



### **Words from Our Pastor**

Before Jesus began his earthly ministry of saving the world, he spent 30 years preparing. He studied, he grew and was in favor with the people. When he came of age, 30, the age a man can become a priest, he was baptized. He then was sent into the wilderness to fast, denying himself the pleasures of the flesh, as the final preparation for his ministry to begin. After the 40 days he began to preach “Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven has come near.”

I believe Walls Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church has prepared. We have fasted. Now we will begin by going! Yes, Walls it is time to take our rightful place among the lost, the poor, the discouraged and to bring the message of hope that can only be found in the Kingdom.

Over the next several months we will begin a series of outreach events designed to educate and or equip the community in some way. We will combine these events with our already established events to remake them while meeting our A.M.E. Zion obligations.

It is my desire that you will get excited! You will want to participate. You will want to invite your friends and family. You will want to solicit those same friends and family members to volunteer to serve at one or more of our functions. Extra hands are needed and a blessing! With volunteers we can do more and give the appearance of a large congregation while still small (for now).

Dates will be announced in the next few weeks for the remainder of the year and part of next year! So you do not want to miss church!

May God bless Walls Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church!

Your Pastor,

Rev. Deborah A. Johns

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**Joshua 1:7:** "Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. <sup>8</sup> Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."

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### **March in Review**

Fasting helps us to break any chains that prevent us from being obedient to God in any way. It will also help your body to heal by allowing it time to rest and focus on itself instead of the things we put in it.

Last month, we fasted and God blessed us all in unique ways! The fast lasted from March 1 – 21 and was designed to be personal while we all did it together corporately.

I want to thank everyone who participated either through fasting, praying and supporting the testimonial breakfast. It was an awesome time in the Lord and if you missed it, you missed it!!!

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## A Word from Our Bishop



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# Important Dates!

**Sunday, April 1st** - Resurrection Sunday

**Tuesday, April 3rd** – Trustee/Steward Board Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. / Men's Ministry Meeting at 8:00 p.m.

**Saturday, April 7th** – Corporate Prayer @ 9:00 a.m. / Ministerial Team Meeting at 10:00 a.m.

**Wednesday, April 18th** - Join us for our Food Bank Program @ 8:00 AM (every 3rd Wednesday).

**Friday, April 20th** - District Revival at @ 7:00pm lead by Reverend Derrick Smith serving as the Revivalist. **Caleb AME Zion – 6615 Raintree Forest, San Antonio, Texas**

**Saturday, April 21st** – Caleb AME Zion – 6615 Raintree Forest, San Antonio, Texas - **Houston-San Antonio District Conference** @ 10:00 AM

**Thursday, April 26th – 29th** – SAVE THE DATE: WH&OMS Leadership Institute

**Sunday, May 6th** – Mother's Day

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Continue to keep the Walls Chapel AME Zion Family,  
our community, and each other lifted in prayer.  
We thank you all for everything that you do.



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