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of the Harvest

John 4:35



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## Christian Symbol



### 7-Pointed Star

This star represents Isaiah's list of the gifts of the Spirit to be revealed in the Branch of Jesse

— that is, Christ: "The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him — the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD — and he will delight in the fear of the LORD" (Isaiah 11:2-3, NIV). Some baptism and confirmation liturgies pray for God to "stir up in" the newly baptized or confirmed "the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in [God's] presence."

## Mission Statement

**S**econd's Gazette serves as a monthly newsletter to inform the congregants of valuable information happening on the campus of Second Baptist Church and in the community, as well as spotlight individuals and events that edify our parish church, but most importantly; glorifies the name of Jesus Christ.



## The Importance of Prayer

## Unimaginable Impact

**Y**ou don't know how many people have been strengthened because you asked God to encourage them; how many people have been healed because you prayed for their bodies; how many spiritual runaways have come home because you prayed for their souls. None of us may ever know the true effects of our prayers this side of death. But we do know this: History belongs to the intercessors.

—John Ortberg, *The Life You've Always Wanted*

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*Pastor C on  
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# Diakonos Membership Assignment

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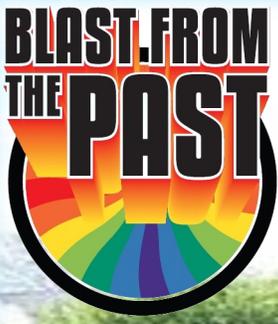
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We are available to “Pray with You”, “Consult with You”, and “Assist You” in any way we can to help you in your Christian walk.



# Cheyney University

**Ed** Bradley, Bayard Rustin, and Marcus Foster are names some of you will recognize as prominent men in their own right. But what do they have in common? These men are alumni of the first Historical Black Institution of Higher Learning, Cheyney University, Pennsylvania.

Cheyney University was founded and named the African Institute in February, 1837, in Cheyney, Pennsylvania; and renamed the Institute of Colored Youth (ICY) in April 1837. It was built on land donated by the prominent Cheyney family of Pennsylvania. Unlike other HBCU's, Cheyney did not award degrees until 1914, after adopting a curriculum of normal school (teacher training).

The school's founding organizer was Richard Humphreys, a Quaker philanthropist who bequeathed \$10,000, one-tenth of his estate to design and established a school to educate people of African descent to prepare them as teachers.

Many prominent people of color have graduated from Cheyney University, most noticeably, Ed Bradley, who worked for CBS for twenty-six years. He is best remembered for commentaries on 60 Minutes news program. Mr. Bradley died in November 2006 of complications from lymphocytic leukemia.

Not only did Cheyney University graduate a famous American Journalist, but also a famous educator. Mr. Marcus Foster was the principal of Simon Gratz High School in Philadelphia for many years. He made the school a school excellence. He was killed in 1973 by a member of the Symbionese Liberation Army.

Bayard Rustin was a leader in the Civil Rights Movement. His most noticeable accomplishment was becoming the head of the AFL-CIO organization and fighting for integration of all-White unions, and the unionization of African Americans. He died in 1987 while on a humanitarian mission in Haiti.

Although Cheyney University is going through some financial hardships, it is the oldest historically Black College University in the United States to date, and its legacy should be preserved. It is a member of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education and the Thurgood Marshall College Fund.

*Dr. Precious*

## **Reference**

Conyers, C. H. (1 January 1990). *A Living Legend: The History of Cheyney University, 1837-1951*. Cheyney University Press. ISBN 978-0-9625828-0-6.

# Footprints in the Desert ...

## God's Wisdom for Everyone!

The Book of Proverbs gives us many examples of God's wisdom for us to live by. However, the application of the Proverbs is much different than reading them. Proverbs 2:6-8 say, *“For the Lord gives wisdom; from His mouth comes knowledge and understanding; He stores up sound wisdom for the upright; He is a shield for those who walk uprightly; He guards the paths of justice, and preserves the way of His saints.”*

The above Scriptures remind me that when I am walking with the Lord, He's got my back! By the same token, when I am not in His will, things can go array and I don't have to wonder why, I know. Making bad decisions is second nature to people who don't have the wisdom of God through the Holy Spirit. It is evidence to some and revelation to others that we need the wisdom of God in our lives.

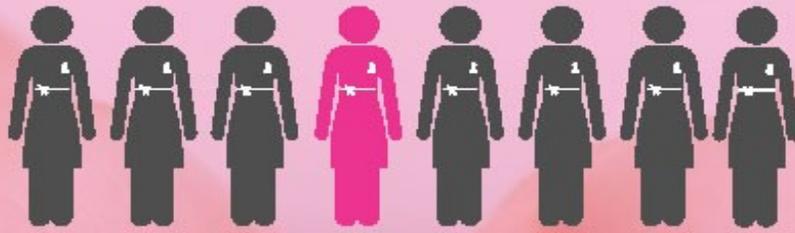
There are many stories in the Bible of how the wisdom of God, used by His people, saw His plan through to the end. Job had to endure loss of his children, possessions, and disease almost to the point of death, but he never cursed God (as his wife suggested) because Job knew that God was still with him even at the lowest point of his life.

Joshua and Kaleb knew that no matter how it looked, God had made a promise and their faith gave them the courage to fight the giants because they knew God was with them. We must exercise the same faith and courage; wisdom and understanding, knowing that God is with us through it all. There is nothing we face alone, if you are in Christ Jesus.

Be encouraged!

*Peggy*





**ABOUT 1 IN 8 U.S.  
WOMEN WILL DEVELOP  
INVASIVE BREAST CANCER**

*OVER THE COURSE OF HER LIFETIME.*

## Intercessory Prayer

October ~ Breast Cancer Awareness Month



*Father GOD. In the Matchless Name of Jesus:*

**To Bless, Heal, Deliver and Set Free Every patient that has been Diagnosed with Breast Cancer.**

**Lord, surround them with much Prayer, Peace, Joy and Love along the stages of their journey. Surround them with Wisdom, Strength, Motivation and Encouragement during the Treatment Process.**

**LORD, As YOU Strengthen them ~ Also Strengthen Those who are connected to them during this Journey of Strength, Courage and Wisdom.**

**LORD, In YOU Do I Put My Trust!  
Amen, Amen, Amen!**

Walk in Hope, Strength, Love, Peace,



Wellness and the Wholeness of GOD!



# THE INCREDIBLE Lewis & Johnson Family



**T**he Lewis and Johnson Family have a lot to celebrate and they did just that, at the Happiest Place on Earth, Disneyland! September is a big month for them with 4 birthdays.

Diakona George Lewis-4th

Royelle-18th

Diakona Tamara Lewis-19th

Breana -28th

**Can We Say Party All Month at that House!!**

*just ♥ married*



**Congratulations are in order to Chad and Devin McGee as they joined as one with God in Holy Matrimony on August 31, 2019.**

**Therefore what God has joined together, let not man separate." Mark 10:9 (NKJV)**

Train a child in the  
way he should go

# THE POWER OF WORDS

James 3:8

But no man can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison.



**Family Devotional**



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# KIDS ZONE

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## HEART-SHAPED breakfast

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Treat Mom with this yummy, beautiful yogurt parfait.



### What you need:

- Large heart-shaped cookie cutter
- Greek yogurt (any flavor)
- Toppings (mini chocolate chips, granola, shredded coconut, chia seeds, oats, slivered almonds, blueberries, sliced strawberries, raspberries, bananas)
- 2 teaspoons maple syrup

### What you do:

1. Place cookie cutter on a plate. Spoon in yogurt, spreading it to the edges of the cookie cutter.
2. Add toppings, making a nice design. Remove cookie cutter.
3. Drizzle syrup around the edge of the plate.
4. Serve to your mom on Mother's Day!



## A blessed woman

The last chapter of Proverbs describes a woman who loves God and strives to be a good wife and mother.

*Directions: Use the picture clues to complete Proverbs 31:15, 28.*

She gets \_\_\_\_\_ while it is still \_\_\_\_\_ ;

she provides \_\_\_\_\_ for her \_\_\_\_\_ ....

Her \_\_\_\_\_ rise \_\_\_\_\_ and

\_\_\_\_\_ her blessed.

PROVERBS 31:15, 28 (NIV)



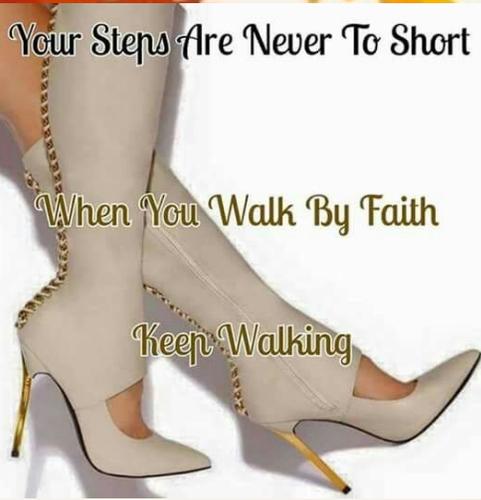
# Spirit Buzzzzzzzz

## Sainted Stilettos

Your Steps Are Never To Short

When You Walk By Faith

Keep Walking



Did you know?



The Bible:

Winds blow in cyclones

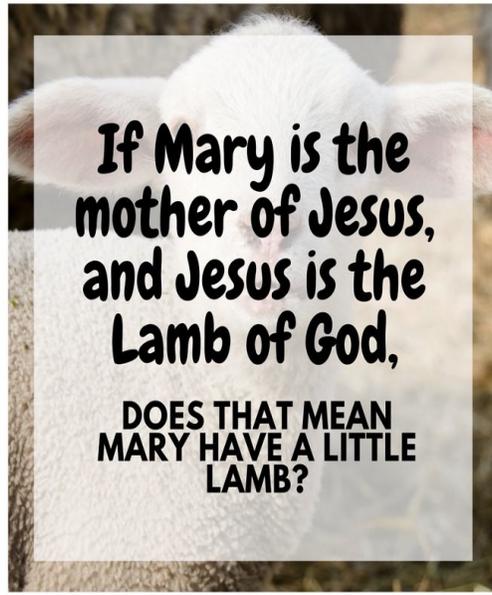
Ecclesiastes 1:6

Science Then:

Winds blew straight.

Science NOW:

Winds blow in cyclones.



### SAY THAT!

## 7 PROMISES

### I AM GIFTED

ROMANS 12:6-8, 1 CORINTHIANS 12, EPHESIANS 4:11-13, JAMES 1:17, 1 PETER 4:10

### I AM FORGIVEN

PSALM 103:8-12, ISAIAH 1:18, ACTS 10:43, ROMANS 8:1, EPHESIANS 1:7-10, COLOSSIANS 1:13-14, 1 JOHN 1:9

### I HAVE A PURPOSE

JEREMIAH 29:11, PROVERBS 16:9, JOHN 15:16, ROMANS 8:28, EPHESIANS 2:10

### I AM FREE

PSALM 118:5, JOHN 8:36, ROMANS 6:6-8, 2 CORINTHIANS 3:17, GALATIANS 5:1, GALATIANS 5:13, 1 PETER 2:16

### I AM VALUABLE

GENESIS 1:27, JOB 33:4, PSALM 17:8, PSALM 139:13-15, JOHN 3:16, 1 CORINTHIANS 6:19-20, 2 CORINTHIANS 3:5

### I HAVE HOPE

PSALM 25:3, PSALM 71:5, PROVERBS 23:18, LAMENTATIONS 3:25, ROMANS 5:1-5, 2 CORINTHIANS 3:12, HEBREWS 10:23, 1 PETER 1:3-4

### I AM BLESSED

PSALM 32:1-2, PSALM 144:15, GALATIANS 3:8, EPHESIANS 1:3, ROMANS 10:12-13

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Minister Lisa Chaney, Host  
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Pastor Cathy Guerrero, Keynote Speaker  
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Postpartum Depression

- Co-Parenting
- Abortion/Miscarriages
- How to move on after a breakup (with children)
- Struggling single mother/father and how parenthood has changed them.

Sun, October 13, 2019  
2:00 PM – 5:00 PM PDT  
2515 South Robertson Boulevard  
Los Angeles, CA 90034

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# VISION

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Sunday - OCTOBER 13, 2019

Oikos: Invite Your Friends and Family

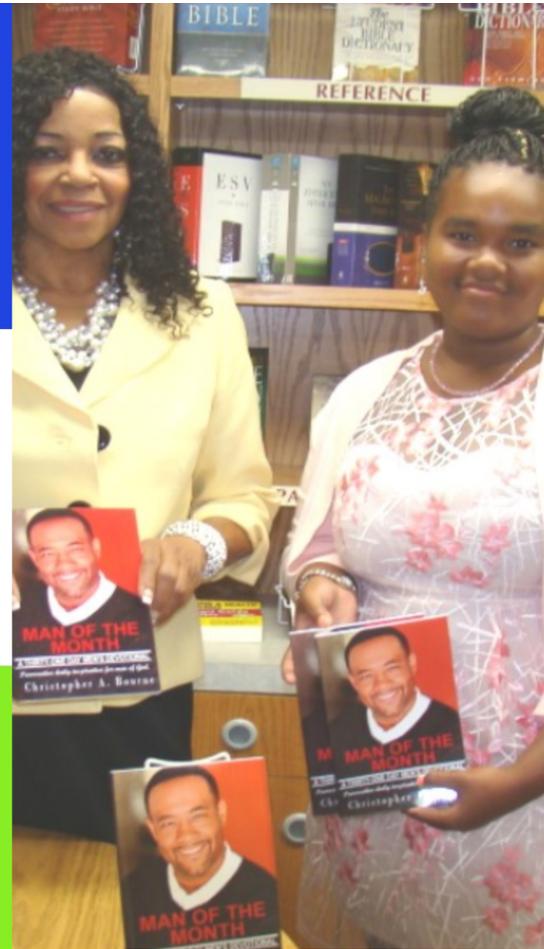


# BOOK STORE & GIFTS

## CHRISTIAN READS

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## OCTOBER 2019 - PRAYER CALENDAR



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>SCRIPTURE OF THE MONTH:</b> <i>"The eyes of the LORD are upon the righteous, and his ears are open unto their cry" (Psalm 34: 15).</i>		<b>1</b> Pray to wait on the Lord, for our expectation is in Him. <b>Psalm 62: 1-12</b>	<b>2</b> Pray not to be ashamed of the gospel, and to live by faith. <b>Romans 1: 16-17</b>	<b>3</b> Pray that the Word discerns the thoughts and intentions of your heart. <b>Hebrews 4: 9-12</b>	<b>4</b> Pray to trust in the Lord forever, He will give you perfect peace. <b>Isaiah 26: 3-4</b>	<b>5</b> Pray for those feeling abandoned. <b>Zephaniah 3: 17</b>
<b>6</b> Pray to obey those that have rule over you. <b>Hebrews 13: 7, 17</b>	<b>7</b> Pray for those finding themselves in difficult situations. <b>Jeremiah 32: 17-19</b>	<b>8</b> Pray for Christian marriages. <b>Matthew 19: 4-6</b>	<b>9</b> Pray for the broken hearted. <b>Psalm 147: 1-3</b>	<b>10</b> Pray for the sick to be healed. <b>Exodus 23: 25</b>	<b>11</b> Pray not to yield to temptation. <b>1 Corinthians 10:13</b>	<b>12</b> Pray to be strengthened and protected from the evil one. <b>2 Thessaloinians 3: 3</b>
<b>13</b> Pray for spiritual guidance. <b>Isaiah 30: 21</b>	<b>14</b> Pray to obey the Lord's commandments. <b>1 John 5: 1-5</b>	<b>15</b> Pray to have a servant's heart and serve. <b>Galatians 5: 13-16</b>	<b>16</b> Pray to know God's faithfulness, and to wait on Him. <b>Genesis 28: 15</b>	<b>17</b> Pray whatever you, do it heartily as to the Lord. <b>Colossians 3: 23-24</b>	<b>18</b> Pray for those seeking employment. <b>Psalm 90: 15-17</b>	<b>19</b> Pray for those facing opposition on their jobs. <b>Deuteronomy 31: 6</b>
<b>20</b> Pray for protection. <b>Proverbs 18: 10</b>	<b>21</b> Pray not become slave to anything. <b>1 Corinthians 6: 9-12</b>	<b>22</b> Pray for those who have anger issues. <b>James 1: 19-27</b>	<b>23</b> Pray and come against those contemplating suicide. <b>Psalm 34: 15-19</b>	<b>24</b> Pray salvation and deliverance for those practicing witchcraft. <b>Deuteronomy 18: 9-14</b>	<b>25</b> Pray for leaders of our nation. <b>1 Timothy 2: 1-6</b>	<b>26</b> Pray for spiritual discernment. <b>1 John 4: 1-4</b>
<b>27</b> Pray to make a joyful noise unto the Lord. <b>Psalm 100: 1-5</b>	<b>28</b> Pray that God's peace sanctifies you wholly. <b>1 Thessalonians 5: 21-24</b>	<b>29</b> Pray for unity in the family, and in the church. <b>1 Corinthians 1: 10-18</b>	<b>30</b> Pray to walk as children of light. <b>Ephesians 5: 1-11</b>	<b>31</b> Pray to walk in love. <b>Matthew 22: 36: 40</b>		

**PRAY DAILY:** The Pastor and Family; The Church Family; The Church Staff; Divorce within the Congregation; Domestic Violence within Homes; Exercising of Spiritual Gifts; Freedom to Worship; Bereaved Families; Evangelism; Discipleship; Sick/Shut-In; Confined; Church Growth; Church Finances; Additional Teachers; Youth and Young Adult Ministries; Men's Fellowship; Members losing their homes; Removal of Hindrances to those desiring to make a decision to accept Christ.



# Selfie SUNDAY



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*He: "give me three reasons why I should go to church?"*

*She: "it's Sunday, you're 43 years old, and you're the Pastor!!!"*

# October 2019



**October 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Lord's Supper**

All are invited to attend.

**October 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Cancer Awareness Day**

**October 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Annual Men's Family Keeper Conference**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>

Alexis Hawkins

Breanna Dickson

Deborah Benson

Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>

John E. Henry III

Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>

Toni Harris-Thompson

Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>

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Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>

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Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup>

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India Perry

Michael Lee

Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>

Diakona Robert Hamilton

Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>

Ethel Smith

Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>

David Allen

NOTE: If you would like your birthday listed, please add your name & birthday in the birthday binder found in the drawer as you enter the foyer of the Fannie Goodwin Bldg. Thank you.

## Members of Second Baptist Church Sick & Shut-Ins

**Altadena**

**Diamond Bar**

**Duarte**

**Monrovia**

**Father Sam Fisher**

**Diakona James Etta Harvey**

**Sister Grace Jordan**

**Brother Ivory Lee**

**Mother Thelma Adams**

**Mother Deloris Bridges**



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# Lady Heather Speaks



**"Ok Ladies! Now Let's Get In(Formation)  
2 Chronicles 20: 1-4**





# OK LADIES, NOW LET'S GET IN(FORMATION)

2 Chronicles 20:1 -4

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### BATTLE TACTIC #1

When facing a battle you must quickly switch from Fear to Faith



### BATTLE TACTIC #2

Fast and pray!



### BATTLE TACTIC #3

Before you petition... make sure you Praise Him!



### BATTLE TACTIC #4

When facing a battle never take your eyes off of God!



### BATTLE TACTIC #5

Let the Lord fight your battles...always obey and get in formation (position)



### BATTLE TACTIC #6

By faith, We Praise Him in advance ...Don't wait until the battle is won!

Gala Pictures



Installation Pictures

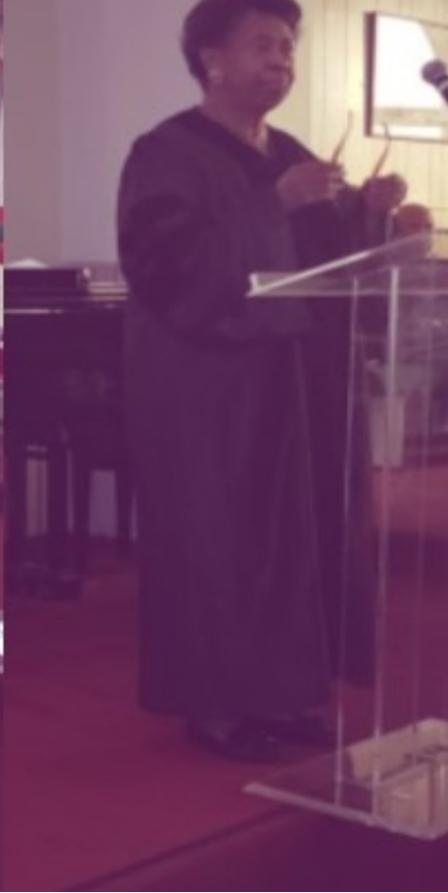


You're Going to Flip

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-ACCEPTS-  
CATECHISM PROMOTION  
CLASS 2019**



**Congratulations  
Graduates!**



9/15

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"Pastor and People - Growing and S



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There is room for You



**P**hone Swap is an African movie, starring all African actors; Wale Ojo, Nse Ikpe-Etim, and Lydia Forson. It was released in 2012 and stayed in the top ten in theaters for over a month. It is about a fashion designer and an arrogant businessman who reluctantly try to help each other out of their predicaments after accidentally swapping phones in the airport where they are both headed to two different cities in Nigeria. This is a funny and interesting movie with a serious message; one that has been repeated over and over throughout time, and this is, “What goes around comes around!” You can watch it on Netflix!

## Schedule of Worship Services

Sunday Morning Services 10:45 AM

Sunday Church School, Baptism and New

Member's Orientation Classes from

9:45 AM—10:30 AM

Ordinance of the Lord's Supper Celebration is served every First

Sunday after the

10:45 AM Worship Service and at 4:45 PM in the Sanctuary

Mid-Week Bible Study and Prayer Services

*Second Baptist Church, Monrovia, Inc*

# ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DRIVE

**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 26, 2019**

Please Donate:

- Turkey
- Macaroni Pasta
- Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes
- Canned tuna/chicken
- Gravy
- Canola Oil (small bottles)
- Butter
- Crackers
- Evaporated Milk
- Chicken Broth
- Eggs
- Socks and Baby Wipes
- Rotisserie Chicken
- Local fast food gift cards
- Monetary donations

Please turn in all donated items to a Mission of Mercy member by **Sunday November 17, 2019**. For any questions on how you can donate or participate, please contact Typhanie Robinson at 626-586-9844.



## What You Should Know When Caring for Someone with Dementia!

**D**ementia is the term applied to a group of symptoms that negatively impact memory, which is the loss of cognitive functioning – thinking, remembering and reasoning. It also affects behavioral abilities to such an extent that it interferes with a person's daily life and activities.

These functions include memory, language skills, visual perception, problem solving, self-management, and the ability to focus and pay attention. Some people with dementia cannot control their emotions and their personalities may change. Dementia ranges in severity from the mildest stage, when it is just beginning, to the most severe stage, when the person must depend completely on others for basic activities of living.



Signs and symptoms of dementia result when once healthy neurons (nerve cells) in the brain stop working and lose connection with other brain cells and die. While everyone loses some neurons as they age, people with dementia experience far greater loss. Alzheimer's disease is a progressive disease of the brain that slowly causes permanent impairment in memory and cognitive function. While dementia is more common as people grow older, it is not a normal part of aging. Many people live into their 90s and beyond without any signs of dementia.

When a person is living with dementia, it is likely that their ability to communicate will be affected in some way. This will depend on the area of the brain that is damaged and/or, the stage of the person's progression through their illness. Potential communication difficulties a person living with dementia may experience include memory loss, difficulty forming ideas, difficulty understanding and difficulty with verbal expression. The person cannot change the way they communi-

cate with others. It is love ones responsibility to change how they communicate with a person with dementia to enhance understanding and well-being.

It is important that the family take time and try to understand the feelings and experiences of the person living with dementia in order to enhance their quality of life. The person living with dementia is a member of the family; a sister or brother, a parent or grandparent; great grandparent, an aunt or an uncle; although it may not be obvious sometime, your love is still there, behind the disease.

As the disease progresses, it becomes easier to forget that your loved one is still present. Remember, the person is more than the disease. Hold on to who you and they were before the diagnosis. The person with dementia should be the focus of love, attention, care and respect from the entire family.

Some things to remember when you love someone with dementia:

Become educated about the disease. Learning as much as you can about the progression of Alzheimer and Dementia can help you empathize with and understand your loved one.

Develop predictable routines and schedules. As the disease progresses, it is more important than ever to have set routines and schedules. This can help to eliminate confusion and frustration for your love one.

Do not argue with love ones suffering from Dementia. Arguing with a love one who has forgotten memory will only upset and frustrate you and them more. Be willing to let most things go.

Meet you love one in the now! Don't try to change your love one back into the person he or she once was. Grieve the loss and then love them as they are right now.

Remember, love ones can feel emotions even after they forget the actual event that caused those emotions. Actions and words matter!

Use every method of communication to reach a love one with this disease. Art, music, and reading are ways to connect when verbal expressions are no longer an option. A Simple touch on the arm can help communicate the feeling of love. As the ability to communicate becomes more difficult, people living with Dementia want family members to find new ways of identifying their needs and preferences. One person stated, "I will not always be able to communicate my needs and so I ask you to be detectives to help figure out what is troubling me." This is what we, as Caregivers need to do when caring for someone with Dementia. We have to play detectives to fulfill their needs and wants.

*Betty Thomas RN*





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Tools for Work

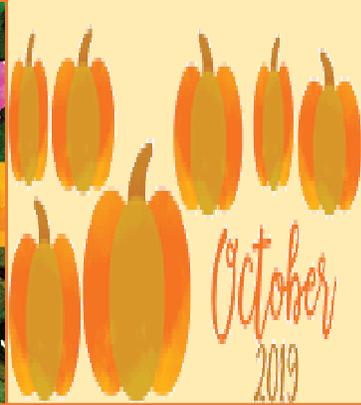
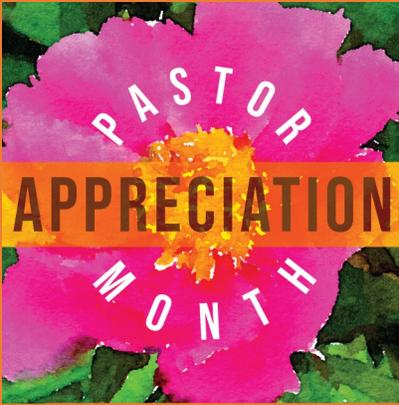
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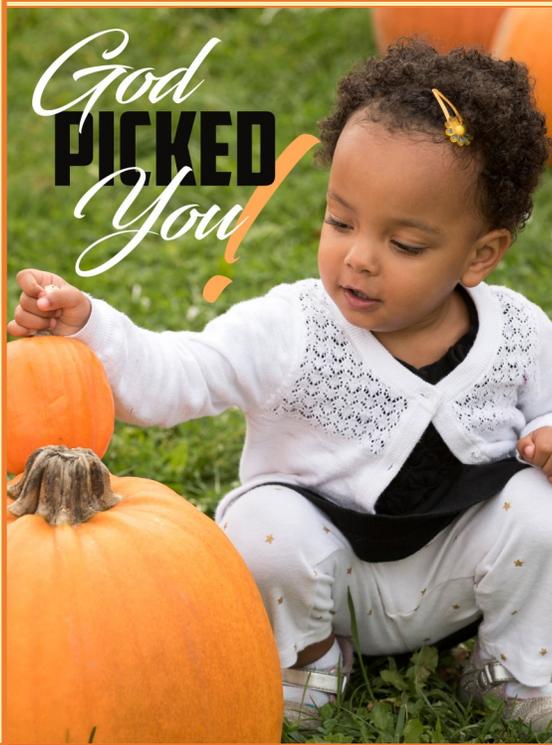




## The Days First Task

**T**he moment you wake up each morning, all your wishes and hopes for the day rush at you like wild animals. And the first job each morning consists of shoving it all back, in listening to that other voice, taking that other point of view, letting that other, larger, stronger, quieter life come flowing in.

—C.S. Lewis, Mere Christianity



## Beyond the Building

**T**he Christian does not go to the temple to worship. The Christian takes the temple with him or her. Jesus lifts us beyond the building and pays the human body the highest compliment by making it his dwelling place, the place where he meets with us.

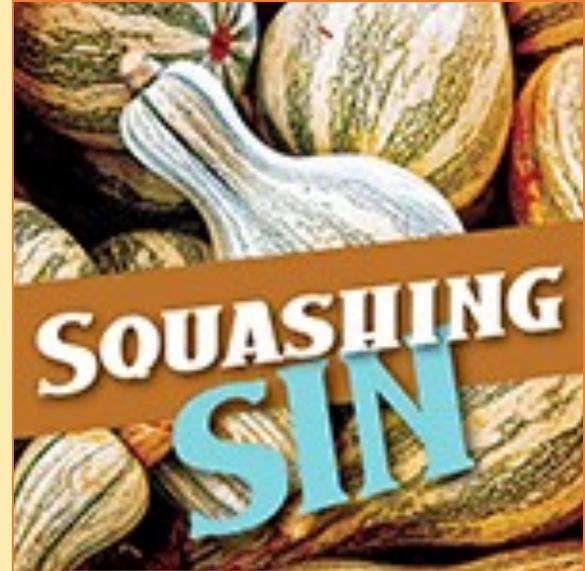
—Ravi Zacharias





# CoRnerStone

A cornerstone harkens back to God's pronouncement in Isaiah 28:16 that he "has laid as a foundation in Zion ... a precious cornerstone." Ephesians 2:20 declares that Jesus is the cornerstone of the household of God. The letters IHC and XP are abbreviations for "Jesus" and "Christ" in ancient Greek.



## Kindness Counts

- Make blankets or scarves for homeless people.
- Send a care package to someone who's in college or the military.
- Collect coins for a charity or cause.
- When you can't attend an event, give the tickets to strangers.
- Provide tutoring or mentoring in your field of expertise.
- Offer to babysit or pet-sit for free.
- Send a note of appreciation to someone who's made a difference in your life.
- Share your gifts of music, reading or conversation at a nursing home.
- Donate old sports equipment to schools.
- Give someone the benefit of the doubt – maybe even a family member or yourself



## Aw-fall!

Share some laughs – or groans – with these autumn-themed jokes:

- What did the tree say to autumn? "Leaf me alone!"
- What did one autumn leaf say to another? "I'm falling for you."
- How do you fix a broken pumpkin? With a pumpkin patch.
- Why are trees very forgiving? Because in the fall they "let it go" and in the spring they "turn over a new leaf."
- How do leaves get from place to place? With autumn-mobiles.
- What's the ratio of a pumpkin's circumference to its diameter? Pumpkin pi.





the  
*Joy*  
of the Harvest  
John 4:35



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