

BRENTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
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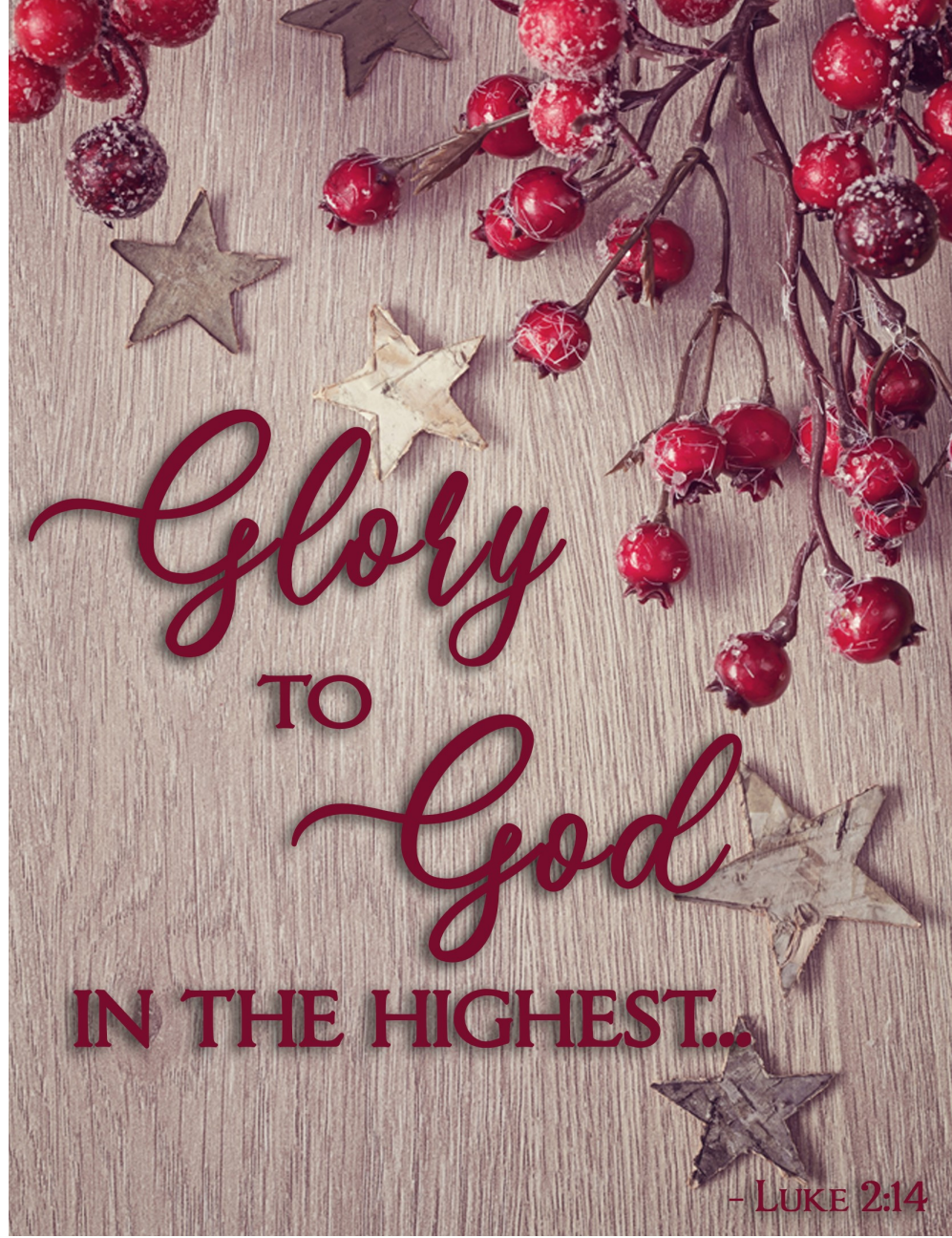
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Brentwood Baptist Church

"The Church Where Christ is the Main Attraction"

DECEMBER 2018 / JANUARY 2019



ON THE MOVE

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will deliver the message for Cathedral of Faith's 20th Church Anniversary on Sunday, December 9 at 11am. Worship will be held at the Sheraton Houston Brookhollow Hotel (3000 North Loop W, 77092/281.859.2312). Dr. Michael Lee Jones, Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be a presenter at the Rethink & Retool Conference Monday, December 10 and Tuesday, December 11. The conference will be held at the Miami Marriott Dadeland Hotel (9090 S Dadeland Blvd, Miami, Florida 33156). Rev. Anthony L. Trufant, Host Pastor and Rev. Shareka Newton, Co-Host Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Greater Piney Grove Baptist Church on Sunday, January 27 at 8am. The church is located at 1879 Glenwood Ave SE, Atlanta, GA 30316 (404.377.0561). Dr. William E. Flippin, Sr., Pastor.

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff will be the guest preacher at Temple of Faith Bible Church for their 7th Pastoral Anniversary on Sunday, January 27 at 10:30am. The church is located at 745 Bolton Road NW, Atlanta, GA 30331 (404.505.0554). Dr. Kenneth A. Walker, Pastor.



WORLD AIDS AWARENESS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

Know your status by getting tested. Brentwood will observe World AIDS Day on Sunday, December 2.



SERVICE OF CARING & SHARING

WED., DECEMBER 5 • 7PM
SANCTUARY

Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff, Preaching

Caring & Sharing is an evening of remembrance and of offering hope and healing to those who are mourning the loss of a loved one. Our quest is to be bearers of hope and to be intentional in providing prayerful, practical and personal support.

AT THE WOOD

DECEMBER		JANUARY	
2	AIDS Awareness	1-2	Office Closed / No Activities
5	Service of Caring & Sharing	6	Tithers Demonstration
8	Sweet Hour of Prayer	7	Activities Resume
9	Children's Christmas Program / Last Day of Activities	17 - 18	Elders Preaching Series
16	Christmas Concert	21	Martin Luther King Jr. Day / Office Closed / No Activities
17-27	Christmas Holiday / Office Closed	27	Souper Bowl of Caring
31	Watchnight Worship		

BRENTWOOD LEADERSHIP STAFF

DR. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF, PASTOR

- Mr. Paul E. Jefferson, *Church Business Administrator*
- Ms. Lydia A. Alston, *Worship & Praise*
- Dr. Joseph G. Ford, *Pastoral Care & Technology*
- Rev. Mary A. Frazier, *Youth*
- Rev. Thomas Hayden Garner, *Marketing & Young Adults*
- Mr. Augusta Green IV, *Lifelong Learning Center Director*
- Rev. Albert A. Kemp, *Congregational Development*
- Dr. C. Clay Pickens, *Social Justice Advocate*
- Mrs. Doris G. Ratliff, *Center for Child Development Executive Director*
- Rev. Barbara A. Thomas, *Children & Events Coordinator*
- Rev. Kevin W. Williams, *Facilities Management & Outreach*

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 713.852.1400/Office • 713.852.1461/Fax
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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. Do not include donations for the Brentwood Community Foundation Scholarships on your tithes and offering envelope.

**TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP
IN GENEROSITY**
EASILY ON YOUR PHONE OR DESKTOP

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PREACHING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY • 10AM

DECEMBER

2	AIDS AWARENESS Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff <i>Music: Church Choir</i>
9	Rev. Vernon Shazier <i>River of Life Fellowship (Fort Pierce, FL)</i> <i>Music: Male Chorus</i>
16	CHRISTMAS CONCERT
23	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff <i>Music: Chorale</i>
30	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff <i>Music: Mass Choir</i>

JANUARY

6	TITHERS DEMONSTRATION Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff <i>Music: Church Choir</i>
13	Elder Benjamin Adams Jr. <i>St. John Primitive Baptist Church (Clearwater, FL)</i> <i>Music: Church Choir</i>
20	Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff <i>Music: Male Chorus</i>
27	Rev. Wayne G. Thompson <i>First Institutional Baptist Church (St. Petersburg, FL)</i> <i>Music: Chorale</i>

CHRISTMAS LOANS

Stop by the Credit Union to discuss your loan options!

WEDNESDAYS: 5:30PM-7:30PM
SUNDAYS: 9AM-12:30PM



PREACHING SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY • 7PM

DECEMBER

5	SERVICE OF CARING & SHARING Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
12	No Midweek
19	No Midweek
26	No Midweek

JANUARY

2	No Midweek
9	WINTER BIBLE STUDY Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
16	WINTER BIBLE STUDY Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
23	WINTER BIBLE STUDY Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff
30	WINTER BIBLE STUDY Dr. Joe Samuel Ratliff

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM
"OUR CHRISTMAS STORY"
BY: ROSLYN POWERS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9 • 10AM
SANCTUARY

JOIN DR. RATLIFF ON A TOUR OF

DUBAI & EGYPT

JUNE 17-26

Cost: \$4,895

\$500 deposit due upon registration
BALANCE DUE BEFORE APRIL 20!

Visit the Receptionist Desk for a brochure.

CAIRO - JORDAN - ISRAEL

YOUTH & COLLEGE ENRICHMENT TOUR
FOR STUDENTS 10TH GRADE - COLLEGE

JULY 29 - AUGUST 9

\$4,995 (\$2,497.50 with sponsorship)

Visit the Receptionist Desk for a brochure.

AIDS WALK HOUSTON

This community-wide event sponsored by AIDS Foundation Houston, Inc. strives to make an impact in the fight against AIDS. Sign Up today! Contact Willie Sylvester at 713.852.2552 or wsylvester@brentwoodfoundation.org. **YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

SUNDAY, MARCH 3@1PM
SAM HOUSTON PARK DOWNTOWN

Wednesday, January 23

6pm	Girls In Action	LLC
	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
7pm	Winter Bible Study	Sanctuary

Thursday, January 24

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:15pm	Children's Choir	LLC
6:30pm	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC

Saturday, January 26

9am	Boy Scouts	LLC
9:30am	Quilting Circle	LLC
10am	Gathering Place	LLC
	Acteens	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC
11:30am	Girl Scout Cadettes	LLC
12pm	Girl Scouts (Daisies/Brownies)	LLC

Sunday, January 27

8:30am	Sunday School	LLC
	New Members Training	LLC
10am	JAM	Sanctuary

Monday, January 28

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Quarterly Business Meeting	Sanctuary
	Bronze Voices	Room 206
7pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
	Church Choir	Worship Center
	Youth Choir	Sanctuary

Tuesday, January 29

6pm	Tutoring	LLC
7pm	Male Chorus	Choir Room

Wednesday, January 30

6pm	Scholarship Committee	LLC
	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC

Thursday, January 31

12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	Fellowship Hall
6pm	Equipping Institute Committee	LLC
6:15pm	Children's Choir	LLC
6:30pm	Sr. Drill Team	LLC
	Spoken Word	Sanctuary
7pm	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC

Holiday Schedule

Sunday	12/2	Worship - 10am
Wednesday	12/5	Service of Caring & Sharing - 7pm
Saturday	12/8	Sweet Hour of Prayer - 8am / Last Day of Activities
Sunday	12/9	Worship - 10am Children's Christmas Play - 10am
Monday - Saturday	12/10 - 15	No Activities
Wednesday	12/12	No Midweek Worship
Sunday	12/16	Christmas Concert - 10am
Monday - Saturday	12/17 - 22	Office Closed / No Activities
Wednesday	12/19	No Midweek Worship
Sunday	12/23	Worship - 10am Sunday School - 8:30am
Monday - Thursday	12/24 - 27	Office Closed / No Activities
Wednesday	12/26	No Midweek Worship
Friday	12/28	Office Open / No Activities
Saturday	12/29	Campus Closed/No Activities
Sunday	12/30	Worship - 10am No Sunday School
Monday	12/31	Office Open Watchnight Worship - 10pm
Tuesday - Wednesday	1/1 - 2	Office Closed / No Activities
Thursday	1/3	Office Open
Monday	1/7	Activities Resume

YOUTH HOLIDAY SOCIAL
»» URBAN AIR ««
 ADVENTURE PARK PEARLAND

Fri. Dec. 14 * 8pm-11pm
 3207 S Sam Houston Pkwy E #200
 Houston, TX 77047
 Signed waiver required

\$35

CONTACT:
 Rev. Frazier@713.852.1440
 mfrazier@brentwoodbaptist.org

THE MUSIC MINISTRY PRESENTS...

Rejoice!
How Great Our Joy

When they saw the star they rejoiced... - Matthew 2:10

SUN., DECEMBER 16
10AM

With Gospel Recording Artist
CHRystal RUCKER

Sunday, January 13		
8:30am	Sunday School	LLC
	New Member Training	LLC
10am	Children's Church	Sanctuary
Monday, January 14		
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Bronze Voices	Room 206
7pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
	Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	Church Choir	Worship Center
Tuesday, January 15		
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Equipping Institute Committee	LLC
7pm	Beaus and Debs	LLC
	GLORY Ministry	LLC
	Male Chorus	Worship Center
Wednesday, January 16		
6pm	Scholarship Committee	LLC
	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
7pm	Winter Bible Study	Sanctuary
Thursday, January 17		
12pm	Noon Day Bible Study	LLC
6:15pm	Children's Choir	LLC
6:30pm	Sr. Drill Team	LLC
7pm	Elders' Preaching Series	Sanctuary
	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
Friday, January 18		
7pm	Elders' Preaching Series	Sanctuary
Saturday, January 19		
9am	Boys' Rites of Passage	LLC
10am	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
10:30am	Adult Praise Dancers	LLC
Sunday, January 20		
8:30am	New Member Training	LLC
	Sunday School	LLC
	Common Ground	Conference Room
Monday, January 21		
<i>Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Office Closed / No Weekday Activities</i>		
Tuesday, January 22		
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Deacon Wives	LLC
6:30pm	Sunday School Care Team	LLC
	STEW Ministry	LLC
7pm	Male Chorus	Choir Room

Sunday, December 30

10am Worship Service Worship Center

Monday, December 31

10pm Watch Night Worship Worship Center
 Children LLC
 Youth LLC

JANUARY

Tuesday, January 1– Saturday, January 5

Office Closed / No Weekday Activities

Sunday, January 6

8:30am Sunday School LLC
 New Member Training LLC
10am Kids' Pals Fellowship Hall

Monday, January 7

6pm Tutoring LLC
6:30pm Bronze Voices Room 206
 Jewels' Council Room 118
 Sunday School Council LLC
7pm Cheerleaders for Christ LLC
 Youth Choir Sanctuary
 Church Choir Worship Center

Tuesday, January 8

6pm Tutoring LLC
7pm Intercessory Prayerline Ministry Fellowship Hall
 Male Chorus Sanctuary

Wednesday, January 9


6pm Girls In Action LLC
 Jr. Drill Team LLC
6:30pm Virtuous Dance Cru LLC
7pm Winter Bible Study Sanctuary

Thursday, January 10

12pm Noon Day Bible Study LLC
6pm Adult Usher Board LLC
6:15pm Children's Choir LLC
6:30pm Sr. Drill Team Fellowship Hall
7pm Youth Praise Dancers LLC
 Children Praise Dancers LLC

Saturday, January 12

9am Boy Scouts LLC
9:30am Jewels' Quilting Circle LLC
10am Acteens LLC
 Children Praise Dancers LLC
 Adult Praise Dancers LLC
11am Girl Scout Cadettes LLC
12pm Girl Scouts (Daisies/Brownies) LLC

Watchnight  *Worship*


MON., DEC. 31 • 10PM
DR. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF, PREACHING

YOUTH • LLC CHILDREN'S LOBBY
CHILDREN • LLC BALLROOM

The Center for Child Development will be open for Ages Infant - 3.
DOORS OPEN AT 9PM!

TITHERS DEMONSTRATION

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6

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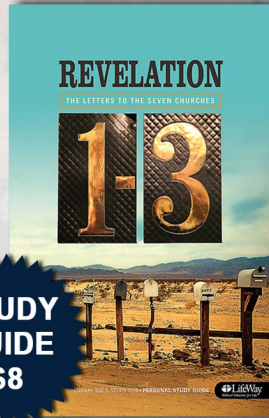
Sweet
HOUR *of Prayer*

SAT. JANUARY 12 • 8AM-9AM
SANCTUARY
Focus: Family

WINTER BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS @7PM
JANUARY 9, 16, 23 & 30

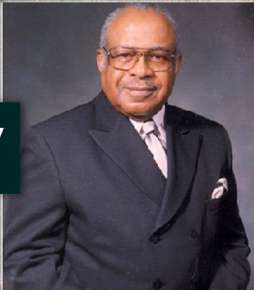
John received messages from God for seven churches that existed in his day. These were real churches, each facing challenges that threatened their existence and effectiveness. By studying these letters, believers today can find encouragement and instruction for their church.



ELDERS PREACHING SERIES


7pm Nightly

THURS. JAN. 17



REV. F. N. WILLIAMS SR.
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 HOUSTON, TX

FRI. JAN. 18



DR. DONALD L. PARSON
 LOGOS BAPTIST ASSEMBLY
 CHICAGO, IL

Saturday, December 8 continued

9am	Boy Scouts Adult Praise Dancers	Fellowship Hall Worship Center
10am	Angel Tree Program Acteens Children's Christmas Play Rehearsal	LLC LLC Sanctuary
11:30am	Girl Scouts Cadettes	LLC
12pm	Girl Scouts (Daisies/Brownies)	LLC

Sunday, December 9

8:30am	New Member Training Sunday School Common Ground	LLC LLC Conference Room
10am	Worship Service Children's Christmas Production	Worship Center Sanctuary
12pm	Youth Council Youth Usher Board	Room 230 Fellowship Hall

Monday, December 10 – Saturday, December 15
 No Weekday Activities

Monday, December 10

7pm	Christmas Concert Rehearsal	Worship Center
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Tuesday, December 11

7pm	Christmas Concert Rehearsal	Worship Center
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Saturday, December 15

9am	Praise Dance Ministry	Worship Center
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Sunday, December 16

8:30am	New Member Training Sunday School	LLC LLC
10am	Christmas Concert	Worship Center

Monday, December 17 – Saturday, December 22
 Office Closed / No Weekday Activities

Sunday, December 23

8:30am	New Member Training Sunday School	LLC LLC
10am	JAM	Sanctuary

Monday, December 24 – Saturday, December 29
 No Weekday Activities

May the Peace and Hope of Christ's birth
 BE WITH YOU NOW AND IN THE DAYS AHEAD.

— DR. & MRS. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF & STAFF

DECEMBER

Saturday, December 1

9am	Boys Rites of Passage	LLC
	Adult Praise Dancers	Worship Center
10am	Children Praise Dancers	LLC
10:30am	Mission Outreach	LLC

Sunday, December 2

8:30am	New Member Training	LLC
	Sunday School	LLC
	Kids' Pals	Fellowship Hall
10am	Worship	Worship Center

Monday, December 3

9:30am	Food Pantry	LLC
4pm	Angel Tree Preparation	LLC
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
6:30pm	Bronze Voices	Room 206
	Jewels' Council	Room 118
	Sunday School Council	LLC
7pm	Cheerleaders for Christ	LLC
	Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	Church Choir	Worship Center

Tuesday, December 4

4m	Angel Tree Preparation	LLC
6pm	Tutoring	LLC
7pm	Beaus and Debs	LLC
	Intercessory Prayerline Ministry	Fellowship Hall
	Male Chorus	Sanctuary

Wednesday, December 5

6pm	Jr. Drill Team	LLC
6:30pm	Virtuous Dance Cru	LLC
7pm	Midweek Worship	Sanctuary

Thursday, December 6


4pm	Angel Tree Preparation	LLC
6pm	Sunday School Appreciation	LLC
6:15pm	Children's Choir	Sanctuary
6:30pm	Spoken Word	Sanctuary
	Sr. Drill Team	Fellowship Hall
7pm	Youth Praise Dancers	LLC
	Children Praise Dancers	Sanctuary
	Chorale	Choir Room

Friday, December 7

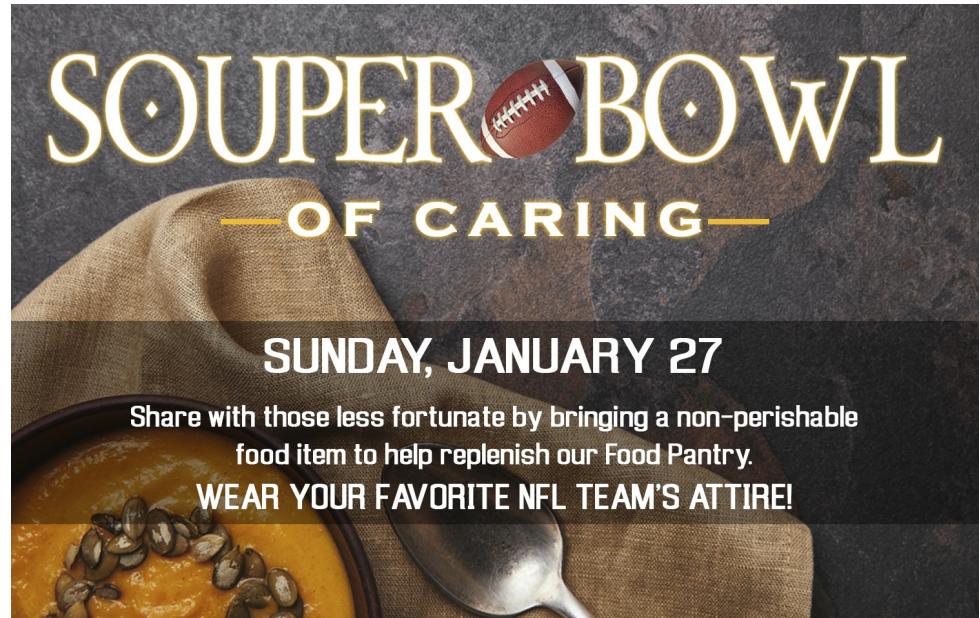
9am	Angel Tree Preparation	LLC
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Saturday, December 8

8am	Sweet Hour of Prayer	Sanctuary
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Remembering The Dream
MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
MONDAY, JANUARY 21
 OFFICE CLOSED/ACTIVITIES CANCELLED



SOUPER BOWL
 — OF CARING —
SUNDAY, JANUARY 27
 Share with those less fortunate by bringing a non-perishable food item to help replenish our Food Pantry.
WEAR YOUR FAVORITE NFL TEAM'S ATTIRE!



QUARTERLY
Business Meeting
MONDAY
JAN. 28 @ 6:30p
SANCTUARY

SUNDAY SCHOOL EQUIPPING INSTITUTE

GODLY SHEEP
follow the
TRUE SHEPHERD
Psalm 23:1-4

SATURDAY, FEB. 2
7:30AM - 3:30PM
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER

Registration (Dec.1 - Jan.20): \$25
Register online!

DR. & MRS. JOE SAMUEL RATLIFF

Pastoral Anniversary

— CELEBRATING 39 YEARS —

Wednesday, Feb. 6 @ 7pm
REV. ANTHONY W. WILCOTS
BIBLE DAYS CHURCH
HOUSTON, TX

Sunday, Feb. 10 @ 10am
DR. RALPH DOUGLAS WEST
CHURCH WITHOUT WALLS
HOUSTON, TX

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55TH ANNIVERSARY PICTORIAL

Preserve precious memories that will endure generations.

JANUARY DATES AVAILABLE NOW!

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