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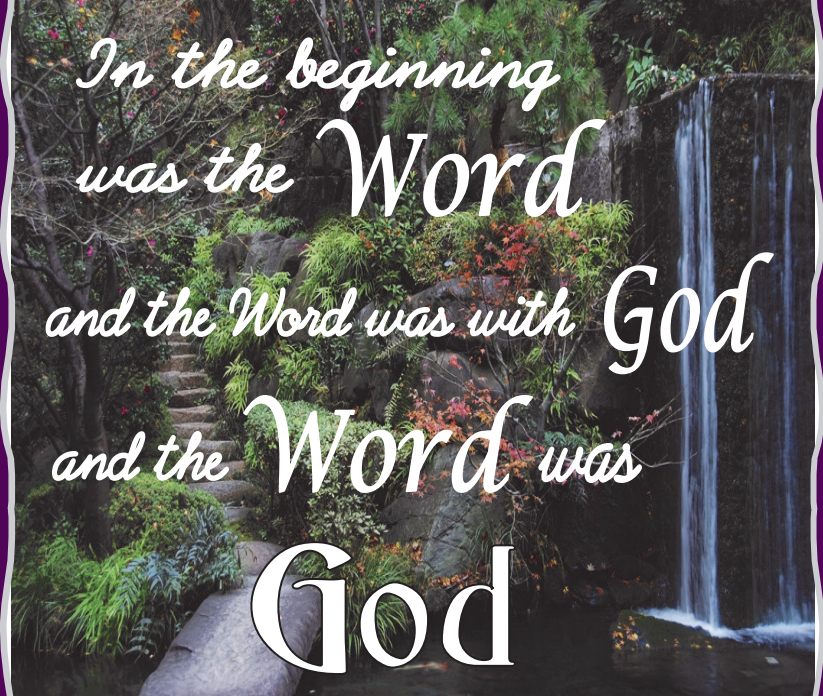
BRENTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
13033 LANDMARK STREET
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Brentwood Baptist Church

"The Church Where Christ is the Main Attraction"

SEPTEMBER 2011



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Staff on the Move

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message at First Baptist Church of Highland Park Sunday, September 4 at 7:30am and 11:15am for their 11th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The church is located at 6801 Sherriff Road, Landover, MD 20785 (301.773.6655). Dr. Henry P. Davis III is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Saints Rest Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday, September 11 at 11am for their 5th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The church is located at 1550 East Florence Ave., Fresno, CA 93706 (559.237.5551). Rev. Shane B. Scott is the Pastor.

Rev. Joseph G. Ford will be the guest preacher at Zion Hill Baptist Church on Sunday, September 11 at 11am for their Men's Day Celebration. The church address is 152 Osborne Terrace, Newark, NJ 07112 (973.824.9596). Rev. Douglass L. Williams III is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the Revivalist at Greater Elizabeth Baptist Church Wednesday, September 14 - Friday, September 16 at 7pm nightly. The church address is 4555 Campbelltown Road SW, Atlanta, GA 30331 (404.346.1004). Dr. Kenneth A. Walker is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the Revivalist at King Solomon United Baptist Church Wednesday, September 21 - Friday, September 23 at 7pm nightly. The church address is 2221 Forest St., Jacksonville, FL 32204 (904.354.8052). Rev. Mariko T. Billups is the Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message at Mount Ararat Baptist Church on Sunday, September 25 at 7:45am and 10:45am for their 7th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration. The church address is 425 Howard Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11233 (718.342.2093). Rev. Steven E. Carter is the Pastor.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Samuel Ratliff along with Dr. & Mrs. Ralph Douglas West will host the Pamper, Pray and Play Conference for ministers and their wives, Monday, September 26- Wednesday, September 28 in Ft. Lauderdale, FL. To register call 713.852.1474.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will serve as lecturer and guest preacher for the Western Episcopal District's 19th Annual Leadership Training Institute on Thursday, September 29. This event is hosted by the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in San Jose, CA. Dr. Dennis V. Proctor is the Host Pastor.

Happy Birthday Staff Members!

Ruby Shankle - 18th

Paul Jefferson - 24th



Upcoming Events at the Wood

SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
5	Labor Day Office Closed / No Activities	1	Prayer Breakfast
10	So You Want To Get Married	9	National Breast Cancer Awareness
11	Blood Drive	16	New Member Marathon Class
18	46th Church Anniversary & Picnic Scholarship Recognition	24	Quarterly Business Meeting
		30	New Member Graduation
		31	Children's Holy Ghost Fellowship

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, SEPTEMBER 23

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

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

9am Boy Scouts LLC
 Aerobics LLC
 Church Wide Bible Study LLC
 9:30am Gathering Place LLC
 10am Girls of Grace LLC
 11am BEAM Ministry LLC
 12pm Adult Praise Dancers LLC

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

10:45am JAM Sanctuary

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

6:30pm Deacon Wives LLC
 STEW LLC
 7pm Women's Choir Choir Room
 Male Chorus Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
 6:30pm Sunday School Workers LLC
 Tiny Tots Choir LLC
 7pm Children's Choir LLC
 Children Praise Dancers LLC
 Youth Praise Dancers LLC
 Voices of Praise Sanctuary

Preaching Schedule

SUNDAY

7:45 AM & 10:45 AM

4	Rev. Kevin W. Williams (7:45am) Rev. Barbara A. Thomas (10:45am) <i>Music By: Church Choir</i>
11	Rev. Mary A. Frazier (7:45am) Rev. C. Clay Pickens (10:45am) <i>Music By: Male Chorus</i>
18	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff (7:45am & 10:45am) <i>Music By: Mass Choir</i>
25	Rev. Lillie M. Seals (7:45am) Rev. Joseph G. Ford (10:45am) <i>Music By: Women's Choir</i>

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM

7	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
14	Rev. Darrell E. Luckett, <i>Associate Minister</i>
21	Rev. Bonita J. Barnes, <i>Associate Minister</i>
28	Rev. Jimmie C. Wright, Jr., <i>Associate Minister</i>

LABOR DAY

Monday, September 5
Office Closed & All Activities Cancelled!

Congratulations!

Velekia Jordan on 10 years of service!

Members & Visitors

Communion	September 4	7:45 am / 10:45 am
Baptism	September 11	10:45 am
Baby Dedication	September 18	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, SEPTEMBER 16

6:30pm Senior Adult Ministry Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

9am Youth Sunday School Leaders LLC
Aerobics LLC
11am BEAM Ministry LLC
12pm Adult Praise Dancers LLC

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

9:30am Men's Bible Study Sanctuary
Common Ground Room 118

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm BUB TQM Planning Committee LLC
6:30pm Sunday School Workers LLC
Tiny Tots Choir LLC
Children's Work Ministry LLC
7pm Children's Choir LLC
Children Praise Dancers LLC
Youth Praise Dancers LLC
BUB Officers LLC
Voices of Praise Sanctuary

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

9am	Aerobics	LLC
	Boy Scouts	LLC
	Children's Usher Board	Sanctuary
	Sunday School Teachers	Fellowship Hall
10am	So You Want To Get Married	LLC
	Girls of Grace	LLC
12pm	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Usher Board	Worship Center

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

12:30pm	BUB Intensive Training	Worship Center
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:30pm	Sunday School Division Leaders	LLC
	Tiny Tots Choir	LLC
	Praise Dance Ministry Orientation	LLC
	New Members Committee	LLC
7pm	Children's Choir	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, Sundays 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

PreK-5th Grade



Sunday, September 11
10:45am
Sanctuary

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Mark your calendar for the

2012 BEAUS & DEBS ORIENTATION

Tuesday, September 13 • 7 pm
Lifelong Learning Center

All Seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend!
You must be a member of Brentwood Baptist Church to participate!
For more information, contact Rev. Mary Frazier at 713.852.1440.

First class meeting is Tuesday, September 27 at 7pm .

Adult Announcements

Marriage Ministry Date Night & Bible Study

"SIZZLES: EXPERIENCING REAL INTIMACY"

Friday, September 9 • 7pm • Fellowship Hall

A potluck dinner will be served. If you wish to attend and need childcare, please contact the Center for Child Development at 713.852.1470 by 12 noon.

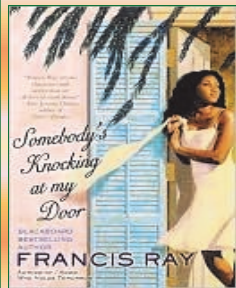


So You Want To Get Married

Saturday, September 10 • 10am - 2pm
Lifelong Learning Center

Presenter: Rev. Lillie Seals, M.A., LPC

Complimentary lunch provided for couples who register online at www.brentwoodbaptist.org by Tuesday, September 6. Childcare not provided.



Brentwood Book Club

Saturday, September 10 • 11am
Lifelong Learning Center

If you would like more information please contact LaVaughn Castilow at 832.444.0438.

Praise Dance Ministry

ORIENTATION

Thursday, September 15
6:30pm - 8:30pm
Lifelong Learning Center

All ages welcome!



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:00pm	Sunday School Workers	LLC
6:30pm	Associate Ministers	LLC
	Usher Board	Worship Center
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Voices of Praise	Sanctuary

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

9am	Aerobics	LLC
12pm	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Labor Day—Church Office Closed / All Activities Cancelled

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:30pm	Children's Work Ministry	LLC
	Sunday School Division Leaders	LLC
	Tiny Tots Choir	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, SEPTEMBER 9

7pm	Marriage Ministry	Fellowship Hall
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Please Give!

Sunday, September 11 ▪ 9am - 2pm

45 minutes = 1 pint = 3 lives saved!
All Types Needed!

Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, October 1 ▪ 9am
Hilton Americas – Houston
(Corporate Prayer begins at 7am)



SPEAKER
Dr. Otis Moss III
Trinity United Church of Christ
Chicago, IL



PSALMIST
Earnest Pugh
Gospel Recording Artist

Tables \$450/\$750/\$1000

Purchase your ticket online at www.brentwoodbaptist.org or by contacting the Music Department at 713.852.1426.

Adult Announcements

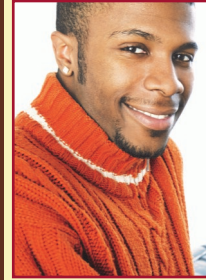
MAKING GREAT MEN

presents

"Overcoming Failure"

Sunday, September 18 ▪ 9:30am
Sanctuary

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Teaching



INTERCESSORY PRAYERLINE MINISTRY RECRUITMENT AND ORIENTATION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

Registration will be held Sunday, September 25 and Sunday, October 2.

If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Fannie Jones at 713.433.5357.



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.

September 20 Empowerment: Take Charge of Your Health
Jackie Minter, MD 7pm - 8pm

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**



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2011
12:00pm - 6:00pm

THE GORDON RANCH
 7714 FM 359 Rd
 Richmond, Texas 77469

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Tickets: \$20 - Adults • \$15 - Children 12 and under
 Tickets may be purchased until Wednesday, September 14 at
 Brentwood Baptist Church or visit www.brentwoodbaptist.org

Come out and enjoy:

Bar-B-Que Dinner, Snow Cones, Popcorn,
 Drinks, Hay Rides, Pony Rides, Petting
 Zoo, Swimming, Basketball, Volleyball,
 Softball, Paddle Boats, Canoeing, Fishing,
 DJ, Dancing, Bingo, Door Prizes & More...



*"Let Your
 Glory
 Fill This Place"*

40-Days of Prayer & Praise

And when they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together; and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they spake the word of God with boldness. - Acts 4:31

AUGUST 23 - OCTOBER 1, 2011

WEEKLY FOCUS

ADORATION

September 1 - September 10

Lift Him up! Psalm 34:1 KJV

Keywords: Adore, Exalt, Honor

INTERCESSION

September 11 - September 21

Prayer for others. Romans 8:26

Keywords: Petition, Appeal

PRAISE

September 22 - October 1

Proclaim His Sovereignty. Psalm 150:1

Keywords: Thanksgiving, Worship, Glorify