

# FAMILY



# NEWS

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## WATCH AND PRAY!

*Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong*

*1 Corinthians 16:13*

**H**ow can we recognize when a temptation has come to its hour? A temptation has come to its hour when it is restless, urgent, and arguing. It is a time of battle, and sin will give the soul no rest. Satan sees his advantage, the convergence of his forces, and knows that he must now prevail, or be hopeless forever. Satan pushes this opportunity and time of advantage with special pleas and promises. He has taken some ground in his arguments so far, and seeks to exert his ground further. He reminds us of a full pardon after the sin. He realizes that if he does not win now he will lose the opportunity. When Satan had prepared all the events against Christ, it was the hour of darkness.




When a temptation presses in upon us through our imagination and reason, and when opportunities, solicitations, and advantages press us on the outside, we may know that the hour of its power has come. A temptation has also come to its hour when it brings both fear and allurements together to work with greater force. These came together in King David when he planned the murder of Uriah. There was the fear of his sin being found out, and also the continued pleasure and enjoyment with Bathsheba.

Men sometimes are carried into sin just by the love of it, but they often continue in it because of the fear of the consequences that might appear by repentance and full disclosure.

Our Saviour teaches us the ways to prevent our entering into temptation, and there are two: 'Watch' and 'Pray'. To watch means to be on guard, to take heed, and to consider the ways the enemy might seek to approach us and entangle us in his

## From The Pulpit...



-  **Pastor Orvin Paige** will preach at the **8:00 a.m.** service at the **Tyrells Baptist Church (Tyrells Main Road)** on the topic **"A Portrait of Grace"** based on **Titus 2:11-15.**
-  **Pastor Joshua Jonas** 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 **"Thus Saith The Lord"** based on **II Timothy 3:14-17.**
-  **Dr. H.W.C. Jonas** will preach at the **6:00 p.m.** joint service at the **Tyrells Baptist Church (Tyrells Main Road)** on the topic **"Sweet Fellowship With God"** based on **I John 1:5.**

bait and methods. The second direction is to pray. This important duty is known to all. These two duties are the whole expression of faith to protect us from temptation.

~JOHN OWEN~

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

~16th July~

Bro. Sean & Sis. Selina Grant

~17th July~

Bro. McKeba & Sis. Natalya Lawrence

~18th July~

Dea. David & Sis. Lorna-Mae Jarvis



### BABY DEDICATION

We rejoice with Bro. Andre & Sis. Altude Exaie on the dedication of their son, **Junior Spencer Exaie**, today. He was born on Thursday, 7th May, 2015. Let us pray for them as they raise their child in the fear and admonition of the Lord.



### 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*

## Lord's Supper This Morning



## 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."*

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

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

Study #6 Ready When Pornography Controls Part 2 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

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL OF YOU!**

**~12th July - 18th July~**

~13th July~

Dea. David Jarvis - Central

~17th July~

Bro. Adrian Barron - Tyrells

~18th July~

Sis. Jenell Hutson - Central

Bro. Heraldo Mascary - Tyrells



## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS



### 1. BELIEVERS' BAPTISM

All members are advised that we will be observing the ordinance of **Believer's Baptism** this afternoon at 5:30 p.m. at the Tyrells Baptist Church (Tyrells Main Road). Please be in your places by 5:15 p.m.

### 2. JOINT SERVICE TONIGHT

**All church members are advised that this evening's service will be** a joint service of the ECBM Circuit of Baptist Churches at the Tyrells Baptist Church (Tyrells Main Road) at 6:00 p.m. Avail yourself to this means of grace.

### 3. TRUSTEES MEETING ON TUESDAY

All members of the Trustees are reminded of their meeting this Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Please be punctual.

### 4. MONTHLY CIRCUIT STEWARDSHIP MEETING

All church members are reminded of the monthly Circuit Stewardship meeting that will be held this Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at the Central Baptist Church. Each member is expected to attend this important meeting.

### 5. NEW MEMBERS' FORUM

All members who have not completed 12 months of membership **in our churches are expected to attend the New Members' Forum** to be held on Saturday, 17th July, 2015, from 7:00pm—9:00pm. at the Covenant Baptist Fellowship Hall. It will be a time of fellowship and encouragement in the Word.

### 6. 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.

### 7. 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.

### 8. 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.

## Think It Through

*The Word, Necessary Food*

*Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.*

*(Matthew 4:4)*

If God so willed it we could live without bread, even as Jesus did for forty days; but we could not live without His Word. By that Word we were created, and by it alone can we be kept in being, for He sustaineth all things by the Word of His power. Bread is a second cause; the Lord Himself is the first source of our sustenance. He can work without the second cause as well as with it; and we must not tie Him down to one mode of operation. Let us not be too eager after the visible, but let us look to the invisible God. We have heard believers say that in deep poverty, when bread ran short, their appetites became short, too; and to others, when common supplies failed, the Lord has sent in unexpected help.

But we must have the Word of the Lord. With this alone we can withstand the devil. Take this from us, and our enemy will have us in his power, for we shall soon faint. Our souls need food, and there is none for them outside of the Word of the Lord. All the books and all the preachers in the world cannot furnish us a single meal: it is only the Word from the mouth of God that can fill the mouth of a believer. Lord, evermore give us this bread. We prize it above royal dainties.

—Charles Spurgeon—



## FUNERAL SERVICE

All members of the ECBM Circuit of Baptist Churches are encouraged to support Dea. Patrick Tomlinson and his family in their bereavement due to the death of his father, Mr. Eardley (Caspia) Tomlinson. The funeral will be on Thursday, July 16, 2015, at the **St. Peter's Anglican 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  
 5:30 p.m. **Believers' Baptism: Tyrells**  
 6:00 p.m. Worship: Joint Service: Tyrells
- 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. Trustees Meeting: Central
- Wed. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting  
 7:00 p.m. Monthly Stewardship Meeting: Central
- 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  
 6:30 p.m. Acteens Club: Central  
 6:30 p.m. Royal Ambassadors: Central
- Sat. 12:00 p.m. Noonday Prayer Meeting  
 7:00 p.m. **New Members' Forum:** Covenant Fellowship Hall

## BE EARNEST IN PRAYER

### 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. 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. Diane Joseph, Sis. Judy  
 Edwards, Bro. Anthony & Sis. Tamisha Browne, Sis. Nadine  
 Smith

**THANKSGIVING:** Bro. Carl & Sis. Cassandra Jarvis,  
 Sis. Muriel Martin, Bro. Charlesworth & Sis. Suzette Dowdie  
 Bro. Abner Marcellus, Sis. Nadine Smith

**NEW MEMBERS:** Bro. Jonathan 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:** Michelle Nicholas, Sam Nicholas, Theo  
 Balir, Martina Humphreys, Kinda Morgan, Saleema  
 Anthony, Jamol Bovell, Akeem Agard, Milbert Joseph,  
 Donald Lewis, Gloria Lewis, Colin Baker, Sharon Grenville,  
 Mark Grenville, Art Bazilio, Lloyd Bazilio, George Browne,  
 Hamadi Browne, Ajani Dowdie, Arianna Dowdie, Athalia  
 Andrew, Kadajah Andrew, Marlensky Salien, Christophe  
 Marcellus, Shari Irish, Reisah Irish, Ayesha Charles, Arvil  
 Grant, Carlton Williams, Roydon Selwood, Grantley  
 Edwards, Martina Edwards, Ajenea Bryan

**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 4:32  
 Secondary & Adults — John 8:32-36

## ECBM DIRECTORY

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