



HOLY COMMUNION RESURRECTION SUNDAY *Service*

April

05 Sunrise 6:00 a.m.
2026 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.

He is not here, but is risen! Remember how He spoke to you when He was still in Galilee, saying, 'The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again.' Luke: 24:6-7



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Order of Worship

April 5, 2026 - 6:00 am Sunrise Service

Worship Leader / Call to Worship

Rev. Harriet Clary-Mathis

****Opening Hymn (Page 102)**

He Lives

Invocation

***Lord's Prayer (Chanted)**

Praise and Worship

Macedonia Music Ministry

***Scripture Reading**

(Mark 16:1-20)

***Spirit of the Living God Pg. 124 (Choral Response)**

Sweet Hour of Prayer (Choral Selection)

***Carrying the Sick to Jesus**

Deacon Ministry

Musical Selection

Macedonia Music Ministry

Welcome & Reflections

Pastor Darren M. Morton

Tithes & Offerings (Trustees and Ushers)

Altar Call Prayer

Musical Selection

Macedonia Music Ministry

Gospel Message

Pastor Darren M. Morton

Invitation to Discipleship

Holy Communion

Benediction

AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE WE WILL SERVE THE LORD

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COMMUNITY Soup Kitchen



MACEDONIA
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WHERE EVERYBODY IS SOMEBODY AND CHRIST IS ALL

FREE

**FREE HOT
COOKED MEALS**

**FREE
CLOTHES
ALL AGES**

*"Share your food with the hungry, and give shelter to the homeless.
Give clothes to those who need them, and do not hide from relatives
who need your help." -Isaiah 58.7 NLT*

11AM - 1PM

EVERY FOURTH SATURDAY

Macedonia Baptist Church

Helen I. Williams Fellowship Hall
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Church Announcements

TODAY: Celebrating Resurrection Sunday and Holy Communion. 6:00 a.m. Sunrise Service. Breakfast immediately following service in the Fellowship Hall.

2026 Lenten Journey: \$90.00 almsgiving assessment due by April 5, 2026.

Please **DO NOT** use the envelope that was included in the devotional, instead we are asking that you use the envelope included in your 2026 church envelope box marked Lent or a plain envelope. Please be sure to write your name, box #, and amount on the envelope. Assessment can be placed in the offering basket or given to a trustee. Online giving is also an option, when doing so, please mark almsgiving assessment. If you have any questions, please see Deacon Pat Brown or Deacon Veronica Harding.

Mobile Pantry - Tuesday, April 7th at 3:30 pm & Thursday, April 23rd at 12:30 pm

Friday, April 10 2026: Youth & Young Adult Outing with Pastor 7:00 pm

Bowlero Bowling Alley, 47 Tarrytown Road, White Plains, NY. Adults: \$60. Youth: \$30. Please see Sister Janeen Kearns or Deacon Pat Brown.

April 25, 2026: Senior Luncheon 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm in the Helen I. Williams Fellowship Hall. All are invited. Tickets: \$25.00. Please see Trustee Winsome Francis.

SAVE THE DATE: June 20, 2026 Macedonia Kingsmen "Men's Day Brunch" 10:00 am - 1:00 pm at the Macedonia Community Center. Admission: \$25. Stay tuned for more details.

SAVE THE DATE: October 10, 2026 "Nurses Ministry" Trip to Sight and Sound Theatre: Live stage show "Joshua" Donation: Adults \$200.00, Children \$140.00. \$50.00 deposit for reservation is non-refundable. Contact info: Sister Mimi Graham (347) 223-7504 or Sister Kathie Brewington (914) 817-5332 or any member of the Nurses Ministry.

MAC NATION YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY "BLESSING BONANZA":
Every 2nd Sunday in the atrium.

Looking for place to hold a birthday party, game night, workshop, theater production, etc? Please consider using the Macedonia Center. Call about our rates for Macedonia members at (914) 664-1387. Director, Deacon Paul Bratcher.

The "**Silver & Gold Ministry**" has new leaves available for the Tree of Life on the wall in the vestibule near the water fountain. Anyone who would like to purchase an engraved leaf for self or loved ones can place orders. Flyers are available on the table in the vestibule. Contact President, Fani Miller-Beard (347) 346-1539 or any member of the Ministry for additional information.

2026 Monthly Focus: Your Year at a Glance

Throughout 2026, we will journey together through twelve monthly themes, each building upon the previous one to create a comprehensive understanding of God's plan for our lives. These themes will be reflected in our worship services, Bible studies, and small group discussions, creating a unified focus for our entire congregation.

God's Plan Revealed

January — Discovering God's intentions and promises for our lives

Consecrated for Destiny

February — Setting ourselves apart for God's purposes

Trusting the Process

March — Learning to walk by faith, not by sight

Resurrection Power

April — Experiencing new life and transformation in Christ

Called and Equipped

May — Understanding our unique gifts and calling

Walking in Wisdom

June — Making godly decisions in daily life

Faith in Action

July — Putting our beliefs into practical service

Strength for the Journey

August — Finding endurance in God's power

Growing Deeper

September — Developing mature, rooted faith

Stewards of God's Plan

October — Managing resources and opportunities wisely

Grateful for God's Faithfulness

November — Celebrating testimonies and answered prayers

Destiny Fulfilled in Christ

December — Reflecting on growth and looking ahead

Our Vision and Commitments

Our Vision

God has a plan for every believer and for Macedonia Baptist Church. In 2026, we commit to growing spiritually so we are ready to walk confidently into the future God has prepared. We believe that as we align our hearts with God's purposes, He will reveal the next steps in our individual and collective journey of faith.

Worship God

Faithfully and expectantly
in all we do

Pray Daily

For guidance and
discernment in every
decision

Study Scripture

To understand His perfect
plan

Grow in Character

Becoming more like Christ each day

Serve Boldly

Using our God-given gifts and talents

How We Will Grow Together

Spiritual formation is not a solitary journey. God designed us to grow in community, supporting and encouraging one another as we pursue His purposes. This year, Macedonia Baptist Church will provide multiple pathways for your spiritual development, ensuring that every member has opportunities to deepen their faith and discover their unique role in God's kingdom work.

01

Worship & Prayer

Weekly worship services and monthly prayer emphasis gatherings where we seek God's face together

02

The Word

Bible Study sessions, Sunday School classes, and a church-wide reading plan aligned with our annual theme

03

Spiritual Disciplines

Intentional practices of prayer, fasting, generosity, and service that shape our character

04

Community

Small groups, mentoring relationships, and fellowship opportunities that build authentic connections

05

Service & Mission

Outreach initiatives, ministry involvement, and missions work that share Christ's love with others

Each of these pathways is designed to help you discover God's specific plan for your life while building up the body of Christ. We encourage every member to engage in at least three of these areas consistently throughout the year. As you participate, you'll find that God uses these experiences to reveal His purposes, develop your gifts, and prepare you for the destiny He has ordained.

Sick & Shut In

****Nursing Facility / Rehab / Hospital****

Westchester Rehab & Nursing Facility

Sister Celestine Harney-Pompey

Dumont Center for Rehab and Nursing

Sister Nereida Richardson

Glenn Island Nursing Facility

Sister Janie Grant

Brooklyn Queens Nursing Facility

Sister Louise Cannon

Schaffer Extended Care Center, New Rochelle, NY

Sister Evelyn Robinson

Sister Lois Coles

Sarah Neuman Rehab & Nursing, Mamaroneck, NY

Brother Arthur Razizee

Bayberry Care Center, New Rochelle, NY

Sister Ann Clyburn

****Homebound****

Sister Nora Blacknall

Sister Dorothy Brown

Sister Ernestine Canteen

Sister Anne Clark

Sister Jelena Coleman

Sister Andrea Crow

Sister Marlene Dandridge

Sister Fay Dunham

Sister Earnestene Dixon

Sister Corrine Dowdy

Brother Leroy Hassell

Sister Marie Hariston

Sister Betty Holley *(Bloomfield, CT)*

Sister Paulette Jacobs

Sister Cynthia Leacock

Sister Jackie McCray *(Atlanta, GA)*

Sister Linda Morgan-Glover

Sister Eulahlee Myers

Sister Helen Outlaw

Sister Daphne Sampson

Reverend Joyce Somerville

Sister Claudia Terry

Brother Benjamin Williams

**Macedonia Baptist Church
Youth & Young Adult Bowling Night
JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE**

*Pastor
Rev. Dr. Norton's*
**»15TH»
ANNIVERSARY!!**

**ALL YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS
ARE WELCOME!**

DATE: FRIDAY, APRIL 10TH

TIME: 7:00 PM

ADULTS: \$60

YOUTH: \$30

**LOCATION: BOWLERO BOWLING ALLEY
WHITE PLAINS, NY**



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Senior Luncheon

****All are Invited****

Saturday, April 25, 2026

12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

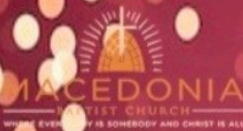
Tickets: \$25.00

(Please see Trustee Winsome Francis)

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Deacon Sonya David, Anniversary General Chairperson

Sister Helen Reed-Coleman, Luncheon Chairperson

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15TH PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY



WORSHIP WITH US!

EVERY SUNDAY

InPerson Earlybird Service | 7:30am

Sunday School | 9:00am

Morning Service | 10:00am

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Sister Roslyn Hylton, Organist

Brother Todd Miles, Drums

Sister Jasmine Glover-Smoak, Mass Choir Director

Sister Sonya David, Youth Choir Director