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WORDS FROM THE PASTOR & FIRST LADY

Welcome to *The Greater New Hope Herald*, a Greater New Hope Anointed Ministries publication. This is our pilot issue of the new up-and-coming monthly newsletter; we are so excited about the things that the Lord is already doing in this New Year.

This newsletter has been a dream of ours for a while now and we are a witness that if you keep believing, keep working and not quitting on a vision, that God will manifest it in His time. We hope you enjoy the newsletter and that it is beneficial and informative to you. We believe in God that this newsletter will grow because He is not through with it yet. This is just the beginning!

As stated at watch-night service, "In 2009, it's my time!" Please get ready for the greatness of God as He moves this Ministry and elevate you in areas you never thought or imagined you would move into. Keep the faith and live according to God's will. He will make mountains move and make dreams become manifest.

We are grateful for every member and we appreciate your dedication to the ministry. We thank you for your love and support, your desire to learn about Christ and to praise Him in spite of your situation. We thank you for choosing to serve with us in God's Ministry. Everyone is valuable and is seen as an asset to the body of Christ.

We have more than just a congregation, we have a family!

Love-

Pastor and First Lady Callins

If you have any suggestions for the next issue please email us at the church.

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MINISTRY UPDATES *GOD IS DEFINITELY MOVING!*

Starting in the month of February we will have worship services tailored specifically for our youth, ages 6 – 12. They will fellowship in their own building and will be learning about Christ in a way that is comprehensive to them.

We never want to forget

about our youth or lose the importance of training them properly and positively in the way they should go.

The world offers many options to our youth, and we felt the need to have not only services for them, but to also have events that will appeal to

their personalities without incorporating the "world".

So instead of standing on street corners, hanging out at the Lot and being negatively influenced, the church has established a safe place for our youth (3 – 18) to fellowship.

More information to come...

MINISTRY CALENDAR

JANUARY 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Event Planning Committee	9	10 Male Mentorship
11 New Membership Class	12 Women's Ministry	13	14	15	16	17 Inauguration Concert MLK, Jr. Parade
18 Ordination Sunday	19 Book Club	20	21 Bealsville C.O.G. Revival at 7pm Pastor Callins	22 Bealsville C.O.G. Revival at 7pm Pastor Callins	23 Bealsville C.O.G. Revival at 7pm Pastor Callins	24 Black History Concert Practice
25	26 Women's Ministry	27	28	29	30	31 Black History Concert Practice

FEBRUARY 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Church Super Bowl Sunday	2 Single's Ministry	3 PASTOR'S BIRTHDAY!	4	5	6 G.N.H.A.M Women's Revival 7pm	7 Black History Concert Practice
8 New Members Class	9 Women's Ministry	10	11	12 Event Planning	13 G.N.H.A.M Women's Revival 7pm	14 Male Mentorship Black History Concert Practice
15 Love Sunday	16 Book Club Money Class	17	18	19	20 G.N.H.A.M Women's Revival 7pm	21 Black History Concert
22 College Day	23 Women's Ministry	24	25 Youth Showcase	26	27 G.N.H.A.M Women's Revival 7pm	28 College Day Event

GETTING TO KNOW OUR MEMBERS

When the church family grows, we want to make sure we welcome each member with love and let them know that they are an asset to God's family at Greater New Hope Anointed Ministries.

Not only do we want to welcome them, but we would also like to get to know them.

After talking with the Joneses, a family of five, I've learned that they recently moved to Florida from Virginia. Mr. Floyd, a.k.a

"Tray," and Wanda Jones have three children: Jeyda, a.k.a "Jey," 12; Nhijza, a.k.a. "Nhi," 9; and Jhamare a.k.a. "Lil Trey," 4. As a family, they enjoy "games, bowling, family nights and discussions" as well as taking vacations.

Some couples can relate that there are times when careers and children can keep a person busy. So, I asked Mr. and Mrs. Jones *what are some things that*

you do to keep your relationship strong? "No matter how busy we are, we always find time for each other," they replied. "Even if it is a card left in the bathroom or hidden in the car to remind each other how much we love and depend on each other."

While talking with the children, I was able to learn what they like to do in their free time. Jey said she likes to "read, sing, listen to music



Jones' Family (top; from left to right) Jhamare, Wanda, Jeyda, Floyd, and Nhijza. (Bottom) Ms. Faychone Durant

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and talk on the phone." Nhi likes to "play video games, watch TV and ride his bike." Trey likes to also "play games, watch TV, and drive his Cadillac (power wheel)."

After meeting the Joneses, I met Ms. Faychone Durant who has two children, whom she talks to everyday, who are both married.

Ms. Durant says she likes to "cook and spend time with

my family on holidays or just getting together for other special days." She also takes time for herself and does a personal assessment.

I asked Ms. Durant if there was anything she would like to say or share with the First Family and members of Greater New Hope Anointed Ministries. She said, "Thank you for accepting me and allowing me to fellowship with you. Thank you also for

sharing God's word in a way which is easy to understand and apply."

I asked the Joneses the same question and they replied, "God has blessed us to be a part of a great ministry and we are so happy to be in this church family."

"It is an honor and a privilege to have you as a member of our church family."

- Pastor & First Lady

FOR YOUR STUDY 1 Peter 5:7 "casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you"

Carrying your worries, stresses, and daily struggles by yourself shows that you have not trusted God fully with your life. It takes humility, however, to admit your need, see that God cares and to let others in God's family help you.

Sometimes we think that struggles caused by our own sin and foolishness are not God's concern. But when we turn to God in repentance, He

will bear the weight even of those struggles.

What struggles, concerns and worries have you been carrying that you have not given to God? Who are the people who keep you burdened? What are you going to do about it?

Have a moment and meditate on this verse. Repent for your actions and ask God to intervene on your

behalf and to place pivotal people in your life who are able and willing to help you, to encourage and uplift you.

The time has come to cast all of your care upon the Lord. Don't live another day alone with your "struggle" when you now know God cares for you and will help you (Isaiah 41:13).

For your study: 1 Peter 5:7



2 Timothy 2:15

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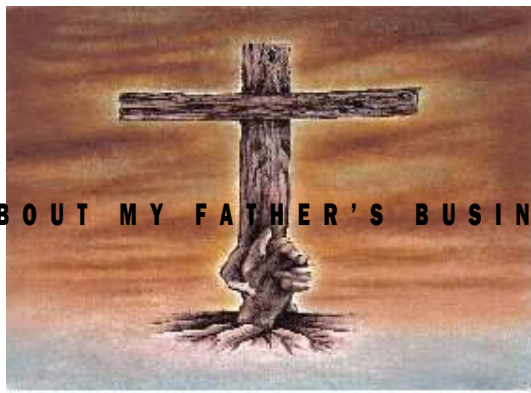
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CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

To reach beyond the parameters of the physical church in order to: disciple Christians and to win the lost and take the leadership of Jesus into homes and communities. Our mission is to join the fight in breaking down barriers of religions, denominations, race and class by lifting up the name of the Lord through praise and worship. John 12:32 says that “if I be lifted up from the earth, I will draw all peoples to myself.”



MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

In this month’s Newsletter we are proud to spotlight the TEEN MINISTRY. This ministry consists of our youth from ages 13 to 18 and is lead by Min. Kimberly Murray.

The world is known for putting negative stigmas on our youth, which is why we believe that providing positive programs, mentorship, leadership training and, above all, Christ to our youth will allow them to be and do whatever they put their minds to.

When our youth know right from wrong, they will less

likely fall into the trap of peer pressure and be positive role models for those who are younger than them, their peers and even adults.

Before a Bible Study I met with AJ Marcus, 17, to see what more he thought the Teen Ministry could do: “I believe we should go out to the community [as far as helping people] like what we did with voting.”

Well, guess what, on February 29th the Teen Ministry will be hosting “College Day,” an event that is open to all 8th, 11th and

12th graders in the community.

This event will provide College and University information to all students who are interested in furthering their education after high school.

While talking with some of the Teens, Aysa Sureller, 17, believed “College Day” to be a great event “because teenagers don’t know a lot about college life, getting money and getting into the right college.”

If you have an 8th, 11th or

12th grader, please mark your calendar for February 28, 2009.



Aysa Sureller (top left), AJ Marcus (top right)