



The Greater New Hope Missionary Baptist Church

"A Growing Church With A Commitment In Christ"

3655 Harvey Avenue ~ Cincinnati, OH 45229 ~ (513) 281-3251



Mission:

To lead people to experience a God First Life

*"But seek ye first His kingdom of God and His righteousness,
and all these things will be added to you." ~Matthew 6: 33*

Dr. Donald E. Jones Sr., Pastor
Second Sunday, April 14, 2024

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Church Building is opened for Corporate Worship every Sunday, ~11 A.M.

(All other activities outside of Sunday Worship remain suspended until further notice).

TO OUR VISITORS

We welcome you to God’s house; God is here unseen, but present, silent, but speaking. He invites you to cast your burdens upon Him and find rest for your soul. And we who seek the Lord in this house extend to you, our fellowship. Blend your praise with ours. Unite your prayers with ours. Share our courage. Join in our Worship. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to unite with God’s church (GNHMBC).

Spiritual Teachings Week of April 7, 2024

Topic: “Do You Love Jesus”

Text: John 21: 15-17

Wednesday Bible Study

Life Response: Pledge to show your faith in and love for Jesus.

Life Need: Do your actions express your faith and love?

April 15th through April 21st

Monday	Luke 7: 11-17	Jesus’ Compassion for the Grieving.
Tuesday	Psalm 92	Sing Praises to God’s Name.
Wednesday	James 5: 12-20	Confession, Prayer, and Healing.
Thursday	Micah 7: 7-20	God Pardons Iniquity and Transgressions.
Friay	Psalm 86: 1-7, 11-17	God is Good and Forgiving.
Saturday	Romans 8: 1-17	No Condemnation in Christ.
Sunday	Luke 7: 36-50	Jesus Forgives a Sinner.

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AT WORSHIP (Begins When You Enter)

Second Sunday ~ April 14, 2024

Morning Worship – 11 A.M.

~The Great Commission~

“Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the world.”

~Matthew 28: 19-20

Worship God through Devotion

Deacon’s

Call to Worship: *

Minister

Worship God in Singing:

Congregation

Pastor Observations*

Worship God in Singing:

Early Choir

Altar Call

Worship God in Tithes & Offerings

Worship God in Singing:

Gospel Choir

Word of God Preached: *

Pastor Donald E. Jones, Sr.

Invitation to Discipleship: **

Pastor Donald E. Jones, Sr.

***** (THIS IS A TIME OF PRAYER, AS WE ARE INTERCEDING WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT TO LEAD SOMEONE TO JESUS. PLEASE PRAY WITH US, REFRAIN FROM CONVERSATION, AND DO NOT LEAVE THE SANCTUARY AT THIS TIME.)***

Benediction

(Service Begins When You Depart)

**** Indicates the Church doors will be closed. Worshippers are asked to please refrain from walking, talking or any unnecessary movement.***



“How Comforters Are Created”

Job asked a challenging questions during his time of suffering: “Shall we actually accept good from God but not accept adversity” (Job 2: 10). Even hardship has a place in the Lord’s plan.

We can find great solace in Paul’s words about our loving God, who “Comforts us in all our affliction so that we will be able to comfort those who are in any affliction” (2 Cor. 1:4). Think about the kind of people you seek out when you feel hurt. You want someone who has felt your pain right? A person who’s walked the path we find ourselves on can understand our suffering and provide wise counsel. According to the apostle, passing through a “valley experience” prepares us to be a blessing and encouragement to those who must go through something similar later. What’s required is that we accept the adversity He has placed in our way and choose to learn from the situation.

God is the Lord of our life, and He has the right to use us as comforters and encouragers to those in our sphere of influence. As His servants, we must be willing to receive whatever training is necessary to complete His will, including times when it hurts. Even in suffering, we can trust that He loves us has a plan and purpose of our life.

Meditate on 2 Corinthians 1: 1-7

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

“Embracing God’s Love in Our Relationships”

Ephesians 4: 32 is a heartwarming invitation from God: “Be kind to one another, compassionate, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.” These Words serve as a loving blueprint for our relationships and urge us to mirror the Father’s love in our interactions.

God’s instruction is clear: Be kind. Compassion must be the foundation of our actions. It helps us to be tenderhearted and empathetic. Understanding the joys and sorrows of others enables us to create spaces where love thrives, and wounds are healed. Christ also taught us to be forgiving-holding a grudge only weighs us down and blocks the freedom that comes with extending forgiveness. But by following God’s example, we break the chains of bitterness and embrace the liberating power of love.

In our daily life, we encounter countless opportunities to practice this divine kindness. A smile to brighten someone’s day, a listening ear to ease a burden, or a gentle word of encouragement-these simple acts can transform hearts and deepen connections. Let us not forget that we are called to love others as God loves us. His love is unconditional, extravagant, and all-compassing. Today, let Ephesians 4: 32 be our guiding light, reminding us to live as we are meant to: full of kindness and love.

Meditate on Ephesians 4: 25-32

CHURCH NEWS

Sunday Morning Worship at 11 A.M. Watch on website: thegreaternewhopembc.com
Wednesday Bible Study

“Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him.” ~ 1 Corinthians 16: 2

Every Christian should strive to learn how to be a cheerful giver. What does it mean when we give? It simply means we, cheerfully give to God the tithes and offerings. Tithing honors God. Are you giving the Lord His tithes or your tips? The word tithe means to give back to God one tenth of your earnings for the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world.

SPECIAL GIVING ABOVE TITHE AND OFFERING

Building Fund Scholarship Ministry Other Special Programs/Events

Methods of Giving: By Cash, Check, Money Order, Debit Card/Credit Card

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Text to Give (5134-464-9179): **(1) Create** as a contact in your phone and save. **(2) Enter** your dollar amount and **send**. **(3) This will prompt** you to do a one-time registration.

(4) You will get a confirmation indicating “your giving was successful”.

(5) After initial setup you will only have to text your dollar amount to Text to Give. This method of giving will not categorize, it will go directly to Offering (Please contact the office to specify if you wish to apply to a specific category).

(6) To change Card information, go to your contact enter **Edit** and directions are provided to change your card information. **Website Giving:** Giving through the website. Thegreaternewhopembc.com

Please pray for

THE ENTIRE CHURCH BODY OF THE GREATER NEW HOPE AND ALL CHURCHES.

Antonio Bassett (Navy), Brandon & Rena Zackery (Army) Master Gunnery Kevin Patton (Marine), Camara Clayton & Keith White Jr. (Army), Byron Thomas (Army), Reyonne Stone (Air Force), Keven Jones (Air Force), Sgt. Carlos Rogers (Army), Donald Gilmore (Air Force), and Larry Max Jackson (Navy).

A'Maree Evans, Sis. Rosetta Owens, Tonia Dorsey, Linda Moore, Laverne Smith (Triple Creek Retirement) and David Lummas, Edmund Berry, Brenda Flinn, Joshua Gibbs, Kelsey Hall, LaVerne Bryant, Rhonda Lowe, Sis. Mary D. Christian, and Mary Hairston. Brenda Rudolph, Rodney Ellis, Brenda & Ricky Dubose, and Chestene Spence.

Quincy Jones, Joanne Jones, Johnny Robinson, Dorothy Williams, Pastor Edward Cryer (**wife donated kidney**), and Ceola Hall (**Cancer**), Morris Lee Rice, Mother Julia Mae Rice, Dea. Willie Rice Jr., Mother Lee Gertha Hall, James Stringfellow, and Glen Ross. Brittany Lincoln, Kevana Bristol, Dreamer Williams, Virginia Woods, Deborah Hill, Anthony Barton, brother of Bro. Greg Hill, and Karen Walker.

We take this opportunity to greet our sick and shut-in members.
We want you to know that we miss you and we pray that the God of All Comfort will supply grace for your every need and bring you back into our fellowship soon

REMEMBER OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN with visits, cards, calls and prayers.

5K FAITH WALK

Saturday, June 22, 2024

Registration 9:30A.M. ~ Walk 10:00 A.M.

Winton Woods Harbor Trail

Registration Pledge: \$10.00 per walker

- ✓ A representative will be in the front entrance (Sunday, April 21st) of the church if you would like to sign up and participate in the walk or provide a donation. Donation sheets will be available to help support this effort.
- ✓ Proceeds will support the **OBSC 2024 Congress of Christian Education Dr. Donald E. Jones Scholarship.**

Thank you, an advance, for your support.

YOUTH FASHION FRENZY & LUNCHEON

Saturday, July 6, 2024 ~ Fellowship Hall ~ 11 am – 1:30 pm



CELEBRATING THE 30TH PASTORIAL ANNIVERSARY

Join The Youth as They Honor
Dr. Donald E. Jones, Sr. & 1st Lady Michelle W. Jones

Saturday, July 6, 2024 ~ Fellowship Hall

11:00 am – 1:30 pm

- Cost: \$10 Per Person
- Dress Attire: Dress Up

- With Fun, Fashion & Food

(Please call Belinda Sewell at 513-227-0676 for more info)

30th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration
Dr. Donald E. Jones Sr. & First Lady, Michelle W. Jones
Theme: “Can I Get A Witness”



Wednesday, June 26, 2024 @ 6 P.M. - Teaching Seminar (FREE) - “How to be a Powerful Witness in Everyday Living” Register at the church on Sundays or PastorDEJonesSr.com

Sunday Worship, June 30 2024, Reverend Donald E. Jones, Jr., Youth Church Pastor

Saturday, July 6, 2024 @ 11 A.M. - 1:30 P.M. - Youth Fashion Show and Luncheon,

- Tickets \$10 per person (Register at PastorDEJonesSr.com or at the church)

Sunday Worship, July 7, 2024 @ 11 A.M. Pastor Michael D. Small,

Mt. Haven Missionary Baptist Church, Cleveland, OH.

Friday, July 12, 2024 @ 6 P.M. - 10 P.M. (Doors open at 5:30 P.M.) - Gala & Celebration

Delta Hotels Marriot (11320 Chester Road, Cincinnati, OH 45246)

Keynote Speaker: Pastor Emeritus Damon Lynch Jr.

Cost \$100 per Person / Table (seats 8) \$800

Method of Payment: at the church on Sundays or PastorDEJonesSr.com website for more details.

Conclusion of the Celebration: Sunday Worship, July 14, 2024 @ 11 A.M. Dr. Robert Smith

Visit PastorDEJonesSr.com for 30th Pastoral Anniversary Celebration

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Pastoral Staff:

Pastor Donald E. Jones, Sr. (Press 1)

Church Staff:

Cassandra J. Rice-Whittaker (Press 2)

(Press 3)

Front Vestibule ** (Press 4)

Stephens Fellowship Hall ** (Press 8)

Ministries: *The Congregation*

(Meeting the needs of people, fulfilling the need of God.)

Evangelism Ministry (Press 5)

Information Line (Activities at Church) *** (Press 7)

Transportation Ministry (Press 6)

Deacon Fred Hill – Deacon’s Ministry – (513) 931-1179

Note: ** Please do not leave a message. Enter this Number when reaching someone during Worship or after office hours, immediately.

*** Please do not leave a message leave all messages on Line 2.

“Let the Church Say Amen”

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God has spoken, Let the Church say Amen!