

EBC Prayer List

To add a name to the prayer list, including your own, please contact us at **ext. 75** or via email at **prayer@ebc-ny.org**. Also, please let us know when God has blessed and healed, so that we might let the congregation know when prayers are answered.

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| Henry Alston ^{AD} | Viola D. Greene-Walker | Sharon Niles-Fayall |
| Mabel Alston * | Tonia Hardney ^ | Francis Osagie * |
| Elaine Armstrong * | Cynthia Harper | Sandra Pressley * |
| Carnell Barnes | Delores Harris ^ | Mary Reed * |
| Margaret Bell | Vivian Harrison * | Rebecca Reid * |
| Geogiana Blair | Cindy Hogan | Darryl Richardson |
| Ella Boyce | Sue Hollis * | Ella Rivera * |
| Marjorie Bullock * | Byrdie Holloway * | Lafayette Robinson * |
| Denise Burns | Theresa Holloway Ramiras | Tracie A. Robinson |
| Derek Carter * | Barbara Holt * | Edwin Romero ^{AD} |
| Wade Chasten * | Catherine Holt * | Albert Rogers * |
| Gloria Cirino | Shirley Holt * | Edward Ruff * |
| Beatrice Clay * | Marsha Ingram | Chanique Sanford ^{AD} |
| Nicole Clouden | Rev. Constance Jackson | William Shell |
| Nicole Crooks | Millicent Johns ^ | Dante Smith |
| Kim Crowder | Patricia Johnson * | Mason Smith, Jr. |
| Marge Dixon * | Charlene & Luther Jones ^ | Helen Spenser |
| Darryll Dorceus ^{AD} | Mary Jones * | Stacey Squire * |
| Kimberly Douglas | Clarence Knight * | Barbara Stanford * |
| Norma Duncan | Mary Knight * | Ella Stephens * |
| Dea. Sheryl Eason | Vijaya Kumar | Ruby Styron |
| Alma Edwards * | Michelle Laster | Zarina Sylvester |
| Hugh Edwards * | William Lesane | Collen Tate * |
| Maisie Edwards * | Doris Louard * | Kerry Taylor |
| Ericson Estrella * | Wilma Matthews ^ | Andrew Lee Tillary * |
| Kermit Eubanks * | Warren Maynard | Kimako Trotman * |
| Bertha Floyd * | Dea. Norman McCalla * | Evelyn Turnipseed * |
| Irving Foxx * | Deac. Paula McCalla * | Douglas Walcott* |
| Alana Forsythe | Allison McKenzie | Cheryl Washington |
| Lucy May Francis | Quincy McKoy | Mercedes Washington* |
| Jeff Gardner * | Carolyn Miller | Mildred Washington* |
| The Geddis Family | Phillip Miller | Virginia Washington * |
| Lucille Givens * | Niekisha Mitchell | Catherine Webb * |
| DeVante Glover-Morgan | Maya Moore * | Latoya Williams* |
| Miriam Gordon * | Family of Mateo Mulcare ^ | Omar White |

*Sick and Shut-In ^ Bereaved + Deceased ^{AD} Military Duty
 Communion and visitation requests for persons physically unable to attend worship services should be directed to Rev. Elzora Williamson, **ext. 50**.

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 For more information, call or email at 718 230-3812 or sealyfuneralhomellc@verizon.net.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Connecting People to Christ



Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her:
 "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."
 Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting; but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.
Proverbs 31:28-30

Weekend Worship Schedule

Sat., May 9, 2009

5:30PM Connection Remix Service
Live on Streamingfaith.com

Sun., May 10, 2009

8:00AM Blended Service
 10:00AM Contemporary Service
Live on Streamingfaith.com



Noon Seeker Sensitive Service

Weekly Rebroadcast Schedule **Streamingfaith.com**

Tue., May 12, 2009 Noon Sunday Worship Service

Thu., May 14, 2009 Noon Connection Remix Service

Rev. Anthony L. Trufant, Senior Pastor

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From the Pen of the Pastor



Welcome to worship at EBC on Mother's Day Weekend! We are glad you have chosen to worship with us. This weekend is, to be sure, a very special moment in our church, city, and country. We pause to spotlight the sacrifice of women whose hands have not only rocked our cradles, but whose hard work has shaped our world: our mothers. Let's thank God for our mothers, grandmothers, and surrogate mothers, through whose wisdom and warmth we have been blessed immeasurably and unceasingly.

While all the women of EBC are special to us, guests and members, there are several women who merit special recognition for the roles they have played in supporting and shaping children, their own and others. Let's applaud the

following awardees for teaching our children, through precept and example, to prepare for the future and practice faith daily:

Deidre Byrd-Cherry	Grandmother of the Year
Lakisha Adams	Single Mother of the Year
Pamela Patton-Fynes	Married Mom of the Year
Terri Canady	Mother Figure of the Year.

I am acutely aware of the fact that there are a host of other women who could and should be honored. Such persons will receive their due at another time through EBC. In the meantime, however, they can and should receive their due from you. The Apostle Paul counsels us, after all, to give honor to whom honor is due (see Romans 13:7). Today, bless those who have blessed you not only with the gift of your presence, but also with some thoughtful, beautiful expression of appreciation.

At the same time, let's acknowledge that there are some among us who are having a difficult day. Some are mourning the loss of loved ones, those who have died recently and others who have slept with the saints for awhile. To those persons, we say two things: 1) We are available to pray with and for you today; and 2) take advantage of our Healing Our Hearts experience (Mon., May 11, @ 7pm), a ministry which is designed to help people deal with the pain of loss, yet discover the promise of life.

Let us hear anew the ancient wisdom of the Psalmist, "This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it (Psalm 118:24).

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Special Announcements

Rev. Trufant, ministerial staff and my EBC family, words cannot express how humbled I am to receive the Lay Person of the Year award. It was truly an honor to have it presented by both Rev. Trufant and Dr. Whittaker. I am grateful and so blessed to be a part of the EBC family. *Tracey Hughes*

EBC MEMBERSHIP: Join us for sessions three and four of New Disciples' Orientation Mon. & Tues. beginning @ 6:30pm and Sat., @ 9:00am sharp! Contact Rev. Smith-Wright, ext. 20 to register.

Week at a Glance

Date	Event	Time
Sun., May 10	MOTHERS' DAY	All Day
	BLENDED SERVICE	8:00 AM
	Teens That Mean Business Registration	9:15 AM
	CONTEMPORARY SERVICE	10:00 AM
	Sunday School	10:00 AM
	G.I.G.E.L.	12:00 PM
Mon., May 11	SEEKER SENSITIVE SERVICE	12:00 PM
	Single Mothers Small Group	12:00 PM
	Tai Chi	10:30 AM
	Gate Keeper Small Group	6:00 PM
	Adult Learning Center	6:30 PM
	NDO-Managing God's Money	6:30 PM
Tue., May 12	HEALING OUR HEARTS	7:00 PM
	Chosen Bible Study	7:00 PM
	Prime Time Exercise Class	10:00 AM
	Cub Scouts	6:00 PM
	Youth Ministry Bible Study	6:30 PM
	NDO-Managing God's Money	6:30 PM
Wed., May 13	Transformers Small Group	7:00 PM
	Triumph Small Group	7:00 PM
	Tai Chi	10:00 AM
	Older Adult Small Group	12:00 PM
	The Chosen Remnant Small Group	12:00 PM
	Men Only Small Group	7:00 PM
	Women Only Small Group	7:00 PM
	Faith on Fire Small Group	7:00 PM
	Children of the Living God Small Group	7:30 PM
	Warriors Who Wrestle Small Group	7:30 PM
	Wednesday Witnesses Small Group	7:30 PM
Willing to Walk 2 God Small Group	7:30 PM	
Thu. May 14	Creative Writing Class	10:00 AM
	Agape Ministry Grandparents	12:00 PM
	Creative Writing Class 2	12:30 PM
	Fitness Challenge Class	6:00 PM
	Adult Learning Center	6:30 PM
	Transforming Trust Small Group	7:00 PM
	Frontliners	7:00 PM
	Intercessory Prayer Small Group	7:00 PM
Fri., May 15	Prime Time Exercise Class	10:00 AM
	AARP	11:00 AM
	Girl Scouts	5:00 PM
	20/30 Somethings Small Group	7:30 PM
	Teen Canteen	7:30 PM
Sat. May 16	Discovering Your Purpose & Place	9:00 AM
	Southeastern States Ministry	10:00 AM
	Meet & Greet for M&B Grantees	10:00 AM
	College Chill-Out	1:00 PM
	Nutrition Workshop	2:30 PM
	Saturday Surrender Small Group	3:00 PM
	CONNECTION REMIX	3:00 PM
		5:30 PM