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Brentwood Baptist Church 15055 Landmark Street Houston, TX 77045

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Staff on the Move

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Greater True Light Missionary Baptist Church on Thursday, November 1 at 7pm for their 51st Church Anniversary. The Voices of Praise will be singing. The church is located at 6828 Annunciation St., Houston, TX 77016 (281.449.6137). Rev. Theophilus O. Berry is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will bring the message at Lyons Unity Missionary Baptist Church's 9th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, November 11 at 8am. The church is located at 3215 Lyons Ave., Houston, TX 77020 (713.227.3372). Dr. William A. Jordan is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at the Church Without Walls for their 25th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The church is located at 5725 Queenston Road, Houston, TX 77084 (281.649.6800). Dr. Ralph Douglas West is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will attend a Pastor's Symposium at Lake Bethlehem Baptist Church November 12-14. The church is located at 2842 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr. Shreveport, LA 71107 (318.221.1356). Dr. Dennis R. Everett is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the facilitator at Friendship West Baptist Church for their Leadership Conference on Friday, November 16 at 7pm. Dr. Ratliff will also deliver the message on Sunday, November 18 at the 8am & 10:45am worship services. The church is located at 2020 West Wheatland Road, Dallas, TX 75232 (972.228.5200). Dr. Frederick Douglas III is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at First Baptist Mahan Church for their Winter Revival on Tuesday, November 27 at 7pm. The church is located at 112 Mahan Street, Suffolk, VA 23434 (757.539.6623). Dr. Steven G. Blunt, is the Pastor.







Upcoming Events at the Wood

NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
2	Mrs. Ratliff's Birthday	1	Book Club
3	Organizational Leadership Training	8	Angel Tree
11	Veterans' Recognition Day	9	Children's Christmas Program
14	United in Worship	16	Christmas Concert
18	Criminal Justice Awareness Day	17-29	Office Closed/No Weekday Activities
19	Annual Business Meeting	31	Watch Night Services
20	Pre-Thanksgiving Worship		
22-24	Campus Closed		
25	Deacon Ordination / Blood Drive		

BRENTWOOD LEADER SHIP 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

BRENTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

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Monday, November 26 (continued)

6:30pm Youth Choir Sanctuary
6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC

7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, November 27

6:30pm Deacon Wives LLC
7pm Aerobics for Christ LLC
Beaus and Debs LLC
Virtuous Dance Cru LLC

Young Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall
Male Chorus Sanctuary
Women's Choir Choir Room

Wednesday, November 28

6pm Challengers LLC
7pm Children's Drill Team LLC
Sisters Who Care LLC
Girls In Action LLC
Youth Bible Study Room 118

Thursday, November 29

7pm

11amSTEW MinistryLLC12pmNoon Day Bible StudyLLC6pmTutoringLLC

6:30pm Youth Drill Team Fellowship Hall

Sunday School Workers LLC
Children's Music Ministry LLC
Spoken Word LLC

Chorale Choir Room Voices of Praise Sanctuary

Youth Praise Dancers LLC
Children's Praise Dancers LLC

Preaching Schedule

SUNDAY 7:45 AM & 10:45 AM

Rev. Solomon W. Kinloch, Jr. (7:45am & 10:45am)

Triumph Church (Detroit, MI)

Music By: Church Choir

Rev. Barbara A. Thomas (7:45am)

11 Rev. C. Clay Pickens (10:45)

Music By: Male Chorus

CRIMINAL JUSTICE EMPHASIS

Dr. Anthony W. Wilcots, Sr. (7:45am & 10:45am)
Bible Days Revival Church (Houston, TX)

Music By: Voices of Praise

25 Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am)

Music By: Chorale

WEDNESDAY 7:00 PM

7 Rev. Mary Lewis, Associate Minister

UNITED IN WORSHIP
Dr. Frederick D. Havnes

Friendship West Baptist Church (Dallas, TX)

21 NO MIDWEEK WORSHIP

28 Rev. Ray Hatton, Associate Minister

ANNUAL BUSINESS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19 • 6:30PM SANCTUARY

Thanksgiving Doliday

NOVEMBER 22 - 24

Office Closed & No Weekday Activities

Members & Visitors

Communion	November 4 November 7	7:45 am/10:45 am 7 pm
Baptism	November 11	10:45 am
Baby Dedication	November 18	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, 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.

Saturday, November 17

8:30am Relay for Life LLC
9am Youth Sunday School Workers LLC
10:15am Adult Praise Dancers LLC

Sunday, November 18

9:30am Common Ground Room 118

10:45am Relay for Life LLC

Monday, November 19

6:30pm

11am Food Pantry Distribution LLC
6pm Tutoring LLC

Electrician Class LLC

Sanctuary

6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC

Youth Choir

7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, November 20

7pm Pre-Thanksgiving Worship Worship Center

All Organizational Meetings Cancelled

Wednesday, November 21

No Mid-Week Worship

All Organizational Meetings Cancelled

Thursday, November 22

Happy Thanksgiving!

Campus Closed / All Organizational Meetings Cancelled

Friday, November 23

Campus Closed / All Organizational Meetings Cancelled

Saturday, November 24

Campus Closed / All Organizational Meetings Cancelled

Sunday, November 25

8am Blood Drive LLC
10:45am Relay for Life LLC

Monday, November 26

6pm Tutoring LLC

Electrician Class LLC

6:30pm Deacon Ministry LLC

Monday, November 12 (continued)

6:30pm Deacon Ministry LLC
Alzheimer Ministry LLC

7pm Youth Choir Sanctuary

6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC

7pm Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, November 13

10am Baptist Women III LLC
7pm Cancer Support Ministry LLC
Wellness Ministry LLC
Virtuous Dance Cru LLC
GLORY Ministry LLC

Aerobics for Christ

Young Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall
Men's Bible Study Sanctuary
Women's Choir Choir Room

LLC

Wednesday, November 14

5pmRelay for LifeLLC6pmChildren's Drill TeamLLCGirls in ActionLLCChallengersLLCSisters Who CareLLC

7pm Youth Bible Study Room 118

Thursday, November 15

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Ushers TQM Planning Committee LLC
Youth Drill Team LLC
Spoken Word LLC

New Members Committee Fellowship Hall

Sunday School Workers LLC
Children's Music Ministry LLC

7pm Voices of Praise Sanctuary

Usher Board Officers

Youth Praise Dancers

Children's Praise Dancers

LLC

Youth Parent Leaders

LLC

Friday, November 16

6:30pm Kids' Pals LLC

SAM Ministry LLC

Infants, Children & Youth Announcements



The Poris Gardner Ratliff Center for Child Pevelopment offers childcare for infants to age 4 during worship services and Monday - Friday from 6 am to 6 pm. After school care also available! Contact Cheryl Kimbrel at 713.852.1470.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Pre K - 5th Grade



Sunday, November 11 Sanctuary • 10:45am

J.A.M. YOUTH WORSHIP

For Grades 6 - 12

Sunday, November 18 • 10:45am
Sanctuary

Sunday, November 25 • 10:45am Sanctuary

YOUTH GALA

Mardi Gras Theme
Grades 6-12

Friday, December 7 • 8pm - Midnight Cost: \$25

Tickets available through November 25!

Attendees are asked to bring a new or gently used blanket to be donated to the Star of Hope.

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Adult Mnnouncements

Jewels Bible Study Women of all ages are invited to join us for our next bible study on Monday, November 5 at 6:30pm in the Lifelong Learning Center. November's topic is "The Ethiopian Eunuch." Rev. Lisa Turner will be teaching.

Marriage Ministry Attention all married couples! We need your suggestions, ideas and thoughts on how to minister to you. Please come to our next planning meeting on Friday, November 9 at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall. If you are unable to attend, submit your suggestions to Rev. Lillie Seals via email at Iseals@brentwoodbaptist.org or phone at 713.852.1430. If emailing, include "Marriage Ministry" in the subject line.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3 - 9AM Sanctuary

This workshop is for the 2013 Organizational Officers. Contact Rev. Lillie Seals at 713.852.1430 or Gloria Ruffin at 713.852.1409 for more details or to RSVP.



Hosted by the Wellness Ministry

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8 • 7PM Lifelong Learning Center

NUTRITIONAL **GUIDANCE:**

Glenda Wall, Nutritionist Helen Woodard Catering

HEALTHY FOOD PREPARATION:

FITNESS FUN: Betty Winfield, Dance Instructor

Come early for FREE Blood Pressure & Blood Sugar Screening & Door Prizes!

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Veteran's Recognition

Sunday, November 11

Forms are now available at the Receptionist Desk. Completed forms must be received by Sunday, November 4 at 1pm.

Thursday, November 8

12pm

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Sunday School Workers	LLC
	Children's Music Ministry	LLC
	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
	Spoken Word	LLC
	Associate Ministers	LLC
	Chorale	Choir Room
	Youth Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
6:45pm	LOVE Ministry	LLC
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC

Noon Day Bible Study

Greeters Association

Voices of Praise Sanctuary

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Friday, November 9

7pm Marriage Ministry Fellowship Hall

Wellness Ministry Dinner & Dance

Saturday, November 10

8am	BBDA Holiday Expose'	LLC
8:30am	Relay for Life	LLC
9am	Boy Scouts	LLC
	Boys Rites of Passage	LLC
	Children's Usher Board	LLC

Sunday School Teacher Development Fellowship Hall

Gathering Place 10am LLC Girls of Grace LLC 10:15am Adult Praise Dancers LLC

12pm Youth Usher Board Worship Center

Sunday, November 11

8am	BBDA Holiday Expose'	LLC
10:45am	Middle School Council	LLC
	Youth Council	LLC
	Relay for Life	LLC

11am Youth Usher Board Fellowship Fellowship Hall 12:30pm Usher Board Training Worship Center

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Monday, November 12

11am	Food Pantry Distribution	LLC
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
	Electrician Class	LLC

Thursday, November 1

12pm Noonday Bible Study IIC.

> Ushers /Greeters Planning Team Room 236

> > LLC

LLC

6pm Adult Usher Board Fellowship Hall

Tutoring

6:30pm Youth Drill Team

Sunday School Workers LLC Children's Music Ministry LLC

Spoken Word LLC

LLC 7pm Children's Praise Dancers HC Youth Praise Dancers

> Voices of Praise Sanctuary

Saturday, November 3

Adult Praise Dancers LLC 10:15am

Sunday, November 4

12:30pm **Decision Time Counselors Room 118**

Monday, November 5

5:30pm Food Pantry Preparation Team LLC

Tutoring LLC 6pm Electrician Class LLC

6:30pm Youth Choir Sanctuary

Jewels' Bible Study LLC

6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC 7pm Church Choir Fellowship LLC

Tuesday, November 6

6:30pm Girl Scouts IIC. 7pm

Sinales' Ministry LLC Glory Ministry LLC Aerobics for Christ LLC Virtuous Dance Cru LLC

Women's Choir Choir Room Prayerline Ministry Fellowship Hall Male Chorus Sanctuary

Wednesday, November 7

Relay for Life LLC 5pm Challengers LLC 6pm Children's Drill Team LLC 7pm

> Youth Bible Study **Room 118**

Adult Mnnouncements

United in Worship

Hosted by The lewels of Brentwood and Making Great Men

> Wednesday, November 14 - 7pm **Worship Center**

Preaching... Dr. Frederick D. Haynes, Pastor Friendship West Baptist Church, Dallas TX Music by: Brentwood Mass Choir



Please bring a non-perishable food item for our Food Pantry.

Brentwood Community Foundation Scholarship Committee Recruitment

> November 18 • 9:30am Lifelong Learning Center



The Committee is looking to add new members! Come join us and help make a difference in the lives of those pursuing their educational goals! Committee members are available at the table in the fover.



Adult Announcements





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Holidan Calendar Tuesday 11/20 Pre-Thanksgiving Worship - 7pm Wednesday 11/21 No Midweek Worship Thursday - Saturday 11/22 - 24 Office Closed/No Activities Sunday Worship - 7:45am & 10:45am 11/25 JAM - 10:45am Sunday 12/2 Worship - 7:45am & 10:45am Wednesday 12/5 Sharing & Caring Service - 7pm Saturday 12/8 Angel Tree - 9am Last Day of Weekday Activities 12/9 Worship - 7:45am & 10:45am Sunday Children's Christmas Play - 10:45am Wednesday 12/12 No Midweek Worship Sunday 12/16 Worship - 7:45am Christmas Concert - 11am Monday - Saturday 12/17 - 22 Office Closed/No Activities Wednesday 12/19 No Midweek Worship Worship - 7:45am & 10:45am Sunday 12/23 JAM - 10:45am Monday - Saturday 12/24 - 29 Office Closed/No Activities Wednesday 12/26 No Midweek Worship Sunday 12/30 Worship - 7:45am & 10:45am Monday 12/31 Watchnight Worship Adults (Worship Center - 10pm) Youth (Sanctuary - 10pm) Children (LLC - 9pm)

REPORTING DEATH OR ILLNESS DURING HOLIDAYS

Please call 713.852.1410 and leave a detailed message.

Messages will be checked frequently.

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