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BAPTIST CHURCH • NEWARK

REV. TIMOTHY L. ADKINS-JONES, PH.D. | SENIOR PASTOR

Women of **BETHANY**
IMAGINING NEW REALITIES

ISAIAH 43:18-19

SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 2022
8 A M & 11 A M

GUEST PREACHER

Reverend LaKeesha Walrond, Ph.D.

PRESIDENT OF NEW YORK THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH

275 W. Market Street Newark, NJ 07103

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRAISE & WORSHIP

WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR

CALL TO WORSHIP

DR GLORIA WHITE ALLEN

Leader | We celebrate women's voices, proclaiming wisdom.
People | We honor women's lives, forging new paths.
Leader | We remember women's faith, strong amid challenges.
People | We anticipate women's vision, calling us into the future.
All | Past, present, and future, our lives join with women everywhere.

INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

DR GLORIA WHITE ALLEN

GLORIA PATRI

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR

WELCOME

SIS BARBARA ROBERTS

OCCASION

DR NAIMA COOK WADDY

WOMEN'S DAY TRIBUTE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

DOXOLOGY

WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR

ALTAR PRAYER

DEACON AMY MORRISON

INTRODUCTION OF PREACHER

SIS ALANA MILES, ESQ.

WORSHIP THROUGH DANCE

WOMEN'S DAY LITURGICAL DANCE MINISTRY

SERMON

REV DR LAKEESHA WALROND

CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS

REV DR TIMOTHY L. ADKINS-JONES

BENEDICTION

Oh, to Be Kept by Jesus

Whoso putteth his trust in the Lord shall be safe — Proverbs 29:25 KJV

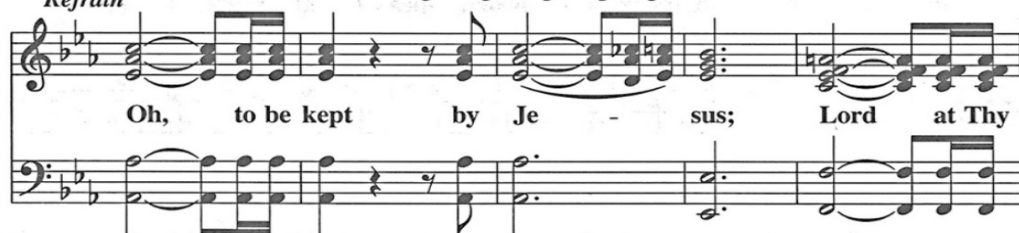

1. Oh to be kept by Je - sus, kept by the
 2. Oh to be kept by Je - sus, kept by His
 3. Kept by His ho - ly Spir - it, to me this



pow - er of God. _____ Kept from the world un -
 pow - er di - vine. _____ Kept thru toil and
 is best of all. _____ I'm safe in His ho - ly



spot - ted, tread - ing where Je - sus trod. _____
 tri - als, kept by His hand in mine. _____
 keep - ing, He'll ev - er hear my call. _____

Refrain


Oh, to be kept by Je - sus; Lord at Thy



feet I fall; _____ I would be noth - ing,



noth - ing, noth - ing, Thou shalt be all and all. _____

2022 WOMEN'S DAY PREACHER

The Reverend LaKeesha Walrond, Ph.D.



Educator, visionary leader, sought-after speaker, and consummate change agent, **Dr. LaKeesha Walrond** is a force faithfully encouraging those she encounters to embody their infinite possibilities. In June of 2019, she became the first woman and first African American woman **President of New York Theological Seminary**, committed to preparing faith and thought leaders to engage relevant, restorative, and revolutionary ministry.


A native Texan, **Dr. Walrond** earned her undergraduate degree from Spelman College in Atlanta, Ga., a Master of Education, Master in School Administration, and Doctor of Philosophy in Special Education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and a Master of Divinity from Union Theological Seminary in New York, NY. **Dr. Walrond** has a passion for children and education. She worked in the public school system in North Carolina for eleven years as a teacher, a coordinator for special education programs, an assistant principal, and a principal.

Dr. Walrond is a dynamic speaker who has addressed a number of national and international audiences. She has received numerous recognitions including honors by the New York Liberty WNBA Basketball Association, the National Action Network, the MC Donald's GospelFest, NCNW, NAACP, her alma mater, Spelman College, and Union Theological Seminary. She served on the board of trustees at Union Theological Seminary for three years. Mayor Bill DeBlasio of NYC named October 26, 2019, "**Rev. LaKeesha Walrond Day**" in the city of New York.

Dr. Walrond answered her call to the ministry in December of 1995 and has fully embraced the calling that God has placed on her life. She began her journey in ministry serving as an Associate Minister at Zion Temple United Church of Christ in North Carolina for six years. She served as the Executive Pastor and Chief of Staff of First Corinthian Baptist Church (FCBC) in Harlem, NY for thirteen years. As Chief of Staff, she used educational and organizational strategies to maximize FCBC's capacity and influence in the community and abroad. As Executive Pastor, she implemented strategies to create a culture of learning which evolved into a community of learners.

In an effort to authentically reach the hearts of women, **Dr. Walrond** launched the Getting to Greatness Women's Conference (G2G) in 2013. G2G holds conferences, retreats, workshops, and panel discussions promoting women's empowerment, leadership development, spiritual, mental, and psychological wellness. Reaching thousands of women nationwide, the G2G conferences have been held in New York, Florida, South Carolina, Canada, the Bahamas, Arizona, and Washington, DC. She is the author of two books. *My Body is Special* (2017) is the first of her six-part "Let's Talk About It" (LTAI) children's book series. Written to help end sexual violence against children, this book provides parents, children, and child advocates with problem-solving tools to prevent unhealthy touching. Her first e-book, *Stronger Than Your Worst Pain: A Spiritual Guide to Activating Your Inner Power* (2018), empowers women to recognize their passion, power, and potential to overcome life's most difficult challenges.

Dr. Walrond is happily married to The Reverend Michael A. Walrond Jr., and they are blessed to be the proud parents of two beautiful children: Michael III, and Jasmyn Dominique.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MARCH 20-26, 2022

LENT 2022 Join us on our Lenten journey as we work through "The Cost of Discipleship" during Wednesday night Bible Study. Additionally, we ask all who can to give an additional \$40 a week during lent above your regular tithe and offering.

BACK TO CHURCH Join us the first weekend of April as we gather in-person for worship. Jazz Vespers featuring Samara Joy on Saturday, April 02, 2022 at 6:00PM and First Sunday Worship on Sunday, April 03, 2022 at 8:00AM & 11:00AM.

SUNDAY VIRUTAL WORSHIP SERVICES Out of an abundance of caution due to the pandemic, our 8:00AM, & 11:00 AM will now be virtual and continue to stream live on YouTube, Facebook, and through our church website.

SUNDAY SCHOOL The Traditional Sunday School led by Brother Ronnie Walker follows and The Contemporary Sunday School led by Deacon Linda Epps will both be held immediately following the 8:00AM worship.

COVID-19 TESTING COVID-19 testing is available at Bethany every Sunday from 9:00AM to 1:00PM at no out-of-pocket cost. This service is provided by LABQ Diagnostics & Choose Healthy Life.

THANK YOU On behalf of Chancellor and Cierra Cooper we would like to thank the Board of Deacons for the Valentine's Day Care package that was sent to us. We appreciate the support that we receive for of Bethany family.

Sister Beulah Brent would like to thank the Women's Ministry of BBC for the beautiful flowers she received this week.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS Applications for a scholarship through Bethany's Scholarship Fund are now open and due on March 31st, go to www.bit.ly/bbcapp0331 to submit your application.

NEWS FROM THE EXAMPLE YOUTH MINISTRY We encourage our Bethany Youth and Teens to engage in Sunday School on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. for children 7-12 years old and at 10:00 a.m. for youth 12 years old and older. Also, join us for Refuge (Teen Bible Study) on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. for youth 12 and older.

CHOIR REHEARSAL Choir rehearsals for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday will begin Tuesday, March 22, 2022 at 7:00PM in the Sanctuary.

COVID-19 VACCINATIONS If you need assistance signing up for a COVID-19 shot (1st, 2nd, 3rd or Booster) you may contact Rev. Shawn Torres-Anderson at the church office or via email at storres@bethany-newark.org.

COVID-19 SAFETY TIP COVID19 vaccinations are safe and effective against the COVID19 virus and its variants. If you are in need of a vaccine or booster, please contact the church office. Remember to test regularly, continue to social distance if you must go out, double mask (surgical mask and cloth mask), wash your hands/use hand sanitizer, and continue to pray for yourself and others.

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**MATTHEW 6:9
PRAYER
CALL**

DIAL 1-425-436-6372
ACCESS CODE 146003

EVERY WEEKDAY AT 6:09 PM EST

"In this manner, therefore, pray..." -
Matthew 6:9 NKJV

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MATTHEW 6:9 PRAYER CALL:
3/21/22 - 3/25/22

MONDAY 21 MARCH 2022
ROMANS 2:1-11

TUESDAY 22 MARCH 2022
ROMANS 2:12-16

WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH 2022
LUKE 13:18-21

THURSDAY 24 MARCH 2022
2 CORINTHIANS 4:16-5:5

FRIDAY 25 MARCH 2022
PSALM 32



NEWSLETTER

**ANNOUNCEMENT
DEADLINE**

WEDNESDAYS
AT 12:00 PM

*late submissions will not be included in that
week's newsletter

NEWSLETTER

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COVID-19 TESTING *Let's Check Your
Covid-19 Status*

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SPECIAL PRAYER LIST

March 2022

**Please Remember in Your Prayers
Members in Hospitals or Nursing Homes**

Sister Beulah Brent (14901)
Sister Elsie Gatling (07202)
Deacon Dorothy Jenkins (07039)

Sister Iralena Maxwell (07018)
Brother James Miller, III (07107)
Sister Wilma Turner (07102)

Members Who Are Sick & Shut-in

Sister Peggy Edgerton (07104)
Sister Elaine Green (07017)
Sister Martha Kennedy (07205)
Sister Carolyn Lee (08816)

Sister Joanne Miler (07108)
Sister Debra O'Neil (07108)
Sister Geraldine Reeves (08854)

Brother Marcellus Robinson (07106)
Sister Hattie Schenck (07018)
Sister Mary Scruggs (07018)
Sister Emily Smith (07017)

Sister Marjorie Thurman (08540)
Sister Carol Timmons (07050)
Brother Marshall Tuttle (07050)

Members Requesting Prayer

Sister Colleen Anderson (07103)
Sister Jennifer Arnold (08844)
Sister Mary Atkinson (07018)
Sister Bertha Bell (07017)
Sister Peggy Crawley (07017)
Deacon Louise Ellis (07083)
Deacon Jerry Ellis (07083)
Brother Mark Epps, III (07102)
Deacon Linda Epps (07102)
Brother Fredrick Gilbert (07017)
Brother Rudolph Graddy Jr. (07940)
Sister Janet James (07017)
Deacon Alice Johnson (07205)
Brother Larry Johnson (07003)
Deacon Emily Jukes (27127)

Sister Pamela Lampley (07079)
Sister Vivian Lampkin (07009)
Brother Glenn Miller (07106)
Sister Tracey Moore Peters (07921)
Sister Linda Preston (08852)
Deacon Marlene Roper (07040)
Sister Frances Thomas (07205)
Sister Cheryl Thompson-Martin (07028)
Sister Thelma Vannoy (07050)
Sister Willie Mae Warnick (34473)
Sister Shirley Way (07202)
Sister Davida Williams-McCloud (07106)
Brother Warren Williams (07102)
Sister Maude Young (20785)

In the event of hospitalization, home confinement, or an extended illness, please call, or have a family member or the hospital staff contact the church office at 973-623-8161.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

MARCH 2022

1st

Amada Sledge-Pearson (07106)

2nd

Madeline Davis (07205)

De'Nita Moss (07111)

3rd

Dorothy Edmond (30014)

Rev. Bill Howard (08648)

6th

Patricia Thomas (07103)

7th

Allen Dobbins (07050)

Donna Johnson (07104)

Vonnie Johnson (07018)

8th

Leonico Davis (07104)

Rudolph Davis (18020)

Emily Jukes (07050)

Virginia Rimpson (07018)

Rebecca Wittshire (07601)

9th

Jacqueline Jenkins (07106)

Katie Robinson (07112)

11th

Michele Scott (07018)

12th

Lorna Johnson (07108)

13th

Edward Brown (07203)

14th

Doreen Baldwin (07112)

15th

Karen Campbell (08520)

Blanche Tann (07079)

17th

Marvin Anthony (08854)

Jerry Ellis (07083)

18th

Tara Dowdell-Huang (08902)

Sonca Wittshire (07601)

19th

Mark Epps, III (45410)

21st

Lynn Brownlee-Williams (07079)

22nd

Ethel Lindsey (07103)

Myrlene Mondelus (07103)

23rd

Kathryn Carter (07018)

Kirk Rhodes (07076)

24th

Joié Johnson Walker (07040)

25th

Franklin Dobbins, III (07050)

26th

Michael Almaguer (07105)

28th

Marlene Ellis (07083)

30th

Crystal Elliott (07017)

Augusta Starks (07111)

Shawn Torres-Anderson (07017)

31st

Celia Adams Charles (07028)

THE ZIP CODES ARE LISTED FOR FELLOWSHIP CIRCE PURPOSES

2022 WOMEN'S DAY PARTICIPANTS

2022 WOMEN'S DAY CHOIR

SIS MARVA MACK, DIRECTOR

SIS ALMA BENYON
SIS MARY HOWARD
TRUSTEE GARETH MALEBRANCHE-ZAMBA
SIS ANNE PARKER
SIS BARBARA ROBERTS

SIS GEARLDINE COLES
DEACON ROMY FLORENCE
SIS PATRICIA JONES
SIS SHIRLEY KEY
SIS SHARON MCIVER
SIS GAIL PEARSON

SIS DORTHY DIXON
SIS LAUREL PRYOR
SIS JOYCE WOODSON

2022 WOMEN'S DAY LITURGICAL DANCE MINISTRY

SIS CHRYSTAL WILLIAMSON, DIRECTOR

DEACON PATRICIA WAY
SIS SHAKYRA DOZIER

TRUSTEE GARETH MALEBRANCHE-ZAMBA
SIS MIYA SMITH-THOMPSON

2022 WOMEN'S DAY BAND

TROY FRANKLIN, DRUMMER
MOISE MAXI, PIANIST
TEVIN PALARCHE, BASSIST

2022 WOMEN'S MINISTRY

SIS LINDA HARVEST, CHAIR
SIS CHRYSTAL WILLIAMSON, REC. SECRETARY
SIS MICHELLE NELSON, TREASURER
DEACON MARINNE WALKER, DEACON ADVISOR

DR. DONNA BECK, VICE CHAIR
SIS DESERAY ONYEMA, COR. SECRETARY
DEACON WILMA MASSE, DEACON ADVISOR

MEDIA & COMMUNICATIONS

MINISTER REBEKAH KEAZER, DIRECTOR
DILLON JONES, WORSHIP AND ARTS MEDIA INTERN
KASON MCCLAIN, AUDIO DIRECTOR

CHURCH STAFF

BRENDA GALARZA, SECRETARY TO STAFF

SUZETTE JONES, CONTROLLER

WILLIE PRESCOTT, HEAD OF BUILDING MAINTENANCE
SHACON LEARY, SEXTON

QUINCY WRIGHT, SEXTON

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

REV TIMOTHY L. ADKINS-JONES, PHD, SENIOR PASTOR
REV SHAWN TORRES-ANDERSON, ASSOCIATE PASTOR OF OPERATIONS
DEACON BRENDA E. BROWN, CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF DEACONS
SIS ARROMICA COOK, CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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WELCOME

It is our sincere prayer that something said or done today will be an inspiration and a blessing to you. The doors of Bethany Baptist Church-Newark are always open to all. If you are searching for a church home, we encourage you to seek God in prayer and ask if this is where you should join. We thank God for you and hope you will worship with us again.

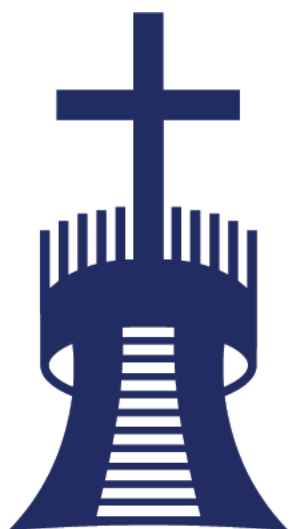
CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 10:00am - 5:00pm

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