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My Brother's Keeper

#WEAREBETTERTOGETHER

**WORSHIP WITH US
IN-PERSON OR
ONLINE!!**

SUNDAYS AT 9AM
IN-PERSON EVERY 4TH SUNDAY
SUNDAY SCHOOL
CONFERENCE LINE **351.999.4905**

SUNDAY SERVICES AT 11AM
IN-PERSON
OR CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK LIVE OR
YOUTUBE LIVE!!

SERMON TEXT: MATTHEW 1:18-23 NIV

SERMON TITLE: ISSA CELEBRATION

“CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF JESUS FOR THE RIGHT REASON.”

SERMON POINT #1: CELEBRATE THE LORD’S POWER OVER SIN.

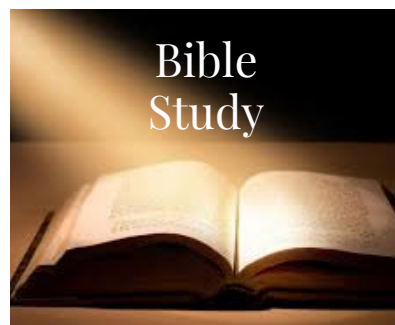
SERMON POINT #2: GOD KEPT HIS PROMISE.

SERMON POINT #3: GOD BLESSED US WITH HIS PRESENCE.



ONLINE PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM
(BIBLE STUDY HANDOUTS WILL BE LINKED TO OUR YOUTUBE PAGE AFTER BIBLE STUDY)

IN PERSON EVERY 2ND WEDNESDAY
ZOOM INFO: MEETING ID **5442587453**
PASSWORD **153467**
OR
DIAL IN OPTION **1.312.626.6799**



2025 January



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	01 	02	03	04
05	06	07	08 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	09	10	11
12	13	14	15 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	16	17	18
19	20	21	22 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	23	24	25 Virtual - 2nd MAC check-up meeting 8:30am
26	27	28	29	30	31	
		Notes:				



1/25 - VIRTUAL MAC CHECKUP MEETING @ 8:30AM

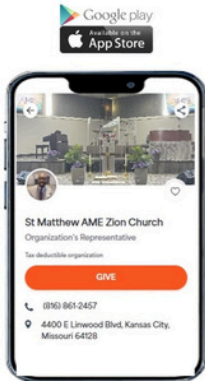
DID YOU KNOW?

CLASS LEADERS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

- **REV. CYNTHIA LEWIS - WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM**
- **BUDDY HOLLAND - MONDAYS @ 6:30PM**
- **SAMUEL BELL - WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM**
- **PATRICIA CRAWFORD - SATURDAYS @ 1PM**

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CLASS LEADER FOR ZOOM MEETING OR CONFERENCE CALL INFORMATION. PLEASE CONTACT PASTOR MARCEL BROWN IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF YOUR CLASS LEADER.

3 WAYS TO GIVE



Download  givelify to give on your smartphone



Visit our website
stmatthewkc.org
to give online



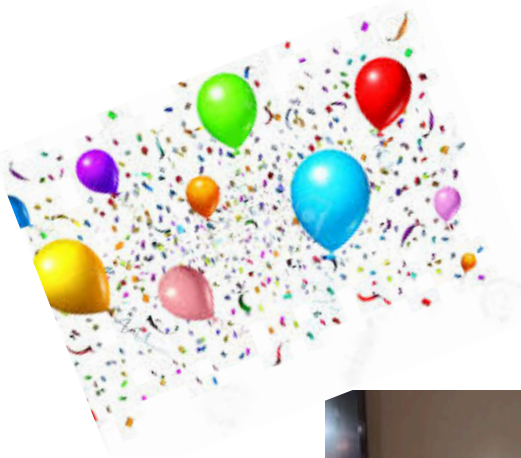
Mail your offering to
St. Matthew AME Zion Church
4400 E. Linwood Blvd
Kansas City, MO 64128



Please drop payments off at the church by 2pm on Sundays to ensure payment is counted toward the current week's financial report.

For members who are unable to bring payments to the church and don't have access to technology, Karen Anderson will pick up your money from your home Saturday mornings between 9am and 1pm, please call her at 816.606.6001 to make arrangements.

Happy 102nd Birthday Mrs. Marion Brown!!



Acknowledgements



For those of you who were born in January, we would like to wish you the Happiest of Birthdays! Praise God for another year!!



Slow the Spread of COVID-19

WASH YOUR HANDS OFTEN

20 SECONDS

WHEN OUT WITH YOUR FRIENDS, WEAR A MASK

AND STAY 6 FEET APART FROM OTHERS

CLEAN FREQUENTLY TOUCHED OBJECTS

DO NOT TOUCH YOUR EYES, NOSE, AND MOUTH

COVER YOUR COUGHS AND SNEEZES

STAY HOME IF YOU ARE SICK

60% ALCOHOL

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cdc.gov/coronavirus

The infographic is a vertical grid of illustrations. At the top, a person is shown washing their hands at a sink with a bottle of 60% alcohol hand sanitizer. A stopwatch icon shows '20 SECONDS'. Below this, three people are shown wearing different styles of face masks. In the next section, three people are standing with double-headed arrows between them, indicating a 6-foot distance. Below that, a hand is shown cleaning a smartphone. To the right, a person is shown with a red 'X' over their face, indicating not to touch their eyes, nose, or mouth. In the next row, a hand is shown covering a cough or sneeze into a tissue, with a bottle of 60% alcohol hand sanitizer nearby. To the right, a person is shown in bed, with a house icon next to them, indicating to stay home if sick. The bottom left corner features the CDC logo, and the bottom right corner has the URL 'cdc.gov/coronavirus'.

QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, ADDITIONS?

Please call the church at 816.861.2457 and leave a message or send an email to adminasst@stmatthewkc.org