

*Welcome to  
Johns Chapel  
African Methodist Episcopal Church  
605 Geneva Highway/Post Office Box 311015  
Enterprise, Alabama 36331  
March 22, 2026- 10:45 a.m.*

## *The Morning Worship Celebration*



*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\*\*

**Sister Debra Fay Brown**

**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

#390 - "I Am on the Battlefield for My Lord"

**Refrain: I am on the battlefield for my Lord, I'm on the battlefield for my Lord; And I promised Him that I would serve Him till I die. I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.**

### Verses:

1. I was alone and idle, I was a sinner, too; I heard a voice from Heaven Say there is work to do. I took the Master's hand, And I joined the Christian band; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

2. I left my friends and kindred, Bound for the Promised Land, The grace of God upon me, The Bible in my hand. In distant lands I trod, Crying sinner come to God; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

3. Now when I met my Savior, I met Him with a smile; He healed my wounded spirit, And owned me as His child. Around the throne of grace, He appoints my soul a place; I'm on the battlefield for my Lord.

**PRAYER**

**Sister Sandra Hammonds**

**Choral Response**

**SELECTION**

**The Male Choir**

**Accompanied by Brother Brent Golden  
DeVonte Mills and Kam Elston**

**SCRIPTURE**

**Sister Helen Nichols**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF GUESTS**

**Brother Ricky Britt**

***A MESSAGE FOR WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH***

***Sister Alexis Elston***

***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***

***Reverend Willis N. Huggins, Sr.***

***Retired Presiding Elder***

***Ozark Troy District***

**Invitation to Christian Discipleship #260 "I've Wandered Far Away from God"**

1. I've wandered far away from God, Now I'm coming home; The paths of sin too long I've trod, Lord, I'm coming home.

2. I've wasted many precious years, Now I'm coming home; I now repent with bitter tears, Lord, I'm coming home.

3. I've tired of sin and straying, Lord, I'm coming home; I'll trust Thy love, believe Thy word, Lord, I'm coming home.

4. My soul is sick, my heart is sore, Now I'm coming home; My strength renew, my hope restore, Lord, I'm coming home.

**Refrain: Coming home, coming home, Never more to roam, Open wide thine arms of love, Lord, I'm coming home.**

**DOXOLOGY\*\***

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**Praise Him above, ye Heavenly hosts! Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!**

**BENEDICTION**

**Amen!!**



# Women's History Month



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**Prayer Concerns**  
**Week of March 22-28, 2026**

- Sister Eleanor Bailey
- Sister Geraldine Booth
- Sister Lois Boykins
- Kam Elston
- Sister Barbara Fields
- Sister Annie Pearl Frazier
- Sister Marion Griffin
- Sister Sandra Hammonds
- Sister Ophelia Hazzard
- Sister Hattie Huggins
- Sister Vivian Johnson
- Sister Corrina Moore
- Sister Ann McGaughey
- Brother Bobby Moment
- Sister Geraldine Sanders
- Dr. Rachel Wooten Nichols, wife of Ron Nichols, daughter-in-law of Dr. & Mrs. Russell Nichols
- Nigel Robinson, son of Brother Carlos & Sister Lynette Robinson
- Sister Betty Simmons
- Sister Bridgette Simmons, wife of Roderick Simmons, Sister Betty Simmons' son

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- March 26 Jasmine Crawford
- March 26 Meredith F. Greene
- March 26, 2025 Solana Jade Barber
- March 27 Kalycia Haynes
- March 27 Kamden Jordan Crawford
- March 28 Mable Dixon

**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**

- 9:00 am-12 noon—GED class**

**Wednesday**

- 12:00 pm — Noon Day Adult Bible Study
- 4:30 pm — Pizza With Police
- 6:00 pm—Adult Bible Study via Zoom
- 6:00 pm Youth Bible Study on Zoom with parents

**Thursday**

- 9:00 am-12 noon—GED class**

**Friday—**

- 7:00 pm—Pastor White preaching at Dunn's Chapel AME Church

- Saturday 11 am—Free meals by Sons of Allen**

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

**March 22, 2025**

**Mr. Samuel (Sammy) Mills  
 & Mrs., Tiffany Mills**

*The Pastor's Contact Info*

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**—-LENT SEASON —-**

**Wednesday, February 18, 2026—April 2, 2026**

—Pastor White has a preaching engagement at New Life AME Church in Geneva at 3:00 p.m. today. He is asking members to accompany him as we bless this congregation after storm damage to the church.

—Donations are being accepted for Easter Lilies. Please see Sister Debra Brown for more details. Thank you in advance.

—Easter Sunday is April 5. Program chairs are Brother Ricky Britt, Sister Alexis Elston, and Reverend Willis Huggins, Jr.

—Thanks to all for prayers and support of the Spring Gospel Singing on yesterday. Chairpersons: Nikki Mills and Fernisa Sanders.

—3:00 pm Sunday, March 29—Pastor White preaching at Freemount AME Church, Baker Hill. Members are asked to accompany him.

—GED CLASSES HERE 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: THIS LENT, IT STARTS WITH ME**

**SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 12: 1-3**

**POINT #1.**

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**POINT #2**

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**POINT #3**

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