

# G.T.A.H.

Volume II Issue 2

(Great Things are Happening)

February 2014



*Pastor David Anthony Clarke, Sr.  
First Lady Michelle Wilson Clarke*



## ~ MISSION STATEMENT ~

*"To draw people to Christ, maximize our potential and creatively meet the physical and emotional needs of the church and community."*



## ~ February Events ~

2	Super Bowl Fellowship, VC	5:00 p.m.
3	Women's Bible Study, VC	7:00 p.m.
4	Praise Team Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.
5	Ministers Training, Conference Room	6:00 p.m.
6	Mother Ammie Bell's Funeral and Repass	11:00 a.m.
6	Musicians Rehearsal	5:00 p.m.
6	Choir	7:00 p.m.
8	Worship Ministries	8:00 a.m.
8	Zumba Fitness, VC	9:30 p.m.
8	Golden Achievers	12:00 p.m.
9	Leadership Consecration Service	11:00 a.m.
10	Men's Bible Study, VC	6:30 p.m.
10	Stephens Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.
11	Media Ministry Meeting	6:00 p.m.
11	Praise Team	7:00 p.m.
12	Minister Training, Conference Room	6:00 p.m.
13	Voices of Prayer & Praise, Conference Room	12:00 noon
13	Singles Ministry, CC	6:30 p.m.
13	Healthcare Meeting, Conference Meeting	7:00 p.m.
15	Worship Ministries	8:00 a.m.
15	Ministers Meeting, VC	9:00 a.m.
15	Youth Choir Fellowship, VC	2:00 p.m.
17	Men's Bible Study, VC	6:30 p.m.
20	Grief Support Meeting, VC	6:00 p.m.
22	Ministry Workers Workshop	9:00 a.m.

## Church Service Hours

**Sunday Morning Prayer**  
7:45 a.m.

**Sunday School**  
9:30 a.m.

**Sunday Worship**  
8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

**Sunday Bible Study**  
6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday Midday Manna**  
12:00 p.m.

**Wednesday Bible Study**  
7:00 p.m.

**Radio Broadcast**  
Sundays, 1:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
*"The Light"* FM 100.5

**Church Office Hours**  
Tuesday - Friday  
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Additional Church Hours**  
Monday - Thursday  
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.



## ~ VISION STATEMENT ~

*"To be a global network of learning, loving and life transforming ministries where hungry worshippers are discovering and walking in their God-given purpose with exceeding great joy."*



**My  
Baptism  
Experience**

**Mahogany  
Porter**



*Elder Connie Dinkins  
Deacon Charles Lenoir*



**My name is Mahogany Serae' Porter.** I am eight years old. My parents are Brian and Africa Porter. I am the youngest child. I have two older brothers (Omari Green and Arius Porter). I attend Northside Elementary School as a second grade FOCUS student. I love to read and write stories about my family and friends. I love to dance, to cheer, do gymnastics and I love to dress myself. I also enjoy children's church, my Sunday School class where I can learn about Jesus and 4Him Dance Ministry where I can learn about dancing for Jesus.

**What led you to be baptized today?**

I wanted to be baptized because I love Jesus and wanted to let Him know how much I loved Him.

**Describe your baptism experience:**

I was very excited, happy and to be made new. I felt special because I was the only one in the room with all the ladies who helped me get dressed in the back. The water was warmer than I thought it would be. I was really cold when I got out of the water.



**My  
Daddy  
and  
Me**



# ~ Youth Sunday ~

January 19, 2014



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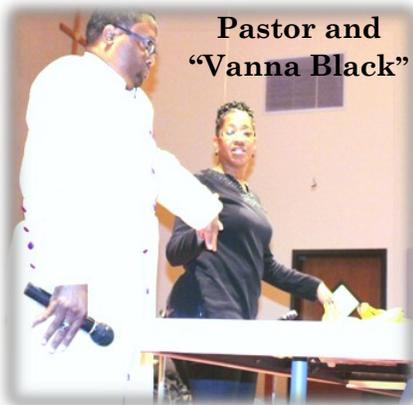
*God*

*Is*

**AWESOME!!!**

He can move mountains  
Keep me in the valley  
Hide me from the rain  
My God is awesome  
Heals me when I'm broken  
Strength where I've been weakened  
Forever He will reign.....







## ~ *February is Healthy Heart Month* ~

Bro. Gene Swinney



We have all seen the movie scenes where a man gasps, clutches his chest and falls to the ground. In reality, a heart attack victim could easily be a woman, and the scene may not be that dramatic.

“Although men and women can experience chest pressure that feels like an elephant sitting across the chest, women can experience a heart attack without chest pressure,” said Nieca Goldberg, M.D., medical director for the Joan H. Tisch Center for Women's Health at NYU's Langone Medical Center. “Instead they may experience shortness of breath, pressure, or pain in the lower chest or upper abdomen, dizziness, lightheadedness or fainting, upper back pressure or extreme fatigue.”

Even when the signs are subtle, the consequences can be deadly, especially if the victim does not get help right away.

Even though heart disease is the No. 1 killer of women, women often chalk up the symptoms to less life-threatening conditions like acid reflux, the flu or normal aging.

“They do this because they are scared and because they put their families first,” Goldberg said. “There are still many women who are shocked that they could be having a heart attack.”



A heart attack strikes someone about every 34 seconds. It occurs when the blood flow that brings oxygen to the heart muscle is severely reduced or cut off completely. This happens because the arteries that supply the heart with blood can slowly narrow from a buildup of fat, cholesterol and other substances (plaque).

Many women think the signs of a heart attack are unmistakable — the image of the elephant sitting on your chest - comes to mind — but in fact, they may be less dramatic and sometimes confusing. You could feel so short of breath, “as though you ran a marathon, but you haven't made a move,” Goldberg said. Some women experiencing a heart attack describe upper backpressure that feels like squeezing or a rope being tied around them, Goldberg said. Dizziness, lightheadedness, or actually fainting are other symptoms to look for.

### **Take care of you**

Heart disease is preventable. Here are Goldberg's top tips:

Schedule an appointment with your healthcare provider to learn your personal risk for heart disease.

Quit smoking. Did you know that just one year after you quit, you will cut your risk of coronary heart disease by 50 percent?

Start an exercise program. Just walking 30 minutes a day can lower your risk for heart attack and stroke.

Modify your family's diet if needed. Learn about healthier cooking tips. For example, with chicken, use the leaner meat (chicken breast) instead of the fattier meat (legs and thighs), and be sure to remove the skin.

### Heart Attack Signs in Women

1. Uncomfortable pressure, squeezing, fullness, or pain in the center of your chest. It lasts more than a few minutes, or goes away and comes back.
2. Pain or discomfort in one or both arms, the back, neck, jaw, or stomach.
3. Shortness of breath with or without chest discomfort.
4. Other signs such as breaking out in a cold sweat, nausea, or lightheadedness.
5. As with men, women's most common heart attack symptom is chest pain or discomfort. But women are somewhat more likely than men to experience some of the other symptoms, like shortness of breath, nausea/vomiting, back or jaw pain.

**If you hav any of these signs, do not wait – CALL FOR HELP – CALL OR HAVE SOMEONE CALL 911.**

There are a lot of things in this world that can pollute our hearts and our minds. We must protect our hearts against these things, for if they get into our hearts, they will then get into our lives.

### GUARD YOUR HEART

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.

— PROVERBS 4:23 NIV

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## ~ Fiscal Fitness Corner ~

### LET'S GET OUR FINANCIAL HOUSE IN ORDER

Sister Wanda Verrett



It's a brand new year and I aint gone; but my money sure is! It's 2014, is your financial house in better shape than when we began 2013? If so, congratulations! How did you do it? If not, what happened? If you don't change something this year, what will 2015 look like?

With most of us, the New Year brings resolutions. You may not call them that, but we promise ourselves we will lose some of this weight and we will get out of debt. Well, the diets and exercise usually last about two weeks and we never get around to working on our finances. This column is a tool you can use to get started. Each month, there will be a few pointers to help us make small changes in our financial picture. I hope you find them helpful. If you have questions, comments, recommendations, you may submit them to me, the GTA, or place a note in the Teaching Ministry slot in the mailroom.

**STEP 1 – Determine my financial condition, i.e. how much am I worth, how much do I owe, how much I am saving, how much will be needed to sustain my family for one month.**

How much am I worth – Assets (what I own) minus Liabilities (what I owe) = Net Worth.

How much do I owe – Write down every debt you have, including what you owe to individuals. Can we say: NO NEW DEBT! Think through each purchase. If you can't pay cash, do you really need this? What will happen if you don't get it?

Am I saving enough – Do you have an emergency fund established? What about that 401k on your job, thrift savings, CDs, etc.? Determine what you spent on Christmas this year and set a goal to save at least that much for Christmas 2014. It will be here before you know it.

What are the total expenses for my household each month? This covers debt, rent, insurance, utilities, food, clothing, repairs, beauty/barber shop visits, entertainment, phone service, alarm systems, and pet expenses. If there was no income coming in, how long would you survive?

Do you have and follow a budget? – It's simply. Use the information gained from all of the above and you can establish a budget. Remember, it's just a guideline to help you manage your money.

See you next month.

# STARTED FROM THE BOTTOM NOW WE'RE HERE

Where ya goin'?

How do you get there?

Don't miss destiny!

Wednesdays at  
12 noon and 7 p.m.

Pastor David A. Clarke, Sr., Senior Pastor  
Pastor John Dukes, Assistant Pastor  
Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church  
809 S. Davis Dr.  
Warner Robins, GA 31088

478-922-5514  
www.thegrovewr.org



## *Ministry Workers Workshop*

*Saturday*

*February 22, 2014*

*9:00 a.m.*

*(in the sanctuary)*

*Everyone involved in a ministry is asked to be present.*

## Youth Music Ministry Fellowship Day



Vision  
Center  
Feb 16, 2014

Each one reach one  
\*Food and Fellowship\* 2 pm - 4pm

## 2014 Men's Retreat

Cedine Retreat Center  
Spring City, Tennessee

March 21 - 23, 2014

**Theme:**

*"Christian Men on the Front Line"*

Early Bird Price: **\$125.00 (before Feb 21)**

For more information:  
**Contact Bro. Jimmy Oglesby  
or Bro. Leroy Frazier**

## ~ Prayer Walk ~

*"The Bread of Life"*

**March 22, 2014**

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Contact Minister Cornelius Thorpe at (478) 955-0126  
or  
Elder Tammy Carpenter at (478) 334-8997

Please sign up to join us!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



**Perry High School Presents "Blue's Clues"**

**Where:** Perry High School Theatre

**When:** Saturday, March 1 (10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.)

**Cost:** \$5 (Small children who sit exclusively in their parent's lap: \$3)

For reservations, please call 478-988-6298, ext. 21320

The Grove Zone's own David Anthony Clarke, II will be appearing in the play!!!

~ Presenting ~

***Joshua David Phillips***



*Born: October 27, 2013*

*Where: Macon Medical Center*

*Parents: Minister LaTonya and Bro. Justin Phillips*

# ~ God is Love ~

Jackie Powell

Around holidays, especially Valentine's Day, one might see people looking for Bible verses related to that special holiday. These coming days will be drenched in glittering red hearts, chocolate boxes and sugary Hallmark sentiments. It might be sobering and exhilarating to remind ourselves what *True Love* looks and acts like. For all the commercialism of Valentine's Day, it's still one of the most popular times during the year that we're encouraged to express our love and affection for the people in our lives.

And since Jesus tells us to love our neighbors, any excuse to celebrate our love is fine. One example of love demonstrated in the Bible that most of us are familiar with is when Jesus was in the temple during His final week prior to His crucifixion, he was questioned by various religious groups. They spent much time questioning Him as to which is the great commandment in the law. Jesus replied, *"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with your entire mind. This is the first and greatest commandment, and the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself. All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments."* ([Matthew 22:37](#)) Therefore, if we wish to receive eternal life, and become a citizen of the kingdom, we must demonstrate our love for God by obeying His commandments and living a life of faith in Jesus that is focused on loving God and our fellow man!

Another strong example could include the fact that many lovers visit the "Love Chapter," in order to express his/her love in a Biblical way.

*"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres."*  
(1 Corinthians 13: 4-7).

Love should penetrate every relationship we have, not just romantic and family relationships. Love is not confined to boyfriends and girlfriends. Love should be shown at work, the grocery store and in the classroom. The two lists of what love is and isn't shows attitudes. Love is not just a word we say, but an attitude that we have towards others.

When asked to write a selection about love, I discovered in my research that the Word of God contains a treasure trove of Bible verses about love. You'll find passages that speak of romantic love (eros), brotherly love (friendship) and divine love (agape). Get with a "loved one or possibly loved ones" and discover all the other verses that relate to this strong emotion.





# Married Couples Corner



## WHAT IS GENUINE LOVE?

*Genuine is defined in Webster as: actually having the reputed or apparent qualities or character, not false or fake. Sincerely and honestly felt or experienced.*

True and genuine love, is the kind of love that Jesus offers and His love does not depend on what we are like when we come to him. His love toward us is unconditional, meaning that there is no condition for Christ to love us. He loved us first! I Corinthians Chapter 13 defines genuine love very well. It helps anyone discern between true love and abusive love. Verses 4-7 says:

**Love IS patient**

**Love IS kind**

**Love IS NOT jealous**

**Love IS NOT boastful**

**Love IS NOT proud**

**Love IS NOT rude**

**Love DOES NOT demand its own way**

**Love IS NOT irritable**

**Love KEEPS no record of wrong**

**Love DOES NOT rejoice in injustice**

**Love REJOICES in truth**

**Love NEVER gives up**

**Love NEVER loses faith**

**Love is ALWAYS hopeful**

## LOVE ENDURES THROUGH EVERY CIRCUMSTANCE

Just because February is designated as the love month, let us not forget that God sent His Son to show us His Genuine Love for us. "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever would believe on him would not perish but would have everlasting life (John 3:16).

Our encouragement to all married couples is to be intentional in your marriage and don't neglect one another in your love for each other. Remember, through Jesus Christ, genuine love for marriages can become stronger and will last for a lifetime.



**Elder Tommy and Linda Gray**



*~ The GTAH Staff salutes our Married Couples ~*









### **\*\* Attention Married Couples \*\***

Is your marriage dying or stagnate? Do you know the vital signs or temperature of your marriage? What is the focus of your marriage? Currently, the Equally Yoked Marriage Ministry is studying "*Love Your Marriage, Lessons on Intentional Marriage by Dr. Randy Carlson*". These lessons are based on biblical principles and is intended for couples to go even deeper in learning God's purpose for marriage together. All the questions asked earlier are being answered in our small group study. **Come be a part of this dynamic study and become even more "*Intentional*" in your marriage.**

The Married Couple's Ministry will be having a **Fellowship Dinner on February 22, 6:00 p.m. at Michael's in Macon on Mulberry Street.**

All couples are invited to join us that night.

**Please sign up with Elder Tommy & Min. Linda Gray or Dozier & Kay McCrae as soon as possible.**



## *“The Legacy of Pearl Stephens”*



Pearl J. Stephens was born on February 22, 1887 to Warren and Emma Jackson of the Wellston Community (now known as Warner Robins, GA). Most of the children in her community went to school in churches. Most of them actually were in the churches, but sometimes there might be a one-room school building on the church grounds with one teacher instructing children of different ages.

At the age of 18, she met Isom Stephens, who lived in the Elberta area and taught at the Macedonia Baptist Church in the Dunbar area. She married him when she was 19 and they had 13 children. At that time, the Houston County Schools prohibited married women from teaching. She finally reached her goal of teaching when the rule forbidding married women to teach was changed. Her first job was at Sandy Run Baptist Church where she earned around \$20.00 a month.

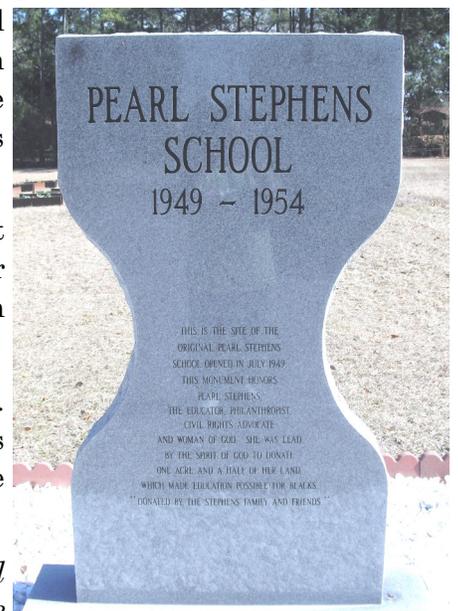
Later, in the World War II years, Mrs. Stephens appealed to the Houston County Board of Education to open a school for the rapidly growing population of children in the Union Grove area. The board furnished two teachers and provided books for 90 children to attend school at the Union Grove Baptist Church. She also started a fund to build a school, since the church building at that time was inadequate to serve as a school, but times were hard and the fund only amounted to \$6.00 after two years. She went before the Board of Education again, asking for a school to be built for the black children of the community, and was told that they had no money for land. That's when Pearl Stephens took matters into her own hands and gave the Houston County Board of Education some of her own land – 1.57 acres she had inherited from her family. The board accepted her offer.

A two-room building with an outhouse was constructed on the land in 1949 and the black community in the Warner Robins area had its first tax-supported school, furnished with second-hand books and desks from the school board. The school was named for her, and six years later, in 1955, when court pressure was building for southern school systems to offer equal educational opportunities, a modern red brick building was constructed. In 1955, the school bearing her name was opened. High school students were accepted in 1960 and the first class to graduate was the “Class of 1965”. The school is still in use today as Pearl Stephens Elementary School and is located at 215 Scott Blvd. in Warner Robins.

She received little pay and no pension or benefits for her later life, but her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren still honor her legacy, not only with their own valuing of education and high professional achievement, but with a scholarship each year.

Pearl Jackson Stephens died on January 19, 1980 at the age of 92. The Annual Pearl J. Stephens Memorial Scholarship Program is scheduled for Saturday, February 22, 3:00 p.m. at Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church.

This information was taken from the article: *“The Legacy of Pearl Stephens”* that appeared in the February 20, 2004 issue of *The Houston Home Journal*.



**\*\* In 2012, Mrs. Stephens was inducted into the newly established Warner Robins Hall of Fame. \*\***



## PEARL STEPHENS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

P. O. BOX 2394  
WARNER ROBINS, GA 31099

Chairman Mrs. Maggie P. Cole (478) 745-0768

Co-Chairman Mr. Jerome Stephens (478) 929-1476

Dear Family and Friends,

Greetings, once again...it's that time of year for the annual Pearl Stephens Memorial Scholarship Service. Don't miss an opportunity to share in a family and community history built on the philosophy of "Being our Brother's Keeper." The committee for the Pearl Stephens Scholarship Fund requests the honor of your presence to help us celebrate our 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Scholarship Program. This year's event will be held on Saturday, February 22, 2014, 3:00 p.m. at the Union Grove Missionary Baptist Church located at 809 South Davis Drive in Warner Robins Georgia. All proceeds from the program will go towards the Pearl Stephens Memorial Scholarship Fund.

In honor of the late Mrs. Pearl Stephens and Black History Month, we are soliciting names of deserving young students who are currently in pursuit of their secondary education at a university, college or technical school to award monetary scholarships. We invite you to help us celebrate this great occasion in memory of a motivated and dedicated educator, Mrs. Pearl J. Stephens. Our colors for this year will be Purple and Gold in any combination.

Yours in Christ,

*Maggie P. Cole*

Granddaughter & Chairman

### \*\*\* Update \*\*\*

- We will dedicate the Pearl Stephens Monument which is located on Clay Street, site of the original school some time in the near future.
- The New Pearl Stephens School construction is on schedule and looking great.
- We are in the process of renaming *Education Way* to *Pearl Stephens Way*.

Deacon Jerome Stephens



## Pearl Stephens Scholarship Application

### Contact Information

Applicant's Name	
Street Address	
City, State, ZIP Code	
Home Phone	
Work Phone	
E-Mail Address	
Parent's Name	

### Educational institution

School Currently Attending

Major

Minor

### Career Aspirations and Interest

### Church Affiliation

### Agreement and Signature

Have you received this scholarship in the past?  Yes  No

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a recipient for this scholarship, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my ineligibility for this scholarship.

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

# *~ Grove Zone Gallery ~*



*A  
Day  
in the  
Grove  
Zone  
Nursery*



**February 1  
PLACE  
Workshop  
Attendees**



Henry Allen  
 Marie Anderson  
 Shirlene Beasley  
 Alex Box  
 Kellie Box  
 Maggie Bradley  
 Tony Brown  
 Jacob Cannon  
 Joshua Cannon  
 Janelle Clarke  
 Dorothy Clay  
 Carol Coleman  
 Dewayne Corbett  
 Chanel Crosskey  
 Antwoin Curtis

Ronald Defreitas  
 Dannie Dukes  
 Mary Forte  
 Angela Grant  
 Deja Greene  
 Donovan Haslem  
 Minnie Huggins  
 Edward Jarvis  
 Christopher Johnson  
 Nicholas Jones  
 Shaquetta Jones  
 De'Marian Kendrick  
 Daniel Lane  
 Florine Lowe  
 Antwanece Mathis

Alesha McNair  
 Tanya Meggs  
 Terrika Miller  
 Dan Mitchell  
 Gwendolyn Napier  
 Jonathan Napier  
 Alexander Pegues  
 Cynthia Raines  
 Jasmine Riley  
 Morgan Riley  
 Rhonda Salone  
 Robert Simmons II  
 Clarence Smith  
 Rodney Solomon  
 Jacqueline Stewart

Judy Strickland  
 Brenda Striggles  
 Jordan Thomas  
 Earnestine Thompson  
 April Tillman  
 Jaudon Ward  
 Laticha Watts  
 Devonte Westbrooks  
 Carolyn White  
 Cherie White  
 Paula White  
 Aretha Whitehead  
 William Winn, Jr.  
 Alenna Wolmack

*Happy Anniversary!!!*



*Pat & Leroy Johnson*



*Jermaine & Patrice Smith*



**~ Ministerial Staff ~**



Pastor David A. Clarke, Sr.  
 Assistant Pastor John Dukes  
 Elder Milo Bradley, Jr.  
 Elder Tammy Carpenter  
 Elder Connie Dinkins  
 Elder James Ford  
 Elder Tommy Gray  
 Elder Rashee Ragin  
 Minister Marilyn Byrd  
 Minister Dannie Dukes  
 Minister Leo Finkley  
 Minister Arie Freeman  
 Minister Shane Hardee  
 Minister Mary Lenoir  
 Minister LaTonya Phillips  
 Minister Antonia Simmons  
 Minister Mary Ann Swinney  
 Minister Cornelius Thorpe

**~ In Training ~**

Sister Marie Anderson  
 Sister Linda Gray  
 Sister Africa Porter  
 Sister Earnestine Thompson

**~ Deacon Contact List ~**

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<b>G-I</b>	Deacon Donald Woodard	987-9865
	Deacon Louis Laney	329-0957
<b>J-K</b>	Deacon Robert Simmons	
	Deacon Wendell Simmons	953-4290
<b>L-N</b>	Deacon T.C. Caldwell	293-8428
	Deacon Charles Lenoir	953-2350
<b>O-R</b>	Deacon Monroe Clark	953-2044
<b>S</b>	Deacon Alvin Myrick	788-5696
	Deacon William Jackson	929-4918
<b>T-V</b>	Deacon Edward Jarvis	923-5139
<b>W-Z</b>	Deacon Nathaniel Davis	923-7713

**~ Junior Deacons ~**

David Clarke II  
 Caleb Doe  
 Jason Wheeler

**~ Administrative Assistant ~**

Sister Janice Scott



For a ride to Sunday morning services, please call 478-922-5514 by Thursday at 5:00 p.m.

## Blackened Shrimp Green Salad

1 lb. of medium shrimp

Cherry Tomatoes

Red onions

Scallions

Spinach or your choice of greens

Salt & Pepper

Dijon mustard

Ranch dressing

Kraft mayonnaise

Combine your salad greens in a bowl with cherry tomatoes, red onions, salt and pepper.

Add a tablespoon of don mustard with a tablespoon of Kraft mayonnaise and toss.

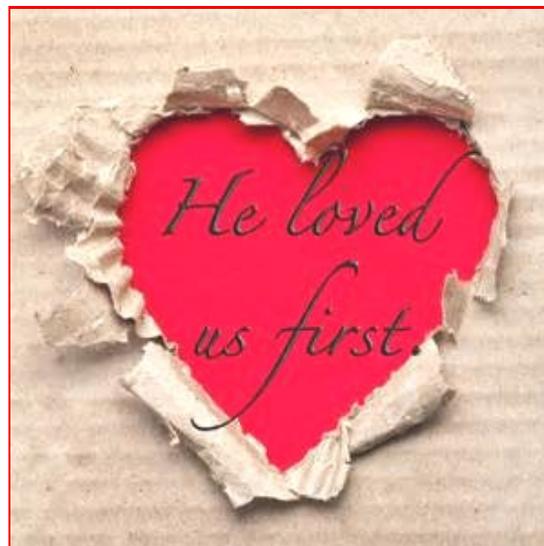
Then add scallions to salad, mixture.

Season your shrimp with your choice of blackened seasoning

Grill shrimp in the oven for 15 minutes. turning over at least once.

After shrimp are done add, ranch dressing to salad, toss some more.

Top off your salad with shrimp and enjoy!



# \*\* ANNOUNCEMENTS \*\*

- All announcements for the bulletin, screen and website can be submitted via e-mail to [UnionGrovl@aol.com](mailto:UnionGrovl@aol.com) or by completing a bulletin request form and placing it in the Administrative Assistant's box **no later than Wednesday at 5 p.m.**
- Please contact **Sis. Janice Scott at 478-922-5514, ext. 102** to schedule events at the **Vision Center. (Ministries of Union Grove only)**
- To schedule **funerals** at the church, please contact Sis. Wanda Verrett at 478-328-1483.
- **The Healthcare Ministry** will provide blood pressure and cholesterol screenings each Sunday after the worship service. Remember, you must fast for eight hours prior to the cholesterol screening. Sis. Annie Lester
- **Note:** When entering any building/property owned by UGMBC, you are giving consent to the church to use your image in church publications, media, website/facebook, etc. Sis. Ann Lester

## Thank You!!!

The **G.T.A.H. Newsletter Staff** would like to thank everyone who contributed to the February issue, especially Sister Jan Scott and Bro. McKinley Verrett. Your assistance and words of encouragement are deeply appreciated and a blessing to the ministry.

## \*\*\* WANTED \*\*\*

A youth or a member of the Youth Ministry to serve as a liaison between the Youth Ministry and the GTA H Ministry.

### The G.T.A.H Staff

*Carolyn Jackson*

*Shirley Jackson*

*Jackie Powell*

*Willie Smith*

## Newsletter Submissions

If you would like to see your ministry or event featured in the G.T.A.H., contact any member of the Newsletter Ministry, e-mail us at [GTAHNewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:GTAHNewsletter@gmail.com) by the 3rd Friday of each month or place your submissions in the Newsletter/G.T.A.H. box in the copy room.

### G.T.A.H. Mission Statement:

*"To aide others in spreading the knowledge of Christ and encouraging spiritual living through printed words."*

***The Best is Yet to Come!!!***