

The New Era: Restoring Community-Joel 2:25-27

Zion's Vision: Zion is a family church empowered by the love of Christ to serve the family of God. **Zion's Mission:** Zion Baptist Church **Shall: Enlist Sinners, Educate Students, Empower the Suffering, Encourage the Saints, and Exalt our Savior.** (Acts 2:41-47).

*The Order of Worship**
10:15 A.M. Service

Ministry of Prayer and Praise

****Invocation**

Season of Praise

Ministry of Fellowship

Welcome Ministry.....Deacon Rohan Williamson
Baby Dedication

Ministry of Giving

Offertory Prayer

**** Doxology**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

AFFIRMATION OF GIVING

“Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over will be put into your bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you.” LUKE 6:38

Musical Ministry

Ministry of The Word

****Scripture Reading**

The Preached Word.....Pastor Byrd
Invitation to Christian Discipleship
Benediction

****Congregation please stand**

*Subject to change at the direction of the Holy Spirit**

Church Statistics for October, 2019

New Disciples

Sis. Tonieh Hansford

Sis. Antoinette Johnson

Death

Sis. Martha Lewis Smith, October 20, 2018

Baby Dedication

Joshua Ezekiel Calvin Brown born February 27, 2018

At Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC

Mother-Shawnita Shontice Walker- Father-Joshua Ezekiel Calvin Brown

Godparents:

DeWayne & Sandra Wright, Joseph & Molita Bryant Connor, and Tammy Bryant

PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAYS:

*Congregation is welcome to join the prayer ministry every Sunday morning
in the sanctuary from 8:30am-9:00am*

Sunday School- 9:00 AM-10:00AM

Worship Service will begin at 10:15 AM

Sunday Nursery- Aline P. Williams Classroom #1-

Children ages 1-5 years old

**Children's Church held Every First Sunday-Ed. Wing Aud. at 10:15am until 12:30 pm or
approximately until the end of Worship Service Ages 5 years to 12 years old**

Children's Church do not meet in July & August.

Wednesdays

Noon Day-Bible Study – Minister Angela Ballard- Ed. Wing Aud

Pastor Byrd's Bible Study Class – Wednesday at 7:00 PM- Ed. Wing Aud.

FASTING TIME –WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2018 FROM 6:00 AM-6:00 PM

FOCUS ON THE SCRIPTURES THAT WERE PREACHED BY THE REVIVALISTS:

“The Complacent Crowd” Matthew 22:8-Rev. Dr. John Cox

“Lord I want It Back” 2 Kings 6:4-8- Rev. Dr. Vernon Walton

“The Changing and the Changeless” 2 Corin. 4:8 – Bishop Carson Wise

November, 2018

Today

04 Regular Worship.....10:15AM

**After service (Zion wide Special Presentation on “Emergency Response Awareness”
-in Sanctuary.**

Children's Fellowship Hour after service- Sunday School Auditorium

WiFi is now available on an open network throughout the church. The Zion Guest WiFi passcode is: ZionBaptist (case sensitive). Once you connect to the guest WiFi, you will need to open a web browser, type in the passcode, and agree to the terms of use. This is a similar process to connecting to WiFi, at a coffee shop, airport, hotel, etc.

NOTICES OF INTERES
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Call for nominations for Church-Wide Offices: Church Secretary, Assistant Church Secretary, Church Treasurer, Assistant Church Treasurer, Church Clerk, Assistant Church Clerk, Church Parliamentarian, **Lay** Members to the Board of Church Administration (**7 positions**), **Trustees (8 positions)**, on **Auditors (3 Minimum) and Historian**. **The nomination period will begin on Sunday, September 23, 2018 and close Monday, October 29, 2018.** If you are interested in any of the positions and/or want to nominate a member, please submit a completed nomination form to any member of the Nominating Committee. **All forms and Zion position descriptions are in the Narthex of the Church for your use.**

Any questions, feel free to contact any member of the **Nomination Committee:** Sis. Patricia Williams, Chairperson, Deacon Diana Abney, Trustee Christopher Cole, Deacon Frank Joe, Trustee Leslie Cooper, Bro. Pernell Williams and Sis. Ruth Young. In addition, you may request an electronic form, from any member of the Nomination Committee and email the completed nomination form to Sis. Patricia Williams at williamscastle@comcast.net or call (301) 928-1179.

2018 Nominating and Absentee Ballot Schedule

- Absentee Ballot voting will not be counted toward the quorum (50) required for the Annual Church Meeting.
- Absentee Ballot will not contain the name(s) of anyone who may be nominated from the floor on the day of the actual meeting.
- Active members can submit request for absentee ballots, in writing, beginning now through **November 9, 2018.**
- Member must send their request for an Absentee Ballot to the Attention of: Sister Marlene Tolson, Office of the Church Clerk, 4850 Blagden Avenue, N.W. Washington D.C. 20011
- **Nomination Committee shall send out all requested absentee ballots during the week of November 11, 2018.**
- **Absentee Ballots must be posted marked no later than seven (7) calendar days prior to the Annual Church meeting (November 30, 2018). The Annual Church Meeting is scheduled for December 7, 2018**

Zion Scholarship recipients in the classes of 2019, 2020 and 2021: Your Zion Baptist Church Scholarship renewal form must be *received by November 30, 2018.* Copies available at www.ziondc.org.

OPERATION JOY 2018

Operation Joy-2018: The purpose of this Ministry is for Members of Zion to bring joy at Christmas time by purchasing gifts for families and or individuals in need. The Ministry is coordinated by the Mighty Men of Zion (MMoZ) and is designed to prepare gift baskets for individuals and/or families with needs in the Washington, DC Metropolitan Area Community. First of all, we must identify the persons for whom we which to purchase Christmas gifts. Thus, **Phase I: The Season of Preparing-** the information gathering phase of the ministry- began on October 1, 2018 and will last until November 04, 2018. However, this year we are conducting Operation Joy a little differently. We are adopting an elementary school. All information sheets will come from the students in that school. The MMoZ will prepare Gift tags and begin **distributing them on November 11, 2018.**

A “ WARMTH” DRIVE FOR THE VULNERABLE! Participating in the “**Warmth**” Drive is an easy way for you and your family to pass along gently used coats and jackets, scarves, gloves, hats, boots, and blankets you no longer need. **The Human Needs Ministry** will accept donations, **Saturday, November 10, from 10:00 AM until 12 Noon in the Education Wing Auditorium. MISSED the KENNEDY drive?** Take this opportunity to donate!