

# BETHEL

AME CHURCH, PORTLAND, OREGON

5828 NE 8th Avenue, Portland OR 97211

*June 7, 2026*



*Bishop Francine A. Brookins, Presiding Prelate  
Reverend Spencer F. Barrett, Presiding Elder  
Reverend Phillip E. Ross, Pastor*

May 3, 2026 11:00 a.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

Praise & Worship ..... Instrumental Music

PROCESSIONAL

The Doxology ..... #647

*“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 Amen!”*

The Call to Worship .....

**Leader: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord.  
Our feet shall stand within Thy gates, O Jerusalem!**

*People: For a day in Thy courts is better than a thousand. I had Rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness.*

**Leader: Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek Thy good.**

*People: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord, shall flourish in The courts of our God.*

**Leader: Blessed are they that dwell in Thy house. Lord, I have loved Thy habitation, the place where Thy Honor dwelleth.**

*People: For 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 Thy sight, O Lord my Strength and my Redeemer.**

**ALL: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for He has done Marvelous things! Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, All the earth, sing praises.**

The Morning Hymn. .... The Congregation

The Invocation .....

The Choral Response ..... The Bethel Choraleers

The Ministry of Music ..... The Bethel Choraleers

The Scripture Reading .....

The Preface to the Decalogue ..... *“From all that dwell below the skies” #69*

✚ Summary of the Decalogue

✚ Gloria Patri ..... *“Glory Be to the Father” #626*

The People’s Moment ..... The Social Action Committee

Announcements/Recognition of Visitors ..... Lady Michelle Jordan  
**Worship through Altar Call/Giving** ..... Rev. Phillip E. Ross  
**Offertory Prayer** ..... *“All Things Come of Thee, Oh Lord”*  
The Song of Sermonic Preparation ..... The Bethel Choraleers  
The Word Proclaimed ..... Rev. Ross  
The Invitation to Christian Discipleship ..... Rev. Ross

**Holy Communion - The General Confession**

“**Almighty God**, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men, we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word and deed against Your divine Majesty, provoking most justly Your wrath and indignation against us.

We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father for Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ’s sake; forgive us all that is past and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen.**”

- † 1st Collect,
- † 2nd Collect,
- † Prayer of Adoration,
- † Prayer of Humiliation,
- † Prayer of Consecration,
- † The Lords Prayer

**The Apostles Creed** ..... See Insert.....

**The Doxology** ..... #647  
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**The Benediction** ..... #652

**RECESSIONAL**

**OFFICERS OF THE DAY**

**Steward** - Sister Carol Anne Drayton    **Trustee** - Brother Sylvester Paschal

*Let's*



*Get into The  
Holy Word  
at Bethel!*

*Bible Study with Pastor*

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY**

12:00 noon **LIVE** @ BETHEL and  
ZOOM - ID: 8718286140, Passcode: 12345  
Call In # 253-205-0468

*Membership Ministries*

**†Church School with Sister Margaret Marshall**

**"LIVE"**, Sunday Mornings 10:00am  
Wednesday Evenings 6:00pm  
605-475-4007, Passcode: 920644#

**†Bible Study with Brother Paul Marshall**

Thursday Afternoons 12:00pm  
605-475-4007, Passcode: 920644#

If you didn't get a chance to give your Tithes/Offering the last few Sunday's we have a QR code for your convenience! **Using your cell phone camera, point at QR code, a link will appear on your screen, select the link to be taken directly to Givelify.** Don't have a cell phone? The link is [www.givelify.com](http://www.givelify.com).

**QR Code**



*Pray without Ceasing!*

*"Called To The Wall"*

**†Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday Mornings** 7:00 am, 605-475-4077,  
Passcode: 920644#

**†Tuesday Evenings** 6:00 pm, 605-313-5109, Passcode: 735111#

*Prayer led by Exhorter Bobbi Smith - Morning Glory's*

**†Thursday Mornings** 6:30 am, 605-475-4007, Passcode: 920644#

## ANNOUNCEMENTS - JUNE 2026



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO ALL CELEBRATING IN JUNE**



**TODAY:** Sunday Prayer Time - Join the 5th District as we gather each Sunday evening at 6:00pm (for just 30 minutes). Your prayers matter. Your presents matter. Come in the room. **ZOOM Meeting ID:** 817 7575 8872, **Passcode:** Music

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3RD - BIBLE STUDY** 12:00 noon **LIVE @ BETHEL** and ZOOM. Please join us as we do a more in-depth study of Sunday, May 29th's Scripture. Please plan to join us - **ZOOM Meeting ID:** 8718286140, **PASSCODE:** 12345, **CALL:** 253-205-0468.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 6TH** - PNWC WMS Leadership Training Institute., 9:00am - 3:00pm on ZOOM. Registration is \$25. Please see Sister Anita Motley for more information.

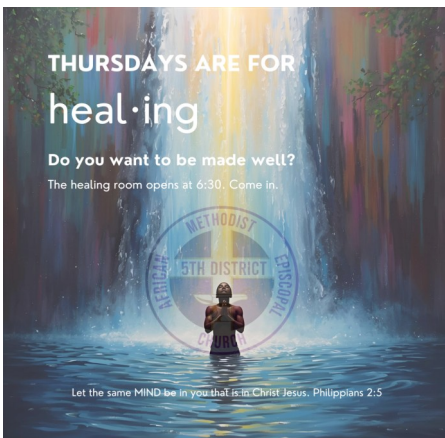
**TUESDAY, JUNE 9TH** - Steward Board monthly meeting, 6:30pm - ZOOM.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10TH** - Trustee Board monthly meeting, 6:30pm - ZOOM.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 13TH

- † Men of Bethel monthly meeting - 10:00am.
- † 2nd Annual YPD and Men of Bethel Fried Chicken Fundraiser (see flyer in bulletin for more information).
- † Choraleers Choir rehearsal - 1:00pm.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 16TH** - Official Board monthly meeting - 6:30pm, ZOOM.



Do you have feelings? Do you know what they are? Your mental and emotional well-being are directly tied to our individual and collective healing. Join the mental health check in tonight to process, share, and strengthen one another as we carry these heavy loads.

You are not alone. Let us lift one another, speak life into each other, and remember that God still holds us—even now. See you soon!

**5TH DISTRICT THURSDAYS ARE FOR HEALING!**  
**6:30PM Pacific**  
**Meeting ID: 896 1311 5252 Passcode: 529540**

# Fried Chicken Dinners!

**BETHEL**

AME CHURCH, PORTLAND, OREGON

**5828 NE 8th Avenue, Portland OR 97211**

**Saturday, June 13, 2026, 12:00pm - 4:00pm**

**Indulge in a hearty menu featuring:**

**Fried Chicken Wings**

*Your Choice of*

*Mixed Greens cooked with Smoked Turkey*

*or*

*String beans*

**Mac and Cheese**

**Cornbread Muffin**

**Potato Salad**

**Dessert**

**Soda or Water**

**Price: \$20.00**

**To call in your orders - 503-374-4437**

**Come hungry and ready to make a difference!**

**All proceeds will support the initiatives led by  
The Young People's Division & The Men of Bethel**

## *Prayer for the Sick & Shut-in, but Never Shut-out*

*We are believing the promise of **James 5:14-15** for the following:*

Ainya Bradford, Walter Key, Mildred Scurlock, Cynthia Triplet, Jean Winters, Joil & Cynthia Southwell, Chrisanna Martines Woods, Stephanie Thompson, Ethel Love, Joan Cook, Elmira Davis, Rev. Maurice Wright, Elizabeth Taylor, Denson Fowlks, SataieVior Ayilola, Haley Peoples, Alyce Bowser, Rev. Jack Walker, Sister Dorothy Fuller, and Helen Irwin. Special prayer for Sister Linda Beasley and Family.

Bro. Luther Evans  
Community Living Center  
1601 E 4th Plane Blvd., Building 11, East Wing #120  
Vancouver WA 98661, 360-696-4061 x33550

Mrs. Vashti Johnson  
Mt. Tabor Rehabilitation,  
6040 SE Belmont, Rm 336  
Portland, OR 97215

**\*\*Please submit all requests to the Church Office Manager by Wednesday to have members included on the Prayer List. Please remember those who are currently unwell or grieving with prayers, cards, and phone calls.**

*\*\*Members who are absent can give their tithes and offerings by mailing to our address, through Givelify or can contact your Class Leader or one of our Stewards, and they will coordinate a safe way to receive your gifts and return them straight to the Bethel AME Church. We thank you for supporting this ministry and following the biblical principle of giving.*



### **TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT WITH PASTOR**

**Email - [RevPRoss@yahoo.com](mailto:RevPRoss@yahoo.com)**

Please provide your name, phone#, and email address.

*You'll receive an appointment confirmation via email.*

(ALL appointments will be scheduled for 30 minutes

**UNLESS** more time is requested when making the appointment)

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE, REFLECTION, AND RENEWED COMMITMENT TO JUSTICE, FAITH, AND COMMUNITY.

# CHARLESTON 9

## Day of Remembrance


HONORING THE LEGACY. CONTINUING THE WORK.

COMMEMORATING THE MARTYRDOM OF THE CHARLESTON NINE AND ADVANCING THE CAUSE OF JUSTICE

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2026**

**FIRST AME CHURCH**  
1522 14TH AVENUE  
SEATTLE, WA 98122

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER**  
**Bishop Francine A. Brookins, Esq.**  
Presiding Prelate of the 5th Episcopal District  
African Methodist Episcopal Church




*Their lives were taken. Their legacy lives on. We will not forget.*

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2026**

5:30 PM Doors Open /  
**FREE** Networking Dinner & Fellowship  
6:30 PM Program Begins

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SEATTLE, WA 98122

CLERGY, COMMUNITY LEADERS,  
FAITH PARTNERS, YOUTH,  
AND THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME  
**FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

**PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- FREE** Networking Dinner & Fellowship  
Build relationships, strengthen community.
- Remembrance of the Charleston Nine  
Honoring their lives and enduring legacy.
- Powerful Keynote Address  
Presiding Prelate of the 5th Episcopal District  
Bishop Francine A. Brookins, Esq.
- A Renewed Commitment to Justice,  
Faith, Action, and Community.

There will be two ways to access this event

1. Via YouTube - Type in First AME Church Seattle
2. Via Facebook - Go to the First AME Seattle website and scroll down until you see the Facebook symbol