

# Saint Paul

Christian Methodist Episcopal Church

1601 Barnard Street ~ Savannah, Georgia 31401



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**December 3, 2023**

**Liturgical Color: White**

**8:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M**

**ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION WORSHIP**

*THE WELCOME MINISTRY*

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP*.....8 am Rev. Johnnie Mae Law/11am Rev. Kenneth Jordan

*THE CHOIRS ON DUTY*.....8 am & 11 am The Music Ministry

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE*.....8am “Pass Me Not”/11am “O Come All Ye Faithful”

**THE 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 Spirit, 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 at 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 Spirit; the “Holy catholic church,” the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. **Amen.***

**\*\*THE INVOCATION** .....8am Rev. Betty Jones/11am Rev. Sarah Brown-Wilson

*THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC*

**\*\*THE READ WORD (Psalm 34:1-10 NIV)**.....8am Min. Renee Murchison /11am Min. Shawna Lucas

*LIGHTING OF THE UNITY CANDLE*.....8Aam Rev. Johnny Mae Law/ 11am Rev. Kenneth Jordan

**THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS**.....8am Rev. Diane Williams/11 am Rev. Johnny Hickman

*We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord trusting in our own righteousness, but in Thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under Thy table. But Thou are the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy; grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so as to eat the flesh of Thy dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink His blood, that our sinful souls and bodies may be made clean by His death and washed through His most precious blood and that we may evermore dwell in Him and He in us. **Amen.***

*THE PASTORAL CONCERNS/PRESENTATION OF THE PREACHER (Video)* .....

*THE MUSIC FOR SERMONIC PREPARATION*.....The Choir

**\*\*8 AM & 11 AM THE PREACHED WORD**.....**Pastor Thurmond**

*THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP*

*THE PARTAKING OF HOLY COMMUNION*

*THE WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES AND WILLING HEART OFFERING*.....Exodus 35:5

*THE PARTING BLESSING*

*8:00 AM Hymn Of Praise*

**“Pass Me Not”**

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

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

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

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

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

*11:00 AM Hymn Of Praise*

**“O Come All Ye Faithful”**

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,  
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem!  
Come, and behold Him, born the King of angels!

*Refrain:*

*O come, let us adore Him;*

*O come, let us adore Him;*

*O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord!*

Sing, choirs of angels; sing in exultation;  
sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!  
Glory to God, all glory in the highest!

[Refrain]

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning;  
Jesus, to Thee be all glory giv'n!  
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing!

[Refrain]

## ***WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF PRAYER ON BARNARD STREET***

*We welcome all guests, members, and friends to St. Paul CME Church. We are glad that you selected St. Paul as your place of worship this Sunday. Our prayer is that our service will touch your heart. If you are in need of a church home, we extend to you an invitation to join St. Paul CME Church.*

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## DEC 2023

**DEC 5**

***NO BIBLE STUDY***

1:00 & 7:00 PM

***THE PAUL IN PRAYER***

7:00 AM

**DEC 6**

**DEC 7**

***GRACE & GRIEVING MINISTRY***

***LOVING, LOSING, & LIFTING*** 5:30 PM

***BAGS OF BLESSINGS***

10:00AM

**DEC 9**

**DEC 10**

***YWCE INDUCTION CEREMONY***

3:00 PM

# Advent

## Worship Schedule

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|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| December 3rd<br>Holy Communion Worship                    | 8:00 am & 11:00 am |
| December 10th   | 8:00 am & 11:00 am |
| December 17th<br>Christmas Cantata                        | 8:00 am & 11:00 am |
| December 24th<br>Christmas Eve                            | 10:00 am           |
| December 31st<br>New Year Eve                             | 10:00 am           |
| December 31st<br>Watch Night Worship                      | 10:30 pm           |
| January 7th<br>1st Holy Communion of 2024<br>Family Style | 10:00 am           |



**\*\*\*NO BIBLE STUDY  
TUESDAY,  
DECEMBER 5TH -  
DECEMBER 26TH.**

**BIBLE STUDY WILL  
RESUME, TUESDAY,  
JANUARY 7, 2024\*\*\***

# Be An Angel To An Angel

## To be an ANGEL?

1. Select an Angel ornament from the Christmas tree.
2. Record the name and number of the Angel as well as your name and phone number on the sign in sheet.
3. All unwrapped gifts are due by December 13, 2023
4. For more information please see Sis. Caroline Pryor, Sis. Sabrina Robinson or call the church office.

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# December Sermon Series



**Miss Me With Christmas  
I'm Avoiding Advent**

**By Pastor Thurmond**





The Grace & Grieving Ministry  
Presents



# *Loving, Losing, and Living*

A time of Reflection and Refreshment  
for those who are *Grieving*



Thursday, December 7,  
5:30 PM  
H.R. Delaney Social Hall



\*\*\*DINNER WILL BE SERVED\*\*\*



St. Paul CME Church

***BAGS OF BLESSINGS  
GROCERIES & MORE GIVEAWAY***



**Saturday, December 9th**

**10AM - 12 Noon**

**1605 Whitaker St.**

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# YOUNG WOMEN OF CHRISTIAN EXCELLENCE

## INDUCTION CEREMONY

**SUNDAY  
DECEMBER 10, 2023  
3:00 PM**

\*Wear White



### Next Meeting

**FRIDAY  
DECEMBER 15, 2023  
6:30 PM**

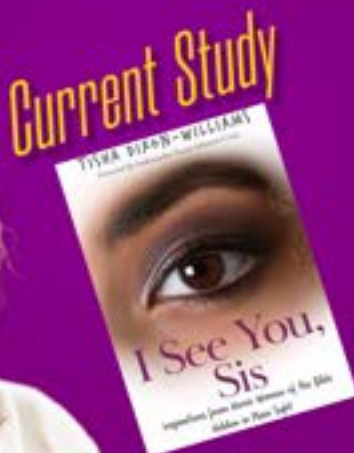
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St. Paul Christian Methodist Episcopal Church

# Sistah <sup>2</sup> Sister

Women's Ministry



Thursday  
December 14th  
6:30 PM

H. R. Delaney Social Hall  
123 Brady Street

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St. Paul CME  
Senior Saints

*Christmas*  
**Luncheon**

Saturday, December 16th  
at 12 noon  
H. R. Delaney Social Hall



**Rev. Cathy LaCount**  
Pastor of Stouts Chapel CME



Guest Speaker



ST. PAUL CHRISTIAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

# SPECIAL WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

*Schedule*

DECEMBER 24TH

10:00 AM

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DECEMBER 31ST

10:00 AM

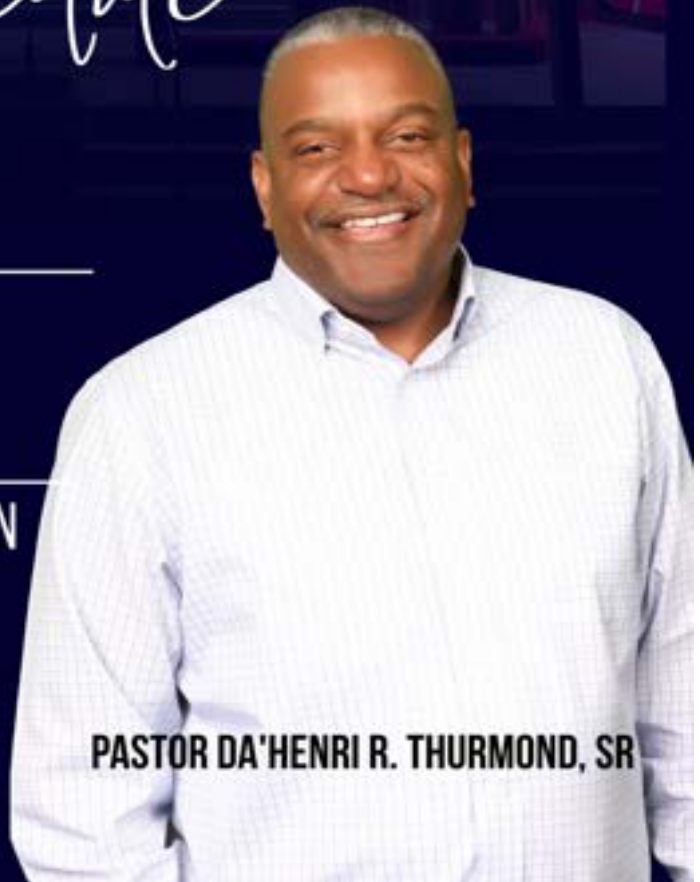
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THE 1ST HOLY COMMUNION  
OF 2024

FAMILY STYLE

JANUARY 7, 2024

10:00 AM



PASTOR DA'HENRI R. THURMOND, SR



# Cupcakes for Christ "Happy Birthday Jesus"



All Youth Are invited!!!

Come Create & Celebrate!!!

Saturday, December 23rd @11:00 AM



ST. PAUL CME CHURCH

# WATCH NIGHT WORSHIP

"Praying out of '23, Praying into '24"

**DECEMBER 31st**  
**10:30 PM**

A photograph of Pastor Da'Henri and Lady Angie Thurmond. They are standing together, smiling. The background features a large, ornate golden clock face with Roman numerals and a glowing sunburst effect. The overall theme is celebratory and festive, with a blue and gold color scheme.

Pastor Da'Henri &  
Lady Angie  
Thurmond

**2024**



**Health and Wellness Ministry**  
*The Rev. Patricia Hunter & Minister Molly Johnson*

**“O Lord my God, I cried unto thee, and thou hast healed me.” Psalm 30:2**

|                                 |     |  |                 |
|---------------------------------|-----|--|-----------------|
| <i>Helena LeCount</i>           | **  | <i>Atlanta, GA</i>                                   |                 |
| <i>Mary Black</i>               | **  | <i>234 Vick St., Garden City, GA</i>                 | <i>927-6185</i> |
| <i>Berneatha Mosley</i>         | **  | <i>1439 Chevy Chase Rd.</i>                          |                 |
| <i>Cassandra Harris Edwards</i> | **  | <i>Delta, PA the daughter of Berneatha Mosley</i>    |                 |
| <i>Min. Carolyn Green</i>       | **  | <i>Oceanside Nursing Home Tybee Island, GA</i>       | <i>662-9297</i> |
| <i>Willie Boyington</i>         | **  | <i>Memorial Medical Center</i>                       |                 |
| <i>Lutricia Gordon</i>          | **  | <i>At Home</i>                                       |                 |
| <i>Eunice Jackson</i>           | **  | <i>6 Alfred Street 31408</i>                         |                 |
| <i>Erica Williams</i>           | **  | <i>Atlanta, GA (Granddaughter of Theresa Boston)</i> |                 |
| <i>Theresa Boston</i>           | **  | <i>5810 Raven Tree Ct, College Park, GA 30349</i>    |                 |
| <i>Violet Darlington</i>        | **  | <i>1403 Golden St. 31415</i>                         | <i>233-3660</i> |
| <i>Rose Benjamin</i>            | **  | <i>Tara Nursing Home Rm 106</i>                      |                 |
| <i>Jimmy Horne</i>              | **  | <i>1000 Cubbedge Street, 31415</i>                   |                 |
| <i>Julia Thompson</i>           | **  |  |                 |
| <i>Joe Bennett</i>              | *   | <i>Tara Nursing Home</i>                             |                 |
| <i>Pearl Ingram</i>             | *   | <i>501 Pennsylvania Ave Apt 201 31404</i>            |                 |
| <i>James Grant</i>              | **  | <i>Tara Nursing Home</i>                             |                 |
| <i>Matthew Jones, Sr.</i>       | *   |  |                 |
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| <i>Annie Parker</i>             | *   | <i>2035 Dove Street, Macon, GA</i>                   |                 |
| <i>Desi Wilson, Jr.</i>         | *   | <i>Fort Bragg, SC</i>                                |                 |
| <i>Frank Miles &amp; Family</i> | *** |  |                 |

***\*Prayer***

***\*\*Sick***

***\*\*\*Death in Family***

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