



GLORY PRAYER &
PRAISE (10AM)

CALL TO WORSHIP

- Song of Praise
- *Holy, Holy, Holy*
- *Scripture Reading, Prayer Requests, & Prayer*
- *Mission Statement*
- Song of Praise

WELCOME &
ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE & WORSHIP

GIVING OF TITHE
& OFFERING

Scripture Reading

NEW PRAISE
ENSEMBLE

SERMON

INVITATION TO
PRAYER &
DISCIPLESHIP

HOLY
COMMUNION

1st Sunday



BENEDICTION

REACHING TO TEACH: SUNDAY SCHOOL



OUR VISION

- We are committed to biblical teaching, evangelical witness, Spirit-filled preaching and worship and Christ-centered leadership.
- It is a vision of releasing and unlocking the full potential of our ministries and gifts to reach the unchurched and unsaved.
- It is a vision of fully utilizing our church and its facilities to meet the needs of people – socially and spiritually.
- It is a vision of seeing the people of God empowered with the Holy Spirit's anointing to overthrow and defeat the power of Satan in every area of their lives.
- It is a vision of seeing our church growing and reaching its Divine intended plan and purpose for Christ.
- It is a vision of seeing our young people saved and taking on roles of leadership in the twenty-first century and beyond.

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MEMORIAL TABERNACLE CHURCH

Christian, Bible-based. Mission-driven Church



SUNDAY MORNING GLORY WORSHIP SERVICE

December 2017 Bulletin - 10:30 AM Service

THEME FOR OUR NINETY-SECOND YEAR

Standing STRONG  **Looking forward**
Joshua 1:9

MISSION STATEMENT

The Memorial Tabernacle Church has come together by the Holy Spirit for the specific purpose of preaching and teaching the word of God, (the Bible), and about Jesus Christ, God's son, and to proclaim the gospel of the Kingdom of God to the North Oakland Community and its environs; to bring healing to the brokenhearted and deliverance to the oppressed.

PASTOR

Pastor Ulysses Stephen King, Jr.

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Elder Mrs. Jeanette Wortz

Elder Calvin King

Deaconess Urealene Jones

Established in 1925

www.MemorialTabernacle.org

Join the family

Galatians 6:10

Pastor Ulysses Stephen King, Jr., Mrs. Tiffany, and the Memorial Tabernacle Family welcome you to the family! Choose to engage with your family to receive the love God has given us to give specifically to you!

- **Worship** | Sundays @ 10:30AM (Hebrews 12: 28)
- **Study** | Sundays @ 9:15 AM & Tuesdays @ 7PM (Hebrews 10:24-25)
- **Pray** | Mondays @ 6PM & Thursdays @ 6AM (Philippians 4:6)

MEMBERSHIP INTO THE MTC FAMILY

We invite you to be a member of our family! Your acceptance of the invitation to become a member of the Memorial Tabernacle Church means you are saying the Holy Spirit is leading you to do so, and that He has placed you here to work in coordination with the whole Body of Christ. Our church handbooks are available from Sister Tiffany for you if you feel the desire to take that next step.

WE ARE THE CHURCH!

Everyone has something to give. God has gifted each of us with talents and abilities that can make a difference in our church and our community. Whatever your passion, whatever amount of time you have, there is a place to share it at Memorial, our community or our world.



SEASON OF ADVENT | December 3 – December 24

The time before Christmas is Advent, a season of preparation for Christmas. Christians prepare for celebrating the birth of Jesus by remembering the longing of the Jews for a Messiah. In Advent, we're reminded of how much we ourselves also need a Savior, and we look forward to our Savior's second coming even as we prepare to celebrate his first coming at Christmas.



The five candles contrast darkness and light. They are lit in succession, one more each week as we count the Sundays in Advent. On Christmas Eve or Christmas Day,

the fifth candle—the Christ candle—is lit. Jesus is the light of the world, and the darkness has not put it out. The full blaze stands for the fulfillment of the promise.

The themes during the four weeks of Advent are Hope, Peace, Joy and Love.

CELEBRATIONS THIS MONTH

Happy Birthday: The MEMORIAL TABERNACLE CHURCH FAMILY would like to wish a Happy Birthday to member(s), friend(s), and to anyone celebrating a birthday during the month of December. May God

richly bless you all on your very special day!

- 1: SIS XYAIRE HARTWELL
- 1: BRO TRISTIAN MCCLERKINS
- 3: BRO SMILEY BROWN
- 7: SIS LONDYN FARRISH MCCLERKINS
- 8: BRO JORDAN BROWN
- 19: SIS MYRTLE SMITH
- 20: BRO KYLE MCCLERKINS
- 21: BRO BOBBY JONES
- 29: MALACHI LEFTRIDGE

Sacrament of Marriage:

We have no records of anniversaries this month. If it is your anniversary, Happy Anniversary, and please let the administrative office know.

EMBRACING OUR COMMUNITY

The December Breakfast in Bed is suspended. We are meeting to finalize plans for our **Christmas Gift Giving**. This year our hearts have compassion for the many homeless youth on the streets of Oakland. If you are interested in being apart, see Mrs. Tiffany.

YOUTH GOING GREEN

Youth Going Green aims to reach 1000 young people before the end of the year to expose them to recycling and waste reduction and invite them to become members of our nationally known youth recycling program.

Join Youth Going Green at the **December 17th Meet-up:** at 3:00PM! Bring your recyclables!



Need a gift for others this Christmas? Thank you to all who have supported Youth Going Green and purchased one of their t-shirts. We have more and what better gift to give those who you love and care about. We also have Church t-shirts available after service in the fellowship Hall.

“RUNNING AWAY”






Support Pastor King and purchase his book **“Running Away: The Memoir of A Bishop's Son”** after any service. For more information regarding the book, check out Pastor King's author's page at <http://uskingjr.com> or www.facebook.com/uskingjr.

REMEMBER OUR SICK, SHUT-INS, & SENIORS

Let us not forget those members of our church unable to be with us due to illness and age. Call them, send them a card, but most importantly, say a prayer for them.

CALENDAR

Please refer to the calendar included. Updates are posted on the vestibule bulletin board and online.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p align="center">John 1:14 NKJV <i>14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.</i></p>						
<p>Dec 03 <i>1st Sun of Advent: Hope</i></p>  <p><i>Advent Schedule</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday School, 9:15AM • <i>Worship, 10:30AM</i> • Pastor's Roundtable, after worship • Prayer, 6PM 	<p>Dec 04 Prayer, 6PM</p>	<p>Dec 05 Conversational Bible Study w/ Pastor, 7PM</p>	<p>Dec 06</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young People Gathering, 5PM • Music Ministry, 6:30-8:00PM 	<p>Dec 07 Prayer, 6AM</p>	<p>Dec 08</p>	<p>Dec 09</p>
<p>Dec 10 <i>2nd Sun of Advent: Peace</i></p>  <p><i>Advent Schedule</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday School, 9:15AM • <i>Worship, 10:30AM</i> • After worship Second Sunday Celebrations • Prayer, 6PM 	<p>Dec 11 Prayer, 6PM</p>	<p>Dec 12 Conversational Bible Study w/ Pastor, 7PM</p>	<p>Dec 13</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young People Gathering, 5PM • Music Ministry, 6:30-8:00PM 	<p>Dec 14 Prayer, 6AM</p>	<p>Dec 15</p>	<p>Dec 16</p>
<p>Dec 17 <i>3rd Sun of Advent: Joy</i></p>  <p><i>Advent Schedule</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday School, 9:15AM • <i>Worship, 10:30AM</i> • YGG Meet-up, 3:00PM • Prayer, 6PM 	<p>Dec 18 Prayer, 6PM</p>	<p>Dec 19 Conversational Bible Study w/ Pastor, 7PM</p>	<p>Dec 20</p>	<p>Dec 21 Prayer, 6AM</p>	<p>Dec 22</p>	<p>Dec 23</p>
<p>Dec 24 <i>4th Sun of Advent: Love</i></p>  <p><i>Advent Schedule</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday School, 9:15AM • <i>Worship, 10:30AM</i> • Prayer, 6PM 	<p>Dec 25 Happy Birthday, Jesus!</p>  <p>Offices Closed</p>	<p>Dec 26 Offices Closed</p>	<p>Dec 27 Offices Closed</p>	<p>Dec 28 Offices Closed</p>	<p>Dec 29 Offices Closed</p>	<p>Dec 30 Offices Closed</p>

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