## THE ORDER OF DIVINE WORSHIP

10:15 A.M. - 10:30 A.M. - Praise & Worship

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2019

8:00 & 11:00 A.M.

THE ORGAN PRELUDE:

THE CALL WORSHIP:

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.

THE INVOCATION:

(Please Be Seated)

O, God, prepare our hearts for the great things You would do within and among us today. Prepare our lives for the great things You would do for others through us. We await Your help! In Jesus name. AMEN.

THE CHORAL RESPONSE: *THE HYMN OF ADORATION:	NO.	
THE RESPONSIVE READING:	2ND SUNDAY MORNING IN ADVENT NO. 2	
THE GLORIA PATRI:		
THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:	(See Back Cover)	
THE GREETING OF EACH OTHER:		
THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCI	RIPTURE: <i>Hebrews</i> 6:9-12	
THE ALTAR CALL:		
THE MORNING PRAYER:		
THE CHORAL RESPONSE:		
*THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC:	The Choir	
THE WORD PROCLAIMED:	Rev. Orea Peterson, Pastor	
THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP & HYMN:		

#### THE MINISTRY OF CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP:

THE BRINGING OF THE TITHES: THE BRINGING OF THE OFFERING: THE BRINGING OF THE MINISTRY OF KINDNESS: THE BRINGING OF THE GENERAL CLAIMS: THE OFFERTORY: *All Things Come Of Thee, O Lord, And Of Thine Own Have We Given Thee. AMEN.* NO. 706 THE CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS:

THE BENEDICTION:

THE POSTLUDE:

\*The Ushers May Seat The People



Have mercy upon me O Lord; for I am weak: O Lord heal me; for my bones are vexed...the Lord hath heard my supplication; the Lord will receive my prayers. Psalm 6:2 & 9

**Sick and Shut-In** 

#### Hospital / Nursing Facility

(Please notify the pastor and church office when you become hospitalized or ill. When you are released; or if you change hospitals)

Eliza McKenney Frank Armstrong Broderick (Ricky) Moore PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR INFORMATION American House 27599 Lasher Rd, - Southfield, MI St. James Rehab.- Room 113 - 15063 Gratiot Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

#### At Home

In order to protect the privacy of our Sick & Shut-In members, the addresses have been removed from our bulletin. Please contact the office when need.

Freddie McBride Wendy Robertson Ross Bayne Eddie Carter Marquita Moore Peggy Ray Willia Mae Kimbrough Lillie Green Carrie Freeman Charles Grier

#### **DAILY BIBLE READINGS:**

Sun, Dec. 8	God's Wondrous Deeds for All People	1 Chronicles 16:8-13, 19-27
Mon, Dec. 9	David Cannot Build the Temple	1 Chronicles 22:6-13
Tue, Dec. 10	Solomon to Build the Temple	1 Chronicles 28:2-10
Wed, Dec. 11	Araunah's Land Is Site of Temple	1 Chronicles 21:28-22:1
Thu, Dec. 12	God Needs No House	2 Samuel 7:1–11a
Fri, Dec. 13	God to Make a House for David	1 Chronicles 17:7b-10
Sat, Dec. 14	The Lord Regards the Lowly	Psalm 138



Thoughts: "Growing a Servant's Heart" -

I am among you as one who serves. Luke 22:27.

God's love for us empowers us to serve others.

Lord, sometimes it's hard to serve others' needs. Help us to become more like You, willing to express Your love in the many opportunities we have to serve those around us each day.

<u>MORNING INTERCESSORY PRAYER</u> - "God Places Value On Unity Among People" LOMAX ! Lets unify ourselves in prayer, join us at 6:00 A.M. each Wednesday for Intercessory Prayer, Which consists of: Scripture, Meditation, Individual Open Prayers and The Closing Prayer. Please call this telephone number {1 (712) 775-7300 access code 392357} God Bless Each Of You, Sis. Margaret Harris, Reporting

# COMMUNITY FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Saturday December 14, 2019

Volunteers please arrive at 8 am. Distribution begins at 10:00 am until gone. First come First Serve





Lomax Temple AME Zion Church 17441 Dequindre St| Detroit, MI 48212

**Rev. Orea Peterson, Jr., Pastor** 

WELCOME

#### VISITORS...... Lomax Temple African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church!

We are glad you are here to praise God with us today! Please accept our sincere welcome.

If you are worshipping with us from another church or from out of town, please come back again when the time allows.

If you are without a church home, at the close of the sermon the invitation will be extended to you to make Christ your Savior or renew your relationship with Him. We pray you will follow the prompting of the Holy Spirit. Please know you are welcome!

## CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2019

Christmas Love Offering Envelopes are inserted in your bulletins for our Pastor. Please fill them with love \$ \$ \$ and return them by Sunday December 22<sup>nd</sup>.

The "Birthday / Anniversary" committee will be accepting your special dates for the 2020 Calendar. (\$5.00 per person, per date).

<u>The Altar Guild Ministry</u> are taking orders for Christmas Poinsettias, in honor or memory of a loved one. See any member to place your order.

## "2019 — 2020" GENERAL CLAIMS OF (\$300.00) ARE NOW PAYABLE Hello everybody, the rehearsals for the christmas play are as follows:

- December 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> will be held during Junior Church (Sundays) 11a.m.

If you don't have a speech for your young person yet, it will be emailed or text to you. Thank you for your continued prayers and helping hands. Rev. Mark and the Children's Ministry Team SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2019 -- 9:00 AM until 11:30 AM (*please arrive by* 8:45 AM). THE LOMAX MARRIAGE MINISTRY is sponsoring outreach to Gleaners Detroit Distribution Center 2131 Beaufait St 48207. Children 10 years old and up are welcomed to attend with a responsible adult. We have 15 spots reserved. Please see Rev. Danelle and Rev. Marcus Marsh if you are interested

SUNDAY, DECEMBER  $22^{ND}$ , - THERE WILL BE <u>NO</u> 8:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE. We encourage our 8:00 Worshipers to join us during the 11:00 A.M. Worship Service and also the 1:30 P.M. Tri-Church Fellowship, Pastor Peterson will be the preacher for both Services.

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22, - 9:00 a.m. – LOMAX CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup>, - DETROIT DISTRICT 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY, FELLOWSHIP Will be held at Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church. Full Gospel A.M.E. Zion Church is the Host.

## **TRI-CHURCH SERVICES**

(ALL OFFICERS, NURSES, CHOIRS, USHERS AND OTHER MINISTRIES ARE ASKED TO BE IN ATTENDANCE)

## <u> Pre – Christmas Service</u>

Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1:30 pm Held at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church – 13651 Dequindre Det. 48212 *Pastor Orea Peterson Preaching* 

## <u> Pre – New Years Service</u>

Sunday, December 29<sup>Th</sup>, 1:30 pm Held at Peace Missionary Baptist Church – 13450 Goddard Det. 48212 *Pastor Louis Forsythe Preaching* 

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 2020 – 9:30 A.M. – 11:30 A.M. – THE NURSES' MINISTRY "PRAYER BREAKFAST". Theme: Plant The Dream – Now Begin The Mission In 2020! Please see any Nurse Ministry Member for your ticket of \$10.00.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2020 – 3:00 P.M. "Welcome Program For Our Pastor, Rev. Orea & First Lady Patricia Peterson"

MONDAY, JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup>, thru 10<sup>TH</sup>, - A.M.E. Zion Church "Spiritual Emphasis Week" — Each Church.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, - 12:00 Noon - EVANGELISM (Regarding Special Emphasis Week) held at St. Paul A.M.E. Zion Church.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>, - CHECK – UP MEETING Will be held at St. Luke A.M.E. Zion Church in Grand Rapids.

**THE LOMAX PRISON MINISTRY** is again asking congregation to provide Christmas cards (no glitter, raised decals or foil) MDOC have changed policy for inmates receiving mail. Please write ONLY your first **or** last name preceded by Bro. or Sis. (no full names please) ex: Sis. Veronica or Bro. Gray Please include postage stamps - Please give cards & stamps to Sis. Nicole Simmons

## -Volunteers are needed for Angel Tree 2019:

#### All families have been contacted

- Donate Gifts (per guideline: Angel Tree Christmas Gift Guide Angel Tree Christmas is about sharing the love of Jesus Christ and reconnecting parents and children. Angel Tree provides a gift guide for incarcerated parents, enabling them to become more involved in their families' Christmas by choosing a toy gift category for their child or children. Gifts for the Children Again, each child should receive either a toy or an article of clothing. Try to adhere to the guideline of a gift valued at \$20. Stick to the \$20 per child rule. Bargain hunt, or ask for donations from those in your church who do not wish to shop for the children, but do wish to help.
- Gift Wrapping, Activities, Assisting during the Christmas Party Angel Tree Christmas

Saturday, December 21<sup>st</sup> - 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Contact: Angel Tree Coordinator: Sis. Veronica @ <u>lomaxclassleaders@gmail.com</u> or 313.532-4749

#### Lomax Temple A.M.E. Zion Church

17441 Dequindre Street - Detroit, Michigan 48212 Church Phone (313) 893-1463 Web Site: <u>www.lomaxtemple.org</u>

#### REV. OREA PETERSON, JR., PASTOR REV. RONALD L. BAILEY, PRESIDING ELDER THE RT. REV. DARRYL B. STARNES, SR., PRESIDING BISHOP

- Our Ministry -Sis. Veronica Moon-Gray, Traveling Preacher Rev. Phyllis Hightower, Ordained Elder Rev Danelle Marsh, Ordained Elder Rev Marcus L. Marsh Sr., Ordained Elder Rev. Mark L. Marsh Sr., Ordained Elder

SERVICES

Church School	(Sun.) 9:15 A.M
Sunday Worship Service	11:00 A.M
Noon Day Bible Study	
Evening Bible Study	(Wed.) 6:30 P.M.

#### THE APOSTLES' CREED

I BELIEVE IN GOD, THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, MAKER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH; AND IN JESUS CHRIST HIS ONLY SON, OUR LORD; WHO WAS CONCEIVED BY THE HOLY GHOST. BORN OF THE VIRGIN MARY: SUFFERED UNDER PONTIUS PILATE; WAS CRUCIFIED, DEAD, AND BURIED; THE THIRD DAY HE ROSE AGAIN FROM THE DEAD: HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN. AND SITTETH ON THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD. THE FATHER ALMIGHTY; FROM THENCE HE SHALL COME TO JUDGE THE QUICK AND THE DEAD. I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY GHOST; THE HOLY CATHOLIC CHURCH; THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS; THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS; THE RESURRECTION OF THE BODY: AND THE LIFE EVERLASTING. AMEN

