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(Great Things Are Happening)

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Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church



Dr. David Anthony Clarke, Sr.
First Lady Michelle Wilson Clarke



Teddy Madison, Assistant Pastor
Lady Jae' Madison



~ MISSION STATEMENT ~

“To draw people to Christ, maximize our potential and creatively meet the physical and emotional needs of the church and community.”

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~ *Message from the Pastor* ~

Beloved,

Grace and peace to you and your families from the Father of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! There is a lot going on in our world. Yet, our sovereign God makes all grace abound and causes all things to work together for good for all of us who love Him and are called according to His purpose. That's good news for God's people!

I want you to be encouraged in knowing we are moving forward as a church family. For example, we are making strides toward completing our Beautification Project. Because of God's grace and your giving, we are taking steps to:

- ⇒ Purchase and install a new steeple on top of the sanctuary
- ⇒ Install new flooring throughout the sanctuary
- ⇒ Reupholster and refinish the pews
- ⇒ Place new chairs in the choir stand



Dr. David Anthony Clarke, Sr.

I appreciate all that has gone into this project so far. As I shared with you on Sunday, March 6th, completing this effort will take several months. The material that will cover the pews will not be manufactured until after we order it. It will take quite some time to produce it and ship it to the company that will do the work for us. Once the material arrives, the pews will be picked up, taken away, and made like new. This process will take up to two weeks or so. We may be out of the sanctuary one or two Sundays. So, we'll worship at the Field of Dreams during that time.

Once we complete the work in the sanctuary, we'll then begin the upgrade on the Vision Center. We will upgrade the Vision Center in phases according to priorities established as follows:

1. Repair and/or replace the roof.
2. Focus on the repairs needed in the men and women's bathrooms (dividers, toilets, urinals, etc.).
3. Frame up area in men's bathroom for AC unit to be removed from ceiling and installed on the floor in men's bathroom area.
4. Fix/service areas in the kitchen that the Fire Marshall has identified and replace kitchen faucet and stove.

5. Replace two (2) electrical panels in the kitchen – just the electrical panel and fuses...not the wiring.
6. Replace the electrical wiring that is needed, pull wiring in the ceiling, etc.
7. Repair leak in floor area with new sealant options if possible and monitor areas for leaks to determine what areas need to be fixed.
8. Replace gutters and other items on the list.

I appreciate Bro. James Booker and our Trustees for establishing the priorities for the Vision Center. We believe the finished product will glorify the Lord and be marvelous in our sight.

So, we are moving forward! Not only regarding our properties, but also our Ministry Action Plan for 2022. I was encouraged by the number of ministry workers who participated in our recent workshop. There was great energy in the midst as ministry teams discussed how they can help work the plan. We're planning the work, working the plan, and trusting God to make it all work to advance His kingdom! May the Lord lead us, pace us, and prosper the works of our hands as He uses us for His glory! Be encouraged and enjoy the journey, family!

Moving forward & growing in grace,

Pastor David Anthony Clarke, Sr.





UGMBC Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday

Contact Sis. Jan Scott
for an appointment.



Sunday School

9:00 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship

10:15 a.m.

Wednesday

Prayer by phone - 12:20 p.m.

E-Manna Bible Study

Wednesday

6:30 p.m.

Worship by Phone

Wednesdays at 12:20pm (Members only!)



SUNDAY SCHOOL/WORSHIP

New Phone Number: 267-807-9495

~ VISION STATEMENT ~

"To be a global network of learning, loving and life transforming ministries where hungry worshippers are discovering and walking in their God-given purpose with exceeding great joy".

Learn * Serve * Give * Connect



As we enter March, we recognize the importance of women. Women's Day is celebrated on March 8. On that day we honor the power and struggles of women and celebrate the remarkable contributions women have made to our society. But this celebration should be an everyday practice. Women have value that is equal to men although women at times were not thought of as being equal to men.

The Bible with its many, many tales of godly women let us know that women are not an afterthought for it is shown in Genesis when God celebrated Eve to be a helpmate for Adam. The Old Testament Bible not only relates the story of those first women, Eve, but many other women that impacted the nation of Israel. The New Testament relates many stories about Jesus interacting with women. Mother, soldier, judge, follower of Christ are just some of roles we find women depicted in scripture. Although men are recognized in the Bible for their character and strength, women also inspired others because of their strong faith in knowing the Lord Jesus Christ.

Today, women continue to be an equal and integral part of God's plan for the world. Women fill a variety of roles: teachers, judges, in business, doctors, mothers, daughters and now we have a Vice-President of the United States, a.k.a. Kamala Harris!

As I prepared this article, I came across many articles of important women in the Bible. Due to the fact there are so many, I'm listing web sites that one may go to in order to read about these wonderful women?

[15 Great Women of the Bible Every Christian Must-Know.](#)

[20 Famous Women of the Bible](#)

[Heroines and Harlots: Biblical Women Who Impacted Their World](#)

[Women in the Bible—What Can We Learn From Them?](#)

SACRIFICE like ESTHER
LOVE like RUTH
SERVE like MARTHA
PRAY like HANNAH
BELIEVE like MARY
DANCE like MIRIAM

Sis. Jackie Powell



“Jehosheba”

II Kings 11:1-3



Dr. David A. Clarke
Senior Pastor



Prayer
Deacon T.C. Caldwell



Responsive Reading
Min. Marie Anderson



“The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power”
Sis. Denise Davis & Bro. Jonathan Green



Holy Communion
Elder Rashee Ragin



Special Presentation
First Lady Clarke



What makes her strong?

- 1) We can see strength in her decisiveness.
- 2) We can see strength in her initiative.
- 3) We can see strength in her endurance.



Dr. David Anthony Clarke, Sr.

Joshua 8:1-3

“I’m Strong Enough to Win This Time”

- 1) Because I’ve resolved some sin issues.
- 2) Because I have a reserved victory.
- 3) Because I’ve got re-enforcements.



Altar Call/Prayer
Min. Nicole Steedley



Selection
Deacon T.C. Caldwell



Responsive Reading
Sis. Gwendolyn & Kea’ya Reeves



Poem
Sis. Margie Tuck



Selection
“Since I Laid My Burdens Down”
Deacon Jerome Stephens



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“Is Enough Always Enough?”
 1 Kings 19:1-10
 Dr. David A. Clarke, Sr.
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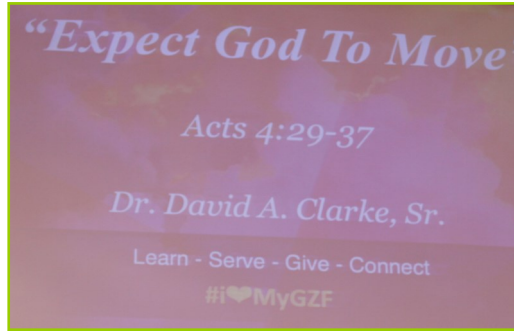
Sounds of Blackness
 Trinity Madison



“The Battle Is Not Yours”
 Sis. Danika Simmons



1) Elijah used solitude in the wilderness to gain strength, to keep going, 2) You need supplication in prayer, and 3) Being served by an angel.



Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing

Life ev'ry voice and sing
'Til earth and heaven ring,
Ring with the harmonies of Liberty;
Let our rejoicing rise
High as the list'ning skies,
Let it resound loud as the rolling sea.

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark
past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope that the present
has brought us,
Facing the rising sun of our new day begun
Let us march on 'til victory is won.



**Prayer/Altar Call
Min. Marie Anderson**



Praise Team



**Responsive Reading
Bro. Anthony & Josiah Steedley**

Kea'ya Reeves

Black is as beautiful as you and I saying Hi!
Black is as beautiful as two sisters walking hand in hand.
Black is as beautiful as wading in a pond on a hot
summer day.
Black is as beautiful as you holding your baby for the very
first time.

Black is as beautiful as the bright rising sun.
Black is as beautiful as a simple kiss placed on the forehead.
Black is as beautiful as lilies on Easter morning.
Black is as beautiful as saying I love you.
Black is me and I AM BEAUTIFUL.



Prayer includes: 1) adoration, 2) re-iteration, and 3) expectation. "Pray as if we expect God to move. If we pray with expectation, God will move on our behalf. Not only will God do it for you, he'll do it thru you."



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UNION GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

LEARN | SERVE | GIVE | CONNECT



E-Manna Bible Study
Wednesdays
6:30pm
Facebook/Youtube



“Sit Still And Work On The Vision”

I Timothy 1:3-11

Timothy needed to be properly positioned:

- 1) The young buck’s submission.
- 2) The people’s attention.
- 3) The father’s vision.

Paul helped Timothy, he wanted him to shine.

“Work that vision and watch God blow your mind.”

*Learn * Serve * Give * Connect*

Sunday School

learning to live the life

Online

By Phone



In Person

SUNDAYS AT 9:00 A.M.

In person & Online



Min. Arie Freeman, Jr.

*Learn * Serve * Give * Connect*

~ ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ FEBRUARY RECAP

Minister Arie Freeman, Jr.

I Cor. 12:1, 28 – Now concerning spiritual gifts ...And God have set some in the church, first apostles, secondarily prophets, thirdly teachers ...

Adult Sunday School Teachers

Elder Connie Dinkins, Brother Michael White, and Minister Arie Freeman, Jr.

Our study for this quarter presented a series of scriptures related to the birth, teaching, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Scriptures we looked at will be from the Old and New Testament. We will examine the Gospel of Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, and Psalm. We get to see how all these lessons relate to the event in Isaiah. Some 400 years after the prophecy by Isaiah all what was prophesied was about to happen. This quarter we examined Jesus' Triumphant Arrival, His teaching on Truth and Trial and lastly, Triumph over Trials. We can be assured that Jesus will always triumph. God will triumph over Satan, good will triumph over evil. For the month of February, Minister Arie Freeman facilitated the lessons. This final unit of the quarter will be dealing with **Triumph over Trials**.

Unit 3: Triumph over Trials:

This unit covers Jesus' religious trial before Annas and Caiaphas and His civil trial before the Roman Governor, Pilate. Jesus spends time in prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane, He is betrayed by Judas and is denied by Peter. Jesus is interrogated by Pilate, sent to be tried by Herod, and returned to Pilate. Finally the High Priest and elders get their wish, Jesus is sentenced to death. He is crucified at Calvary at a place call Golgotha.

Lesson 2: Trials and Denials: From the Gospel of John 18; It is important to know that Jesus was aware of all that was going to happen. Yet, He never wavered in His commitment to fulfill the will of God. This was the worst night of Jesus' life. Still, He kept his dignity and trusted God. After being betrayed by Judas, Jesus willingly went with the soldiers to Annas house. Peter followed from a distance and spent time in the courtyard warming himself. Annas was more concerned with what Jesus was teaching His disciples. Jesus spoke openly and often in the Temple, so Annas knew what His teaching was. Even after being slapped, Jesus never retaliated. After Annas could not get any answers, He sent Jesus to Caiaphas. Peter was three times if he was a follower of Jesus life, Peter denied it each time. On his last denial Jesus was there to hear it for He was on His way to Caiaphas house. When Peter saw Jesus and heard the rooster crow, he remembered the words Jesus had told him earlier. "You will deny knowing me three times before the rooster crows. Peter later ran away bitterly weeping. **Points to remember:** (1). Prayer will enable you to stand and be strong. (2). Being a follower of Christ may cause you problems in the secular world. (3.) When we are faced with adversity, we can always turn to Jesus. (4). Be careful of what you say, you may have to answer for it later.

Lesson 3: Pilate: What is Truth? From the Gospel of John 18:28-40 we see where Jesus is taken from The High Priest, Caiaphas, to the Pilate, the Roman Governor. They refuse to enter the Governor quarters because they will be defiled according to Jewish law, they cannot enter the home of a Gentile. Pilate comes out and they tell him Jesus is a criminal. Pilate questioned Jesus several times, inquiring if He was a King. Jesus responded that His kingdom is not an earthly kingdom. Pilate sent Jesus to Herod because Jesus was a Galilean. Herod ridiculed and mocked Jesus then sent Him back to Pilate. Pilate could find no fault in which to have Jesus killed, however, the elders and priests insisted. Pilate offered to release Jesus because of the Passover custom. Instead, they asked for the release of Barabbas. Everything that happened and will happen was prophesied by Isaiah. Everything was the fulfillment of prophecy. The Jews had to have Pilate sentence Jesus for Him to be crucified and "Lifted Up". In the fulfillment of prophecy. **Points to remember:** (1.) Actions speak louder than the words you speak. (2.) Christians some time will do unchristian like things. (3.) We cannot stop the things God

has ordained. (4.) The injustice Jesus received purchased our salvation. (5.) God can and will use the worst of people to get His work done.

Lesson 4: Crucifixion and Death: From the Gospel of John 19:16-30 we see where Pilate had Jesus whipped with a lead-tipped whip. The soldiers mocked Him and took off His clothing and dressed Jesus in a purple robe. Pilate brought Jesus back out to the people dressed in purple and tried once again to set Jesus free. But they screamed Crucify Him. When Jesus refused to respond to Pilate questions, Pilate said, “Don’t you know I have the power to set you free”. Jesus responded, “You have no power over me unless it is from God.” Jesus is then dressed in His own garments and robe and led to Calvary. A place called the skull of Golgotha. Crucifixions were held outside the city gates. His hands and feet are nailed to the cross, then He is ‘lifted up’ so all to see. Pilate had an inscription placed on Jesus’ cross. It read “Jesus of Nazareth, The King of the Jews. From the sixth to the ninth hour, darkness covered the land as Jesus bore the sins of all mankind. His last words “It is Finished”. Jesus willingly gave up His spirit and died. Jesus was obedient to the Will of God throughout the whole trial and crucifixion. Just as God spoke at Jesus’ baptism, this is my Beloved Son in whom I am well pleased. He was well pleased with Jesus finishing His God given task. **Points to remember:** (1). We all have a cross to bear and the Holy Spirit will help us. (2). The plans of God will happen just as He ordains them. We can do nothing to change them. (3). We have a responsibility to look out for the welfare of our relatives when possible. (4). We are to do all we can to finish the work God has given us. (5). Jesus will always be faithful and obedient to the will of God.

Lesson 5: Jesus by the Sea of Tiberias: From the Gospel of John 21:1-14 we see where Jesus shows Himself again to His disciples. Early Sunday morning Jesus appeared to Mary Magdalene when she was crying wondering what had happened to the body of Jesus. Jesus told her to go find and tell the others He had ascended to God. Later that evening as the disciples were gathered behind locked doors out of fear, Jesus appeared to them. The disciple, Thomas wasn’t there and when the disciples told him that they had seen Jesus he refused to believe. Eight days later Jesus appeared to all the disciples including Thomas and Thomas saw the holes in Jesus’ hands and where He was pierced in the side. This time it was at the Sea of Galilee. Seven of the disciples were fishing without any luck. They were told to throw their net on the right side. The net became filled with fish. John said to Peter “It is the Lord”. Peter jumped out the boat and swam ashore. Breakfast was cooking on an open fire and Jesus said come and eat. This was the third time Jesus appeared to the disciples. Jesus appeared often to His disciples to teach, strengthen, and to encourage them. The Book of Acts records that Jesus was seen by over 100 persons before ascending into Heaven. **Points to remember:** (1). We can be assured that Jesus will never forget about us. (2). Sometimes we will get good information from strangers. (3). Spend time with the Lord as often as you can. (4). We are His witnesses to others as to what Jesus has done and will do. (5). Jesus will provide the things we are in need of, He is a Provider.

In March we start a new quarter with the theme: **Training** all from the Letter Paul wrote to the Corinthians. Brother White and Minister Freeman will be facilitating.

My prayer is for God to continue to bless this ministry as we strive to share the Good News of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior?





~ Financial Corner ~

Let's March ON!



Sister Wanda Verrett

Where are we marching to you ask? To the land of debt-free living. What does that land look like? Let's see. ***Proverbs 22:7 – The rich rule over the poor, and the borrower is servant to the lender.*** What could you do if you didn't have that credit card payment, car payment, house payment every month? The possibilities are endless. Did that thought bring a smile to your face?

If you think you are not servant/slave to the lender, for whom have you been working? If after you get paid and pay your creditors, you are broke again. You have been working for free. Free labor is slave labor. Think back to the times of the sharecroppers. They worked all year, using the fields, seeds, fertilizer of the owner and at harvest time, were supposed to share in the profits of the field 50/50. However, because they had borrowed so much from the "company store" during the year, they owed much of their share. They were obligated to stay on another year to pay their debt. Are you a sharecropper? Do you borrow all year to make ends meet to only find yourself getting further and further behind? If you use your credit card to pay for everyday expenses, that's exactly what you are doing. Most sharecroppers eventually ran away and started over somewhere else (bankruptcy).

What do we do now? First, we take an assessment of where we are. How much income do you get each month? Add up all revenue streams, including your side hustle. Next, get your checkbook out and make note of where your money is going. If you take a certain amount of cash each payday out of your account, try to remember what you did with that cash. If you spend a certain amount on lunch, write that down. If that is part of your entertainment budget, write that down. Now determine what your outgoing expenses are for the month. Subtract your outgoing expenses from your incoming funds. If your outgoing is more than your incoming (Yes this is possible), you are a sharecropper!

The good news is this is fixable.

1. Stop charging. Look at what you have been charging as "needs." Were they really necessities? Food and clothing is available for free or almost free. Many churches and nonprofits still operate food banks. Shop Goodwill or your closet.
2. Get a second/third revenue stream/income. There are part-time jobs or work from home opportunities available. Be aware of the scammers for "work from home" jobs.
3. Pay off debt quickly. There is a philosophy that we will owe til we die so don't worry about it. This is a trick of the enemy.
4. Make sure you have an emergency fund and a long-term (retirement) fund in place. If your employer has a 401k, 403b, etc, contribute the maximum, especially if they match funds. Can you save \$10 per week, or at least \$50 per month?

We didn't get in debt overnight and we won't get out overnight, but be consistent and it will happen.



~ Union Grove Healthcare Ministry ~

March 2022

Minister Earnestine Thompson, Leader

We need to keep our minds and bodies healthy. Covid 19 continues to spread as the Omicron variant. Getting vaccinated is the most effective way to protect you and your families from getting seriously ill. Covid 19 continues to spread but the testing helps reduce the spread. Symptoms are fever, sore throat, running noses, loss of taste and smell. If you come in contact with someone who has covid, get tested five days after the exposure, remember CDC protocols six feet social distance, mask up and wash your hands regularly.

February is Heart Month, not everyone sees a cardiologist. We should, it's like giving your body a new battery. We need to unlock our true physical and mental potential. Life is too short to feel tired all the time. One of the greatest gifts you can have in life is energy. We don't need clogged heart arteries so schedule your appointment so you can stay in tune with your heavenly father. Let's learn how to take care of our bodies so we are able to do the work of the Lord. Learn to eat properly from daily food groups. Weight gain, skin problems and fatigue is part of heart problems. Your heart supports every process of body inside of you. It pumps blood and carries nutrients to your body so your whole system can run properly. Ten signs of heart disease are: 1. You struggle to breathe when lying flat 2) you have leg or hip pain while walking 3) you experience erectile dysfunction diabetes or chronic stress 4) Vaginal dryness 5) your ankles are swollen 6) you're fatigued for no reason 7) you wake up to pee a lot 8) you have bad breath 9) you spot fatty growths like lesions, calicos deposits 10) you're feeling nauseous.

We thank the Healthcare team members - Felecia Hamlin, Rosemary Rodgers, and Minister Earnestine Thompson for their support at the Union Grove Annual Women's Conference ("Transformation"). We thank Rosemary Rodgers for gifts and giveaways she sponsored at the conference and Felecia Hamlin for being so faithful to the ministry. We thank God for blessing that conference because it brought the women of Union Grove and the community together.

February was also Black History month. This is where we recognize and commit to beauty of our communities and the dreams of those who came before us. We take a few minutes to lift our voices for our families, communities and ourselves. We take a few moments and study our history events. Remembering the song: *"Lift every voice and sing, till earth and heaven ring, ring with the harmonies of liberty, let our rejoicing rise high as the listening skies, let it resound loud as the rolling sea"*. Here are a few good Black Movies to watch: Fences, Respect, Sing Sister, Sing Brothers, Who's Coming to Dinner, One Night in Miami, Judas and Black Messiah, Soul, Dr. Martin Luther King Speeches, Sylvia Love, High on Hog, South Side, Lovecraft Country, Tiffany Haddish They Ready, Roots, Black Art in Absence of Light, and King Richard are just a few.

Healthcare took in a couple of the free movies that the Douglass offered as an outing for Black History Month. We are few in numbers, but we thank God and Pastor David Clarke for letting us do what we are able to contribute to our Church family and community. We are always recruiting, we know God has more loving and compassionate people that love to help others. So come and join our ministry, it's a rewarding one because we work for the Lord and his people. You can always contact Minister Annie Lester or Minister Earnestine Thompson after worship service on Sundays or leave a message at church with your information and we will get back with you.

Here are few scriptures to read concerning the heart: Deu 6:5, 1 Samuel 16:7, Isaiah 57:15, Ezekiel 11:10, 1 Peter 1:22, II Corinth 3:3, John 14:1, Luke 2:19, Luke 24: 32



"And now why tarriest thou? Arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord."

Acts 22:16

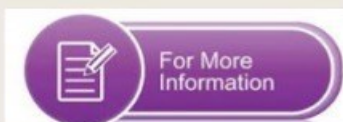


Baptism

Pastor Madison & Deacon Stephens



Are you a High School or College Senior that will be graduating in 2022? Are you transitioning from Elementary to Middle or Middle to High School? If so, please visit the church website at www.thegrovetwr.org and fill out the short UGMBC Graduation Worship Participation Form. The scholarship ministry will be in contact with you upon receiving your information.



Contact Lady Michelle at 478-227-5051 or ladyclarke1968@gmail.com.



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2021 Financial Statements



If you would like a copy of your tithes and offerings contributions for 2021, please sign the list located on the bulletin board in the back of the church. Print Clearly Your Name and Phone Number.

Blessings
Sis. Tamara Sanders
Financial Secretary

WELCOME BACK

Children's Church

Who Foundation Grades K-5

When Sunday March 13, 2022

Where Youth Classroom Area

Pastor David A. Clarke Sr., Senior Pastor
Michelle Wilson Clarke, First Lady

The graphic features a bright blue background with pink and yellow decorative elements. A photo of Pastor David A. Clarke Sr. and Michelle Wilson Clarke is shown in a white frame. The text is arranged in a clean, modern layout with bold headers for 'Who', 'When', and 'Where'.



Champion Life Youth Bible Study

2nd and 4th Thursdays
6:00p.m.
via Zoom

The graphic has a dark blue background with white stars and a pink zigzag line. An illustration of an open book is on the left, and a group of four people holding hands is at the bottom. A small logo for 'LIFE' is in the top right corner.

The Men's Ministry's Walk, Bike, and Fellowship ~ Winter Schedule ~

We'll meet Thursdays 9:AM
at the new
Warner Robins
Parks & Recreation Facility
900 N. Houston Road
Warner Robins, GA 31093



Whether you come to walk, or sit and chat, you are
always welcome to join us for the fellowship.

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PLEASE JOIN US TO CELEBRATE

Mattie Howard's
BIRTHDAY

SATURDAY | APRIL 16, 2022 | @
119 Market St.
Warner Robins, Georgia
4PM - 9PM

RSVP by 03/25/2022 Ann Allen(478) 722-4916



2022 State Elections & Voter Registration Calendar

ELECTIONS	VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE	ELECTION DATE
Special Election Date	February 14, 2022	March 15, 2022
Special Election Runoff Date	February 14, 2022	April 12, 2022
General Primary Election, and Nonpartisan General Election and Special Election Date	April 25, 2022	May 24, 2022
General Primary Election, and Nonpartisan General Election and Special Election Runoff Date	April 25, 2022	June 21, 2022
General Primary Election Runoff Date for Federal Races	May 23, 2022	June 21, 2022
General Election/Special Election Date	October 11, 2022*	November 8, 2022
General Election/Special Election Runoff Date	October 11, 2022*	December 6, 2022
General Election Runoff Date for Federal Races	November 7, 2022	December 6, 2022

MAY 24, 2022
GENERAL PRIMARY/NONPARTISAN GENERAL/SPECIAL
ELECTION
REGISTRATION DEADLINE – APRIL 24, 2022

EARLY / ADVANCE VOTING – DATES / HOURS

EARLY VOTING LOCATION	EARLY VOTING DATES / HOURS
<p><i>Main Office</i> Houston County Board of Election 2030 Kings Chapel Road, Perry</p> <p>=====</p> <p><i>Satellite Location</i> Houston Health Pavilion Conf Center 233 N. Houston Road, Warner Robins</p> <p>=====</p> <p><i>Satellite Location</i> Central Georgia Technical College Roy H. "Sonny Watson Health Sciences" 71 Cohen Walker Dr., Warner Robins</p> <p>=====</p> <p><i>Satellite Location</i> North Houston Sports Complex 900 N. Houston Road, Warner Robins</p>	<p>May 2 – May 6 ((Mon – Fri) 8:00 am – 5:00 pm May 7 (Sat) 9:00 am – 5:00 pm</p> <p>May 9 – May 13 (Mon – Fri) 8:00 am – 5:00 pm May 14 (Sat) 9:00 am – 5:00 pm</p> <p>May 16 – May 20 (Mon – Fri) 8:00 am – 5:00 pm</p>

To see if you are eligible, download the GA Votes app on your smartphone or tablet, visit the My Voter Page at www.mvp.sos.ga.gov; scan the QR code below or call 987-1973.



Media Ministry

VOLUNTEERS

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or email us at media@thegrovewr.org



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SEM LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Married Couples

Motrvators

Singles

Young Adults



Contact

Deacon Jerome Stephens

478-929-1476 * 478-447-0251, email:
jeromestephens@bellsouth.net



The Spiritual Enrichment Ministry has (4) four vacancies, they are:

1. **Married Couples Ministry Leader(s)**
2. **Motrvators Ministry Leader (36-59)**
3. **Singles Ministry Leader (ages 18 and up)**
4. **Young Adults Ministry (ages 19-35)**

If you are spiritually motivated to lead any one of the ministries listed above please give Deacon Jerome Stephens a call at 478-447-0251 or 478-929-1476.

The Spiritual Enrichment Ministry needs you at this junction because Pastor Clarke and Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church have developed a Ministry Action Plan for 2022. You and the ministry of choice can be a part of this plan. Glory be to God.

The Plan:

1. Offer an impactful worship experience.
2. Reach young couples and their children.
3. Reach young people who are within walking distance to our church.
4. Adopt schools in HCBE, make our adoption of Pearl Stephens more realized.
5. Increase numbers of volunteers.
6. Foster intergenerational connections.

In His Service,

Deacon Jerome Stephens

jeromestephens@bellsouth.net



*Learn * Serve * Give * Connect*

**** GTAH Newsletter Policy ****

The GTAH Newsletter for the Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church (UGMBC) is to share Great Things Are Happening (GTAH). The newsletter is to publish wonderful, positive, God-glorifying information for our readers. This includes listing the names of members who have recently gone home to be with the Lord.

Here are the guidelines for any UGMBC member who desires to pay tribute to another member of our church family who has recently transitioned from earth to glory:

1. Any UGMBC member is allowed to pay tribute to another UGMBC member. Only church members may receive a tribute. No articles paying tribute to non-UG members will be published.
2. Tributes are allowed only at the time of the deceased member's transition. There will be no tributes on the anniversaries of transitions or heavenly birthdays.
3. If photos are submitted with the written tribute, only one photo will be published. Articles and photos must be submitted via email to GTAHNewsletter@gmail.com.
4. All articles paying tribute to deceased UGMBC members must be written and submitted to the GTAH Staff. Articles must not exceed 100 words. Any exceptions must be approved by the Senior Pastor.
5. Articles and photos must be submitted prior to the GTAH Team's publication deadline.

Birthday Shout-outs:

1. Birthday shout-outs can only be to current members of Union Grove.
2. No pictures are to be included in the shout-outs.
3. Must not exceed 140 characters – not 140 words – 140 characters.

Dr. David Anthony Clarke, Sr.
Senior Pastor, UGMBC



~ **Ministerial Staff** ~

Dr. David Anthony Clarke, Sr.

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Pastor Teddy Madison

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Elder Rashee Ragin

Pastor John Sutton

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Minister Dannie Dukes

Minister Arie Freeman, Jr.

Minister Shane Hardee

Minister Mary Lenoir

Minister Annie Lester

Minister Edquader Marble

Minister Bridgette Oglesby

Minister Africa Porter

Minister Nicole Steedley

Minister Earnestine Thompson

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	Deacon Cleveland Beard	957-3108
D-F	Deacon Slater Thorpe	218-8736
G-I	Deacon Curtis Jackson	953-1676
J-K	Deacon William Jackson	929-4918
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	Deacon Arthur Nottingham	334-9769
O-R	Deacon Monroe Clark	953-2044
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T-V	Deacon Charles Lenoir	953-2350
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Linda McCants

Minnie McCollum

April McKinzy

Leonard McNair

Sharonda McNair

Ramona McPherson

Marie Newell

Kimberly Paster

Stacy Reeves

Charlotte Shelton

Alex Simmons

Condell Smith

Josiah Steedley

Janet Streater

Robert Strickland III

Brenda Thornton

Catrina Turner

Shun'kia Turner

Shwanda Tyson

Aukira Walker

Andrena Williams



Happy Birthday, First Lady Michelle!!!



*Minister Africa Porter
Brian Porter
March 10*

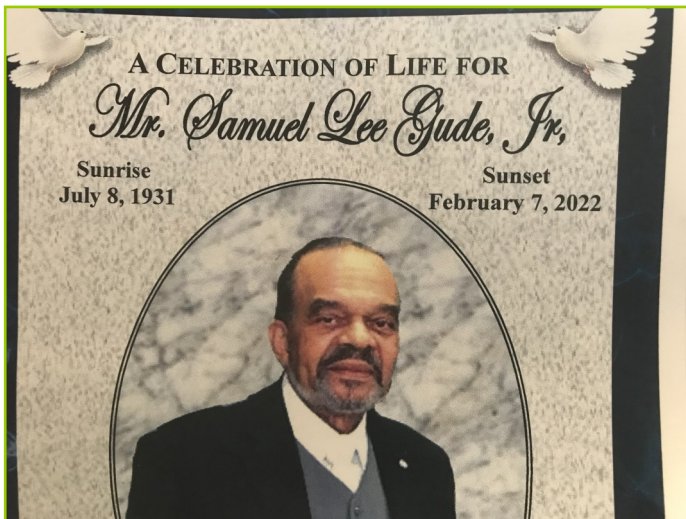


*Dozier & Kathryn
McCrea
March 17*



*Elder Rashee Ragin
Kesha Ragin
March 31*

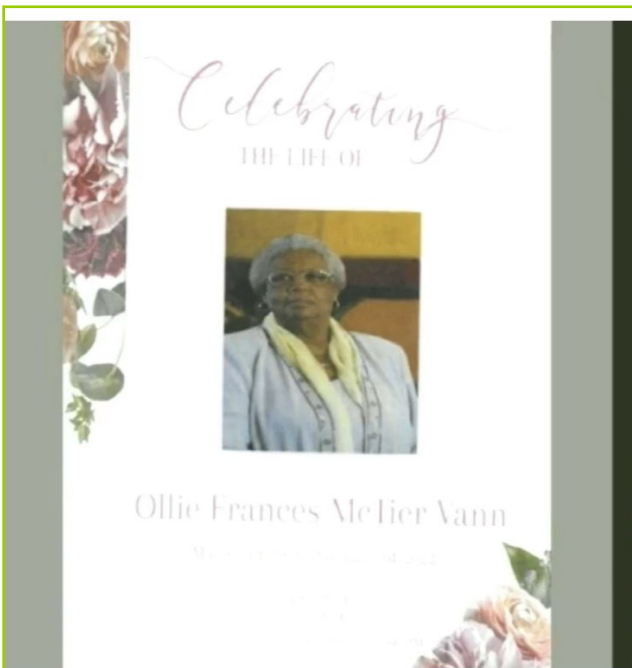




*The family of
 Mr. Samuel Lee Gude, Jr.
 wishes to thank each of you for the visits
 to our homes, the calls, the food,
 and especially the prayers.
 Every act of kindness lifted our spirits
 during this time of bereavement.*

The Family

MUCH LOVE TO YOU ALL,
 ANNIE GRACE



Thank You

for your kindness and sympathy at a time
 when it was deeply appreciated.

Family of
 Mother Ollie Vann

Nursing Home & Hospitals

The Lodge

Sis. Maggie Bradley #205A

Houston Medical Center

Sis. Vicki Latimore #22

~ In Memoriam ~



Bro. Ester Lee Whitehead

(Deaconess Shirley Whitehead's brother)

Sick & Shut-In

Sis. Lena Anderson: 329-0688

Doris Burns: 361-6935

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Sis. Dorothy Clay

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Sis. Gloria Ethridge: 397-4830

Sis. Earlene Gilbert

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Sis. Gladys Lawson: 217-1514

Deacon Charles Lenoir: 953-2350

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Sis. Kay Simmons:

Sis. Lillie Smith: 302-1265

Sis. Bernice Morgan - Hospice

All announcements for the bulletin, screen and website must be submitted by your Vision Leader and e-mailed to Pastorteddymadison@gmail.com, no later than **Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.** **Announcements must be submitted in PowerPoint or mp4 format.** To report deaths in the church family, (members only), please contact **Min. Dannie Dukes at 478-952-5078.**

No Church/Vision Center Rentals or bus service at this time.

G.T.A.H Staff

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Newsletter Submissions

If you have submissions for the April issue please forward them via e-mail to GTAHNewsletter@gmail.com or call (478) 542-1739 by Saturday, April 2, 2022. If you would like to receive the GTA H via e-mail, please provide your e-mail address.

Please continue to be safe!!!



G.T.A.H. Mission Statement:

"To aide others in spreading the knowledge of Christ and encouraging spiritual living through printed words."



G.T.A.H. Vision Statement:

To keep the body of UGMBC abreast of the latest adventures, upcoming events, celebrations, reports, meetings and who's who in the steadfast work of the Lord. Our motivation is to make you SMILE."

Attention: When entering any building/property owned by UGMBC, you are giving consent to the church to use your image in church publications, media, website/Facebook, etc.

The Best is Yet to Come!!!