm	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
	Girls In Action	LLC
	Sisters Who Care	LLC
	Challengers	LLC

Thursday, February 23

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:30pm	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
7pm	Children's Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Sunday School Adult Division	LLC
	Usher Board Leaders	LLC
	Chorale	Worship Center

Friday, February 24

5pm	Kids' Pals	LLC
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Saturday, February 25

9am	Boy Scouts	Fellowship Hall
	Jr. & Sr. Drill Team	LLC
10am	Gathering Place	LLC
9am	Boy Scouts	Fellowship Hall
10am	Acteens	LLC
10:30am	Adult Praise Dance Ministry	LLC
12pm	Girl Scouts	LLC

Monday, February 27

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
	Electrician Class	LLC
6:30pm	Sunday School Council	LLC
6:30pm	Deacon Board	LLC
	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
7pm	Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	Church Choir	Worship Center

Tuesday, February 28

11:30am	Baptist Women III	LLC
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Deacon Wives	LLC
	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
7pm	STEW	LLC
	SWAGG	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

Sunday, February 12

10:45am Youth Council Room 230
12:30m Youth Usher Board Sanctuary
Adult Usher Board Worship Center

Monday, February 13

6pm Tutoring LLC
Electrician Class LLC
6:30pm Deacon Ministry LLC
Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
7pm Youth Choir Sanctuary
Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, February 14

10am Baptist Women III LLC
6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Virtuous Dance Crew LLC
Youth Black History Rehearsal Sanctuary
7pm Cancer Support Ministry LLC
Women's Choir Choir Room
Wellness Ministry LLC

Wednesday, February 15

6pm Challengers LLC
6:30pm Scholarship Committee LLC

Thursday, February 16

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm Sr. Drill Team Fellowship Hall
6:30pm New Members Committee Room 230
Children's Music Ministry LLC
7pm Youth Praise Dancers LLC
Sunday School Adult Division LLC
Chorale Choir Room
Voices of Praise Worship Center

Saturday, February 18

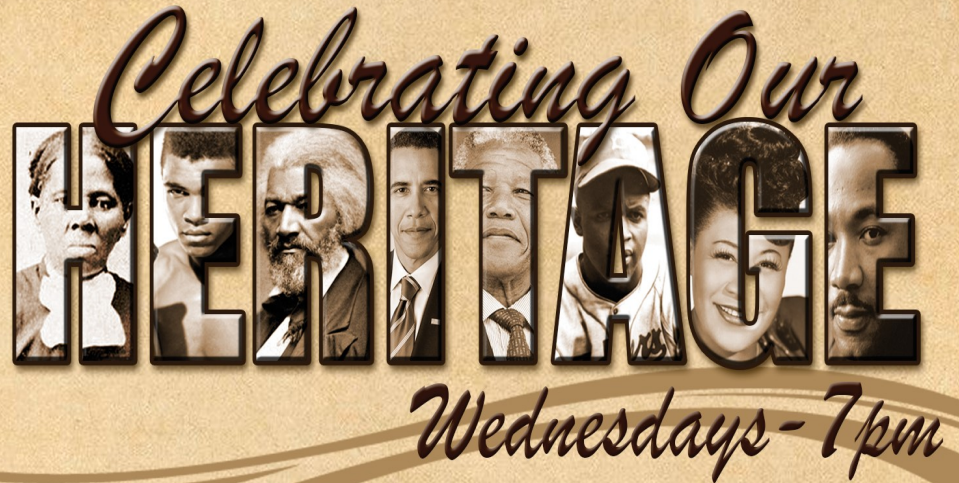
8:30am Deacon Breakfast LLC
9am Jr. & Sr. Drill Team LLC
9am Boys' Rites of Passage LLC
Veterans Assistance Ministry Fellowship Hall
10:30am Adult Praise Dance Ministry LLC

Sunday, February 19

9:30am Common Ground Room 118
New Member Orientation LLC
Youth Sunday School Tea LLC
10:45am High School Ministry Fellowship Hall
Middle School Ministry Sanctuary

Monday, February 20

6pm Tutoring LLC
Electrician Class LLC
6:30pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
7pm Youth Choir Sanctuary
Church Choir Worship Center



FEBRUARY 1

Habitat for Humanity Salute

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Homily

Celebrating the completion of five Habitat homes led by the Making Great Men Ministry and recognizing the recipients of those homes.



FEBRUARY 15

Rollins-Stewart Alumni Chorale

Texas Southern University

Richard F. Lee, Director



FEBRUARY 22

"Spoken Words"


Youth Black History Program



AUTHOR SHOWCASE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5
Worship Center Foyer
 (After each Worship Service)

African-American authors will be onsite to sell and sign their books.
Contact Rev. Barbara Thomas at 713.852.1441 for more information.




Acteens

GIRLS GRADES 7-12

2ND & 4TH SATURDAYS - 10AM
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

Young ladies are encouraged to join this revamped ministry! You will have opportunities to grow in your relationships with God and your peers. Acteens learn to look beyond themselves and become actively involved in missions and ministry. Contact Rev. Frazier at 713.852.1440 for more information.



Expressions Cafe'

"A PEOPLE'S JOURNEY"

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17
8PM - 10:30PM

This is an opportunity for Christians to come together and experience creative expressions.

POETS - SINGERS - DANCERS - MUSICIANS - COMEDIANS

Light refreshments will be available for purchase.
 Contact Janay Reeves at jas10rt@yahoo.com.
 Doors open at 7:30pm!

Saturday, February 4

7:30am	Sunday School Equipping Institute	LLC
9am	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
	Boys Rites of Passage	LLC
10:30am	Adult Praise Dance Ministry	LLC

Sunday, February 5

7:45am/10:45am	Authors' Showcase	Worship Center Foyer
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Monday, February 6

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Jewels' Council	Room 118
	Cheerleaders For Christ	LLC
7pm	Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	Church Choir	Worship Center

Tuesday, February 7

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
	Youth Black History Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7pm	Beaus and Debs	LLC
	GLORY Ministry	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Worship Center
	Intercessory Prayerline Ministry	Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, February 8

6pm	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
	Girls In Actions	LLC
7pm	Pre-Pastoral Anniversary Celebration	Worship Center

Thursday, February 9

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6pm	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
6:30pm	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
6:45pm	LOVE Ministry	LLC
7pm	Children's Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
7pm	Puppet Ministry	LLC
	Sunday School Adult Division	LLC
	Greeters Association	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary
	Chorale	Choir Room

Saturday, February 11

9am	Sunday School Teacher Development	Fellowship Hall
	Jr. & Sr. Drill Team	LLC
	Boy Scouts	LLC
10am	Acteens	LLC
	Adult Praise Dance Ministry	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	Sanctuary
12pm	Girl Scout	LLC

BRENTWOOD COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Scholarship Committee presents

Out of
AFRICA

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." - Malcolm X

35th Annual

Fashion Show & Luncheon
co-produced by *macys*

Sunday May 21, 2017 • Seating: 1:30 P.M.
Hilton-Americas Houston Hotel • 1600 Lamar Ave.

Reserved Tables: \$850 to \$10,000+
Individual Subscriptions: \$75

Additional Event Information:
www.BCFSCHOLARSHIP.org • 713.852.1452



Women of God are Women of Distinction

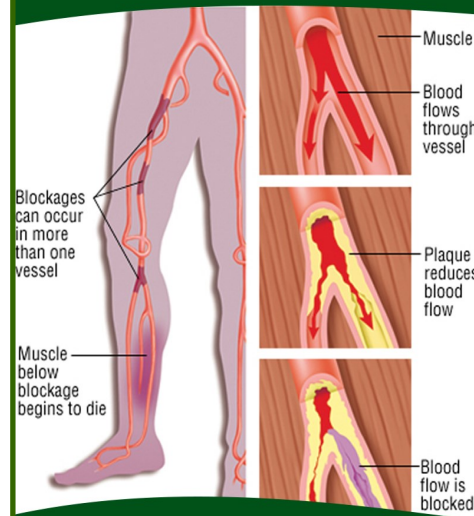
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19
9:30AM - 10:30AM
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

Youth (Grades 6-12) are invited to bring the significant women in their life for a time of tea, study, food and fellowship. You may dress up with your best hat! RSVP by Sunday, February 12 to mehrichards1@att.net or 713.249.3230.

Hosted by the Youth Sunday School Division



PERIPHERAL ARTERY DISEASE



We invite you to take this FREE test if you:

- Are 50+ years old
- Experience leg pains/cramps
- Have slow to heal foot or toe injuries
- Experience a colder leg or foot

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19
9:30AM - 2:30PM
Lifelong Learning Center

PAD is a problem that causes poor blood flow to the arms, legs or feet. It affects about 8.5 million Americans, becoming more common as we age. Please visit our website to register and view an informational video.

Wednesday, February 1

6pm	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
	Challengers	LLC
6:30pm	Scholarship Committee	LLC

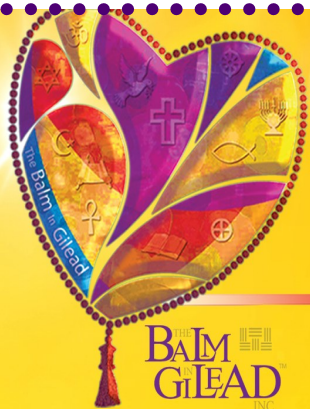
Thursday, February 2

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6pm	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
6:30pm	Sunday School Workers	LLC
	Equipping Institute	LLC
	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
7pm	Children's Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Chorale	Choir Room
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary
	Usher Board	Worship Center

CONTEMPORARY Worship

Interactive Discussions - Dynamic Praise - Fellowship
EVERYONE INVITED!

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28
Lifelong Learning Center • 7pm



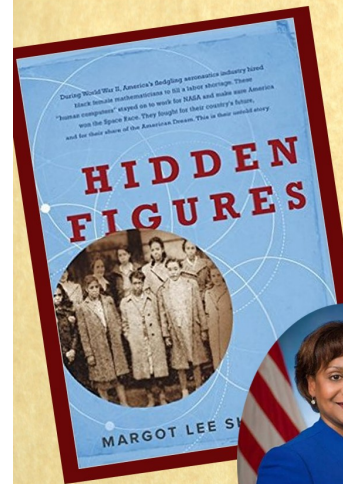
National Week of Prayer for the Healing of AIDS

MARCH 5 - 11



SUNDAY, MARCH 5
Sam Houston Park - Downtown

This community-wide event is sponsored by the AIDS Foundation Houston, Inc. which strives to make an impact in the fight against AIDS. To participate contact Willie Sylvester at 713.852.2552 or wsylvester@brentwoodfoundation.org.
YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!



Join the
Inspired Readers of the Wood
for a review of

"Hidden Figures"

By: Margot Lee Shetterly



SATURDAY, MARCH 4 - 10AM
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

With Special Guest...
Vanessa Wyche

Director of Exploration Integration & Science
NASA's Johnson Space Center

To register contact Debra Jordan at 713.852.1486.



DREAMGIRLS

SATURDAY, APRIL 8 - 2PM
The Hobby Center
Tickets: \$59.70/each

Join the Married Couples Enrichment Ministry for this musical full of powerhouse ballads and soulful tunes. You may register at the table in the foyer February 12 - 26 or contact Rev. Seals at 713.852.1430. TICKETS LIMITED!



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