

FAMILY



NEWS

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BE EARNEST IN PRAYER

...O LORD...in the morning will I direct my prayer unto thee, and will look up.

Psalms 5:3


The answers to your prayers are of infinite concern. You should watch for the answers with holy impatience and desire. Like an archer, take careful aim that you may hit the mark. Send your requests to God as soldiers in rank and file. Marshal them so they may not be out of order. And what then? When you have prayed, wait and expect an answer. Though your prayers are mingled with many imperfections, if they are the travail of your soul and upright, do not give them over for lost.


When Moses' mother could keep him no longer, she made an ark and daubed it with pitch, and hid him by the river's bank. When Pharaoh's daughter came to wash, she saw the babe and gave him to his mother to nurse. Truly, when the fruit of your heart, your tears, sighs, groans, and prayers, are ready to be given over for dead in the eye of sense, they lie floating upon the water; let your faith and hope be near at hand to see what will become of them. Though the messenger you send to heaven tarries long, you must wait and expect his return. If you find little fruit of your petitions, do not lay aside that calling, 'Continue steadfastly in prayer' (Col. 4: 2). Anglers, though they have fished for many hours and caught nothing, do not break their rods, but draw out the hook, check their bait, and then throw it in again. So, when you have been earnest in prayer and yet received no answer, reflect upon your prayers and consider what has gone amiss. Is it possible that you have desired stones instead of bread, or fuel for your lusts? If any of these are the fault, no wonder they failed! Whatever it is, be diligent to amend it, and fall on your work again with confidence. The archer, if he shoots once, and again, and misses the mark, considers what the reason was, reforms his error and shoots to find the target.

—GEORGE SWINNOCK

From The Pulpit...



 **Pastor Orvin Paige** will preach at the **8:00 a.m.** service at the **Covenant Baptist Church (Friars Hill Main Road)** and also at the **10:00 a.m.** service at the **Central Baptist Church (Radio Range)** on the topic **"A Portrait of Grace"** based on **Titus 2:11-15.**

 **Bro. Charles Grant** will preach at the **8:00 a.m.** service at the **Tyrells Baptist Church (Tyrells Main Road)** on the topic **"The Doctrine of Practical Sanctification"** based on **Romans 6:11.**

23rd Caribbean Baptist Heritage Conference 2015

"A Biblical Analysis of the Charismatic Movement"

- ❖ HOST: Faith Baptist Church (Road Town, Tortola, BVI)
- ❖ DATE: July 4-10, 2015
- ❖ KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Dr. Sam Waldron

Earnestly pray for the success of the conference.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

~6th July~

Mr. Francis & Sis. Louisa Valcin

Happy Birthday to All of You!

~5th July - 11th July~

~5th July~

Bro. Kingsley Irish Sr. - Tyrells

Sis. Sofia Marcellus - Tyrells

~6th July~

Pastor Dr. Hensworth Jonas - Central

Sis. Charmaine Nickeo - Tyrells

~8th July~

Shaheem George - Covenant

~9th July~

Bro. Brian Blair - Central

~10th~

Sis. Julie Barnes - Central

~11th~

Sis. Irene Jonas - Central



CHILDREN'S CAMP 2015



Theme: Who is Jesus?

***Date: August 10 - August 14, 2015**

***Registration Fee: \$10.00**

***Balance: \$50.00**

This Day Camp will meet from 9:00 a.m. to noon daily.

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.—John 14:6

Summer Camp 2015



Theme:

"Almost Saved, Acting Saved, Actually Saved: Which One Are You?"



"I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. So, because you are lukewarm—neither hot nor cold—I am about to spit you out of my mouth."

IT'S A BOY!



We rejoice with Bro. Sherwin & Sis. Nicole Parker on the birth of their son, Nathan Sherwin Jonathan Parker. He was born on Thursday, 2nd July, 2015. He weighed 6 pounds 11 ounces. Let us keep this family in our prayers, and may the Lord continue to bless them.

Sunday School Adult & Youth Reading **Prepare for next week...**

SERIES: "READY: MINISTERING LIFE TO THOSE IN CRISIS"

Study #6 Ready When Pornography Controls Part 1 of 2
(I Thessalonians 4:3-8)

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed rightly dividing the word of truth.

—II Timothy 2:15

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

1. FIRST SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

All church members are advised that regular first Sunday activities (including observance of the Ordinances of **Believer's Baptism, the Lord's Supper and the Joint Service**) have been moved to the second Sunday due to the 23rd Caribbean Baptist Heritage Conference. The Circuit Stewardship Meeting has also been postponed by one week. Please be guided accordingly.

2. CHORUS TEAM PRACTICE

All members of the Chorus Team are advised of a rehearsal this Friday at 5:30 p.m. at Central. Please be punctual.

3. ACTEENS CLUB

All teenage girls are reminded of their regular club meeting this Friday at 6:30 p.m. at the Central Baptist Church. Please be sure to bring your Bible, notebook and a pen. Please be punctual.

4. ROYAL AMBASSADORS CLUB

All teenage boys are advised of their regular club meeting this Friday at 6:30 p.m. at the Central Baptist Church. Please be sure to bring your Bible, notebook and pen. Please be punctual.

5. CHOIR REHEARSAL

All members of the Voices of Victory and the New Creation Chorale are advised of a choir rehearsal on Saturday at 5:00 p.m. Please be punctual.

6. YOUTH SUMMER ACTIVITIES

There will be some exciting activities for the youth this summer. They are as follows:

Acteens Camp: July 27—August 1, 2015

Royal Ambassadors Camp: August 3—August 8, 2015

The fee for all of the above activities is \$200.00.

The theme for the camps is **"Almost Saved, Acting Saved, Actually Saved: Which One Are**

You?" (Revelation 3:15-16). Registration for the summer camps has begun. All interested persons are asked to complete the registration forms and pay the \$20.00 registration fee at the church office. The balance of \$200.00 is due next week. All church members are asked to pray for all aspects of the camps.



BAPTIST ACADEMY OF ANTIGUA TOPS GRADE 6 NATIONAL ASSESSMENT 2015



The Baptist Academy has once again gained the Number One student in the nation. Praise be to God! There were 1,292 students who wrote the Grade Six National Assessment, and we submitted twenty-six students. **Nine of our students gained a place in the "Top 100". Three were in the "Top Five".**

- ❖ Ajonté Josiah #1 scored 97% in Mathematics, 93% in Science, 92% in Language and 85% in Social Studies.
- ❖ Xavier Louard #2 scored 99% in Mathematics, 95% in Science, 87% in Language and 84% in Social Studies.

- #1 Ajonté Josiah
- #2 Xavier Louard
- #5 Aaliyah Sealey
- #18 Kyra Mills
- #35 Siandré Bovell
- #35 Lejare Browne
- #35 Hannah Edwards
- #47 Dajun Barthley
- #47 Osei Hazel

Other successful Baptist Academy students attending our churches:
Shaheem George - Covenant
Ayesha Charles-Covenant
Tefield Charles-Covenant

Successful students from other schools
Tijhani Jarvis-Central
Carlton Jarvis - Central
Shakquan Serrant - Central
Larica Locker - Covenant
Jahnecia Stevens - Covenant

*Congratulations to all!
To God Be The Glory Great Things He Has Done!*

FUNERAL SERVICE



All members of the ECBM Circuit of Baptist Churches are encouraged to support Sister Cherry Sims and her family in their bereavement due to the death of her mother, Mrs. Christobelle Philip. The funeral will be on Tuesday, July 07, 2015, at the Spring Gardens Moravian Church at 2:00 p.m. "Rejoice with them that do rejoice, and weep with them that weep" (Romans 12:15).

This Week

- Sun. 8:00 a.m. Sovereign Grace Hour (ABS TV)
 8:00 a.m. Worship: Tyrells & Covenant
 9:00 a.m. Sunday School: Central
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School: Tyrells & Covenant
 10:00 a.m. Worship: Central
 6:00 p.m. Worship: All Churches
 7:00 p.m. Sunday School: All Churches
- Mon. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
- Tues. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
 3:00 p.m. Sovereign Grace Hour (ALR 103.9 FM)
 6:30 p.m. **Elders' Meeting: Central**
- Wed. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Prayer Service & Fellowship Groups: All Churches
- Thurs. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
- Fri. 9:00 a.m. Sovereign Grace Hour (ALR 103.9 FM)
 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
 5:30 p.m. Chorus Team: Central
 6:30 p.m. Acteens Club: Central
 6:30 p.m. Royal Ambassadors: Central
- Sat. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting
 5:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal: VOV & NCC: Central

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GENERAL MINISTRY NEEDS

Elders, Deacons, and their families
 Baptist Academy of Antigua
 E.C.B.M. Ministries & Staff
 Evangelistic Ministries
"Sovereign Grace Hour" (ABS TV & Abundant Life Radio)

CHURCH FAMILY

HEALTH: Sis. Nicole Parker, Sis. Nekecher Ryner,
 Dr. Hensworth W. C. Jonas, Sis. Ann-Marie Pilgrim,
 Sis. Jean Edwards, Bro. Nigel Pilgrim, Sis. Rosalind Ferris,
 Sis. Paula Skerritt, Sis. Cassilda Williams, Sis. Monica
 Gardener, Sis. Pamela Walcott, Sis. Juliette Smith,
 Sis. Veronica Roberts, Sis. Priya Jattan, Sis. Nelseta
 Gordon

PRIVATE CONCERNS: Sis. Vandah Jonas, Sis. Diane
 Joseph, Bro. Anthony & Sis. Tamisha Browne,
 Bro. Ephraim Gomes, Sis. Nadine Smith

THANKSGIVING: Bro. Rodrick Benn, Sis. Claire Tonge,
 Sis. Sophia Marcellus, Sis. Linette Robinson, Sis. Marion
 Locker, Sis. Muriel Martin, Sis. Pamela Walcott, Sis. Diane
 Joseph, Sis. Magella Selwood

NEW MEMBERS: Bro. Jonathas René, Bro. Akeel Jarvis,
 Sis. Curline Joseph, Sis. Esther René, Bro. Olrich Chery,
 Sis. Briana Griffith

WATCH CARE: Sis. Irene Jonas, Sis. Diana Richards,
 Bro. Charles Richards

SHUT IN: Sis. Enid Matthew, Sis. Edith McCoy

OTHER CONCERNS

SAVING GRACE: Thea-Lee Hurst, Joshua Joseph, Dave
 Walton, Moses Walton, Julietta George, Debbie Hurst,
 Clement Henry, Christophe Marcellus, Sonel Saint Jean,
 Sophia Morgan, Milbert Joseph, Donald Lewis, Gloria
 Lewis, Martin Browne, Devina Browne, Chris Browne,
 Michelle Nicholas, Sam Nicholas, Saleema Anthony, Theo
 Blair, Chelsea Barlow, Chikaede Barlow, Aaliyah Trotman

NEW MEMBER APPLICANTS: Rivert René
 (Central—Restoration), Sophonie René (Central), Nia
 Santana (Central), Dr. Bhaskara Murikipudi (Covenant),
 Zakeem Michael (Covenant), Sonel Saint Jean (Tyrells),
 R. Oliver Baptiste (Tyrells)

Pray without ceasing. I Thessalonians 5:17

Memory Verses For Next Week



Pre-school — I Thessalonians 5:16-17
 Elementary — Ephesians 2:8-9
 Secondary & Adults — John 6:37-44

ECBM DIRECTORY

Central Baptist Church	462-2894
Tyrells Baptist Church	460-3557
Covenant Baptist Church	561-4022
Baptist Academy	462-2894
Baptist Retreat Centre	463-8801

Eldership

Hensworth W. C. Jonas (Presiding)	771-4888
Ivor J. Walker (Associate)	764-1491
Orvin D. E. Paige (Associate)	464-1014
Joshua M. Jonas (Staff Associate)	726-9662

Diaconate

David S. Jarvis (Chairman)	464-7477
Earl W. F. Skerritt	722-4313
Ian J. Blair	773-1061
John Patrick Tomlinson	786-7957