

# SPiRiT and TRUTH Missionary Baptist Church

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**"I know that whatever God does, it shall be forever,  
Nothing can be added to it, and nothing taken from it"... Ecclesiastes 3: 14**

**From the Desk of the Editor** - *Per your Requests – we're bringing the Monthly Newsletter Back!* Please make this effort worthwhile in order for this endeavor to thrive within our **MINISTRY...** your Accolades, Accomplishments, Announcements, Community News, Christian Writing, Current Events, Photos, Prayer Requests, and Testimonies, etc., are desired and very Welcome as a means of keeping our whole Congregation informed about what's not only going on in the Church – but what's going on with you, and every one who fellowships here at **SPiRiT and TRUTH M.B.C. !**

## August 2013 Monthly Newsletter

**...Did U Know? That August is National Immunization Awareness Month?! ...**

**People of all ages can protect their health with timely vaccination.**

Vaccines (shots) help prevent dangerous and sometimes deadly diseases. National Immunization Awareness Month is the perfect time to promote vaccines and remind family, friends, and co-workers to get caught up on their shots.

**Check with your Local Health Department to see if they have additional Immunization Resources!**



## Church Meeting Itinerary

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|--|--|------|---|----------------------|
| ❖ Sunday School                                | 9: 00 am.  | **** | Sunday Service                            | 10: 00 am            |
| ❖ Mother's Board Prayer Group                  | every 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday |      |   | 11: 30 am – 1:00 pm  |
| ❖ Brotherhood (Bible Study) & Prayer Breakfast | - every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday                 |      |   | 8: 30 am – 12: 00 pm |
| ❖ Sister's Study                               | - every 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday                 |      |   | 9: 00 am – 11: 30 am |
| ❖ Young Adult Study (the "Discipleship")       | every 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday                   |      |   | 9: 00 am – 11:00 am  |
| ❖ Youth Choir Rehearsal – Saturday             | 10: 30 am  | **** | Adult Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal – Tuesday | 7: 00 pm             |

## Calendar SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS 2013

- ❖ Aug. 11<sup>th</sup> – Hospitality Committee Annual Program
- ❖ Aug. 17<sup>th</sup> – Annual Church Picnic
- ❖ Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> - Women's Dept. Annual Day
- ❖ Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> – Pastor & Wife Appreciation
- ❖ Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> – Solid rock
- ❖ Sept. 30 –Begin Holiday Drives" (food, clothing, personal hygiene donations for Thanksgiving & Christmas give-aways )
- ❖ October "Women in Pink" (in observance of "Breast Cancer Awareness" Month)
- ❖ Oct. (date to be confirmed) – New Revelation 3: 30 pm
- ❖ Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> - New Heaven 3: 30 pm
- ❖ November 21 - Thanksgiving
- ❖ November 24 – Annual "Family and Friends Day"
- ❖ December 14<sup>th</sup> – Annual Christmas Programs / Christmas Banquet (Location To Be Announced)

## Outreach Ministries: (schedule of Feedings / Donation Drives & Distributions)

Every 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of Each Month – SPiRiT and TRUTH Homeless Outreach Ministry (Feeding and Give-away) 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

## WELCOME – NEW Members! July 2013

**Prayer List:** Philippians 4: 6 ... Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God...

*Bereaved - Ill or Convalescing Members - Job Transfers - Family Struggles - Financial Distress - New Mothers - Military Deployments - College Students - Traveling Grace*

*Payne Family, Bro. Claudio Alexander, Mo. Sandra Alexander, Sister Brenda Anderson, Sis. Sharon Anderson, Bro. Floyd Austin, Mo. Delores Avery, Bro. Delton Baker, Sis. Maggie Baker, Deac. Nathaniel Benson, Bro. Leslie Bernard, Mo. Earnestine Bloom, Bro. James Brown, Sis. Louis Canley, Sis. Harriet Carter, Mo. Myrtle Chambers, Bro. Robert Cral, Deacon & Mo. Daniels, Bro. Charles Davis, Sis. Donna Deveaux, Mo. Frankie Jenkins, Bro. Arthur Johnson, Sis. Irene Johnson, Mo. Louise Johnson, Bro. Lawrence Hickman, Mo. Willa Lancaster, Mo. Elvira Means, Mo. Mary Neal, Bro. Al Lester Payton, Mo. Dorothy Redmond, Bro. Larry Reed, Bro. Rodney Richmond, Bro. Roy Richmond, Deacon & Mo. Roberson, Bro. Benjamin Sanford, Sis. Icilda Sanford, Sis. Vivian Shaffer, Sis. Anita Smith, Bro. Cyrus Smith, Sis. Mildred Smith, Bro. Alexander Stewart, Bro. James Tripiedi, Bro. Joseph Upshaw, The Martin Family (grandson military enlistment), Bro. Enrique Mari and Family (deployment)*

**SPiRiT and TRUTH Prayer Line 1-712-432-1690 Access No. 421314# Wednesdays 7:00 am**

**\* Fasting \* Pastor has designated every Wednesday from 9: 00 am to 3: 00 pm., as a time set for fasting. Church, be on one accord and join Pastor during this time.**

## Enter into the Upper Room... Minister's Monthly Memo

A monthly "Micro Message" from one of our Ministers – meant to inspire and teach...

## "Reflections" -- Christian Writer's Contribution

Poems / Self Expression / Prayers – We welcome your efforts! Let God Use you as an inspiration to others!

## “Young People havin’ a Say” –

Youth Retrospect – “in Our Own words”

## I HAVE A TESTIMONY!

Monthly – one member will have an opportunity to share the “Good News” of God’s work in their life. Each article will be reviewed and selected at random.

Have you Heard about any new... Community News? Opportunities? Helpful Information?

- ✗ – Ride the 2012 Lancaster Summer Beach bus to Santa Monica! For more info please call 888-769-1122 or visit [www.LAGoBus.info](http://www.LAGoBus.info) (service by reservation only)
- ✗ - The Action Line Ministry of the Bethel Baptist Assembly (TALE) meets... Sundays at 5.00pm. and Wednesdays at 7.00pm Location: , 44722 Yucca Ave, Lancaster, CA 93534,  
Listen for [Radio Ministry from the Martins](#) ... "The Action Line Ministries" heard **every Sunday at 8.00am on KFXM 96.7"**

Deserving of a Mention...



Accolades and Accomplishments



**Sister Stacy Tylor** (daughter of Bro. Randy & Sis. Angela Tylor, Granddaughter of Mo. Chambers and Great Granddaughter of Mo. Maudesta Hickman)... received her Bachelors of Science in Psychology from Xavier University of Louisiana. She received her first Master of Arts (MA) in Clinical Psychology with an emphasis in marriage and family therapy from Argosy University. Her second MA is in Multicultural and Community Clinical Psychology received from the California School of Professional Psychology (CSPP). She is currently in her fourth year of the Doctorate Program at CSPP. She will receive a PsyD, the highest degree awarded in Psychology, in Clinical Psychology in 2014. Throughout her career she has provided Grief Therapy to inner city high school students in Los Angeles, School Counseling in elementary and middle schools throughout Los Angeles and Orange Counties, Substance Abuse Counseling, and most currently working as an extern in Neuropsychology at Harbor UCLA Medical Center. She will now go on to complete her internship at Fort Bliss in El Paso, Texas. There she will provide Neuropsychological Services and Therapy to children and adolescents of Active Duty Soldiers, marriage counseling for Active Duty Soldiers and their spouses, and emergency Mental Health Services for Civilians and Active Duty Soldiers who present in the emergency room for the Hospital with Mental Health problems.

**We Commend you, and all your hard work - Sis. Stacy Tylor! Congratulations and May God continue to Bless you in all you do!!!**

Announcements – birthdays / anniversaries / weddings / births / graduations

### Celebrating Birthdays in August

8/09 – Sis. LaTanya Cauley-Hicks    8/12 – Sis. Alison Caldwell    8/23 – Sis. Caroline Johnson

8/30 – Mother Maudesta Hickman **(100 Years Young!!!)**

**Happy Anniversary !!!** to all our Married Members observing a Wedding Anniversary this Month!



**ATTENTION ALL SPIRIT and TRUTH MEMBERS!** It’s that time again! **Saturday August 17<sup>th</sup>!**



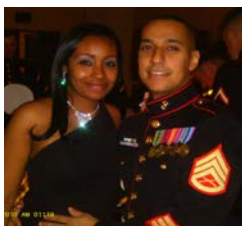
Our **Annual Church Picnic** date is rapidly approaching – **Everyone gets to participate!** – no matter how small the contribution – we will be able to use it - we will have **Sign-up Lists** posted in the Foyer ... please take a minute and let us know what you can bring, or how you can assist... **If you are looking for a way to be involved - Please consider volunteering as a Coordinator for this Event** – We have a Blast every year! – See Pastor and Sis. Duncan or any other member of the Hospitality Committee – **We need individuals to Coordinate Games and Activities / Transportation / and extremely important – people that are First Aid and CPR Qualified to be on board – Come on SPIRIT and TRUTH – Let’s make this event a Successful, Safe and Familytastic Fun Day!!!**

Fundraising Events: Youth-for-hire / Car Washes / Craft fairs / Dinners / Teas / Luncheons etc.

*In Uniform...*



*In Service...*



*Gunnery Sgt. Enrique Mari  
Deployed Afghanistan  
July 2013*



*Chief Petty Offcr.  
Lieurance Daniel  
Seal Beach, CA*



*Aaron Duncan Jr.*



*2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Mil. Intell.  
(Army) Joseph Huitt*



*Jeron Jackson*



*Marcus Jackson*



*Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class USAF  
Jonathan Willingham  
Deployed Kuwait*



*Navy Seaman Dominick  
Stanberry Sabal  
Stationed in Washington*



**Please remember to pray for our Enlisted Brothers and Sisters serving in the U.S. and throughout the World!**

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