

Welcome to
Johns Chapel
African Methodist Episcopal Church
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015
Enterprise, Alabama 36331
December 28, 2025- 10:45 a.m.

The Morning Worship Celebration



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The Reverend Willie White, Jr., Pastor
Dr. Willie Eugene Marshall, Presiding Elder
Ozark-Troy District

Mrs. Deana Young McAllister, WMS Supervisor
Bishop Julius H. McAllister, Jr., Presiding Prelate

God Our Father

The Holy Spirit Our Comforter

Christ Our Redeemer

Humankind Our Family

JOHNS CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH

PRELUDE

DOXOLOGY**

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

CALL TO WORSHIP**

LEADER: I was glad when they said unto me, “let us go to the house of the Lord!” Our feet have been standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

PEOPLE: **For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.**

LEADER: For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good.

PEOPLE: **They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God.**

LEADER: O Lord, I love the habitation of your house, and the place where your glory dwells.

PEOPLE: **But the Lord is in His Holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before Him.**

LEADER: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my Redeemer.

PEOPLE: **O, sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth, sing praises!**

HYMN OF PRAISE

#272 - Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior

1. Pass me not, O gentle Savior, Hear my humble cry; While on others Thou art calling, Do not pass me by.

2. Let me at Thy throne of mercy Find a sweet relief; Kneeling there in deep contrition, Help my unbelief.

3. Trusting only in Thy merit, Would I seek Thy face; Heal my wounded, broken spirit, Save me by Thy grace.

4. Thou the spring of all my comfort, More than life for me; Whom have I on earth beside Thee? Whom in heaven but Thee?

Refrain: Savior, Savior, hear my humble cry, While on others Thou art calling, Do not pass me by. Amen.

PRAYER

Choral Response

SELECTION

**The Male Choir
Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden
DeVonte Mills and Kam Elston**

SCRIPTURE

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS Brother Ricky Britt

THE LAY MOMENT

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Opportunities to give tithes & offerings: During morning worship service. Or mail to Johns Chapel AME Church, Post Office Box 311015, Enterprise, AL 36331-1015. Or give via Givelify: Johns Chapel AME Church, Pay Pal: Johns Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church

SELECTION

The Male Choir

The Morning Worship Celebration Message

Pastor Willie White, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

**#164 I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
(Baptist Hymnal)**

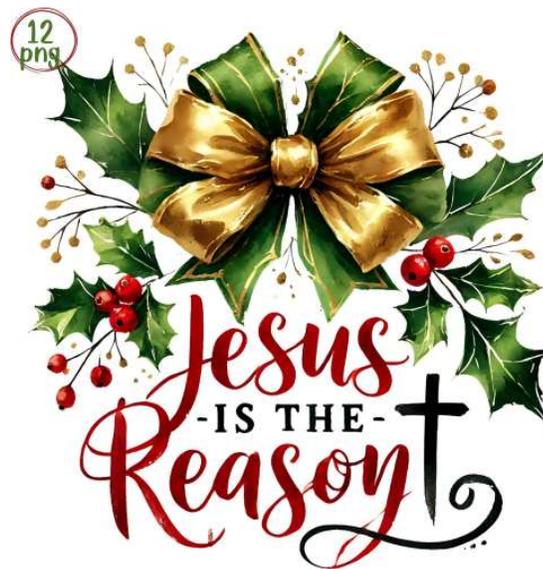
1. I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus, No turning back, (No turning back,) no turning back!
2. Though no one join me, still I will follow, Though no one join me, still I will follow, Tho no one join me, still I will follow. No turning back, (No turning back) no turning back!
3. The world behind me, the cross before me, The world behind me, the cross before me, The world behind me, the cross before me. No turning back, (No turning back) no turning back!

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BENEDICTION Amen!!



**HOPE EVERYONE HAD A WONDERFUL AND BLESSED
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!**

Johns Chapel AME Church
invites you to

**WATCH
NIGHT** *Service*

Theme:
**"From Shadows to Shine:-
2026 This Year is Mine"**

Matthew 5:16
"Let your light shine before others, that they
may see your good deeds."

**December 31, 2025
10:00 p.m.-12:00 a.m.**

*Midnight Mingle
with Fish, Grits, and Activities for the
Children!*

Rev. Willie White Jr., Pastor

PLEASE INVITE OTHERS!



Prayer Concerns
Week of Dec 28, 2025—
Jan 3, 2026

- Sister Eleanor Bailey
- Sister Geraldine Booth
- Sister Lois Boykins
- Kam Elston
- Sister Barbara Fields
- Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- Sister Marion Griffin
- Sister Ophelia Hazzard
- Sister Hattie Huggins
- Sister Vivian Johnson
- Sister Corrina Moore
- Sister Ann McGaughey & Family — Pass-
 ing of her daughter, Tiffany McGaughey on
 Monday, December 15.
- Brother Bobby Moment
- Sister Nichole Nichols
- Sister Geraldine Sanders
- Dr. Rachel Wooten Nichols, wife of Ron
 Nichols, daughter-in-law of Dr. & Mrs. Rus-
 sell Nichols
- Sister Helen Nichols
- Nigel Robinson, son of Brother Carlos &
 Sister Lynette Robinson
- Sister Betty Simmons
- Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Roder-
 ick Simmons, Sister Betty Simmons' son

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- Dec 23 Ari Marshall Rhodes-Vivour**
- Amina Elizabeth Rhodes-Vivour**
- Dec 28 Chakeila Brown**
- Dec 28 Lisa Brown**
- Dec 29 Tiffany Davies**
- Dec 30, 2021 Zenola Gist**
- Jan 2 Mrs. Patricia White**
- Jan 3 Chamira R. Edwards**

Opportunities
To Worship and Serve This Week

TODAY

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast From Heaven
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School

Monday

- 6:00 pm Sons of Allen meeting**
- 7:00 pm -JC Recovery Ministry

Tuesday

Wednesday

10:00 PM —WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

Thursday

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Friday

Saturday

**NO WEDDING ANNIVER-
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The Pastor's Contact Info

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please check texts, e-mails, Facebook, and church website for updates

—Thanks to all for your prayers and for the support of the family of Tiffany McGaughey during her homegoing service on yesterday. Please remember Sister Ann McGaughey and family in your prayers.

—JC Lay Organization will hold officer elections during the monthly meeting at 6 pm on January 12. If interested in seeking an office, please contact Brother Franklin Simmons, Nominating Committee Chair, at 334-494-2377

—JC Watch Night Worship service, Dec 31, 10pm—Midnight. Please see page 5 for more details.

—6:00 pm—Wednesday, December 31, New Year's Eve Worship Service at St. Paul AME Church, Troy. Preacher: Dr. Willie Eugene Marshall, Presiding Elder, Ozark Troy District. Reverend Mattie Edwards, Pastor

—GED CLASSES AT JC ON TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS 9:00 A.M.-12:00 PM IN THE COMPUTER LAB. FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT GED INSTRUCTOR—SISTER ODESSA HERLONG-JONES 334-618-4069 OR PASTOR WHITE 334-701-5853



Sermon Notes

SERMON TITLE: MY MIND IS MADE UP!!!

SCRIPTURE: PSALM 34: 1-2

POINT #1. LIFELONG = A LIFELONG PRAISE

POINT #2 LOUD = A LOUD PRAISE

POINT #3 LOADING = A LOADING PRAISE
