

**Bull Swamp Baptist Church
of Orangeburg Incorporated
112 Purity Street
Post Office Box 752
Orangeburg, SC 29116
Rev. Dr. Ephriam D. Stephens, Pastor**



January 14, 2026

Greetings:

On behalf of Bull Swamp Baptist Church of Orangeburg Incorporated and the Black History Committee, we cordially invite you to our Black History Month events. The series will begin on February 7th at 12:00pm with Dr. Walter B. Curry, Jr., Ed.D., Founder of Renaissance Publications & Educational Programs, LLC. Programs will continue each Saturday throughout the month of February, featuring a different speaker and activity each week: February 14th at 10:00am and February 21st at 3:00pm with a banquet and culminating on February 27th and 28th with a chartered bus cultural trip to Myrtle Beach, SC.

In addition to the speaker presentations, we invite you to tour our recently renovated 1936 Bull Swamp Colored School Preservation and Community Center, designated a National Historical site in 2021 by the South Carolina Department of Archives and History, located on school grounds, immediately following each program.

Dr. Walter B. Curry, Jr. hails from Orangeburg, South Carolina, where he began his academic journey by earning a bachelor's degree in political science from South Carolina State University. He furthered his education by obtaining multiple graduate degrees in the field of education, culminating in a doctorate in Curriculum and Instruction from Argosy University in Sarasota. In 2018, Dr. Curry established Renaissance Publications & Educational Programs, LLC, a venture dedicated to promoting the literary arts through education, with particular emphasis on historical scholarship that explores ancestry and local history.

This program is being co-sponsored financially by South Carolina Humanities, a state program of the National Endowment for the Humanities; inspiring, engaging and enriching South Carolinians with programs on literature, history, culture, and heritage.



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For additional information, please contact Ms. Annette Morrison, BSBC Black History Committee President, at (803) 378-5547 or via email at aemorrison1@icloud.com.

Please RSVP by January 30, 2026.

We look forward to having you join us for one or more of our events this February.

Sincerely,

***Bull Swamp Baptist Church of Orangeburg Incorporated
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