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New Beginnings Christian Fellowship

14 Years! & We're Still Together!

August 4, 2019 marked NBCF's 14th year as a church that celebrates the fact that, "No Matter What Has Gone On In Your Life, God Is Always Ready To Start Over!"

Where has the time gone? When we held our first worship service in Renton High School's cafeteria on August 7, 2005, we worshipped trusting and believing that God would make a way some how. And he did just that!

Though the journey took us through several different locations for Sunday and evening worship,- Lindberg High School Auditorium, The Renton Annex, The Renton IKEA Performing Arts Center - we kept the faith and worshipped and served God with our whole hearts. Then lo and behold, God showed the late Deacon Arthur Harris where our new and permanent worship center would be! And as they say, the rest is history.



ANNIVERSARY

We've been, a light of the world...a city sitting on the hill of Kent that cannot and will not be hidden, since 2009!

Many thanks for the unyielding commitment of Pastor Braxton, First Lady Shelia and the ENTIRE Leadership cadre of NBCF. Thanks to the NBCF Staff - past and present - and ALL ministry volunteers for your unyielding commitment and service to God and NBCF.

Thanks to ALL members, guests and friends for your steadfast commitment in participation of worship, church school classes events/activities, sharing your gifts - monetary and non-monetary- serving, and just showing up! To God Be the Glory for the Great Things that have been Done and will be Done in the life of NBCF! And as Kevin always says at the end of his announcements - JOIN A MINISTRY!!!

14th Anniversary Sunday



New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
Annual Recognition Awards
2019

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Migela Evans & Lylia Nichols

In recognition of the "Out of the Box" spirit of NBCF members who exemplify the enthusiasm and courage of NBCF

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Perry Wilkerson & Patty Davis

Selfless Servant Working Behind the Scenes

In recognition of selfless service to the Glory of God and to the advancement of NBCF

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Victoria Carr Ware & Raymond Connell

Extraordinary Commitment and contribution to the strategic interests of NBCF

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Lenora Alexander & Nathaniel Patterson

Outstanding contribution to the Worship Arts Ministry at NBCF

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Bryin Dixon & Nia Lawson

Outstanding Youth Achievement

In recognition of outstanding achievement and model character by an NBCF youth 20 years of age or younger

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Jacquie Cowling & Jennifer Harris

An Encourager of Youth

In recognition of outstanding service to the Youth Ministry as voted by the Youth

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Ida Ames & Donnell Mitchell

Sankofa

In recognition of the wisdom of elders

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



Anne Branch & Darice Johnson

Sent to help out through Outreach, Missions and Evangelism

In Recognition of extraordinary contribution to NBCF and to the community through outreach, missions and evangelism

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship
14th Annual Recognition Awards



NBCF Food Service Ministry

Jawanza Dependable

In recognition of extraordinary service in support of NBCF

Deedee Terry
Michael Lynch
Jacque Lacey
Karen Reese
Stephen Gray
Rodelia Gray

NEW GENESIS

Youth Choir



Rehearsals

1st 2nd & 4th Saturdays

Time

11:30-12:30 PM

Location

Youth Sanctuary

For more information contact: Zhane Condly

Email: sing2heal@gmail.com

253-227-6676

Need help in facing your hurts, habits and/or hang-ups?
...Then Celebrate Recovery is for you!



CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Addressing everything from drugs and pornography addictions to grief and relationship issues...

Wednesdays 6:00 PM to 9:30 PM

Join us for fellowship, food and recovery

Educational Empowerment salutes students returning to the classroom this fall

- ? Are you a student headed to campus this fall?
- ? Do you want that Care Package Connection?
- ? **OF COURSE you do!**



Visit the Educational Empowerment Ministry Table to:

- ✓ Sign-up for Campus Connections Care Packages: & receive Care Packages, messages of encouragement, and Scholarship information throughout the year.
- ✓ Or, stop by to learn how you can support our 2019 Campus Care Package and Connections Project!

For more information email: EducationalEmpowerment@thenbcf.org

Baptism

BAPTISM SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 29, 2019
10:30 AM SERVICE

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship – 19300- 108th Ave SE, Kent, WA 98031

THURSDAYS THRILLING



Middle & High School Youth



2yrs to 5th grade



Adults



worship

Something for
the whole family!

- 6:00pm** Chew & Chat (\$5 Dinner)
- 6:45pm** Adult Bible Study/New Members
- 7:00pm** AWANA/FRESH
- 7:45pm** Worship & Word Service

Vacation Bible Camp
July, 2019 @ Miracle Ranch Camp



Another AMAZING Camp Nurse\Counselor
adventure with NBCF VBS! Unplugged,
worshipping, serving and having
good ol country fun! #priceless .
We'll see ya next year, God willing!

#RISEUP #INTEGRITY

Senior Ministry News

Take Me Out to The Ball Game!

And the Seniors of NBCF did just that! Chauffeured to the T-Mobile Park, the fan ready seniors enjoyed a gourmet lunch at the Terrace Club and special choice seating as they cheered on the Mariners. It's said that their presence brought the Mariners good luck; winning 5-3 with two home runs by one of the players!! Go Mariners!! If that's the case, perhaps they should attend more games next year!



NBCF's Thriving, Striving, Seniors Are Doing Great Things!

On Wednesday July 24, 2019 members of the Senior Ministry and guests enjoyed an afternoon of Mariner baseball with AARP at T-Mobile Field. We had 24 members in attendance and made the Reader Board, and the Mariners won! We enjoyed Mariner dogs, popcorn, cookies and lemonade along with free back packs and being transported by bus so there was no worry about parking.

On August 2, 2019 we celebrated "Spotlight On A Senior," honoring Deacons Sarah Gray and Eugene Jones. What a great affair with testimonies and some roasting along with special gifts. The Senior Ministry presented Sarah with a quilt made by our Senior, Cheryl Tolbert, and both honorees were given beautiful plaques to commemorate the evening. And there was a big surprise for Pastor Braxton as he was presented with a German Chocolate cake in celebration of his birthday.

On October 1, 2019 we will be attending the free Jazz Alley Luncheon. Sign up for this event will begin September 18, 2019. Please note that we have a limited number of seats, so this is a first come first served event. Stay tuned for more information.

On October 2, 2019, The Senior Ministry will be hosting a meeting for anyone interested in quilting and those who are already quilters. This meeting will follow the Day Connections session at 1:30 pm. Feel free to come join us for Connections at 11:00 am in the Church Narthex and stay for the meeting as we discuss the future of quilting at NBCF.

On November 10, 2019, Veterans Sunday, we will honor all of our Veterans from every branch of service. All active military and veterans will be recognized so please sign up at the Information Desk.

For more information about any of the upcoming events, contact the Senior Ministry at seniorministry@thenbcf.org.

Connie Bown,
Senior Ministry Chair



Let Us Pray

You may ask yourself, why do we come together to focus on prayer for 24 hours? We all lead such busy lives and unfortunately, most of us do not take quality time to pray.

When was the last time you took the time to pray for one hour straight? Better yet, have you ever spent an entire hour in prayer? When was the last time you took time to truly listen to God? (Be still and know I am God) When was the last time you, your friends and/or fellow members assembled yourself together to hear testimonies and share ideas on what God was up to in your lives, and followed up with prayer? Well, NBCF's 24 Hour Prayer Vigil offers such an opportunity.

In June, we held a 24 Hour Prayer, which began with someone coming in and giving their life to Christ. We have seen miracles occur and prayers answered. Whether you come for 15 minutes or the entire 24 hours, corporate prayer is powerful and Prayer really does work!

If you want to improve your prayer life, come join us at the next Prayer Vigil this fall, scheduled for October 11th & 12th and experience God and PUSH - that is Pray Until Something Happens!!!

In the meantime, if you need prayer for any reason, please contact our 24 Hour Intercessory Prayer Line at, (206) 723-3336 or send an email to: prayer@thenbcf.org.

Deacon Phyllis Ames
Intercessory Prayer Ministry



FRESH 1:16 YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS

2019

WHEN THEY SEE US

9.12.19 #TheReturn
THURSDAYS @ 7PM

9.12 Switching Up 9.19 Do anything for Clout 9.26 How God Sees US

Come Join the Youth for relevant service during Thrilling Thursdays in the Youth Sanctuary. If you are in 6th -12th grade, this experience is for YOU! We will have games, activities, lessons, music and more!
Come check us out!

NEW BEGINNINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
19300 108TH AVE SE RENTON, WA 98055

EMAIL FRESH@THENBCF.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION

New Beginnings Christian Fellowship Represented at the Men's Health Walk

Thank you one and all that showed up for the Men's Health Walk. NBCF represented in good number as usual!!!



Join 100 Men From NBCF
Get More Information & Sign Up At The Information Booth

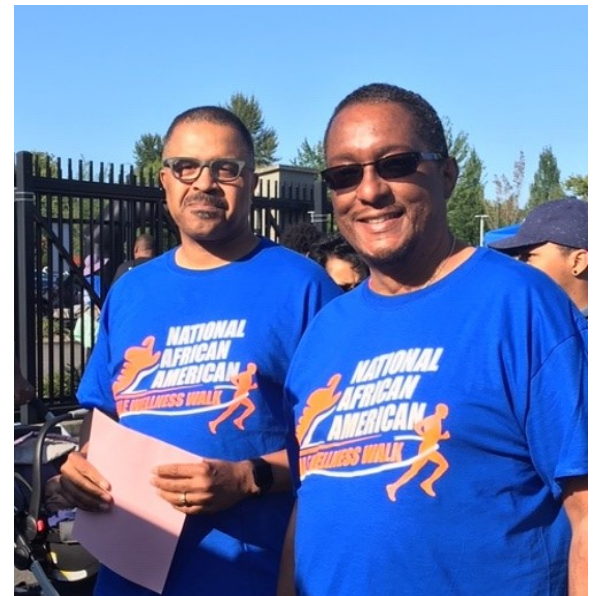
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**NATIONAL
AFRICAN
AMERICAN**

MALE WELLNESS WALK & RUN 5K

**- Saturday -
July 20th, 2019**

Victor Tolbert, Renton, WA Coordinator
Phone Number: 937.838.4570 • Email: vtolbert@aaawalk.org



THE COMPASSION EXPERIENCE RETURNS TO NBCF

SEPTEMBER 20- 23, 2019

The Compassion Experience is a project of Compassion International. This is a free event that features an interactive journey through true stories of children living in developing countries such as the Philippines, Kenya, Uganda and the Dominican Republic. NBCF will focus on children in Haiti. This experience will allow you to peer inside the homes, markets and schools of children living in poverty but who have also been given a pathway to hope for the future.

To be a part of this life transforming experience, you may register via the following link, which provides available dates and times: <https://cts.compassion.com/events/1266> (Participant link)

If you would like to volunteer at the Compassion Experience, you may sign up via the following link, which also provides available dates and times: <https://cts.compassion.com/volunteer.php?l=1266> (Volunteer link)

You may also visit CompassionExperience.com where you'll find NBCF's event to reserve your volunteer and or participant slot.

For more information contact Minister Janice Spinks and Pamela Woods at globaldiscipleship@thenbcf.org



Register To Vote By October 28, 2019



To register to vote in Washington, you must be:

- A citizen of the United States
- A legal resident of Washington state
- At least 18 years old by election day
- Not disqualified from voting due to a court order
- Not under Department of Corrections supervision for a Washington felony conviction

Register Online at:

<https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/elections>

Voices of Angels Children's Choir Director Passes the Baton



For Everything There is Season: On this Christian Journey

For everything there is a season. It was approximately 11 years ago when I was asked to serve as the interim Children's Choir Director. My response was the familiar "Who me Lord, Really? I don't think so. As I was not seeking the role as the choir director, the thought never crossed by mind. However, I was raised in church and learned the importance of serving in the church community and serving others. By nature, I am an introvert, behind the scenes is where I find comfort and this role would require me to step out of the box. It was much after contemplation, prayer, nudging and the prompting of the Holy Spirit that I accepted the assignment.

I began the journey with uncertainty, fear and narrow-minded thinking. My worst nightmare was I would raise my hands to direct the children and nothing would come out of their mouths. I had never taught a song or led a rehearsal in my life! However, being the

beneficiary of many great choir directors, I tapped into my experiences and what I had seen over the years and applied it. Through this experience, which I never took lightly, I have grown spiritually and was reminded of many lessons, which include:

- God's will be done and not mine
- Sometimes you must step out of the box to receive the blessings God has for you
- Your faithfulness will be rewarded
- In all things, depend on the Holy Spirit for guidance
- Don't miss your blessings because you only see your limitations and fail to see God's accommodations in the work he has planned for you.

It has been an honor to sow the word of God through song into the spirits of the children. And I will continue to do so in different ways. I'm encouraged when I hear the parents tell me their children will not stop singing a certain song. One of my favorite stories is when a church school teacher shared with me that they were discussing their lesson and it aligned with a song the children were learning and they all broke out in song. That is a wonderful example where the fruit was revealed. I count it as joy, a privilege and a blessing to have served as the Voices of Angels Children's Choir director for so many years and conclude this chapter as "Mother Adriene." I would like to thank my church family for the many prayers, words of encouragement, support and love shown along the way.

To God Be the Glory great things He has done!
In His services,
Adriene Miller

Greetings!

My name is Whitney Mason. I am honored to serve as the new director of the Voices of Angels Children's Choir. I have been a part of music ministry since I was 7 years old. Under the direction of my mother, Minister Robin Henderson, I've sung in choirs at St. John Baptist Church and Allen A.M.E. Church in Tacoma, as well as the Washington State chapter of the Gospel Music Workshop of America and the 29 Palms Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Gospel Choir in California. I have directed choirs on certain occasions in the past and am excited to put to use my knowledge of music and passion for teaching children about the love of Christ through music.

Our first rehearsal will be on Saturday, September 14th from 11:30am-12:30pm. I am requesting that parents meet with me for a special meeting on Saturday, September 21st during the first part of our rehearsal. Our first ministry moment for the Fall will be Sunday, September 22nd.

Whitney



Scholarship Sunday Awards

On Sunday July 14, 2019, twenty-six NBCF scholarship recipients were publicly recognized for their hard work and scholastic achievements. Thanks to the congregation's faithful and growing support for the Scholarship Ministry, we were able to award \$107,000 in scholarships to a group of diverse and talented students. The academic endeavors of the recipients ranged from continued education to Ph.D. candidacy, and collectively included studies in the fields of music, art, science, humanities, healthcare, engineering, business management, education, technology, and divinity.

For more information about the Scholarship Ministry, or establishing a Legacy Scholarship, contact us at scholarships@thenbcf.org. Also, stay tuned for more information about our upcoming Scholarship Banquet Saturday, November 9, 2019. You will not want to miss our Keynote Speaker, Dr. Hermon Felton, Jr., President of Wiley College in Marshall, TX.

Blessings,
Yulanda Lawson
Scholarship Ministry



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Joshua L. Montgomery
Central WA University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Daniel Nzanga
Seattle University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Chander C. Robinson
WA State University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Nathaniel T. Spears
Valley City State University
North Dakota



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Teya R. Evans
Duke University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Chandler Williams
Berklee College of Music
Boston, MA



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Laila N. Johnson
Western WA University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Stirling S. Yeardon
University of Washington



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**



Nia T. Lawson
University of Puget Sound



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**



Kaylynn M. Miller
Howard University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Janice R. Spinks
Seattle Pacific University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Ebony White
Seattle Pacific University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Rebecca Uzo Obasi
American University
Washington, DC



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Victoria Carr Ware
Seattle University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Alexander R. Booker
Seattle Pacific University



**Congratulations
NBCF Scholar**

Samuel L. Braxton
University of Georgia



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Kaela M. Brown
University of Arizona



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Jordyn M. Wilson
San Diego State University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Kennedy Coleman
University of Washington



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Sadiaa J. Keyes
Western Governors Univ.



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Joi C. Stewart
WA State University



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Whitney X. Mason
Pacific Lutheran Univ.



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Zhane' Condly
Tacoma Community College



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

Jacqueline M. Lacy
Highline College



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar

LaTasha R. Reed
Green River College



Congratulations
NBCF Scholar



Dominique J. Williams
Morehouse College

Save The Date

2019 Future Leaders
Scholarship Banquet
November 9, 2019
6:00 PM



Tickets on Sale Soon

\$75 PP or
\$600 Table of 8

Keynote Speaker

Dr. Herman J. Felton Jr. is the 17th President and CEO of Wiley College. Dr. Felton began his service to the College in the summer of 2018, and has, in a short period of time, achieved significant accomplishments there. Dr. Felton was previously at Wilberforce University in Wilberforce, Ohio, where he served as the school's 21st president.

Dr. Felton earned his bachelor's degree in political science from Edward Waters College in Jacksonville, Florida. Also, he earned his Juris Doctorate from the Levin College of Law at the University of Florida and completed graduate work at Jackson State University, where he earned the Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Administration and Supervision.

Wiley College, founded in 1873 in Marshall, Texas, is one of the oldest historically black colleges. The school is most widely known for its famed Debate Team of the 1930s portrayed in the 2007 movie "The Great Debaters" starring Denzel Washington.



Beloved Community Lifetime Achievement Award Winner

King County Councilmember Larry Gossett serves on the Metropolitan King County Council, representing many Seattle neighborhoods.

Councilmember Gossett is Chair of the Law and Justice Committee and Vice Chair of Government Accountability & Oversight. He serves on Health, Housing and Human Services, and Planning, Rural Service and Environment committees. He is also a member on the King County Affordable Housing Committee and the Flood Control District Board of Supervisors.

Born and raised in Seattle, Councilmember Larry Gossett has been a dedicated servant of the people for over 45 years. Gossett's Council district represents an area where he has lived and worked on issues his entire life.



Retired and It Feels So Good

After 35 + yrs. at the Port of Seattle, and more than 45+ total, Tony Simon retired Friday, May 31st. As he put it, " I have hung my gloves up high, really high, just in case if I should get the itch, I won't be able to reach them! Thanks for your support and blessings to you and your Loved Ones!"

Following are a few comments from his colleagues that express the contributions Tony made during his career with the Port of Seattle.

- "This and so much more Tony...You are a precious soul and I am so very grateful to know you"
- "He's a wonderful guy who has helped me and my team out on countless occasions"
- "I wanted to take the opportunity to recognize the retirement of Tony Simon of our Corporate Finance and Budget team after 35 years of service. Tony has been an exemplary employee who has provided outstanding support of the Port's budget and financial reporting processes over many years, and has been the go-to person for employees with questions on budget development and management, systems issues, and many other areas within which he has longstanding knowledge and expertise. Most importantly, Tony is a warm and caring human being with a positive attitude who has befriended many staff across all levels of the Port, lending an ear whenever needed and providing support during personal and professional challenges. The warm regard for Tony was amply demonstrated by the more than 100 people who showed up to attend his retirement celebration, many sharing thoughtful comments about how well regarded and appreciated Tony is.
- We sincerely appreciate Tony's many contributions to the Port and thank him for his many years of accomplished, dedicated and professional service."

Congratulations on your retirement Tony! Your NBCF Family prays God's continued blessings on you as you enter this next chapter in your life.



Meet Future Doctor Amber Jones

In our last edition we recognized young Amber Jones for being chosen to attend Envision's National Youth Leadership Forum. Now that she has attended the forum, she is sharing highlights of her experience. See below. From the looks of it, Amber was part of something that will lay a good foundation for her pursuits in the medical field. Congratulations to you Amber and may God continue to bless you in the days and years ahead.

Being invited and having the opportunity to participate in The Congress of Future Medical Leaders and Envision's National Youth Leadership Forum: Medicine was like a dream come true. Ever since I was 6 or 7-years-old, I'd always fantasize about becoming a doctor so that I could assist those in need. Having the chance to partake in both programs not only has helped me get on the right track to success, but it has also given me an advantage in experiencing what the medical field is like and the roles a doctor has.

During my time spent at both programs, I've learned that going into a profession such as medicine will take time and commitment and I need to remain patient with myself and trust the process. I also need to take into consideration now while I am still in high school, who I'm letting into my "friend" circle, "Will they make my vision come true?" "Are they encouraging me and what I want to pursue in life?" "Are they here to bring me down rather than uplift me?" I also need to learn to brush off my mistakes and laugh a little at myself to balance my mind and body. To



piggy back off of that, learning to put myself first sometimes is very important. Through hands-on activities, I've learned how to perform phlebotomy, assist someone who is injured or is suffering from hypothermia or hyperthermia. I know how to check someone's airway by using the ABC method. I've learned how to properly apply a tourniquet/splint and check Blood Pressure levels. I've also been taught how to write a resume.

Going forward, pursuing such a competitive field as cardiac and thoracic surgery, I know I must stay focused on my school work so that I may get to that point, shadow doctors and ask for advice and letters of recommendation, and also gain that mentee/mentor relationship with that doctor. I know I must stay humble and hungry through this journey because it will get me a long way. "For with God nothing shall be impossible" Luke 1:37

I would definitely continue to pursue medicine after high school to become the Cardiovascular/ Cardiothoracic Surgeon (is what some people call it) I know I can be through hard work and dedication.

Amber



MEMBER NEWS


Milestone Birthdays




Happy 65th Birthday



Esther Jones



Happy Birthday



Robert "Robin" Summerise

Happy 65th Birthday



Marla Briggs



Happy 65th Birthday!



Mattie McClay Johnson



Happy Birthday




Elizabeth Moody
70 Years Young!



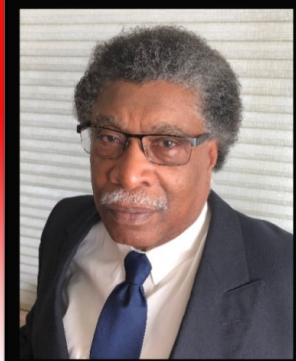
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU



Teresa Matthews



Happy Birthday



Jim Morton



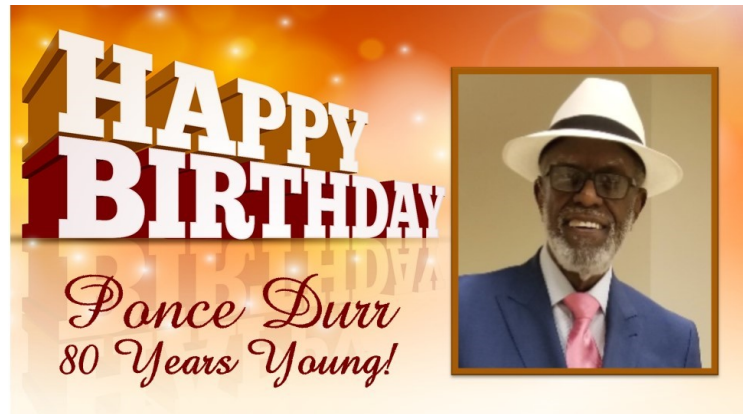
HAPPY 80th BIRTHDAY



Eighty Years Young!

Rivian Smith

MEMBER NEWS



Anniversaries



Got A Milestone Birthday or Anniversary Coming Up?

If you have a Milestone Birthday (65 years and older at 5 year increments) and or a Milestone Anniversary (40 years with 5 year increments) and want to be recognized, The NBCF Senior Ministry would like to celebrate and honor you! This means your picture will be displayed on the media screen during Sunday Worship Services and will be included in the quarterly newsletter).

Please submit you Milestone Birthdays and Anniversaries and contact information to the Senior Ministry at: senior-ministry@thenbcf.org.

Homegoing Celebrations



*As long as hearts remember
As long as hearts still care
We do not part with those we love
They're with us everywhere*

Ministry Teams Gather For Summertime Fellowship



Security Ministry

The Security Ministry Team thanks all who came out to participate in an afternoon of food, fun and fellowship. A great time was had by all who attended. Thanks to Pamela Woods for hosting the event. And many thanks to all that contributed the delicious food! Oh, and Derrick, sorry but you did not win UNO! And Chip, sorry you got "chipped" off the Dominoes table.



Information Ministry

The Information Ministry Team was treated to an afternoon of food, fun and fellowship by Team Leader Minister Janice Spinks. This is a dedicated group of servants and they are so appreciated for showing up on their designated Sunday, ready to give the 411 with a smile.

We welcome two ladies that recently joined the team, Cheryl, "CJ" Jones and Charlese Jackson. And we are so happy to welcome Ms. Velma Williams back to her 2nd Sunday post. And although she's not quite ready to return to the Info Booth, we welcome Yvette-Michelle Ewing back to Sunday worship services. Both of these ladies are walking testimonies of the healing power of Jesus!



**MINISTRY
VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
ABOUT ANY NBCF
MINISTRY VISIT THE
INFORMATION BOOTH**

SummerFest

Summerfest 2019 was a great success! We can never predict the weather, but we managed to make it work and the sun came out in the end. Thankfully most were not deterred by the rain and wind. We had more community families join us this year and our witness to them, sharing that New Beginnings is a place where they are welcome, was at an all time high. It was great to see people we have never seen before walk up the easement and come across the streets to join in on all of the fun. We had more vendors and activities than ever, including the special treat of having the Kent Fire Department show up to spend time sharing what they do. Kids loved being able to sit in the truck and touch the equipment.

Special thanks to the entire Summerfest Planning Team for all of their hard work in putting the event together. Gratitude to Deacon Steve and his food crew for the best hot dogs, hot links, street tacos and strawberry shortcake. Kudos to Mary Reed for our community mailing, which was sent out to all of the 98055 and surrounding zip codes to entice them to come out, bring

the family and have a free hot dog, as well as to Teresa Scribner for updating the event logo. Shout outs to Kenny Odum and James Hampton for putting together the basketball 3 on 3 tournament, as well as to Sadiya Keyes for her work on the Dessert Competition. We congratulate our winner, Kathy Jo Miller Taylor and our 2nd and 3rd place finishers, Monique Akers and Frankie White. Thank you to Kevin Meeks and Tommy Sound for providing our stage equipment; as well as to DJ Ewok = who kept the cuts coming! - our performers (Chandler Williams and Zhane June) and dance leader, Whitney Mason. Finally thank you to all of our set up and break down crew, led by Deacon James and to all of our volunteers. Summerfest could not work without all of you!








Summerfest continues to be a great opportunity to share our loving church family with the surrounding community. Many thanks to ALL who came out, volunteered and participated. If you have ideas for the next Summerfest or would like to serve on the planning team, you can send an email to summerfest@thenbcf.org.







Servanthood Top Ten Volunteers - June-2019

Discipleship Lydia Reynolds-Jones	Youth Nia Lawson	Children Patricia Glover	Young Adults Ebony White	Congregational Care Phyllis Ames
				
Operations James Clements	Outreach Treasure Gray	Media Services Qayden Smith	Seniors Mona Lake Jones	Congregational Dev Marilynn Moch
				

Servanthood Top Ten Volunteers - July-2019

Discipleship Ernest Young	Youth Teya Evans	Children Sadiaa Keyes	Young Adults Kimara Freeman	Congregational Care Stephen Gray
				
Operations Derrick Harris	Outreach Delores Mack	Music & Worship Arts Diane Fleming	Seniors Joe Jones	Congregational Dev Jackie Spears
				

The NBCF Annual Awards were awarded in August

Servanthood Top Ten Volunteers-September-2019

Discipleship Rodelia Gray	Youth Mia Ewing	Children Terri Ewing	Young Adults Dane Gill	Congregational Care Ernestine Robinson
Operations Claude Alexander	Outreach Karen Reese	Music & Worship Arts Aaron Malveaux	Seniors James Winbush	Congregational Dev Teresa Scribner

Yay, They're Legit Now!

The Month of August was Membership Update Month where members checked their status, database information and updated their data base photos.

The New Members Amnesty Class was held on August 23, 2019. This class was for anyone wanting to unite with the church or had joined previously but had not completed the 4 week New Members Class; twenty-three persons attended the class.

Many thanks to everyone that signed up and showed up to this one day Amnesty New Members Class. We're so happy to pronounce you as official members of NBCF, you are now considered a Member in Good Standing! Thanks to First Lady Shelia and Deacon Eugene for taking time to teach the session.

We would also like to thank everyone that stopped by the membership table to update contact information and/or pictures during the Membership Update Campaign.

If you missed the chance to update your information, instructions are available at the Information Booth on how you can do this online.



Locations

- Auburn
- Fircrest/Tacoma
- Kent Station
- NBCF Daytime/Senior
- NBCF Evening
- Puyallup
- Renton
- Seattle Central District
- Shoreline/North Seattle
- Univ Place/Tacoma
- Young Adults

W E D N E S D A Y
S E P T 1 8 T H @ 7 P M

CONNECTIONS MINISTRY



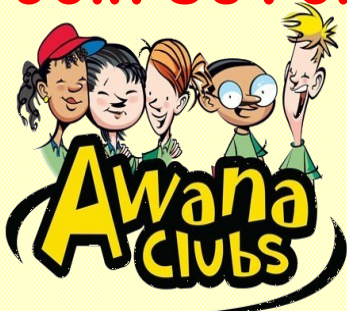
JOIN A SMALL GROUP TODAY!

Online: <https://thenbcf.org/small-group--connections-inquiry/>

Email: connections@thenbcf.org

In-Person: Deacon Delores Mack

Join Us For



For Children 2 years – 5th Grade

Games

Group
Sessions

Book
Time

Registration Opens
September 8, 2019
Program Begins Sept 26th

Registration Fee:
\$40 per child or
\$30 per child for 3 or more

For More Information Contact:

Christina Humburgs, Club Commander at: Awana@thenbcf.org

Volunteers Needed

Contact Christina Humburgs: Awana@TheNBCF.org



Welcome To Our Newest Members

June 2019

Latraia Daniel
John Dominguez
Gwendoyne McNeal
Ursula Stitt
Zachary Stitt

Rick Ferrell
Ryan James
Tosha James
John Moseley
Lorraine Moseley
Jerome Rhett, II
Crystal Walker

Caprice Bell
Robin cherry
Rebecca Comfort
Genay Doyal
James Elliot
Essence Greene
Linsa Harris
Kercedric Holley-Bell
Samuel Jones, Jr.
Kenneth Miller
Linda Miller
Mary Oliphant
Jeffron Smalls

Miles Tejano
Vincent Thompson
Amilia Vincent
Tisha Vincent
Tracy Westry
Geron White
Gjiani White
Jonetta White
Ageelah Williams
Charles Williams
Daniel Williams
Mary E. Williams
Maurice Williams
Cassandra Zacuzumo

July 2019

Alicia Barkers
Rodney Barkers
Marcel Baugh
Meiko Hall
Chanta Ferrell

August 2019

Andrea Adams
Monica Allen
Fran (Betty) Batt
Nathan Batt

Up-Coming Events

September 2019

20-23	The Compassion Experience
29	Water Baptism

October 2019

1-31	Commitment / Pledge Month
2-4	Fall Revival: Rev. Claybon Lea, Jr.
11	24 Hour Prayer Vigil
20	Breast Cancer Awareness- Worship In Pink

November 2019

9	Scholarship Banquet
10	Veteran's Sunday
16	Annual Church Meeting

December 2019

31	New Years Eve: Hyatt on Lake WA
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All Events Are Subject To Change Please Check For Up-Dates Often



NEW BEGINNINGS

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

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Come Worship With Us!

At The NBCF Worship & Family Life Center

Sundays at 8:00 & 10:30 AM
Thursdays at 7:00 PM

19300 108th Avenue SE
Kent, WA 98031



Watch Us LIVE Sunday Mornings

8:00 & 10:30 AM Each Sunday

Link From Our Home Page: www.thenbcf.org

Thrilling Thursdays

Chew & Chat 6:00 PM
F.R.E.S.H. 7:00 PM

for Middle & High School Youth

New Members Class 6:45 PM

Adult Bible Study 6:45 PM

Mid Week Worship 7:45 PM

Awana 7:00 PM

Ages 2 Years-5th Grade



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