FIRST MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

ANNOUNCEMENTS **APRIL 1, 2018**

"I WAS SICK AND YE VISITED ME"

Our Known Sick and/ or Shut-in Prayer List

Teresa Bridges [I] Jessica Butler [B] Terry Carey [F1] Yvonne Carter [C1] Charlie Clark [K1] Curley Creamier [C2] Samuel Graham [L1] Edwin Green [M3] Beulah (BJ) Harper [D1] Cheryl Harris [D1] Kenneth Irby [N] Kizzie Lane [G1] Thomas Maxey [G2] Gwynne McCathorine [N] William C. McLeod [H1] Maria McNair [C1] Ralph Minor [B] Suzette Montero [F2] Bertha Pickering [K1] Essie Pullman [Z] Frances Reynolds-Collier [N] Katherine Stevens [D1] Haywood Thomas [D4] Cynthia Thompson [M2] Cynthia Walker [Z] Clyde Wimbush [N]

GRAIN OF HEAVEN

Turkey Sausage, Grits, Eggs, Biscuits, Bacon, Potatoes, French Toast, and Seasonal Fresh Fruit.



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Today, Apr 1

Music ~ Easter Choir Sunday School 7A; Worship Service 8A; Sunday School 9:45A; Juvenile Detention 10A; Worship Service 11A

Monday, Apr 2

POISED Class 10A; Academic Education Ministry-Tutorial 7P; Alzheimer's Caregiver Support SGM 3 7P; Bod 4 God SGM 7P; Christian Dating SGM 7P; Financial Freedom for • Millennials SGM 7P: Journey to Jov/ GriefShare 7P; Maturing In Christ SGM (Four Seasons) 7P; Women's Choir Praise Team 7P; Deacon Executive Committee Meeting 7:30P: Deaconess Executive Team Meeting 7:30P

Tuesday, Apr 3

How to Study the Bible SGM 11A; Noon Day Prayer 12P; Usher Ministry 7P; Women's Choir 7P; Women's Choir Praise Team 7P; Trustee Ministry 7:30P

Wednesday, Apr 4

POISED Class 10A; Senior's Ministry 12:30P; Praise & Worship 7:30P; Bible Study 8P

Thursday, Apr 5

Soup to Nuts Cooking & Baking SGM (Woodbridge) 6:30P: A Page at a Time Scrap Booking SGM 7P; Our Words Have Power SGM 7P Joint Leadership Meeting 7:30P; Professional Women SGM (Four

Friday, Apr 6

POISED Class 10A; Carpenters for Christ 7P; Where is God in the Movie SGM 7P; Youth First Friday 7P; Professional Women SGM (Four Seasons) 7:30P

Saturday, Apr 7

Church Meeting 10A; Transportation Ministry 11A: Christian Fellowship Basketball League 11A; Voices of try@firstmountzionbc.com. Zion 11:15A; Daughters of the King SGM 11:30A; Women's Ministry Book Club 11:30A

ACADEMIC EDUCATION MINISTRY

This Week at a Glance & Activities

(AEM)

The following Scholarship applications are in the Narthex by the mailboxes. Pick up your application today! All specifications and contacts are listed on the individual applications.

- Franklin Dunlap Memorial Scholarship presented by Pi Lambda Lambda Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity of PWC
- George M. Hampton Foundation Scholarship
- Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Ira **Dorsey Scholarship**
- The Gospel Worship Experience Scholarship
- **Omicron Zeta Sigma Chapter of Phi** Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Scholarship
 - Northern Virginia Baptist Association - Helen B. Webb Scholarship

Reminder!! The FMZ Scholarship application due date is drawing near. April 16th is just around the corner and you don't want to miss this great opportunity!! High School Seniors, if you haven't picked up your packet, they are available by the mailboxes in the Narthex near the elevator.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

No Children's Church today, April 1st.

Mercantile -Comina 4th Sun. April 22nd, during Children's Church. Children should bring all Christian Character Dollars earned in Children's Ministry to shop at Mercantile. POC: Judy Best, Mercantile Coordinator, (703) 670-0746, genesis04@msn.com.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY SPRING DONA-TION DRIVE

After each Sunday service in April, the Women's Ministry will be collecting newborn diapers for Mary's Shelter in Fredericksburg, which provides housing for women experiencing a crisis during pregnancy. Look for our table in the Narthex to drop off your donations! POC is Sister Dora Muhummad womensminis-

WOMEN'S MINISTRY - WM

Sisters Abounding In Light and Truth (SALT) WM Resolution - "I will live as women answerable to God, faithfully committed to His Word." The women of FMZ will fellowship with thousands of other sisters at the FREE Joyce Myers Conference, on April 21, 2018, from 9:00am - 4:00pm, held at the Eagles Arena, George Mason University, Fairfax VA. Register for the conference and bus after services April 8th and 15th. LIMITED SEATING !!! POC: Lisa Robinson or Linda L. Young - womensministry@firstmountzionbc.org

SALT Girlfriend DAY II (Sept 1, 2018) Sight & Sound Production "JESUS"

"I am the Vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: without me ve can do nothing" John15:5. Sign up for the Girlfriend Day Bus Trip on April 8th. Detailed information will be provided at the WM registration table, located in the Narthex. LIMITED SEATING !!! POC: Lisa Robinson or Linda L. Young womensministry@firstmountzionbc.org.

THE CORE

Join The CORE on Thursday, April 12, 2018 @ 7PM for The Ministry of Life- A monthly spiritual growth session for Young Adults. This month's The Power of Words presented topic: by Reverend Tracey Holley. Meet us at FMZBC! Childcare will be available. For more information please contact TheCore@firstmountzionbc.org

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Special Agents needed to be a part of the God-Squad: Special Agents in Action, I Peter 2:9. Join us June 25th - 29th, 8:00am-12:30pm to make Vacation Bible School 2018 a success. Sign up in the narthex or contact Carmia Salcedo at vbs@firstmountzionbc.org, 703-307-6296. Volunteer screening is mandatory. Student signup begins May 6th

SENIOR'S MINISTRY

Senior's Ministry will meet on Wednesday, April 4th at 12n at First Mount Zion. All Seniors 55 and over are invited to join us for lunch and Bible Study with Rev. Sandra K. James. POC: Co-Chairs Mrs. Mary Melton and Mrs. Shirley Hardy, seniorsministry@firstmountzionbc.org

Seasons) 7:30P

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Renee Woolfolk Church Business Administrator rwoolfolk@firstmountzionbc.org THE COST FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR RECOGNITION OF INDIVIDUALS IS \$20.00 PER REQUEST. PAYMENT SHOULD ACCOMPANY YOUR REQUEST. PLEASE LIMIT YOUR WORDING TO TWO LINES. THE REQUEST SHOULD BE SENT TO THE CHURCH OFFICE NLT 12 NOON ON WEDNESDAY TO: ANNOUNCEMENTS@FIRSTMOUNTZIONBC.ORG. WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE CHANGES AS NECESSARY.

MUSIC & ARTS MINISTRY APRIL

REHEARSALS

Women's Choir Praise Team Mon 2: 7P Tues 3: 7P

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Voices of Zion Sat 7; 11:15A Thurs 12; 7P

Jewels Choir Thurs 12, 19; 7P

Men's Choir Tues 10, 17; 7:30P

Mass Choir Thurs 26; 7:30P SMALL GROUPS MINISTRY

Please Save the Date

Interest Based Small Groups Appreciation

"Connecting through Laughter"

With Guest Comedian, Marcus D. Wiley Friday, June 15, 2018

7:00PM - 9:00PM

First Mount Zion Baptist Church

*Open to all for an evening of Appreciation, Laughter and Praise!

POC: Stephanie M. Craddock -Scraddock@firstmountzionbc.org

GRIEFSHARE

FMZBC's Grief Support Ministry, Journey to Joy will host our second Grief-Share session, a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after the death of a loved one. This 13 week program runs through May 14, 2018. GriefShare is a free facilitator designed program with special topics, a participant handbook, DVDs featuring grief experts and group discussions. Join us on Monday evening! We know it hurts and we want to help and provide encouragement after the death of a loved one.

LEADERSHIP NOMINATIONS

Congregation Nominations for Leadership: The First Mount Zion Baptist Church Constitution & By-Laws gives members the opportunity to recommend men and women of the church for leadership positions (Deaconess, Deacon and Trustee). A nomination information package may be picked up at the leadership desk in the Narthex. The deadline for 2019 consideration is May 31. Nominations received after that date will be considered in 2020. Leadership points of contact: Deacon Brodrick Wilcox, Deaconess Claudia Woolfolk and Trustee Karen Davis.

FMZ BASKETBALL Saturday April 7th at 11:35am FMZ vs. Ice Cold from Dale City Christian Church in the Gymnasium. Concessions available in the Grain of Heaven. Come watch, fellowship and support our church team. Go FMZBC!

SECURITY MINISTRY

Are you looking for a valiant, intrepid ministry to serve with at First Mount Zion?

Are you willing to join us in our efforts to keep our church services safe and secure?

• Are you able to serve a minimum of one Sunday each month?

If so, we'd be honored to welcome you onto the FMZ Security Ministry. We're looking for devoted men AND women who are willing and able to step forward to become "protectors" of God's people and His house.

Stop by the Security Ministry desk in the narthex for a Ministry Interest Form or contact Andie Jackson by email at Ajax6280@gmail.com.

PROVERBS PLACE SUMMER CAMP "Splash Canyon"

God's Promise on Life's Wild Ride

June 18 - August 17, 2018, 7A - 5P

Children ages 5-12 years old

(5 year old must have completed kindergarten) Early registration reduced rate - \$40. Regular registration starts April 14th at the Please rate of \$75. visit www.proverbsplace.net or call (703) 565-5062 for more information.

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Jewels Choir Director

The Jewels Choir Director is primarily responsible for leading, teaching, and preparing a small to medium size choir of young children. The Jewels Choir Director works closely with the Minister of Music, FMZBC staff and leadership, volunteers, and musicians in fulfilling the responsibilities of the third Sunday worship service and overall mission of FMZBC. The full iob description is available in the Admin Office.

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION FORUM

The National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Prince William County Chapter will host a Diversity and Inclusion Forum at FMZBC on Saturday, April 14 from 4:00 to 6:00pm. The forum is free. Local clergy and political leaders will be in attendance. RSVP to Deaconess Mary R. Lively, 571-237-9417 or Dr. Alice H. Howard, 703-680-6331.