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Brentwood Baptist Church

"The Church Where Christ is the Main Attraction"

OCTOBER 2011



*He does great things too marvelous to understand.
He performs countless miracles. - Job 9:10*

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Staff on the Move

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher and facilitator at Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church Friday, October 7 at 7pm. They are hosting a Church-wide Leadership & Growth Conference. The church is located at 902 West 8th Street, Houston TX 77007 (713.869.8161). Dr. S.J. Gilbert is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message for The Church Without Walls 24th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, October 9. Services times are 8am, 10am, 12pm at 5725 Queenston, 77084 and 9am and 11am at 7500 Eldridge, 77083 (281.649.6800). Dr. Ralph Douglas West is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message at the Macedonia Baptist Church Back to School Revival on Thursday, October 13 at 7pm. The church address is 33728 Clay, Millican, TX 77866 (936.825.8009). Rev. Otis Clark is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will attend the dedication of the Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial in Washington, DC on Sunday, October 16. Mr. Harry E. Johnson Sr. is the President of the Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Foundation.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Bible Days Revival Church on Sunday, October 23 at 3pm for their 3rd Pastoral Anniversary Service. The church address is 501 Quitman, Houston TX 77009 (713.228.4331). Dr. Anthony W. Wilcots is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the Revivalist at New Hope Baptist Church Wednesday, October 26 through Friday, October 28 at 7pm. The church is located at 45 Hampton Street, Metuchen NJ 08840 (732.841.0653). Dr. Roland L. Owens is the Pastor.

Rev. Joseph G. Ford will be preaching at Union Baptist Church on Sunday, October 23 at 10am. The church address is 76 Washington St., South River, NJ 08882. Rev. Jeffery J. Broughton Sr. is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest minister at St. James AME Church Sunday, October 30 at 3pm for their 3rd Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The church address is 2900 Ave. H, Dickerson TX 77539 (281.337.3212). Rev. Louise Fordham is the Pastor.

Rev. Joseph G. Ford will be preaching at St. Phillips Baptist Church on Sunday, October 30 at 10:45am. The church is located at 445 Parkinson Ave., Hamilton, NJ 08610. Dr. Joseph E. Woods is the Pastor.



Upcoming Events at the Wood

OCTOBER		NOVEMBER	
1	Prayer Breakfast	2	Mrs. Ratliff's Birthday
9	National Breast Cancer Awareness	5	Leadership Training
16	New Member Marathon Class	13	Veterans' Recognition Day
24	Quarterly Business Meeting	16	United in Worship
30	New Member Graduation	21	Annual Business Meeting
31	Children's Holy Ghost Fellowship	22	Pre-Thanksgiving Worship

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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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

6pm Kids Pals LLC
 7pm Middle School Ministry Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

11am BEAM Ministry LLC
 12pm Adult Praise Dancers Worship Center

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

9am Business Development Spotlight Fellowship Hall
 9:30am Mass Sunday School LLC

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

6pm Sunday School Council LLC
 6:30pm Youth Choir Choir Room
 7pm Children's Holy Ghost Party LLC
 Church Choir Worship Center


SUNDAY SCHOOL
Each Sunday in the Lifelong Learning Center

Adults ▪ Youth ▪ Children
 9:30

Additional Classes
 10:45 am

Youth
(with the exception of 4th Sunday - JAM)

Children
(with the exception of 2nd Sunday - Children's Church)



Preaching Schedule

SUNDAY
 7:45 AM & 10:45 AM

2	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Church Choir</i>
9	Dr. J. Weldon Gilbert (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Pastor, Enterprise Baptist Church, Bay City, TX</i> <i>Music By: Male Chorus</i>
16	Rev. W. Jeffrey Campbell (7:45am) Rev. Albert A. Kemp (10:45am) <i>Music By: Voices of Praise</i>
23	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Women's Choir</i>
30	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Chorale (7:45am) & Mass Choir (10:45am)</i>

WEDNESDAY
 7:00 PM

5	Rev. Erick Powers, <i>Associate Minister</i>
12	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
19	Rev. Cherryln Hawkins, <i>Associate Minister</i>
28	Rev. Wendell Williams, <i>Associate Minister</i>



QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING

Monday, October 24 • 6:30pm
 Sanctuary

What's New@Bwood?

Sign up to receive Brentwood News E-Blast.
 Visit us at www.brentwoodbaptist.org.



Members & Visitors

Communion	October 2	7:45 am / 10:45 am
Baptism	October 9	10:45 am
Baby Dedication	October 16	7:45 am / 10:45 am
Sunday School	Sundays	9:30 am - Adults/Children/Youth 10:45 am - Children/Youth

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 obtain and complete a Membership Update Form at the Receptionist Desk or contact Debra Jordan at 713.852.1486.

SICK & DEATH REPORTS

To report or give an update on a death or illness, please complete a Sick or Death Report form located at the Receptionist Desk or call 713.852.1410 and leave a detailed message.

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.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

6pm Senior Adult Ministry (SAM) LLC

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

9am Boy Scouts LLC
 9:30am Gathering Place LLC
 10am Girls of Grace LLC
 11am BEAM Ministry LLC
 12pm Adult Praise Dancers Worship Center

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

6pm Deacons Ministry LLC
 6:30pm Quarterly Business Meeting Sanctuary
 Youth Choir Choir Room
 6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
 7pm Mass Choir Worship Center

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25

6:30pm Deacon Wives LLC
 STEW LLC
 7pm Mass Choir Worship Center
 Beaus and Debs LLC

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

6pm Challengers LLC
 Girls In Action LLC
 Sisters Who Care LLC
 6:30pm Corporate Prayer Sanctuary
 7pm Youth Bible Study Conference Room
 Midweek Worship Sanctuary

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
 BUB Planning Team LLC
 Dance Troupe LLC
 6:30pm Sunday School Workers LLC
 Sunday School Teacher Training LLC
 Children's Work Ministry LLC
 Tiny Tots Choir LLC
 Chorale Worship Center
 7pm Mass Choir Sanctuary

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

9am	Sunday School Teacher Training	LLC
	Youth Sunday School Leaders	LLC
12pm	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

9:30am	Common Ground	Room 118
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

6:30pm	Alzheimer Ministry	LLC
	Youth Choir	Choir Room
6:45pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
7pm	Church Choir	Worship Center

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

6:30pm	Girls Scouts	LLC
	Business Development Association	LLC
7pm	Singles' Ministry	LLC
	Women's Choir	Worship Center
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

6pm	Challengers	LLC
6:30pm	Corporate Prayer	Sanctuary
7pm	Midweek Worship	Sanctuary
	Youth Bible Study	Conference Room

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6pm	Dance Troupe	LLC
6:30pm	Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
	Sunday School Workers	LLC
	New Members Committee	LLC
	Tiny Tots Choir	LLC
7pm	Children's Choir	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Parent Leaders	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary

Infants, Children & Youth Announcements

CHILD CARE

The Doris Gardner Ratliff Center for Child Development offers childcare for ages 0 to 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.



HOLY GHOST PARTY

For Pre K - 5th Grade

Monday, October 31 • 7pm - 8:30pm
Lifelong Learning Center

This event provides a fun-filled alternative to "Trick-or-Treat". Please dress your child in his or her favorite Bible Character or Super-Hero. Activities include games, music, dancing, costume parade and prizes. You may volunteer, donate individually wrapped candies or sponsor a booth. Monetary donations are welcomed. Contact Jackie Turner at 281.778.5205 or visit our table October 16 or 23.

Free Tutoring Youth in grades 6-12 are encouraged to take advantage of our Math and Science Tutorial Classes on Mondays and Thursdays from 6pm-8:30pm in the Lifelong Learning Center. Come and get the help you need to be successful.

Brigade for Christ The Brentwood Drill Team is gearing up for another exciting year! If you are in grade 6-12, join us on Thursday nights at 7pm in the Fellowship for our meeting and rehearsal. Contact George Grant at 713.729.4752 for more details.

Christmas Gala Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to our T.R.U.T.H. Ministry Black Tie Gala on Friday, December 2 from 8pm - 12 midnight in the Lifelong Learning Center. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased Sunday, October 23 - Sunday, November 27. Please contact Rev. Mary Frazier at 713.852.1440 for additional information.

JAM YOUTH WORSHIP

Sunday, October 23 • 10:45am
Sanctuary

YOUTH HOT TOPICS
Co-Hosted by Making Great Men Ministry

Adult Announcements



October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month!

We invite you to pray for all persons affected.

October is FRANgelism Month!



Invite your **F**riends, **R**elatives, **A**ssociates and
Neighbors who are without a church home.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERLINE MINISTRY RECRUITMENT AND ORIENTATION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

Registration will be held Sunday, October 2.
If you have any questions, please contact
Rev. Fannie Jones at 713.433.5357.



Baptist Women III will host a **BABY SHOWER**

Sunday, October 9 & 16

We are in need of garments, blankets, caps, socks
and toiletries for newborns at LBJ, St. Joseph, The 5th
Ward Pregnancy Center and The Women Source of Hous-
ton. Gifts may be brought to our table in the foyer!



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 (CONTINUED)

12pm	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Usher Board	Worship Center

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9

12:30pm	BUB Intensive Training	Worship Center
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 10

6pm	Deacon Ministry	LLC
6:30pm	Youth Choir	Choir Room
7pm	Church Choir	Worship Center

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11

10am	Baptist Women III	LLC
6:30pm	Wellness Ministry	LLC
7pm	Cancer Survivor Ministry	LLC
	Women's Choir	Choir Room
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12

6pm	Sisters Who Care	LLC
	Challengers	LLC
	Girls In Action	LLC
6:30pm	Corporate Prayer	Sanctuary
7pm	Midweek Worship	Sanctuary
	Youth Bible Study	Conference Room

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	Fellowship Hall
6pm	Dance Troupe	LLC
6:30pm	Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
	Tiny Tots Choir	LLC
	Sunday School Teacher Training	LLC
	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
6:45pm	LOVE Ministry	LLC
7pm	Children's Choir	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Greeters Association	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14

6:30pm	Marriage Ministry	Fellowship Hall
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

9am Sunday School Teachers LLC
 12pm Adult Praise Dancers LLC

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3

6pm Sunday School Council LLC
 6:30pm Youth Choir Choir Room
 6:45pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
 7pm Church Choir Worship Center

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4

6:30pm Girl Scouts LLC
 Jewels Bible Study LLC
 7pm Prayerline Ministry Fellowship Hall
 Women's Choir Choir Room
 Male Chorus Worship Center
 Singles Ministry LLC

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

6pm Challengers LLC
 6:30pm Corporate Prayer Sanctuary
 7pm Youth Bible Study Conference Room
 Midweek Worship Sanctuary

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
 6pm Dance Troupe LLC
 6:30pm Sunday School Workers LLC
 Tiny Tots Choir LLC
 Drill Team Fellowship Hall
 Associate Ministers LLC
 Usher Board Worship Center
 7pm Children's Choir LLC
 Children Praise Dancers LLC
 Youth Praise Dancers LLC
 Voices of Praise Sanctuary

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

9am Boy Scouts LLC
 Children's Usher Board Sanctuary
 Sunday School Teachers Fellowship Hall
 10am Girls of Grace LLC

Adult Announcements



**Wellness/Fitness Ministry and
The Jewels of Brentwood**

*Present
Healthy Lifestyle Choices*



This series will equip you with tools to optimize your health, manage your diabetes and heart disease. The final session covers nutrition and the importance of staying active. All sessions are Free but space is limited. Please call 713.852.1486 to register.

October 13 Stress and Its Impact on Your Health
 Xyna Bell, Ph.D. 7pm - 8pm

November 3 7pm - 8pm
 Helen Woodard Catering - **Healthy Food Preparation**
 Glenda Wall, Nutritionist - **Nutritional Guidance**
 Elbert & Betty Winfield, Dance Instructors - **Fun & Fit Line Dancing**

ATTENTION NEW MEMBERS!

MARATHON CLASS
 Sunday, October 16
 Lifelong Learning Center

NEW MEMBER GRADUATION
 Sunday, October 30 • 10:45am

8:00 am – 9:00 am (Session 1)
 9:10 am – 10:10 am (Session 2)
 10:20 am – 11:20 am (Session 3)
 11:30 am – 12:30 pm (Session 4)



BAKE SALE!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

Purchase some of our home-baked desserts!
 Proceeds will be used to purchase uniforms and sponsor events for the Cheerleaders for Christ & Children Praise Dance Ministries.



Adult Announcements



CREDIT UNION PRE-PAID VISA DEBIT CARDS!

Coming November 1!

The debit cards will be for all adult members of BBFCU and can be used for in-store, online purchases and to get cash from any ATM machine. Information available at the Credit Union!

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Saturday, November 5
9am- 12noon
Lifelong Learning Center



This workshop is for the 2012 Organizational Officers.
Contact Rev. Lillie Seals at 713.852.1430 or Gloria Ruffin at 713.852.1409 for more details or to RSVP.



Veteran's Recognition

Sunday, November 13

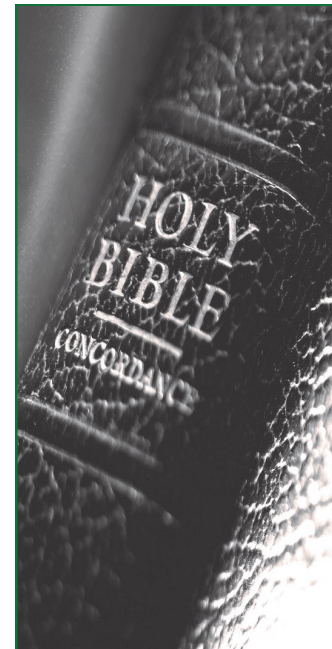
Forms are now available at the Receptionist Desk.
Completed forms must be received by
Sunday, October 30 at 1:30pm.

SINGLES DINNER CRUISE



Saturday, November 19
Kemah, TX
\$69 per person

The deadline for payment is
Sunday, November 6. You may register
online at www.brentwoodbaptist.org or by
contacting Rev. Joseph Ford at 713.852.1417.



Bible Study Opportunities

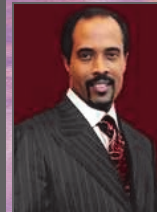
SINGLES MINISTRY
Tuesday, October 4 & 18 ▪ 6:30pm
Lifelong Learning Center
Topic: Song of Solomon - Chapter 9 & 10

JEWELS BIBLE STUDY
Tuesday, October 4 ▪ 6:30pm
Lifelong Learning Center
Topic: Breaking News on the Flawed Families in the Bible

MARRIAGE MINISTRY
Friday, October 14 ▪ 7pm
Fellowship Hall
Topic: Love Always: Leaving A Lasting Legacy

UNITED IN WORSHIP

Wednesday, November 16 ▪ 7pm
Worship Center



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

Pre-Thanksgiving Worship

Tuesday, November 22 • 7pm

Dr. Marcus Cosby, Pastor
Wheeler Avenue Baptist Church, Houston TX
Music By: Wheeler Avenue Choir

