



Key Facts About Men's Health: Early Detection is Crucial:

- Regular screenings and check-ups for conditions like prostate cancer, colon cancer, and heart disease.
- Healthy eating, regular exercise, and limiting alcohol consumption are crucial for men's health and well-being.
- Strong social connections and support systems can significantly impact a man's mental and physical health.

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Men's Bible Study Fellowship a success. Your support, participation, prayers, and dedication created a meaningful time of spiritual growth, fellowship, and encouragement. I am grateful for each person who contributed to making this gathering impactful and uplifting. May God continue to bless you for your service and commitment to His work.



Deacon Edward Greenhill



A Tribute To Fathers **By Deaconess Ernestine Bennett**

F- Faithful
A- Active in leadership
T- Time- spends time with family
H- Helpful
E- Exceptional
R- Role Model
S- Servant

A LITTLE STORY

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody and Nobody. There was an important job to be done, and Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done!

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 Bi- By Mary Lou Brent- 323-7192
 C - D Carl Scott -214-7771
 E - F Mary Cooper- 262-7847

G -Wilhemina Elliott- 307-5215
 H - I Kayla Courtney- 467-2037
 Ja-Joh Oscar Taylor- 502-4570
 Jon-Joy Edward Greenhill- 643-1632

DIACONATE MINISTRY PLAN

K - L Marilyn Freeman- 307-5405
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 O - Q Lorraine Vincent -737-7267

R- Ronnie West, Jr.- 272-5169
 S- Mae Gabbin -252-6292
 T -Joseph Bell- 932-4515
 U - Z Jacob Scott -980-0263

SICK AND SHUT IN

Ophelia Daniels
 Barbara Jones
 Marylou Brent
 Larrine Faye
 Oliver Coleman
 Elnora Jefferson
 Annie Thompson
 Norma Murray

Ann Gathers
 Willie Gathers
 Sandra Gray
 Thelma McCaskill
 Gwendolyn Coles
 Doris Johnson
 Claudette Baker
 Esteletta Epps

Kelvin Hill
 Betty Williams
 Norma Terry
 Yvonne Pollard
 Steve Lewis
 Mr. Maurice Patterson
 Mrs. Delores Patterson

Save
The
Date



The Metro Richmond Partnership
 Of Churches/Synagogues
 "New Shoes For Back To School" Ministry

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 Churches
 and Synagogues

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 Pernell J. Johnson, Pastor

Sharon Baptist
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 Pastor

Sixth Baptist
 Rev. Dr. Yvonne
 Jones Bibbs, Pastor

Spring Creek Baptist
 Rev. Dr. Kenneth D.
 Cooper, Pastor

Temple Beth - El
 Rachel Salston, Rabbi

Third St. Bethel A.M.E.
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Trinity United Methodist
 Brian Siegle, Pastor

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WHERE:

Third Street Bethel A.M.E.
 614 N. Third St., Richmond, VA 23219

WHEN:

Saturday, August 22, 2026

TIME:

8:00 AM — 2:00 PM

- Shoes For All Students (K-12)
 Size 10 Small (Kids) TO Size 15 (High School)
- No ID Needed
- Each Youth Will Receive One (1) Pair of Shoes

SPECIAL NOTE:

To Receive A Pair of Shoes, An Adult
 (18+) Must Be With The Youth

TO ENTER, ALL MUST WEAR A MASK

"New Shoes For Back To School" Ministry



Honoring Servant Leaders Deacons, Deaconess & Trustees Day Celebration Sunday, June 7, 2026



Rev. Clement James, Jr.
Guest Preacher

Photo Credit: Olivia Macklin, Eric McCutchen Val Pullen

**25TH ANNIVERSARY PASTOR AND PEOPLE
LEADERSHIP BRUNCH
SAT. MAY 30, 2026**



**Leadership Brunch Committee
Pat Coward, Dorothy Fells, Val Pullen, Wanda West**



DID YOU KNOW?

THAT...

Kavon Sellars will be playing football for Henrico High School in the fall? Way to go Kavon!



Photo credit:
Wanda West,
Katrina Hicks

VaKalyn Harris danced with the City Dance Theatre on May 23 @ 3:00 @ River City Middle School? She was phenomenal! Way to go VaKalyn!



Jayden Wilkins received all A's for the last nine weeks and Honor Roll for the year. Way to go Jayden!



Akil Bailey scored advance in his Algebra and Social Studies class. He finished 8th grade on Honor Roll and is being promoted to 9th grade. Way to go Akil!



AWESOME!

Deshaun Key received Awards from Northside YMCA Leaders Club for Dynamic Duo for best at Leading and Motivating others and Blue Ridge Leadership School Attendee. Way to go Deshaun!!



Paige Freeman is assisting elementary kids to learn the sport of field hockey throughout the summer. Way to go Paige!



Aliyah Bailey finished out 7th grade with Honor Roll for the entire year. Way to go Aliyah!

YAY!

Youth Ushers Ministry of
Richmond and Vicinity
Cookout-Sunday, June 7th
Byrd Park- Shields Lake

Photo Credit: Vanessa Harris, Ellen Bracey



How many do you remember?

The Age Barometer

Back in the day

- Roller skate keys
- Howdy-doodo
- Blue Flashbulbs
- Wash Tub Ringers
- Coffee shops with table side jukeboxes
- Studebakers
- Metal ice trays with levers

- Black Jack chewing gum
- Wax coke shaped bottles with colored sugar water
- Candy cigarettes
- Peashooters
- Mimeograph paper
- Drive-Ins
- S & H Green Stamps
- Home milk delivery in glass bottles with cardboard stoppers



0-5 You're still young
6-10 You're getting older
11-15 You're older than dirt

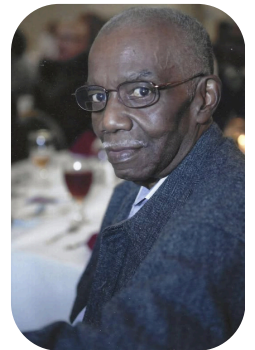


Sisters At SUNRISE



On Saturday, May 16th, at sunrise, we came together as sisters in prayer, welcoming a new day in song, with grateful hearts, and a shared commitment to seek God's presence and guidance. God has been faithful.

We are thrilled to share that tonight Richmond City Council unanimously PASSED Resolution 2026-087 naming the 2300 block of Rosewood Avenue in honor of James “Jimmy Lee” Bracey. A community legend whose decades of mentorship, leadership, and coach of the Westend Striders changed countless lives. Thank you to everyone who supported, shared stories, and stood with us. This lasting tribute will inspire future generations to serve, lead, and uplift our West End community.



Submitted by Chaplain Dr. Andrea M. Kelly
Minister of Congregational & Spiritual Care

Colossians 1:5 (KJV) "For the hope which is laid up for you in heaven, whereof ye heard before in the word of the truth of the gospel."

This Scripture verse serves to remind us that we are not without hope.

Too many people are losing hope, than again too many people will not let hope die. As Christians, we have a affirmation the gospel brings us hope, wherever we are in life. We don't need to figure out our whole lives, that the Lord is trustworthy, we just need to walk in faith, know that we are loved, and His love will never change. Thus, there's nothing we can face or experience that will keep Him away from us, because regardless of what happens in the days to come, our hope is in Jesus alone and it will never let us down.

Child of God be grateful for the hope laid up for us in heaven. His promises are true. Stay in His Word; stay in prayer and know the truth of the Gospel, fills us with hope and assure us of His great love for us. Selah!! Meditate on this!



JUNE

Ann Gathers- 1
Theresa Bracey- 1
Kayla Courtney- 2
Erle Robinson-2
Tamika Patterson-4
Thelma McCaskill-4
Thomas Daniels-5
Cameron Piper-5
Dontay Wilkerson-6

Shirelle Goode-7
Yolanda Bullock-8
Latece Campbell-8
Tameka Harris-10
Adrienne Derricott- 11
Kelvin Johnson-13
Edwina Richmond-13
Danielle McNeil-14
Nancy Strout-15
Brandace Thornton-15

Louis Dandridge III- 16
Bobby Vincenti-16
Ronald Jones-19
Henderson Hicks-21
Denise Pearson- 24
Raven Price-24
Angela Cunningham-24



Church Worship & Picnic
Sunday, July 5th @ 10:00 a.m
Bring your lawn chairs & tents

COBBLER CONTEST