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*“For GOD is the Judge, He putteth down one,
and setteth up another” - Psalm 75:7*



Celebrating 126 Years!

Ebenezer Baptist Church
Sunday July 1, 2018

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Rev. Dr. Lehman Bates, II—Pastor

ORDER OF SERVICE

Devotionals/Testimonials

Call To Worship **Worship Leader**

Invocation **Worship Leader**

Chant **Choir & Congregation**

Announcements/Welcome **Mrs. Esther Mills**

Selection(s) **Gospel Choir**

*Reading of Church Covenant
The Lords Supper*

Meet & Greet **Minister**

<Dismissal of Children to Children's Church>

Tithes and Offerings **Minister**

Selection **Gospel Choir**

Sermon **Pastor Lehman Bates, II**

Invitational Hymn **Choir & Congregation**

Call to Commitment **Minister**

Benediction **Minister**

TODAY'S SERMON

Preacher: _____

Title: _____

Scripture: _____

Supporting Scriptures: _____

Key Points & Notes: _____

OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN

Cornelia Swift - Charlottesville Rehab Facility, Room 115

Ada Jackson - Laurels Rehab Facility, Room 104

Yvonne Anthony—Laurels Rehab Facility, Room 119

Bernice Peggy Redd— Cedars Rehab Facility—Room 426

Leon Nichols—162 Hessian Hills Way #2—996-2780

Trustee Aubrey Dickerson—Commonwealth Senior Living—465-6180

Deaconess Ellen Whitlock—230 Brookwood Drive —296-1216

OUR BEREAVED FAMILIES

Please Pray For Our Bereaved Families

SPECIAL PRAYER LIST

**Please Fill Out
Prayer Request Slip
To Be Included in
Special Prayer List**



"ON THE MOVE"...

THIS WEEK

Monday July 2—EBC Joint Board Meeting @ 7PM

Wednesday July 4—Pastor Bates preaching at Zion Baptist North Garden @7:30PM

Saturday July 7

⇒ Men's Fellowship Breakfast @9AM

⇒ Missionary Meeting @9:30AM

⇒ Gospel Choir Rehearsal @6PM

UPCOMING

Sunday July 8 —EBC Mid-Year Church Conference immediately following the 10AM Worship Service

Saturday July 14—Women's Fellowship Breakfast @9AM

Friday July 27—Pastor Bates preaching at Antioch Baptist—Madison @7:30PM

Sunday August 19—EBC Homecoming at Pen Park @10am

Sunday August 26—Pastor Bates preaching for First Bethel (MD) Homecoming at 10am

ANNOUNCEMENT

EBC WOMENS FELLOWSHIP SERVICE PROJECT

The EBC Women's Fellowship is collecting toiletries to be distributed to our Area Homeless. The collection period is running now until Saturday July 14. You can either make a monetary donation, or bring your donated items to the Lee Center.

Thanks for your Support!

Mrs. Gloria Bates, Chairperson



EBC GROUP SCHEDULES

Meeting	Next Meeting Date / Time	Location
Joint Board	Monday, July 2 @ 7pm	EBC Fellowship Hall
Gospel Choir Rehearsal	Thursdays before the 1st & 3rd Sundays—Saturdays before 4th, and 5th Sundays @ 6pm	EBC Sanctuary
Male Chorus Rehearsal	Saturday before the 2nd Sunday @ 6pm	EBC Sanctuary
Youth Choir Rehearsal	Thursday before the 3rd Sunday @ 5:30pm	EBC Sanctuary
Missionary Meeting	Every First Saturday @ 9am	EBC Fellowship Hall
Men's Fellowship	Saturday, July 7 @ 8am	EBC Fellowship Hall
Women's Fellowship	Saturday, July 14 @ 9am	EBC Fellowship Hall
Youth Bible Study	Every Monday @ 6pm	Lee Center
Youth Outing	TBD	TBD
Mentoring Ministry	TBD	TBD



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**CHARLOTTESVILLE
PUBLIC
ACCESS** 

**BROADCAST—The EBC
Worship Service is aired on
Sundays at 8:00am on CPA-
TV (Comcast Channel 13).
Please see Cal Tate if you
would like to purchase DVD
copies of any EBC Service.**

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Jemel Ross	1st
John White	1st
Chereka Porter	4th
Dorenda Johnson	5th
Melvin Grady	12th
Madison Long	20th
Carmen Tate	20th
Katherine Moton	21st
Jerry Ross	22nd
Mary Nightengale	25th
Alphonso Anderson	27th
Emilie Richardson	28th
Esther Mills	29th
Francine Fordham	30th
Jamesa Redd-Hughes	31st



LET'S GET 'REAL' (John 5:1-8)

1. Why are **YOU** here?
2. What do **YOU** want?
3. What have **YOU** done, are doing,
or will do to get it?

WHAT SHOULD I DO? THE S.W.O.T. STRATEGY

DECLARE YOUR **STRENGTH**

Psalm 18:1-3 I will love thee, O LORD, my strength. ² The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower. I will call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised, so shall I be saved from my enemies. **Exodus 15:2** The LORD is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation: he is my God, and I will prepare him an habitation; my father's God, and I will exalt him. **2 Samuel 22:33** God is my strength and power: and he maketh my way perfect.

CONFRONT YOUR **WEAKNESS**

Psalm 6:2 Have mercy upon me, O LORD; for I am weak: O LORD, heal me; for my bones are vexed.

SEIZE **OPPORTUNITIES**

Galatians 6:9 And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not. ¹⁰ As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

PREPARE FOR **THREATS**

Psalm 38:11-15 My lovers and my friends stand aloof from my sore; and my kinsmen stand afar off. ¹² They also that seek after my life lay snares for me: and they that seek my hurt speak mischievous things, and imagine deceits all the day long. ¹³ But I, as a deaf man, heard not; and I was as a dumb man that openeth not his mouth. ¹⁴ Thus I was as a man that heareth not, and in whose mouth are no re-proofs. ¹⁵ For in thee, O LORD, do I hope: thou wilt hear, O Lord my God.