

Celebrating  
129<sup>th</sup>

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY  
1894 - 2023

The month of April is the 129th Church Jubilee. We joyfully and prayerfully enter this month with praise and with thanksgiving. God has truly blessed our Church Family. Can we all rejoice and say, “Just Look Where the Lord Has Brought Us!!!”. Let us pray that God will richly bless this month of services and activities. Dec. & Sis. Danny Wynne and Bro. & Sis. Norris Popillion are the chairpersons.

PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 2ND

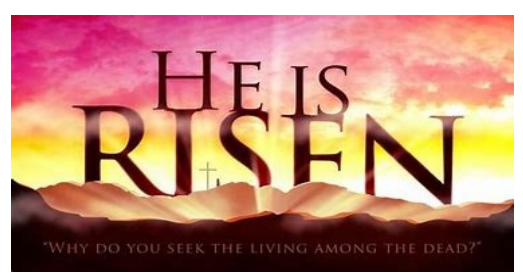
The Lord’s Supper will be administered during our Morning Worship.

GRATITUDE:

The Ushers, Nurses, Hospitality and Parking Ministry would like to thank God, our Pastors, our Church Family and friends for your support during our Month of activities. We are Thankful for your support over the years and we are asking “GOD TO BLESS YOU REAL GOOD”. Sis. Deborah Gordon and Sis. Gilda Jackson, President of Ushers Ministry; Sis. Litchie Brown, President of Nurses Ministry; Sis. Shelia Kuykendall, President of Hospitality Ministry; and Dec. Steve Gordon, President of Parking

EDUCATION MINISTRY  
ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES  
TODAY SUNDAY, APRIL 2ND  
is the deadline to turn your

Thompson -Fleeks  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS IN TO  
Sister Gladys Wynne or Sister Jayne McCullough Buggs



EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP  
April 9, 2023 - 8:00 AM

Please Join Us!

In Our House Of Worship - LIVE STREAMING  
YOU TUBE - FACEBOOK

HOLY WEEK REVIVAL - You don’t want to miss our Holy Week Revival **Thursday April 6th** and **Good Friday April 7th at 6:30 p.m.** - Reverend Delwin Benton, Pastor of Lyons Unity Baptist Church will be our guest evangelist. Invite your family and friends. We will also be celebrating **1,111 and 1,112 DAYS OF PRAYER!**

THE 129TH CHURCH JUBILEE -SUNDAY, APRIL 23RD “during Morning Worship. Our speaker is Pastor William T. Glynn of the Mount Olive Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Texas. For the Special Jubilee Offering Pastor is asking each member to give \$200.00 .

MISSION SUNDAY - April 30th - is Mission Sunday. We will also be kicking off Pastor Glynn’s 32nd Anniversary.

ANNUAL TAILGATE - our Annual Tailgate Celebration is immediately after morning worship **April 30th**. This year we will have two food trucks Bar-B-Que and fish. Each truck is \$20.00 per person. Please turn your name and money into Sister Barbara Jones. If you want fish and Bar-B-Que the cost will be \$40.00.

THE POWER OF PRAYER  
Prayer changes things, but even more prayer changes us.  
JOIN OUR PRAYER LINE,  
every evening at 6:30 P.M. - (667) 770 -1191 - Access

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!  
Count all your blessings for another birthday”!!!  
(Please come forth as your name is called).

APRIL:2023

- 2nd Dorian Campbell (7 years of service)
- 5th Sis. Kierra Ringo (5 years of service)
- Sis. Lynda Jackson (60years young) (2 years of service)
- 8th Sis. Sammie Sandra Dorsey (36 years of service)
- Bro. Kennedy Bonilla (23 years of service)
- Bro. Willie Smith (5 months –new member)
- 9th Sis. Joan Yates (29 years of service)
- 10th Chandler Nickerson (4 years of service)
- 12th Sis. Thelma Taylor ( 73 years young) (65 years of service)
- Bro. Christopher Martin (6 years of service)
- Malia Berotte
- Bro. Patrick Brown, Jr. 4-18 (10 years of service)
- 19th Sis. Kammi Madison (19 years of service)
- Alencia Brazile
- 21st Dec. Uncle Charlie Madison (61 years of service)
- 22nd Sis. Alyssa Glynn (22 years of service)
- Sis. Nakia Singleton (20 years of service)
- 25th Sis. Felicia Clay (36 years of service)
- Cassius Donnell

WHAT A BLESSING TO ALL THE ABOVE AND  
MAY GOD GRANT YOU MANY MANY MORE”!!

Wedding Anniversary



The command: “What God has joined together, let no man separate”. Matthew 19: 4-6.

Happy 26th  
Wedding Wishes to  
BRO. RICHARD AND SIS. CAROLYN HINTON  
April 6, 1997

Happy 47th  
Wedding Wishes to  
DEC. WARREN AND SIS. BARBARA JONES  
April 17, 1976

My God grant you many more years  
of wedded bliss!!

“THE EFFECTUAL FERVENT PRAYERS OF  
THE RIGHTEOUS AVAILETH MUCH”

PRAYER REQUEST

1 Timothy 2:1-2 (MSG BIBLE)

“The first thing I want you to do is pray. Pray every way you know how, for everyone you know. Pray especially for rulers and their governments to rule well so we can be quietly about our business of living simply, In humble contemplation.

- Pastor Glynn & Family
- Associate Pastor Asberry & Family
- Rev. Edward McGaskey & Family
- Rev. Eric Wright & Family
- Rev. Gaye Lord Gill & Family
- Dec. Lewis Johnson & Deacons
- Church Staff - Prayer Line Teachers
- All Ministry Leaders - Senior Members
- Young Adults - Youth & Babies

Our Pre School, Elementary,  
Middle, High School and College Students Their  
Parents and Teachers

ST. MARK’S SHUT - IN MEMBERS

- Sis. Cherry Foster - Sis. Doris Matlock
- Bro. Gary Ford - Sis. Sadie Burrell
- Sis. Lillie Brown - Sis. Mercie Davis
- Rev. Joe Anderson

MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY

- Sis. Jamihia Jones - Sis. Amelia Bryant
- Bro. Eriq Glenn

Our Country and State - Our President  
His Cabinet & The White House  
Our Governor Our City, Mayor, City  
Counsel, Police Chief, Fire Chief, Judges,  
County Officials

Saint Mark Church Family  
Up Coming Event

Pastor James W. Glynn & Family

32nd PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION



32nd Pastoral Anniversary

Mark Your Calendar

May, 28th ~ 8:00 a.m.  
JUBILEE CELEBRATION

129TH CHURCH JUBILEE

MEMBERS WITH FIFTY AND MORE YEARS OF SERVICE

Sis. Doris Matlock 85 Years

Sis. Betty Gentry 70 YEARS  
Sis. Lucy Madison 69 YEARS  
Sis. Gladys Wynne 68 YEARS  
Sis. Thelma Taylor 65 YEARS  
Dec. Charlie Madison 61 YEARS  
Sis. Betty Asberry 61 YEARS  
Dec. James Marks 60 YEARS  
Sis. Manda Johnson 60 Years  
Sis. Lillie Brown 59 YEARS

Sis. Esther Wallace 57 YEARS  
Sis. Cynthia Young 57 YEARS  
Sis. Tina James 56 YEARS  
Rev. Joe Anderson 55 YEARS  
Sis. Beverly Gatlin 55 Years  
Sis. Barbara Perry 54 YEARS  
Dec. Roderick Clay 53 YEARS  
Dec. Danny Wynne 53 Years  
Sis. Deborah Gordon 53 Years

Peggy Holmes 51 YEARS  
Sis. Joycelyn Burrell 51 YEARS  
Sis. Sadie Burrell 50 Years  
Sis. Rosie Hawthorne 51 YEARS  
Sis. Vergie Howard 51 YEARS  
\*Bro. Gary Ford 51 Years  
Sis. Jacqueline Darden 50 YEARS  
Sis. Bobbie Williams 50 YEARS

THE HISTORY OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY  
SAINT MARK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1894 - 2023

“Thus saith the Lord of hosts; consider your ways. Go up to the mountain and bring wood and build the house;  
and I will take pleasure in it, and I will be glorified, saith the Lord.” Haggai 1:7-8.



When we as Christians are inspired by God to recognized the church as being the body of Jesus Christ, God’s loving gift to the world, then and only then are we led to unite our forces and build for Him a house of worship. He tells us to forsake not the assembling of ourselves together.

**1894** We are sure that it was from these words of inspiration that a group of members under the leadership of Rev. I. B. Burch withdrew from the Mount Zion Baptist Church located on the corner of Canal at Navigation Boulevard in Second Ward. These members saw fit to organize themselves into a body known as a “Missionary Baptist Church.” Rev. I. B. Burch was selected as their pastor. The church was named Saint Mark Missionary Baptist Church by one of its members, Sis. Dilcy Catchings. For some time, the church met in the African Methodist Church building in Third Ward until property could be purchased and a building erected. The church prospered numerically and financially.

**1900** Rev. E. Black succeeded the late Rev. Burch and after the death of Rev. Black, the church succeeded in calling Rev. William Treadville. As years passed, Rev. Adam Thompson the assistant pastor carried on services at several intervals during the absence of several pastors.

**1940** Rev. W. H. Snow was called to the pastorate of the church and served for a period of 12 years. He also served as Moderator of the South Texas District Association. The challenge or testing time for Saint Mark was in 1900 when the church edifice was totally destroyed by the disastrous storm of 1900. However, the pioneer members were not disheartened, and in the midst of total destruction, a new house of worship was erected and dedicated. Continuing Her march of progress, Saint Mark was honored to have the following pastoral leaders: Rev. J. H. Sherman, Rev. L. C. Cross, Rev. C. H. McCraw, Rev. A. R. Rogers, Rev. B. L. Brown (who challenged the membership to support the church in tithes and offerings), Rev. C. T. Lee and Rev. T. E. Marshall.

**1950** Rev. Joseph Brown, Sr. was called in 1950. Due to the dwindling population and the industrial growth of Second Ward, the church moved from the I.G.N. Track to its present location, 5306 Lyons Avenue, in 1952. Rev. Brown served faithfully for 12 years. Rev. L. B. Grimes was called as pastor in 1963 after serving as assistant pastor.

**1969** During the month of October 1969, led by the Holy Spirit, Rev. William R. Lott accepted the post as pastor of our church. He immediately put into action and organized effort to unite the fleeing membership to come together on one accord. Acting to the dictation of the Holy Spirit and exercising his genius as an evangelist, pastor, educator and builder, the church was blessed spiritually, numerically and financially. The spiritual growth and financial prosperity of the church soared under pastor Lott’s administration. The effects of his accomplishments would later be realized and appreciated when the congregation embarked on a building program with its new pastor.

**1979** Due to Pastor Lott’s transition to Chicago in 1979, Rev. Joe Anderson carried on the services until July 1980.

**1980** God has a man for every emergency to build and rebuild the spiritual walls that sometimes tend to be shaken by intrusion. In 1980 the membership called Rev. William T. Glynn, who came in with a message to rebuild the walls of our hearts. He served for a period of 10 years. Under his leadership the Saint Mark Family met another challenge and entered its NEW SANCTUARY debt free. Rev. Glynn challenged us to great accomplishments.

**1991** As an Associate Minister, Rev. James W. Glynn succeeded his brother in February 1991. He consistently challenges the membership through the preaching of the Word of God.

**2000** Pastor James Glynn challenged us to Love according to God’s Word and to Give according to God’s Word and to Build a sanctuary according to the needs of the people. Through the generous financial gifts of the membership we acquired a parking lot and additional property. In 2010 our present edifice was completely remodel. Pastor Glynn continued to encouraged the membership to commit to a sacrificial offering to purchase the adjoining property surrounding the church. Because of our obedience we now own the adjoining property and we are in a position to expand and build an education edifice to equip the church for the Kingdoms Cause.

**2023** As we continue our journey, God in His Inimitable Grace has supplied every need from 1894 to 2023. Acting to the dictation of the Holy Spirit Pastor Glynn continues to lead the congregation in an understanding of the purpose of the Church, evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry/mission and worship.

We enter our 129th Jubilee Celebration with a priceless heritage. A heritage that comes through our knowledge of Jesus Christ and our obedience to His will and way. A heritage that gives us stability to stand against the culture of this world. We stand with kindness, firmness, love and patience. **When everyone around us are compromising, we stand firm pointing men to Jesus.** Our goal has been and always will be to carry out the great commission recorded in Matthew 28:19-20. Saint Mark made her choice 129 years ago when she withdrew from Mount Zion, and we rejoice and thank God for blessing us with a spirit-filled leader who is equipped to lead us with a greater determination to win souls for Christ.