

Women's Emphasis Month

Sunday
May
10

Celebrate Mother's Day Worship



Preacher

Rev. Dr. Garland D. Higgins

Executive Pastor, Big Bethel AME Church &
Christian Education Director, 6th Episcopal District

Big Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church

The Right Reverend Michael L. Mitchell, Presiding Prelate, 6th Episcopal District   

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Welcome To

Bethel AME Church

“The City Hall of Sweet Auburn”

Worship Times:
10:00 am Traditional
2:00 pm Contemporary

220 Auburn Avenue, NE
Atlanta, GA 30303
T: 404.827.9707



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Pastor Jay and
Leading Lady Michelle Burks Augustine

PASTOR'S *Appreciation* SUNDAY



1st PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY

at Big Bethel AME Church

HONORING

Rev. Dr. Jonathon C. Augustine

May 17, 2026
10:00 am

Please wear something Green for Mental Health Awareness

Guest Peacher

Dr. Sterling E. Freeman

Dr. Jonathan C. Augustine, Senior Pastor
Michelle Burks Augustine, Leading Lady



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THE NATIONAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF SPELMAN COLLEGE
ATLANTA CHAPTER



*Birth to Beyond Panel:
Black Maternal Health*



ATLANTA



Rev. Ali Holness-Roland, C'09
MODERATOR & CHAIR OF
SPELMOMS COMMITTEE



Kelli Jackson
HEALTHY MOTHER, HEALTHY
BIASES COALITION OF GA



Tietra Jones, C'99
BSN, RN, IBCLC
ATLANTA CHILDBIRTH
RESOURCES



**Ponchitta
"Perez" Davis**
CENTER FOR BLACK
WOMEN'S WELLNESS



Dr. Ayana Herbert, C'97
PATH HEALTH

Big Bethel AME Church
Wednesday, May 13, 2026
220 Auburn Ave NE, Atlanta, GA 30303
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

In collaboration with Big Bethels Women's Emphasis Month



**Saturday
May
16**

**10am -
11:30am**

Elder's Appreciation Celebration

**The Reverend Kimberly McMichael
Presiding Elder, North Atlanta District**

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**Dr. Jonathan C. Augustine, Senior Pastor
Michelle Burks Augustine, Leading Lady**

The Order of Liturgy
Sunday, May 10, 2026 @ 10:00 AM
The Reverend Monica C. Jones, PhD.
Presiding Liturgist

Worship in Music.....Johnson-Schofield Male Chorus
Brother Kelvin Thompson, Director

The Doxology.....AME Hymn #69.....All Worshipers (standing)
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Opening Hymn.....AME Hymn #430 Faith of Our Mothers.....The Reverend Monica C. Jones, PhD.

The Prayer of Invocation.....The Reverend Monica Jones
(Prayer chant)

Worship in Music.....Johnson-Schofield Male Chorus
Brother Thompson, Director

The Responsive Scripture Reading..... John 15:15-21 NRSVUE.....The Reverend Charmain R. Purvis

Minister: ¹⁵If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

People: ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever.

Minister: ¹⁷This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees Him nor knows Him. You know Him because He abides with you, and He will be in you.

People: ¹⁸I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you.

Minister: ¹⁹In a little while the world will no longer see Me, but you will see Me; because I live, you also will live.

People: ²⁰On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in Me, and I in you.

All: ²¹They who have My commandments and keep them are those who love Me, and those who love Me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal Myself to them.

The Announcements and Welcome to Big Bethel..... Sister Felicia Jones
(Everybody, Hug Somebody)

Worship Through Creative Expression.....Kwanza Sol Dance Ministry
Sister Rosalyn Johnson, Director

The Pastor's Perspective.....The Reverend Dr. Garland D. Higgins
Executive Pastor, Big Bethel AME Church

Worship in *Style*



Shades of Green

Worship in shades of green on the **first Sunday** to bring awareness for Mental Health Month, representing "growing in strength."



Skirts and Scarves

For **Mother's Day**, worship in unique fashion, showcasing the many ways to style your skirts and scarves, representing "covered in grace."



Denim, Diamonds and Pearls

Let your light shine on **third Sunday** in your denim, diamonds, and pearls; reflecting on how you've been "refined by the process" of your faith walk.



Red with Gold Accents

It's **PENTECOST SUNDAY!** "Walk in courage" in your red with gold accents.



Camouflage

You made it to **Women's Emphasis Sunday!** Worship in the many variations of camouflage, displaying your "survival of the fight!"



WOMEN'S EMPHASIS MONTH 2026

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CONTACT & SIGN UP
FORM

Upcoming events.



APRIL
30

LOVE FEAST
6:30PM
BIG BETHEL AME
CHURCH

MAY
26

\$2 TUESDAY
7:00PM
ZOOM/BIG BETHEL
AME CHURCH

MAY
2

**"BEAUTY SHOP
TALK"**
1:00PM
TRACY FRANKLIN
RESIDENCE

MAY
29

**TRINITY HOUSE
FELLOWSHIP**
6:00PM
TRINITY HOUSE

MAY
5

\$2 TUESDAY
7:00PM
ZOOM/BIG BETHEL
AME CHURCH

MAY
30

**"TEA AROUND
TOWN"**
TIME TBD
CENTENNIAL PARK

MAY
12

\$2 TUESDAY
7:00PM
ZOOM/BIG BETHEL
AME CHURCH

MAY
31

**WOMEN'S
EMPHASIS DAY**
10:00PM
WORSHIP SERVICE

MAY
19

\$2 TUESDAY
7:00PM
ZOOM/BIG BETHEL
AME CHURCH

**TASTE OF BIG
BETHEL/MOBB**
IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING
WORSHIP SERVICE

"Strength of a Woman"
Proverbs 31:25

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ATLANTA NORTH GEORGIA
CONFERENCE YPD

Annual Day CELEBRATION



SATURDAY-MAY 23RD

9:00 AM - 12 NOON

GUEST SPEAKER
Joi Stinson

PAST SIXTH EPISCOPAL
DISTRICT YPD PRESIDENT

QUADRENNIAL DELEGATE &

* ALTERNATE ELECTIONS *

REGISTRATION: \$20 PER PERSON

*Now
Watch
This...*

"Now then, stand still and see this great thing the Lord is about
to do before your eyes!" 1 Samuel 12:16

St. Paul AME Church, 1540 Pryor Road, SW, ATL, GA 30315

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BIG BETHEL AME CHURCH
WOMEN'S EMPHASIS MONTH

WOMEN'S DAY

Strength of a Woman

Proverbs 31:25

Guest Preacher

DR. ANTOINETTE G. ALVARADO
*GRACE CHURCH INTERNATIONAL
CO-PASTOR*

SUNDAY, MAY 31, 2026
10:00AM



DR. JONATHAN C. AUGUSTINE, SENIOR PASTOR
MICHELLE AUGUSTINE, LEADING LADY

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NEXT STEPS

SEND CANDIDATE INFORMATION ASAP TO:



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PROGRAM COORDINATOR

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Text **"JOIN"** to **833-472-3188** and follow the prompts.

June EVENTS

MEN'S EMPHASIS MONTH

- 4** LOVE FEAST 6:30PM
- 7** FIRST SUNDAY WORSHIP
- 12** GOLF TOURNAMENT 9AM
- 13** TRINITY GRADUATION 12PM
- 14** SECOND SUNDAY WORSHIP
- 18** MARCUS JOHNSON CONCERT 7PM
- 20** LIM UNDERSERVED EVENT 9AM
- 21** FATHER'S DAY
- 28** MEN'S DAY

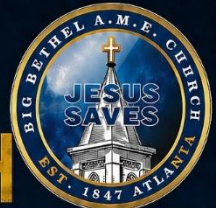
PREACHER: REV. PATRICK D. CLAYBORN, PH.D., PASTOR OF BETHEL AMEC, BALTIMORE

May EVENTS

WOMEN'S EMPHASIS MONTH

- 02** LOVE FEAST 8AM - IN PERSON
- 03** LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS 8AM-4PM
- 09** HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY
- 09** ANGC YPD CONF. CHOIR REHEARSAL 1PM
- 10** MOTHER'S DAY
- 13** BIRTHING/HEALTH SEMINAR 6PM
- 14** RUN GIRL RUN 6PM
- 16** PRES. ELDER APPRECIATION 10AM-12NOON
- 17** PASTOR'S APPRECIATION SUNDAY
PREACHER: DR. STERLING E. FREEMAN
- 24** PENTECOST SUNDAY (WEAR RED)
- 25** MEMORIAL DAY
- 28** PASTOR JAY & LADY MICHELLE'S WEDDING ANNIV.
- 28-30** SED PLANNING MEETING
- 31** WOMEN'S EMPHASIS SUNDAY
PREACHER: DR. TONI ALVARADO, GRACE CHURCH INTL. ATLANTA
- KWANZA SOL DANCE MINISTRY RECITAL 4PM**

MEN OF BIG BETHEL EMPHASIS MONTH



BROTHERHOOD. FAITH. LEADERSHIP. LEGACY.

MAY 31 ST		TASTE OF BIG BETHEL @ 12:00PM
JUNE 3 RD		MEN'S SMALL GROUP (VIRTUAL) @ 6:30PM
JUNE 4 TH		LOVE FEAST @ 6:30PM
JUNE 10 TH		MEN'S SMALL GROUP (VIRTUAL) @ 6:30PM
JUNE 12 TH		MOBB GOLF TOURNAMENT @ 9:00AM CHEROKEE RUN GOLF CLUB
JUNE 13 TH		MEN'S BRUNCH @ 1:00PM ADDRESS: ALEXANDER FARMS SUBDIVISION 2581 ALEXANDER FARMS DR. SW, MARIETTA, GA 30064
JUNE 17 TH		MEN'S SMALL GROUP (VIRTUAL) @ 6:30PM
JUNE 18 TH		PRE-FATHER'S DAY CONCERT WITH MARCUS JOHNSON @ 7:00PM
JUNE 24 TH		MEN'S SMALL GROUP (VIRTUAL) @ 6:30PM
JUNE 26 TH		TRINITY HOUSE FELLOWSHIP MEAL @ 5:00PM
JUNE 27 TH		BOWLING OUTING @ 1:00PM MIDTOWN BOWL 1936 PIEDMONT CIR NE, ATLANTA, GA 30324
JUNE 28 TH		MEN'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE @ 10:00AM

STRONGER TOGETHER. BUILT FOR KINGDOM IMPACT.



26th ANNUAL M.O.B.B. GOLF TOURNAMENT



1595 Centennial
Olympic Pkwy NE,
Conyers, GA30013-651

Sponsorship Opportunities

- Title Sponsor \$1,000
- Beverage Cart Sponsor \$500
- Hole Sponsor \$500

PLAYER REGISTRATION
\$150 - 1 Player
\$550 - 4 Players

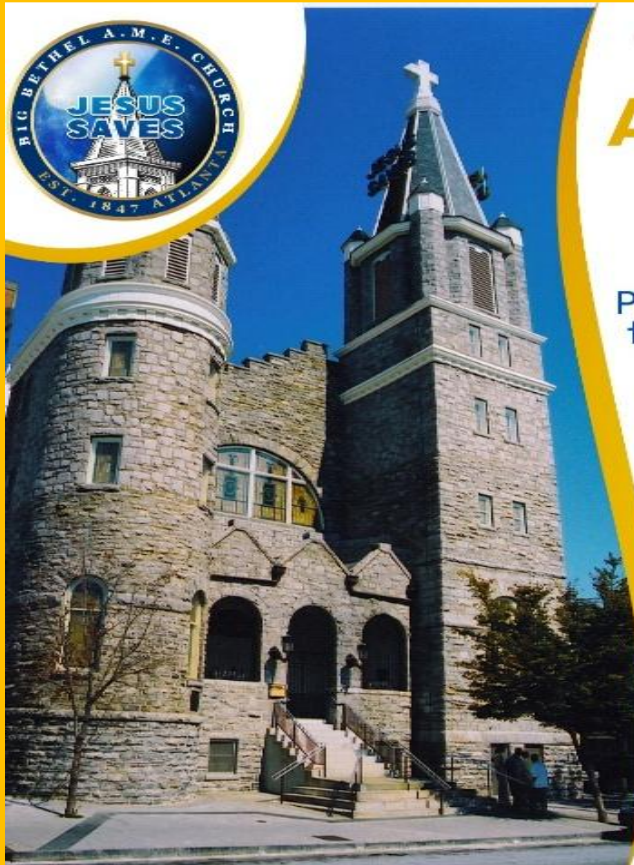
FRIDAY
JUNE 12th
9:00am

All proceeds go to provide scholarships to our graduating high school seniors.

Register now!



M.O.B.B. GOLF



ATTENTION

Big Bethel Members

Are you missing out on church news & event info?

Perhaps your contact information needs to be updated! Scan the code below or go to the website.



Member Contact Update



www.bigbethelame.org/member-services

Be in the know!!

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Daily Morning Prayer Call (1-605-472-5512 Access Code:772576#)Monday – Saturday 6:00 am
 Church School.....8:45 am
 Traditional Worship Service.....10:00 am
 Contemporary Worship Service (THRIVE Next Shift).....2:00 pm
 Big Bethel Village Worship By Phone 202-962-1123 673604#.....3:00pm Sundays
 Wednesday Virtual Bible Study (ID: 847 251 8679 Password: adultclass).....12:30 noon and 6:00pm
 Love Feast.....In-person on Thursdays before Communion Sunday at 6:30pm
 Holy Communion.....First Sundays
 Discipleship New Members Class.....8:45 am 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Sundays
 Board of Stewards.....1st Tuesdays 6:30 pm
 Board of Trustees.....2nd Tuesdays 7:00 pm
 Baptism.....As Announced

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE HOURS

Monday.....10:00 am—2:00 pm
 Tuesday—Friday.....10:00 am—4:30 pm

CHOIR REHEARSALS

Big Bethel Mass Choir.....Tuesdays @ 7:00pm and Saturday @ 10:00am before 1st & 3rd Sunday
 Johnson-Schofield Men’s Choir.....2 Mondays before Second Sunday
 Babcock-Young Voices of Unity/Big Bethel Chorale.....Wednesday @ 7:00pm and Saturday @ 10:00am before Third Sunday
 Bearden-Scott Youth Choir.....2 Saturdays before Fourth Sunday
 Big Bethel Praise Ensemble..... 2 Thursdays @ 7:00 pm and Saturday before Fourth Sunday

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