

# Worship Program

## OUR MISSION:

*The Mission of Ebenezer Baptist Church, West is to preach and teach the Gospel of Jesus Christ in such a way that transforms non-believers into believers, believers into disciples, disciples into fruitful mature leaders, who will in turn go back into the world to reach others for Jesus Christ.*

Information about THE WEST  
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Little Lambs Nursery is open for children ages:  
Infants to 5 years old

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## WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER & PRAISE

Prelude  
Devotion  
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Praise & Worship  
\*Call to Worship & Invocation  
\*Hymn of Praise  
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Welcome  
CSC Announcement  
Puerto Rico Relief Efforts  
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## HOLY COMMUNION

The Church Covenant  
Prayer of Remembrance and Rededication  
The Lord's Supper  
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## WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Tithes-Offerings-E-Giving-Mortgage Pay-Off  
*Stewardship Tip:*

God is a steward because He is always giving to us, to others, and to the world. The church is full of Christians but nearly empty of Stewards. For if we had as many stewards in church as we have Christians, the church would give more than enough on Sunday to be effective in ministry for the balance of the week. Stewards honor the words of the Bible that says, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." For the steward is assured that the more one gives, the more God gives. So to be a receiver from God's point of view... try giving!

Prayer  
Offertory Selection  
\*Offertory Response  
"What shall I render unto God for all His Blessings?  
What shall I render, (Tell me) What shall I give? AMEN"  
(Psalm 116:12)

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Selection of Praise  
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Altar Call Prayer  
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## WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

Sermon Hymn  
Sermon

Murder Is A Matter of THE HEART  
Matthew 5:20-26 (21, 22) NIV  
1 John 3:13-24 (15) NIV

## WORSHIP BLESSINGS

\*Invitation to New Members  
Call to Discipleship  
Pastoral Expressions  
Benediction & Postlude

\*Those who are able, please stand  
\*\*Worshippers may enter

**This Week @ The West****Monday – October 9**

6:00 pm Evangelism/Prison Ministry@CMC  
 6:00 pm Trustee Ministry  
 6:30 pm Cub/Boy Scouts

**Tuesday – October 10**

6:00 pm Toastmasters  
**7:00 pm Church Meeting**

**Wednesday – October 11**

**12 Noon Worship**  
**4:00 pm WOW Worship**  
 4:30 pm Mission Rescue  
 5:00 pm Dinner  
 5:00 pm Girl Scout Recruitment  
 6:00 pm Bible Studies For Life  
 6:45 pm BRYGC Choir Rehearsal  
**7:00 pm Male Chorus Rehearsal**  
**7:00 pm Mid-Week Worship**  
 7:45 pm R.E.A.L. Ensemble Rehearsal

**Thursday – October 12**

**12 Noon Bible Study**  
 1:15 pm OPALS Fellowship  
 6:00 pm Pastor's Support Ministry  
**6:30 pm Male Chorus Rehearsal**

**Friday – October 13****Saturday – October 14**

**8:30am Bible Study**  
 9:30am CMC Worship  
**10-12:00 pm Church Meeting**

**Sunday – October 15**

**8:30 am Sunday School**  
**9:00 Bible 101**  
 9:30 am Male Chorus report to Choir Room  
**10:00 am Worship Service**  
 EBCW at Brown's Chapel Baptist Church  
 Dinner 2:00 pm/Worship 3:00 pm  
 Pastor's Anniversary/Baby Dedication  
 for Rev. J. Ricardo Smith

**TODAY @ THE WEST**

9:00 am New Members Class  
 Communion Sunday

**Clergy Appreciation Day**  
 Community Ministry Food Donation  
 10:00 am Kids For Christ  
 Children's Church

Visit our website for additional church  
 information and events at:  
[www.ebcw.org!](http://www.ebcw.org!)

**Upcoming Events @ The West/Community**

A church meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 pm** in the church sanctuary, and a follow-up meeting will be held on **Saturday, October 14 at 10:00 am** in the Choir Room.

The **R.E.A.L. (Redeemed and Empowered for Anointed Living) Young Adult Ministry** will celebrate Homecoming with a REAL Talk Bible Study, featuring the Rev. Nickcoma Burch as guest evangelist, on Saturday, October 21 at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The R.E.A.L. Homecoming Services will be observed during morning worship on Sunday, October 22 with guest minister, Rev. J. Ricardo Smith.

The 50 Shades of Pink Charity Event which benefits the Loran Smith Center for Cancer Support and Cancer Patients will be held on Saturday, October 21, 2017, from 6:00-9:00 pm at the Classic Center Ballroom. Ticket donations are \$40.00. Scholarship Opportunities are available. Please contact Sis. Carrie Dillard for more information.

**"Pray Without Ceasing" (1 Thess. 5:17 NKJV)****MEMBER IN THE NURSING HOME**

Sis. Alfreda Ballard – Unihealth Post-Acute Care on Hawthorne

**HOMEBOUND MEMBERS**

Bro. Bailey Grimes	Sis. Mary Lumpkin
Sis. Dorothy Hemphill	Sis. Frances McBride
Sis. Callie Ann Johnson	Sis. Louise Thomas

**DEATH NOTICES**

Sis. Mary Jo Callaway, funeral held on October 5, 2017, Comer, GA  
 Sister of Sisters Pat Harris and Helen Roberson  
 Bro. Hornsby Howell, Sr., funeral scheduled for October 11, 2017, Raleigh, NC  
 Father of Bro. Michael (Roussalind) Howell

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS AND NEEDS**

"Healing, Restoration and Peace In America"

Puerto Rico Hurricane Efforts	Sis. Jaclyn Brown
Sis. Danette Crawford	Bro. Joe Bankston
Sis. Mae Jo Calloway	Bro. Richard Harris
Bro. Rodrick Williams	Sis. Ethel Jordan
Bro. Jerry Foote	Bro. Antonio Mosley
Sis. Carolyn Johnson	Bro. Danny Peeks
Bro. Wilmer Jackson	Bro. Brian Winston
Bro. Richard Williams	Bro. Will Tharpe
Bro. James Lumpkin, Sr.-Florida	Children of St. Carl Orphanage
Sis. Evelyn Billups	Kisii, Kenya
Sis. Daisy Watkins	Rev. Julius Hope

**Active Military:** Kurt Crafton II, Army | Christopher Lester, Army | Jeron Draine, Army  
 Brandon Greene, Navy | Shaquille Moody, Navy

**May 2018 Kenya Mission to St. Carl Orphanage!**

**An interest meeting will be held, Sunday October 22 after worship in the McCoy Classroom for persons interested in traveling to Kenya to do mission work at the St. Carl Orphanage.**

**Mortgage Principal Payment, October 2, 2017: \$7,000.00**  
**(Thank you for your support!)**