



UNION WESLEY AFRICAN METHODIST
EPISCOPAL ZION CHURCH

SUNDAY SERVICE

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Rev. Dr. Brian S. Relford, Sr., Pastor

ORDER OF SERVICE | JULY 19, 2026 | 10:00 AM

The Call to Worship

Invocation Rev. Demetros Benton

The Morning Hymn.....“Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior”

Affirmation of Faith: Apostles’ Creed.....
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost. Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate; Was crucified, dead, and buried: The third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the Holy catholic church; the Communion of Saints; the Forgiveness of sins; the Resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Announcements.....

The Scripture Reading.....Payton Briggs

The Morning Prayer.....Jayda Joyner

The Musical Selection.....

***OUR GIFTS TO GOD** *The giving of Tithes, Offerings and the Ministry of Kindness Offering*
THE OFFERTORY *“All Things Come of Thee”*

The Musical Selection.....

The Message.....Rev. Dr. Brian S. Relford, Sr.

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship.....

The Benediction.....

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY: The Union Wesley A.M.E. Zion Church Scholarship Ministry cordially invites you to the 32nd Annual Scholarship Celebration immediately after worship service in the George Lincoln Smith Fellowship Hall. Our theme is "**Embracing Our Faith as We Continue Our Legacy.**"

As always, thank you for your continued support and donations of \$25 or more to the scholarship fund.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Please Note: The Kidz Korner Ministry will be on Summer Break during the month of August. We will return to our normal schedule

Sunday, September 6th.



◆ **First Quarterly Conference | Thursday, August 13th @ 7:00 PM (virtual)**
Reporting Months: April | May | June

- ◆ Intercessory Prayer: Tuesday, July 21 | 7 PM conference call
- ◆ Wednesday Bible Study | Join us on our various social media platforms.
- ◆ Thursday Morning Manna | July 23 | 6:00 am

It is with deep sadness to announce the death of **Mr. Joseph Battle, Sr.** Mr. Battle transitioned on Friday, July 17, 2026. There are no arrangements at this time.



Homegoing services for Mrs. Gail Linda Peace Fogg will be held on Tuesday, July 21st

Viewing: 10:00 am **Service:** 11:00 am

Internment: National Harmony Memorial Park, Sheriff Road, Hyattsville, MD

Homegoing services for Ms. Ann Campbell Williams will held on Thursday, July 23rd

Viewing: 10 am **Service:** 11:00 am

Graveside Service and Burial

Tuesday, July 28, 2026, York, South Carolina



COLLEGE BOUND 2026 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Payton Briggs
Spelman College



Jenaia Cosbert
University of the District of Columbia

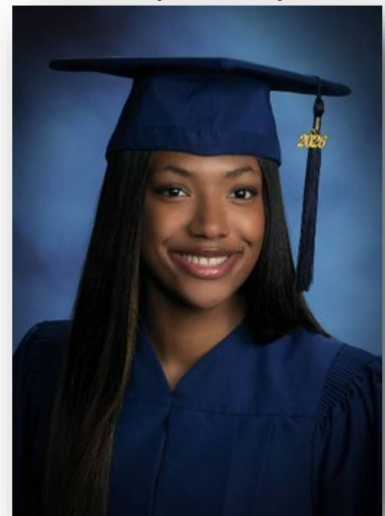


Komira Beal
Bowie State University

London Johnson
Temple University



Jayda Joyner
University of Maryland





HAT BAZAAR



**SATURDAY
AUGUST 15**

10 am–12 pm

George Lincoln Smith
Fellowship Hall



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JULY BIRTHDAYS

July 3rd	Christiana Beccles, Lyndon Ding Chong
July 4th	Yvonne Speight, Johnnie Myers, Brielle Welch, Shaloe Bookard
July 5th	Emory Bates, Rue Gordon
July 7th	Earnest Brace
July 9th	Rita Goodall, Rev. Ray Gregg, Sr.
July 10th	Raynesha Brown
July 12th	Cynthia Brown, Mason Baker
July 13th	Michael Stewart, Nia Wells, Cheryl Relford, Montinique Zeigler
July 15th	Rev. Stacey Lytle
July 16th	Rev. Delmar Lytle, Edward Riddick
July 18th	Janice Jackson
July 20th	Carolyn Edwards
July 21st	Reatha Gillis
July 23rd	Pamela Boyd, Jayda Joyner
July 24th	Richard Valentine, Dionne Pollard
July 25th	Robert Stroud
July 26th	Eden Lytle
July 27th	Matthew Bookard
July 28th	Esther Brown
July 29th	Gary Holliday, Lisa Baker, Amina Maddox
July 30th	Celeste Epps
July 31st	Clarence Stevens, Payton Briggs-Bookard

HAPPY
Anniversary

July 1st	James and Katherine Crawford
July 2nd	James and Treneisha Gaston III
July 3rd	James and Heidi Hill

Let's keep our sick and shut-in members in our thoughts and prayers. Take a moment to reach out with a card, a call, or a heartfelt prayer to let them know they are not forgotten. Your kindness and support can make a world of difference to those who need it most.

“Pray at all times in the Spirit with every prayer and request, and stay alert with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints.” Ephesians 6:18 (CSB)

Mrs. Kathleen Barber
4218 12th Place, NE Washington, DC 20017

Mr. James Crawford
The Hebrew Home of Greater Washington, 6121 Montrose Rd., Rockville, Md. 20852

Ms. Lillian Dean
Sunrise of Chevy Chase, 2201 Colston Drive

Sis. Delores Guy
Life Springs Elder Care, 6207 Joyce Drive
Temple Hills, MD 20748

Ms. Carolyn Howard
10118 Towhee Avenue, Adelphi, MD 20783

Ms. Patricia Ann Martin
Cadia Health Care Wheaton, 4011 Randolph Rd. #201-B, Silver Spring, Md. 20902

Mr. David Watson
9711 Surratts Manor Drive, Clinton, MD 20735

Mrs. Mignon Wilson
6404 Gateway Blvd , District Heights, MD 20747



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Sunday Worship
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Tuesday Prayer | 7:00 p.m.
1-978-990-5000 Code: 791926

Wednesday Bible Study
12 p.m. | 6:30 p.m. | www.unionwesleyamez.org

Thursday Morning Manna
Dial-in: 1-267-807-9495 Code: 355-119-736

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MINISTERIAL STAFF

Reverends Cedric Stroud, Verlie H. Peters, Christine Madison,
Veronica Graves, Stacey Lytle, Delmar Lytle, Ray Gregg, Rev. Demetros Benton,
Sis. DeLores Guy, Sis. Adwoa Aggrey, Sis. Crystal Miller



The Reverend Dr. Alvin T. Durant, Presiding Elder, Washington District
The Rev. Felica R. Thompson, Missionary Supervisor, Mid-Atlantic Episcopal Area
The Right Reverend Brian R. Thompson, Sr., Presiding Prelate Mid-Atlantic Episcopal Area

OUR VISION

To be a growing church of faith that passionately models the life of Christ by equipping and training seekers and believers to do the work of ministry in the church and community.

MISSION STATEMENT

It is the mission of Union Wesley African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church to love God and one another, impact and improve our community and the world; and to proclaim and witness to the life changing message of Jesus Christ.



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