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Brentwood Baptist Church

"The Church Where Christ is the Main Attraction"

FEBRUARY 2013

PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

CELEBRATING 33 YEARS OF SERVICE

Dr. & Mrs. Joe Samuel Ratliff



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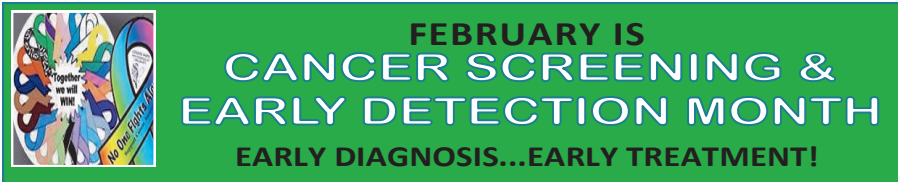
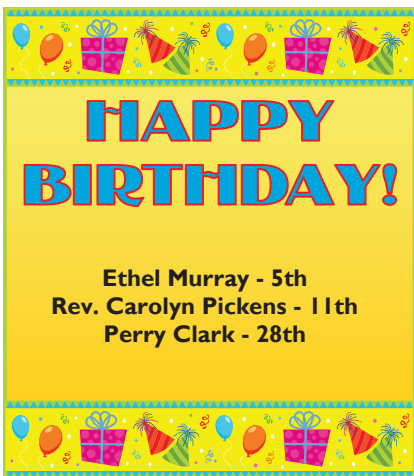
STAFF ON THE MOVE

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at The Oasis of New Life Church on Thursday, February 7 at 7pm. Rev. Jimmie E. Lee will be celebrating his 17th Pastoral Anniversary. The address is 8511 Mesa Drive, Houston, TX 77028 (713.635.9741).

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will attend the Martin Luther King, Jr. Foundation Executive Board Meeting on Tuesday, February 12 in Washington, DC.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Rev. C. Clay Pickens and Rev. Lillie M. Seals will attend the 10th Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference, Inc. February 18-21. The conference will be held at the Intercontinental Hotels & Resorts in Dallas, TX.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Greater Barbour's Chapel Baptist Church on Thursday, February 21 at 7pm for the 1st Pastoral Anniversary Service of Rev. Andrew W. Berry II. The Chorale will accompany him. The church address is 7420 FM 1765, Texas City, TX 77591.



UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE WOOD

FEBRUARY		MARCH	
2	Sunday School Equipping Institute	3	Balm in Gilead
6	Pre-Pastoral Anniversary Celebration/No Weekday Activities	8	Youth Explosion
10	Pastoral Anniversary Celebration	24	Beaus and Debs Cotillion
27	Youth Black History Program	27	Pre-Easter Praise
		30	Easter Egg Hunt
		29	Good Friday Noon Worship
		31	Easter Worship 6am/8am/10am

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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Monday, February 25

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Deacon Ministry	LLC
	Bronze Voices	Music Library
6:45pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
7pm	Church Choir	Worship Center

Tuesday, February 26

10am	Baptist Women III	LLC
6:30pm	STEW Ministry	LLC
	Deacon Wives	LLC
7pm	Aerobics for Christ	LLC
	Beaus and Debs	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary
	Young Adult Ministry	Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, February 27

6pm	Challengers	LLC
	Girls In Action	LLC
	Sisters Who Care	LLC
7pm	Youth Black History Program	Sanctuary

Thursday, February 28

12pm	Noonday Bible Study	Fellowship Hall
6pm	BUB Planning Committee	LLC
6:30pm	Tutoring	LLC
	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
	Sunday School Workers	LLC
	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	BUB Leadership Team	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary

UPDATE YOUR INFO!

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.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

7:45 AM & 10:45 AM

3	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Church Choir</i>
10	PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY Dr. Ralph Douglas West (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Pastor, The Church Without Walls (Houston TX)</i> <i>Music By: Mass Choir</i>
17	Dr. J. Alfred Smith Sr., Pastor Emeritus (7:45am) Rev. Bernestine Smith (10:45am) <i>Allen Temple Church (Oakland, CA)</i> <i>Music By: Voices of Praise</i>
24	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Chorale</i>

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM

6	PRE-PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY Rev. Reginald DeV Vaughn <i>Pastor, Silverlake Baptist Church</i> <i>Music By: Silverlake Choir</i>
13	Rev. Verna Powers, Associate Minister
20	Rev. Christie Campbell-Davis, Associate Minister
27	Youth Black History Program

Ministry Highlight

GIRLS IN ACTION

This organization is for girls in grades 1-6. Meetings are held each 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 6pm to 8pm in the Lifelong Learning Center.

The girls learn about missions, pray for missions and participate in mission projects.

For more information or to enroll contact Rev. Barbara Thomas at 713.852.1441 or bthomas@brentwoodbaptist.org.

MEMBERS & VISITORS

Communion	February 3 February 6	7:45 am/10:45 am 7 pm
Baptism	February 10	10:45 am
Baby Dedication	February 17	7:45 am/10:45 am
Sunday School	Sundays	9:30 am - Adults/Children/Youth 10:45 am - Children

Interpreters for the hearing impaired are available each Sunday during the 10:45 am worship service and for all other church sponsored events by request only. Please contact the Church Office at 713.852.1400.

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 and DVD's may be purchased at www.brentwoodbaptist.org/store/shop or in the Media Center. MP3 downloads are also available online. Please contact George Micheaux at 713.852.1426 for more information.

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.

Sunday, February 17

9:30am Common Ground Room 118

Monday, February 18

6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Bronze Voices Music Library
Alzheimer Ministry LLC
Youth Choir Sanctuary
6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, February 19

6:30pm Jewels Bible Study LLC
7pm Glory Ministry LLC
Singles Ministry LLC
Aerobics for Christ LLC
Women's Choir Choir Room
Male Chorus Sanctuary

Wednesday, February 20

6pm Challengers LLC

Thursday, February 21

12pm Noonday Bible Study LLC
6:30pm Tutoring LLC
Sunday School Workers LLC
Children's Music Ministry LLC
Chorale Worship Center
Sr. Drill Team Fellowship Hall
New Members Committee Room 230
7pm Children Praise Dancers LLC
Youth Praise Dancers LLC
Youth Parent Leaders LLC

Friday, February 22

5:30pm Kids' Pals LLC

Saturday, February 23

9am Boy Scouts Fellowship Hall
9:30am The Gathering Place LLC
10:15am Adult Praise Dance Ministry LLC

Sunday, February 10

12:15pm BUB Intensive Training Worship Center

Monday, February 11

6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Deacon Ministry LLC
Bronze Voices Music Library
Youth Choir Sanctuary
7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, February 12

10am Baptist Women III LLC
6:30pm Cancer Support Ministry LLC
6:45pm Wellness Ministry LLC
7pm Aerobics for Christ LLC
Young Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall
Women's Choir Choir Room

Wednesday, February 13

6pm Challengers LLC
Girls In Action LLC
Sisters Who Care LLC

Thursday, February 14

12pm Noonday Bible Study LLC
6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Sunday School Workers LLC
Children's Work Ministry LLC
Children's Music Ministry LLC
Chorale Choir Room
Sr. Drill Team Fellowship Hall
6:45pm LOVE Ministry LLC
7pm Youth Praise Dancers LLC
Children Praise Dancers LLC
Greeters Association LLC
Voices of Praise Choir Room

Friday, February 15

6pm Senior Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall

Saturday, 16

9am Boys Rites of Passage LLC
Sr. Drill Team LLC
Youth Sunday School Teachers LLC

INFANTS, CHILDREN & YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS


CHILDREN'S CHURCH

**Sunday, February 10 • 10:45am
Sanctuary**

**T.R.U.T.H. MINISTRY
BLACK HISTORY PRESENTATION**
**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 • 7PM
SANCTUARY**



**YOUTH
EXPLOSION**
**FRIDAY, MARCH 8 • 7PM
SANCTUARY**



**Musical Guest...
ALEXIS SPIGHT**
Runner-Up Sunday Best Season 5

Beaus and Debs Potillion
Sunday, March 24 • 5pm
Individual Tickets: \$40



PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Celebrating 33 years of Service

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PRE-ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, February 6 • 7pm
Worship Center

Rev. Reginald DeVaughn, Pastor
Silverlake Baptist Church
Pearland, TX

Musical Guest
Silverlake Choir & Minister of Music Earnest Pugh

Special Guest
"The Bishop of Comedy" Reggie Reg
St. Louis, MO

&

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Sunday, February 10
7:45am & 10:45am • Worship Center

Dr. Ralph Douglas West, Pastor
The Church Without Walls
Houston, TX

Saturday, February 2

8am	Sunday School Equipping Institute	LLC
9am	Boy Scouts	LLC
	Senior Drill Team	LLC
	Junior Drill Team	LLC
10:15am	Adult Praise Dance Ministry	LLC

Monday, February 4

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Sunday School Council	LLC
	Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	Bronze Voices	Music Library
6:45pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
7pm	Church Choir	Worship Center

Tuesday, February 5

7pm	Glory Ministry	LLC
	Singles Ministry	LLC
	Aerobics for Christ	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

Wednesday, February 6

6pm	Challengers	LLC
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Thursday, February 7

12pm	Noonday Bible Study	LLC
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
	Usher Board	Worship Center
6:30pm	Sunday School Workers	LLC
	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
	Chorale	Choir Room
	Senior Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary

Saturday, February 9

9am	Boy Scouts	LLC
	Boys Rites of Passage	LLC
	Sunday School Teachers' Development	LLC
	Children's Usher Board	Sanctuary
10:15am	Adult Praise Dance Ministry	LLC
12pm	Youth Ushers	Worship Center

SAVE THE DATE

Spouses of Leaders Retreat

June 27-30
MGM Grand Hotel-Las Vegas

For more information contact
Mrs. Doris Gardner Ratliff at
713.852.1474.



JOIN DR. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF ON A

Mediterranean Cruise

ITALY, GREECE, MONTENEGRO, & CROATIA



June 5-15, 2013

\$500 per person due at registration
\$1,500 per person due by January 31, 2013
Balance due March 10, 2013

For brochure and payment information, contact Tena Davis at 713.852.1412.

ADULT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Married Couples Enrichment Ministry

Pre-Valentine Celebration

Saturday, February 9 • 7pm-10pm
Spaghetti Warehouse Celebrity Mystery Dinner Theater
\$110 per couple (cost includes a three-course meal)

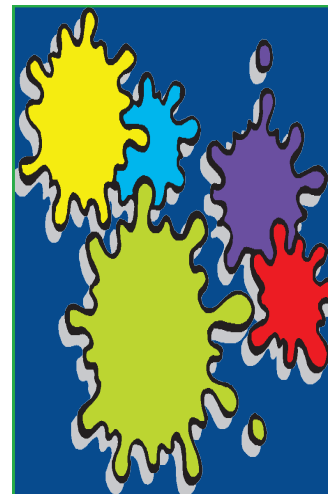
Contact Jimmie and Bonita Wright at 281.436.0011 or
Rev. Lillie Seals at 713.852.1430.

Jewels of Brentwood Presents...
Evening hosted by "The Rubies"

AVOIDING BURNOUT

Tuesday, February 19, 2013 • 6:30 pm

Presenter
Bridgett Giles-McKnight, L.P.C.
Crossing Bridges



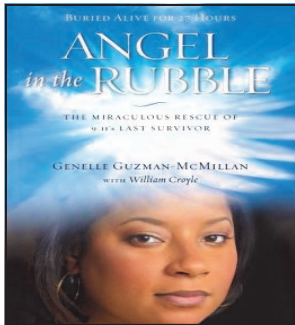
Join the Young Adult Ministry at PAINTBALL BONANZA

Saturday, February 23 • 1pm

Cost: \$25/person
6500 Gold Moss Dr.
Houston TX 77085

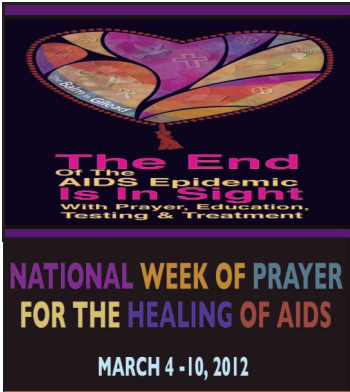
(Price includes mask, goggles, marker rentals,
unlimited CO2 refills, 100 paintballs)

Register online at
www.brentwoodbaptist.org or contact
Rev. Joseph Ford @ 713.852.1417.



Brentwood Book Club
 Saturday, March 9
 10am - 12noon
 Lifelong Learning Center

"ANGEL IN THE RUBBLE"
 Genelle Guzman-McMillan - 9/11's Last Survivor
 Join us for a great discussion!
 Newcomers Welcomed!



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.



It's That Time Again

24th Annual AIDS Walk Houston

Sunday, March 10
 Hermann Square Park Downtown

Please join the Brentwood Community Foundation in this non-competitive event to help increase awareness, raise funds and educate Houstonians about AIDS. Seventy percent of the funds raised will be awarded to the BCF and other benefiting agencies that help individuals and families affected by AIDS. To participate, volunteer or donate please contact Willie Sylvester at 713.852.2552 or wsylvester@brentwoodfoundation.org.



Do You Want to Get Married?

Saturday, March 30 ▪ 10am-2pm
 Lifelong Learning Center
 Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Facilitator

This workshop is designed for couples planning to get married and couples married for less than one year. Please visit our website and register by Monday, March 25. Lunch provided for those who pre-register .



BRENTWOOD CREDIT UNION

No better time than now to start saving for a rainy day.

The Credit Union Hours:

Sunday	9:30am - 1:00pm
Wednesday	5:30pm - 7:30pm

Stop by and see how we can help you get started!

Brentwood Community Foundation Scholarship Committee
 Presents the

31st Annual Fashion Show & Luncheon

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2013
 HILTON AMERICAS— BALLROOM OF AMERICAS

Reserved Tables and Individual Subscriptions are now available!

For more information contact Glenda Hopkins at 713.852.1451, see a Scholarship Committee member or visit www.brentwoodfoundation.org.