

MONTH THEME

TRUTH
Sunday Services

9:00 AM
Morning Prayer

9:30 AM
Kingdom Classes

10:00 AM
Breakfast Available

11:00 AM
DEVOTIONAL

EXHORTATION

CHOIR SELECTION

WELCOME VISITORS

HIGHLIGHTS

TITHES AND PLEDGES

WORSHIP AND PRAISE

PRAYER

THE MESSAGE

THE INVITATION

BENEDICTION

Bible Study
Tuesday
7:30 PM

Live Prayer Line
Tuesday 6:00 AM
(515) 603-3156
Access: 145236#

The Encounter
1st Day of Month
7:30 PM

June 24
2018

The Seed

605 Harvest Park Drive, Brentwood, CA ♦ (925) 513-2970
Bishop Ralph E. Howard, Senior Pastor

“Saving Lives While Saving Souls”

News and Announcements

Weekly Bible Study

Tuesday, June 26

We will continue with the Bible study on Noah and will learn about his ups and downs and what kind of faith is necessary to hear the voice of God in the face of your challenges. Even when times are tough you can trust what God says.

Deliverance and Prayer **Sunday, July 1st at 7:00 PM.**

We will have a prayer service dedicated to the belief that the Holy Spirit has the power to produce healing and deliverance and glorify God through miracles in the lives of those who seek Him.

New Sunday School Series

Make plans to come to the new Kingdom Builders Class that will focus on the subject “Why Are We Here”. You will learn what God has for you and how we got in the place we are now. We will discover how you can achieve what God has for your life.

Women’s Day Retreat **Saturday, June 30th**

We have begun registration for the day long Women’s Day Retreat. The donation fee is \$45 and includes breakfast, lunch and dinner as well as other personalized gifts. Be sure to register as there is limited space.

Church Leaders Meet

Saturday, July 14th

Leaders of the church are asked to be in attendance so that we can assess our needs and ministry goals. Please mark your calendar to attend:

9:00 Trustees

10:00 Stewardship

11:30AM Ministry Leader

Visit Prayer Chapel

If you would like to have a place to spend quite time with the Lord for reflection and meditation the Prayer Chapel here at the church is a perfect place for prayer, scripture reading and solitude. The Chapel is in the church foyer next to the entrance to the sanctuary.

Trust in The Provision of God

And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. (Phil. 4:18 ESV)

The duty of every believer in every age is to trust God and to obey His commandments. This was true in Israel and it is true in the church today. As children under His care, we must walk by faith, trusting that He will provide what we need for our daily sustenance, both physically and spiritually. God wants us to trust in His provision for our needs, and sometimes that provision requires us to step out in faith and use what resources He has given us. It may not seem like a lot to us, but God can

multiply the efforts when we trust Him.

We are not expected to come with all the answers or with all the resources clearly laid out and understood. What God desires is that we put Him first and trust Him more and do all we can to be the best we can while we pray that He will provide the rest of what we need. Trusting in God’s provision is not the easiest thing when we are facing perceived failure and defeat, but this is just what he expects us to do. If there is a storm or if there is trouble brewing, God will never fail to provision for us. But we must be sure to remember that his ways are not like our ways and his thoughts are not like our thought

and things may not always be like we have planned. In the end, His provision will always work to better us and what we become. The prophet Elisha told the widow who had no money to pay her creditors to make preparation for the overflow of God even when she did not have the understanding of how God would meet her need. In the end she received a blessing of oil in proportion to the number of vessels she had gathered. As long as she had vessels the oil continued to flow. What is your portion of faith in God’s provision for your situation? According to your faith it will be given to you!

.....*Bishop Ralph Howard*



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Other Events and Announcements

Spiritual Guide for Giving

WHY shall we Give to God (Deut. 16:17)

We give as we are able because our blessings come from God.

WHEN shall we Give to God (1 Cor. 16:2)

We give weekly as an act of faith for He provides our daily needs.

WHAT shall we Give to God (Mal. 3:10)

We give the fruit of our increase as a tithe offering. We trust this act of faith to honor God who has promised to pour out blessings beyond measure.

HOW shall we Give to God (2 Cor. 9:7)

We give cheerfully from our heart for God loves the cheerful giver.

Prayer List

Brother John Glenn

Sister Gloria Glenn

Brother Ellis Bradford

Brother Huber Alexis

Deaconess Dorothy Atkinson

Sister Shirley Tobias

Brother Angelito Kemp

Sister Lynika Bass

Sister Brenda Scott

Sister Denise Smith

Brother Brooks Bennett

Deacon Rodell Langston

Brenda King – Sister of Sister Kathy Bowman

David Bruster – Brother of Sister Denise Smith

Annette Landry-Washington – Mother of Sister Yvonne Landry

Thurman & Dorothy Murphy, Sr. – Parents of Sister Brenda Scott

Lillie Richard – Mother of Sister Gail Brumfield

Nikki Simiril – Niece of Sister Sarah Gaines

Gloria Alexis – Sister of Brother Huber Alexis

Church Homecoming And Annual Picnic Is Coming!!

Sunday, August 19th invite someone to come join you at worship service on this day which will be followed by picnic at Veterans Park. The Paradise congregation will be joining with us on this day. We will have food, games, music, bake-off contests, and more.

Harvest Book Store

Be sure to stop by our book store today and look for the special items that we have available for your spiritual enrichment and growth. You can also obtain a copy of today's message to share or listen to in the future. Also visit our website and subscribe to receive future highlights.

WHO IS MY DEACON?

Each member has a Deacon who the Pastor has assigned to assist you in your needs as a member at Seed of Faith. Here is the list of Deacon assignment based on the first letter of your last name:

Berry – (A-G)

Smith - (H-K)

Hawkins – (L-R)

Langston – (S-Z)

Scripture Reflection

“But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.”

Isaiah 40:31 KJV



Free

2nd Saturday 10am-noon
4th Saturday Noon-2pm

FREE TO ANYONE WITH NEED
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Food Pantry



Clothing Closet



Many Sizes
Many Styles
Men
Women
Children



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Seed of Faith Christian Fellowship

Canned Items:
Assorted vegetables and fruits
Assorted meats (chicken, tuna, etc.)
Assorted beans
Assorted meals (chili, spaghetti, etc.)
Tomato products
Assorted soups

Boxed or Bagged Items:
Assorted individual fruit cups
Assorted cereals (hot and cold)
Grits, rice, beans
Assorted pastas
Macaroni and cheese
Ramen noodles
Multi-pack crackers
Peanut butter, Jellies
Powdered milk
Individual juice boxes
Instant potatoes
Bisquick
Pancake mix

Bishop Designate Ralph E. Howard, Senior Pastor

Stretch A Hand In Love Each 2nd and 4th Saturday

Share the news that we are now open with a Clothing Closet and Food Pantry here to give to those with need. Be sure to pass out the information cards so that the word gets out. We also seek your prayers and support of time and financial donations so that we will not have to turn anyone away. Our mission is to help others live with dignity and share the good news of Jesus. God's love is reflected in what we do!

New Kingdom Builder 6 Week Series Begins This Sunday Be Sure To Come At 9:30AM

WHY ARE WE HERE?

▶ WHY ARE WE EVEN HERE?

Genesis 1:1-5,26-31

▶ WHY ARE WE IN THIS MESS?

Genesis 3:1-7,14-19

▶ WHY CAN'T WE FIX IT?

Deuteronomy 5:32-33; Galatians 3:10-12,19a,24-25

▶ WHY DID JESUS COME?

Luke 1:68-79

▶ WHAT SHOULD WE DO NOW?

Acts 2:37-47

▶ WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Revelation 21:1-8