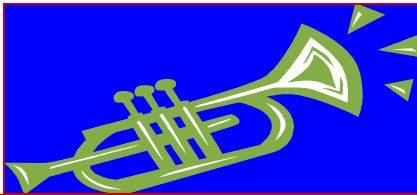


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EDITORIAL

By His Grace

What's the best gift that faith can deliver to your life? Ephesians 2:8 says "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of ourselves; it is the gift of God. The grace of God is the source of salvation, faith is the channel not the cause. God alone saves. Salvation never originates in the efforts of people, it always arises out of the loving kindness of God, the gift of God.

You can't earn this salvation. A gift is something you can only accept. if you earn it then it becomes a salary - not a gift! And what is grace? It is God's love in action for those who don't deserve it.

We are called, "By his grace" means that God does not look around to see who will best suit his purposes, and then single them out because he is pretty sure that they will do a good job. It means that God has a capacity so large in love and purpose that he calls us in order to do something for us - to give us something. Grace.

-Evelyn Duckenfield

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FROM The WELL...

Rev. Keith W. Byrd, Sr. Pastor



Happy Juneteenth!

"It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery."

Galatians 5:1 (NIV)

What's Juneteenth? Juneteenth is a combination of the words June and nineteenth. It commemorates June 19, 1865 when the slaves in the state of Texas were finally made aware of their freedom as a result of the Emancipation Proclamation. Though President Abraham Lincoln issued an executive order to free African slaves on September 22, 1862 which took effect on January 1, 1863, life for many African slaves remained the same. This was especially true in the state of Texas. However on June 18, 1865 Union soldiers arrived in Galveston, Texas to enforce the Emancipation Proclamation and on June 19, 1865 Union General Gordon Granger made the official declaration of General Order #3 to free all of the African slaves in the state of Texas. Thus began the annual observance of Juneteenth or as it is more commonly known "Freedom Day".

One hundred and fifty years have passed since then and the question has been asked, are we really free? For some even the election of an African-American as President of the United States of America is not sufficient enough to answer this question of freedom in the affirmative. However I wish to suggest a different perspective from which to address this question. As you might imagine, my perspective is theological in nature and is rooted in spiritual freedom as opposed to racial, political, social, economic, or even religious freedom. I firmly believe that Jesus teaches us that true freedom begins in the soul before it can be realized anywhere else. If your soul is not free no



amount of external commendation can bring true freedom. Thus the more accurate question is, are our souls free?

Jesus says that who the Son sets free is free indeed. For those of us who have accepted Jesus as our personal Lord and Savior we no longer have to wrestle with this question of freedom. We are already truly free in Christ. Ours is a question of what do we do with the freedom that faith in Christ has afforded us? To do nothing with this blood bought freedom is to languish on the brink of being enslaved again. Thus the cross of Christ would be made a mockery. However to take the mantle of responsibility that we have in Christ and work not only to secure our freedom racially, politically, socially, and economically, but also to free others lifts the cross of Christ for all the world to behold. This is the charge of every Christian, to lift Jesus. It was Christ Himself who declared that if I be lifted up I will draw all men unto me.

As Christians we should be actively involved in our families, church and community. I know we are all busy but we must remember that only what we do for the Lord will last. Are you building a lasting legacy or one that will easily pass away? Think about it. What can you do to make a difference and perhaps even a life? Perhaps it's time to get busy. What better time to reflect on what you can do with your freedom than during the summer break. As you rest and relax during this break reflect on your Christian responsibility so that this Fall might not only bring a change in season but also a change in you.

- Be blessed!

Caregiver's Corner *Barbara E. Flowers*

A member of your family has just been diagnosed with an illness that will eventually require round-the-clock care. At this time and without hesitation, you decide you will be the one providing that care. Who else could take care of your loved one better than you? Trust me! Once it sinks in that you will be that person, your head will swim with uncertainty, anxiety, and, most of all fear. Questions! Where do you turn? Unsolicited advice comes from everywhere, particularly people who have not been in your situation. Welcome to my world and my primer for first-time caregivers!

Care Giving 101

How to Avoid Care Giver Burnout

As the saying goes, "You can't be good to someone else if you're not good to yourself!"

1. Equip yourself with knowledge to empower you to take the best care of your loved one and yourself. Learn all that you can about your loved one's condition, illness or disease. There are local branches of national organizations like the Alzheimer's Association of the National Capitol area, including on-line support, Washington DC Alzheimer's' Chapters and the Bereavement/Alzheimer's Support Group of your church. Use them as a means to find out all about your loved one's present condition and what the future may hold for both of you.

2. Educate yourself through health care manuals, books and videos. The Internet is also a good source of information, but be aware that not all of the material you read is valid. Ask lots of questions of your health care professionals – those who deliver proper in a systematic and professional health care to any individual in need of health care services, e.g., (transferring, lifting and bathing).. When you learn all that you can, you will be more confident in your care giving abilities.

3. Talk to others who are or have been, in your shoes. You will feel that you are a part of a growing community of caregivers and Health Care professionals at Zion. I learned about options and community resources that I was not aware of from other caregivers and Zion's Nursing professionals. . These people can also help with difficult decisions concerning your loved one. Believe me, determining your responsibilities will probably be one of the first struggles.

4. Take regular breaks from your care giving responsibilities. Don't do what others and even I attempted to do – emotionally devote every waking hour, every day to the care of our loved one. Use your relatives if they are available. They can help in several ways—financially (not often) but socially. They can also provide respite support. If relatives are unavailable or do not exist, try a neighbor or a volunteer group at Zion. The Mighty Men of Zion's ATM Initiative is a group of volunteers who provide home services to members. .

5. Incorporate the following breaks:

- A. Take half-an-hour a day to indulge in a hobby, something you enjoy.
- B. Spend a couple of hours away from the house – at the mall, restaurant (if you can still afford it), library, etc.
- C. Have an evening out with friends, going to a play or concert.
- D. Go on a well-planned and well – deserved vacation.

(Next topic: "The Emotional Roller Coaster")



4th of July Fireworks Displays 2010



Montgomery County Maryland

Montgomery County Fairgrounds, Gaithersburg. (301) 258-6350. Gates open at 5 p.m. Music/entertainment at 7 p.m. Fireworks at dusk. Some gates closed for event. Join Marylanders for great fun and hot fireworks!

Montgomery College, Rockville. Entertainment at 7 p.m. Fireworks at 9:30 p.m. Parking at Rockville Town Center. A little crowded, but a real crowd pleaser.

Soccerplex, Boyds/Gaithersburg. Music at 7 p.m. Fireworks at 9:30 p.m. Great, new venue.

Prince George's County

College Park University of Maryland
(301) 864-8877

Six Flags America
13710 Central Avenue
Bowie/ Mitchellville, MD 20721
(301) 249-1500

Bowie Allen Pond Park
3330 Northview Dr.
Bowie, MD 20716
(301) 809-3076

Bowie Prince Georges County Stadium
4101 NE Crain Hwy
Bowie, Maryland 20716
(301) 464-4865

Greenbelt Buddy Attick Park
555 Crescent Rd.
Greenbelt, Maryland
(301) 397-2200

Washington, D.C.

National Mall

Fireworks at dark. **Rain date:** July 5th. No parking available. Best to take Metro Rail. The very best viewing areas: U. S. Capitol; Lincoln Memorial; Jefferson Memorial; East Potomac Park; National Mall; Marine Corps War Memorial (Iwo Jima Monument) in Arlington, Virginia; Virginia side of the Potomac River, along the George Washington Memorial Parkway; or, from the river itself (private boat/cruise ships.) These fireworks are always worth the trouble. And, the music and crowds are just splendid!

FIREWORK SAFETY -Out of all the 50 states only 5 do not allow consumers to purchase fireworks for personal use. That is a very small percentage and all of those states that do not allow consumers to purchase fireworks are on the east coast. Before you do or purchase anything make sure you are following your state laws. Just because someone may sell certain fireworks does not guarantee they are allowed.

There are some basic safety measures you should take when using fireworks:

1. Buy fireworks from reliable dealers; buying fireworks from a guy who is selling them from his trunk is not a good idea!
2. Make sure you read all the directions and follow them as well. You are using explosives so it is important you know what you should do.
3. Use fireworks outdoors only. People have tried on several occasions to create 'light shows' indoors.
4. Make sure you have water near by, and not just a bucket of water. A garden hose that is hooked up and working well.

Teach Kids about Money While on Vacation

by CCCS Atlanta

It's vacation time, and many of us will head to the beach, the mountains, or a theme park for some fun in the sun. Or maybe it's a week of family togetherness camping, fishing, and hiking at a state or national park.

Vacation is a great time for some relatively painless lessons on managing money. Use the natural enthusiasm for vacation adventure to teach the kids about planning, budgeting, and paying for a trip.

"CCCS encourages families to plan ahead for their vacations and to involve everyone in the saving and decision-making processes involved with the trip," Consumer Credit Counseling Service President Suzanne Boas said.

"Vacation spending is an excellent opportunity to teach basic financial principles to your children."

CCCS suggests parents use the three Es of *education*, *experience* and *encouragement* to help kids learn some valuable lessons and appreciate the time and money spent on vacation.

Education

Getting organized for a trip provides many opportunities to teach your children about the financial resources necessary for a vacation. Make it fun by including them in planning the budget for the trip. How much will you need for travel, tickets, souvenirs? Some categories for your list might include the following.

- Travel: airplane, car, train
- Lodging: hotel, motel, campground, home of friend or relative
- Meals: restaurants, picnics, eat in
- Entertainment: theme park tickets, boat rentals, movies, etc.

Explain how to prioritize and allocate the money for each expenditure. For example: If it is important to everyone to save time by flying to the destination, it may be necessary to stay in less expensive lodging such as a relative's home.

Experience

Give your children a daily spending allowance so they can learn from their own experiences. Depending on their ages, give them responsibility for purchases throughout the day. Younger children can make decisions on which souvenirs to purchase. For older children, give them the responsibility of purchasing their own meals, souvenirs and snacks. Avoid bailing them out if they run out of money before the end of the day. That is part of the experience. Also, let the decisions be theirs. If they purchase a toy that falls apart in an hour, they will learn a valuable lesson.

Keep a spending diary, and review with your children the expenses for each day. Day passes, meals, sodas and gum can add up to more than even the adults will realize.

Encouragement

Be sure to acknowledge when your children succeed in their financial management tasks. When younger children realize they can not purchase the souvenir they really want and turn to a second choice, praise the effort and tell them how proud you are of them for staying within their spending limit.

Likewise, let older children know you value their efforts when they reach the end of the day and have not run out of money.

MEET A DISCIPLE

Brother Hilton Overton, Jr.

Brother Hilton Overton, Jr. was born in Norfolk, Virginia, September 5, 1936. In 1939, his parents, Hilton Overton, Sr. and Janice Smallwood Overton, moved sister Lillian and Hilton (2 years old) to 353 F Street, S.W, Washington, D.C., where they resided from 1940 until 1952 - eight doors from Zion Baptist Church. Later, five more children were born: Kathryn, Larry, Michael L., Patricia, (a member of Zion), and Gary. Hilton became one of seven children.

When his sister Lil was eight and Hilton was 7, Yvonne Earle - who later became the clerk for the church - asked permission to take Lil and Hilton to Zion. Permission was granted, and Hilton's love for Zion began. His Sunday School teachers included Zadie McQueen, Solomon Alexander, Gladys T. Peterson- also Hilton's principal at Randall Jr. High School - Ruth Hammett, Evelyn Shears and Augustus Saunders.

Between Sunday School and church service, Hilton and his teen-age friends would often go to the drugstore at the corner of 4th and F. They would buy milk shakes and snacks and find a hundred things to laugh about. The group often included Shirley Butler, Warren Gregory, Frances Hammett, Clifton Mack, James Manning, and Naomi Crawley (O'Neal) . Supported by the love of families and friends, encouraged by the church, school and community, Hilton and his friends believed that with GOD's help, they could do anything - even in the midst of blatant racism and segregation all around them.

His early education began at Smallwood Elementary School on I Street, S.W., across the street from the Young family. Ambush Elementary was the next school he attended; however, the three most exciting and joyful years, he recalls, were completed at Randall Jr. High School. Everyday was an adventure with his many good friends and brilliant, creative, caring teachers (even with their paddles!) His interest in sports grew. He competed and became a member of the track team, sang in the glee club, and learned a great deal about art and the joy of learning.

His high school of choice was Dunbar, where he participated on the track team and the football team. He remembers that when his team played Spingarn High School, the team devised special plans to "TRY" to stop Brother Sidney Swann, who then was one of the best running backs this city ever produced. In his last high school track meet, he soared athletically to win silver medals in three areas: the high hurdles, low hurdles, and long jump. His accomplishments earned him a track scholarship to Huston-Tillerson College in Austin, Texas.

At Huston-Tillerson, he flourished in athletics as well as in academia. He was selected president of his class. Maintaining an "A" average in his junior year, he received an academic scholarship to complete his senior year and was later awarded a two-year Fellowship to study in the Master's Program in English at Howard University, where he wrote for the college newspaper and taught remedial English. After completing education courses at DC Teachers College, he accepted a position as English teacher at Douglas Jr. High School (20 yrs) and served as Department Chair (10 yrs.). In 1984, he accepted a position at Banneker Academic High School. Though he is retired from the DC Public Schools, he returned to education and is currently on the staff as a teacher's assistant in Special Education at Northwestern High School, teaching and coaching in Special Olympics; however, he returns to Banneker each year to assist incoming students in reading application.

At Zion, Bro. Overton is a former member of Jennie Greene Smith's Senior Choir, the Choral Ensemble, and a Charter Member (1956) and former president of the Charles B. Walker Culture Club. Though Bro. Overton has established many friends at Zion, two of them represent "firsts:" Bro. Frank Joe, his college classmate and the late James Jiles, the first friend he met when his family moved to F Street.

Bro. Overton and his wife Nola Kirkpatrick, whom he met while at Huston-Tillerson, have two children: Donna Marie Overton Cooke (Gary, Sr.) and Michael Kirkpatrick Overton, (Tonya); five fantastic grandchildren: Keenan, Kurtis and Kyle Overton, and Denise and Gary Cooke, Jr. On June 10, 2011, Hilton and Nola will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

2010 ELECTION....Why They Are So Important

Submitted By: Sis. Uva Sizer



June 8th was another opportunity for South Carolina, during the primary elections, to speak up for those who can't. For other states, attached is a listing of state elections and primary dates. The work goes on June through August and we must make sure "all souls go to the polls" each and every time!

As we prepare for the summer months remember to stay alert and stay in touch as you: **ENJOY** vacation and conferences; **EDIFY** yourself and others; **ENLIGHTEN** a colleague on matters connecting public policy and the pulpit; **EDUCATE** where ever you go about local and national issues that had-are-will have a direct impact on our families and communities; **EMBRACE** the environment and environmental justice; and be prepared to **ENGAGE** an informed electorate that is **EMPOWERED** to make a difference in all elections!

	Seats/Offices up in 2010			2010 Primary Date	Primary Run-off Date
	Senate	House/ Assembly	Governor		
Alabama	35	105	Yes	June 1	July 13
Alaska	10	40	Yes	August 24	
Arizona	30	60	Yes	August 24	
Colorado	18	65	Yes	August 10	
Connecticut	36	151	Yes	August 10	
Delaware	11	41	No	September 14	
Florida	20	120	Yes	August 24	
Georgia	56	180	Yes	July 20	August 10
Hawaii	13	51	Yes	September 18	
Idaho	35	70	Yes	May 25	
Illinois	21 (a)	118	Yes	February 2	
Indiana	25	100	No	May 4	
Kansas	0	125	Yes	August 3	
Kentucky	19	100	No	May 18	
Louisiana	0	0	No	August 28	October 2
Maryland	47	141	Yes	September 14	
Massachusetts	40	160	Yes	September 14	
Virginia	0	0	No	June 8	

Election passed prior to publication of newsletter

Celebrations in the Month of July



Happy Birthday

July 1st

Sis. Linda Owens
Sis. Leah Strange
Tr. George B. Thomas

July 2nd

Tr. Shireen Dodson
Bro. Samuel Yette

July 3rd

Bro. Lenardo Clemons

July 4th

Sis. Bianca Arrington
Sis. Gladys Butler
Bro. Joseph Williams

July 5th

Bro. Ian Richardson
Bro. Jamal Saunders

July 6th

Sis. Joal Chen
Bro. Jairus Lyles

July 7th

Bro. Phillip Green
Sis. Judy Hawkes
Sis. Jennifer Jones
Sis. Elena Noel
Sis. Paula Ryles

July 8th

Sis. Jennifer Benton
Sis. Ardena Cowan
Bro. Miguel Richardson
Sis. Margaret Roddy
Bro. John Stephens

July 9th

Bro. Jerry Jackson
Sis. Myrtle McConnell
Sis. Debbie Moultry

July 10th

Sis. Deborah Benford
Sis. Pam Goins
Bro. Eric D. Jones
Bro. Reginald Wilkes, Jr.

July 12th

Sis. Tasha Carter
Sis. Linda Collins
Sis. Jennifer Paige
Sis. Lori Thomas

July 13th

Sis. Brenda Diggs
Sis. Nia Young Dunston
Sis. Skylar Greene

Sis. Denise Robinson

Sis. Shirlene Thompson

July 14th

Sis. Marilyn Gail Charity
Min. Dwayne Coley

Sis. Darlene Saunders

July 15th

Sis. Carla Fautleroy

Sis. Cynthia Jiles

July 16th

Deac. Em. Allen Adams, Jr.
Sis. Frances Adams

Bro. Harold Brittain, III

Tr. Jacqueline Byrd-Tillman

July 17th

Bro. Chad Arrendell
Sis. Juliette Oliver

July 18th

Bro. Michael Adams
Bro. Maurice Diggs
Deac. Lilly B. Williams

July 19th

Sis. Ashleigh Cooper
Bro. Gregory Henderson
Sis. Leslie Taylor

July 20th

Sis. Patricia Earles

July 21st

Bro. Eric Caldwell
Bro. Torrence Richeson
Sis. M. Sue Wilson

July 22nd

Sis. Kendra Stephens

July 23rd

Sis. Jill Chen
Sis. Marjorie Jiles
Sis. Marcia Roberts

Sis. Dawn Shephard

Sis. Vonda Smoot

Sis. Bernice Underwood

July 24th

Bro. Harvey Thomas

July 25th

Bro. Tyrone Briscoe
Sis. Rachel Booth Carrier
Deac. John E. Morse
Bro. Benjamin Robinson, Jr.
Deac. Prince Willis

July 26th

Sis. Josephine Giron
Bro. James Williams

July 27th

Sis. Mary Fautleroy
Sis. Tracye Flowers
Sis. Kim Ford
Sis. Carmen Knight
Bro. Dominique Seagears
Bro. Brett Thomas

July 28th

Sis. Vera Hughes

July 29th

Sis. Rhonda Baker
Sis. Marion Best
Bro. Lisbon U. Tillman
Bro. James Curtis Young

July 30th

Sis. Louise Goler-Brittain

Happy Anniversary



July 9th

Sis. Phyllis Morris

July 11th

Deac. Gerald and Minette Barnes

July 15th

Sis. Tasha Carter

July 16th

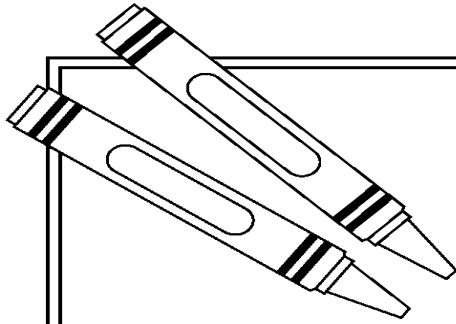
Bro. Lisbon and Tr. Jackie Byrd-Tillman

July 25th

Bro. Charles and Sis. Marcia Morrow

July 31st

Tr. Horace and Sis. Diana Abney



Just for **KIDS**

The true vine

In a vineyard, the vine gives life to the branches, which, in turn, produce the grapes. Follow the puzzle directions below to learn about our special relationship with Jesus, our true vine.

Directions: Circle every other letter and then write them in order on the lines below.

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“ I _____ ; _____

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apart from me you can do nothing.”

J o h n 1 5 : 5 , N I V

Answer: “I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit.”

THANK YOU ZION

Dear Zion Family:

This note is to thank you for the certificate of achievement and monetary award I received on Graduation Recognition Day. Being recognized by my church family makes me feel so special. I am excited and looking forward to High School. Thank you again.

-Jai Williams

Hello Mrs. Darby,

I want you to know that I truly appreciate all that you, your husband and team members of the Zion Senior League willingly do for us who travel on monthly events with you. Please know that I don't take for granted the kindness, care and concern that is shown to all of us who travel with you. I have an attitude of gratitude. God Bless, Deut. 28: 1-14.

-Anna Poole

Thanks Rev. Byrd for visiting me & Thank you so much Zion,

Zion is a praying loving and caring church. I thank God for your thoughtfulness, your prayers, your phone calls, your concerns, and your get well cards during my illness. My heart is full to know that so many people care for me. Love you all,

-Sis. Barbara Grant



"Calling all Greek and Fraternal Organization Members!"

If you are a new or seasoned Disciple of Zion, are affiliated with a sorority or fraternity, and would like to connect with other members of your organization in service at Zion, please register with the following Sister or Brother.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority - Tr. Maggalean Weston
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity and Masonic group - Dea. Frank Joe
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority - Sis. Barbara Flowers
Eastern Star - Sis. Sarah Ballard
Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity - Bro. Leonard Stephens
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity - Dea. Prince Willis
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity (Temporarily Sis. Barbara Flowers)
Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority - Sis. Alexis Christian
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority - Sis. Ginger Beverly

Church Calendar for JULY 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1 6:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Adoration Gospel Choir	2	3 9:30 AM Combined Usher Board Meeting 12:00 PM Youth Choir
4 Independence Day 9:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Worship Service	5 CHURCH CLOSED	6	7 12:00 PM Noon Day Bible Study 6:30 PM Children's Choir 7:00 PM Pastor's Bible Study 7:00 PM YCLC TABOO	8 6:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Adoration Gospel Choir	9 5:00 PM MMOZ Baseball Outing (Wash. Nats vs. SF Giants)	10 12:00 PM Youth Choir
11 BAPTISM 9:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Worship Service	12 7:30 PM Male Chorus Rehearsal	13 6:00 PM Black Scientists	14 12:00 PM Noon Day Bible Study 6:30 PM Children's Choir 7:00 PM Pastor's Bible Study	15 6:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Adoration Gospel Choir	16	17 12:00 PM Youth Choir
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25 COMMUNION Youth Retreat 9:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Worship Service	26 7:30 PM Male Chorus Rehearsal	27	28 12:00 PM Noon Day Bible Study 6:30 PM Children's Choir 7:00 PM Prayer & Praise Service	29 6:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM Adoration Gospel Choir	30	31 12:00 PM Youth Choir

Thank you for your submissions, entries, photos and news updates; they help make *Zion's Call* an enjoyable and informative newsletter. All articles/submissions are due by the **2nd Monday** of each month. Please submit all information electronically to: newsletter@zionbaptistchurch.net. Please note that all submissions are subject to the complete editing process at the discretion of the staff. All photos should be submitted electronically as a jpeg file as we cannot be held responsible for damage, loss or theft. -Peace & Blessings

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