

“THE BLOOD STILL WORKS”
26TH MASS CHOIR ANNIVERSARY



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THE BLOOD THAT JESUS SHED FOR ME

Words and Tune: André Crouch, 1947-2015

1. The blood that Jesus shed for me,
Way back on Calvary,
The blood that gives me strength from day to day,
It will never lose its power.
2. It soothes my doubts and calms my fears,
And it dries all my tears,
The blood that gives me strength from day to day,
It will never lose its power.

Refrain:

It reaches to the highest mountain;
It flows to the lowest valley,
The blood that gives me strength from day to day,
It will never lose its power.

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9:30 a.m.

THE PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROCESSIONAL.....MINISTERS/CHOIR
“I’ll Get Home Someday”

PRAYER OF CONCENTRATION.....PASTOR HALE

DOXOLOGY.....Praise God from whom all blessing flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP, pg. 11.....SIS. GERALDINE BROWN

- L: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem. (Ps. 122: 1-2)
- P: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. (Ps. 84:10)
- L: Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek they good. (Ps. 112:9)
- P: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God. (Ps. 92:13)
- L: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house. Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth. (Ps. 28:8)
- P: For the Lord is in His holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before Him. (Hab. 2:20)
- L: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer. (Ps. 19:14)
- P: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, and sing praises. (Ps. 19: 1&4)

THE MORNING HYMN #137.....”THE BLOOD THAT JESUS SHED FOR ME”

THE PRAYER.....SIS. YVONNE WILSON

THE PRAYER RESPONSE #619.....”SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD”
Spirit of the Living God, Fall fresh on me, Spirit of the Living God, Fall fresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the Living God, Fall fresh on me.

THE SCRIPTURE.....ISAIAH 53: 3-5 (NIV)

³He was despised and rejected by mankind, a man of suffering, and familiar with pain. Like one from whom people hide their faces he was despised, and we held him in low esteem. ⁴Surely he took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. ⁵But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed.

THE GLORIA PATRI.....Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.”

MISSIONARY/TITHES/OFFERING.....FINANCE COMMITTEE
All things come of thee O Lord, and of thine own, have we given thee. Amen.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT.....PASTOR HALE

WELCOME.....SISTER ROCHELLE OWSLEY

CHOIR PRAISE.....MASS CHOIR

HISTORY OF THE MASS CHOIR (printed in bulletin).....BRO. DOMONIQUE KIRTLEY

CHOIR PRAISE.....MASS CHOIR

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER.....SIS. CANDICE JENKINS

CHOIR PRAISE.....MASS CHOIR

MEDITATION.....MINISTER CLAUDE CAROTHERS

INTIVATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP.....PASTOR HALE

ALTAR CALL.....PASTOR HALE

REMARKS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH.....THE APOSTLE’S CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

believe in the Holy Ghost, the church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.

DOXOLOGY.....BENEDICTION

— ANNOUNCEMENTS & HAPPENINGS —

TEACHING MOMENTS

Next Week’s Scripture Lessons:

SIXTH SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE – Amos 8: 1-12; Psalm 52; Genesis 18: 1-10a, Psalm 14;
Colossians 1: 15-28; Luke 11:10: 38-42

Church School for ALL Ages – 8:00 am *Every Sunday*

Pastor’s Bible Study – Every Wednesday @ 11:00am

MONTHLY MINISTRY MEETINGS

- Lay Organization – Sunday, July 21, following the Benediction
- Steward Board – Monday, July 22, 6:00 p.m.
- Official Board, Monday, July 22, 7:00 p.m.

- YPD – Saturday, July 27, 2019 @ 12:00 noon
- Missionary Society – Sunday, July 28, *Following the Benediction*
- Class Leaders – Monday, July 29, 6:00 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal – EVERY Thursday @ 6:30 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS

- TODAY IS THE MASS CHOIR'S 26TH ANNIVERSARY. The Mass Choir will be in concert along with a meditation by Minister (Pianist) Claude Carothers. Taxation is \$30.00.
- July 15-17, 13th District Learning Academy, Bowling Green, KY
- July 23-August 1, Connectional YPD/WMS Quadrennial Convention
- July 27-28, Friends and Family Weekend
- **SAVE THE DATE:** September 14, 2019, 4:00-7:00 p.m., MR. CHARLES F. LITTLE, JR'S 70TH BIRTHDAY MUSICAL CELEBRATION at Consolidated Baptist Church, 1625 Russell Cave Road, Lexington, KY.

REMINDERS

- Please be reminded that the taxation for Church Anniversary of **\$171.00** is payable throughout the year and should be earmarked on your offering envelope as **CA171**.
- Conference Claims per member per month is \$15.00/\$180.00 per year. Please pay monthly to help meet our Conference assessments.
- The Seed Sowers Project is an ongoing project for the building fund of the church. Sow a seed and watch it grow. Mark on your envelope as "Seed". For more information contact Sis. Geraldine Brown.
- Mass and Men's Choir: Please be reminded of your monthly choir dues of \$10.00 per member per month. Also be reminded that Mass Choir rehearsal is every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. unless notified otherwise.
- St. Paul's CD/DVD Ministry to the Sick and Shut-in: If you desire a CD or a DVD of the worship services, please see Bro. Ellis Collins.
- Need a ride to Church School or Church, please call Sis. Tanya Clark by Saturday at (859) 361-1426.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED.

- **Calling Post**
If you're not part of our Calling Post, then please text or email the Pastor using his contact information on the front of the bulletin. Give him your name, phone number and email address, and we'll make sure you are kept in the loop! Thank you!!!

JULY BIRTHDAYS

<i>Rita Kirtley</i>	<i>July 9</i>
<i>Chantel Bingham</i>	<i>July 14</i>
<i>Zachary Dockies</i>	<i>July 16</i>
<i>Xavier Higgins</i>	<i>July 16</i>
<i>Travis Collins</i>	<i>July 18</i>
<i>Bobby Mattingly</i>	<i>July 23</i>
<i>Pearl Higgins</i>	<i>July 24</i>
<i>Michael Kirtley</i>	<i>July 30</i>
<i>Ricardo Kirtley</i>	<i>July 30</i>
<i>Sheafan Mattingly</i>	<i>July 30</i>

OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN

Charles Brown, Jr.
Roslyn Collins
Phyllis Dockies

Jacqueline Greenlee
Russell Thornton
Yvonne Wilson

Our Known Community Sick and Shut-Ins

Armenta Chase
Lorie Dale
Lewis Givens
Rev. Frederick Hale

Mildred Jones
Richard Kirtley, Jr.
Norman Morton
Betty Moseley

Odes Nash
Rev. James Smith
Renee Scott-Smith
Frances Walker
Anna Williams

Please remember the sick and shut-ins in your prayers. Send them a card, call and visit to let them know you care.

History of the Mass Choir

The Mass Choir was organized 26 years ago (1993) under the pastorate of Reverend congregation who desired to serve the Lord through the Music Ministry of the church, with the majority of the choir membership comprising the Heavenly Host Choir, Angelic Ensemble, Voices of Joy and the Sunshine Choir.

The Mass Choir was assigned to provide the worship music the first Sunday of each month as well as being designated the “Pastor’s Choir” when invited as guest to worship with various churches. That assignment now covers three-four Sundays out of the month. This choir has traveled many roads accompanying Rev. Hale, the late Rev. Thomas Walker, Rev. Kenneth Golphin, Rev. James E. Smith, Rev. Dr. Robert A. Strode and our current pastor, Rev. William R. T. Hale.

The current officers are:

- President – Sis. Darlene K. Jackson
- Vice President – Sis. Geraldine Brown
- Secretary – Rochelle Owsley
- Treasurer – Bro. Domonique Kirtley
- Director – Tanya S. Clark
- Drummer – Bobby Stone
- Pianist – Minister Claude Carothers

Members then and now are as follows. Today, we honor those who have passed on. Without them, there would be no us!

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| ● Charles Brown, Jr. | Pearl C. Higgins |
| ● Geraldine Brown | Darlene K. Jackson |
| ● Mamie Brown | Candice Jenkins |
| ● Tanya Clark, Choir Director | Wendell Johnson |
| ● Carolyn Cole | Domonique Kirtley |
| ● Ellis Collins | Charliese Lewis, Pianist |
| ● Roslyn Collins | Minister Robert Lewis |
| ● Juanita Creth (deceased) | Michael Lamont Kirtley |
| ● Chantel Depp | Mildred Kirtkey (deceased) |
| ● Zachary Dockies | Richardo Kirtley, Organist/Pianist |
| ● Bobby Greenlee (deceased) | Wiliene Mays Jackson (deceased) |
| ● Jacquelline Greenlee | Jessie Owsley (deceased) |
| ● Renee Greenlee | Jessie C. Searce |
| ● Rev. Stephanie Gudger | Joseph Troxler (deceased) |
| ● LaMichelle Haddix | Mary Toller (deceased) |
| ● Deborah Hale | Shirley Wesley (deceased) |
| ● Diane Harris (deceased) | Glenn Wilson, Jr. |
| ● Allethea Higgins | Rev. Jermaine Wilson |
| ● Althea Higgins (deceased) | Yvonne Wilson |
| ● Linda Higgins | |

As we know, a choir is an organized group of Christian believers who sing to praise and glorify God. We really love the Lord and do our best to serve Him with our whole heart, soul, and mind and with or without a musician.

Please pray for us as we continue to “give of our best to the Master”.

SERMON NOTES

Date: _____

Songs we sang:



Scripture
Reading: _____

Sermon
Title: _____

Sermon
Text: _____

List all Scripture references mentioned:

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Write some sentences about the sermon:



