

## Ministerial Staff

Rev. Darryl D. Roberts, Ph.D., *Senior Pastor*

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Rev. Edward Turner ꞑ Rev. Robin L. Turner ꞑ Rev. Lorise White Wolfe

Rev. James L. Harris, *Youth Pastor*



## Church Officers

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Sister Patricia Robb  
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## Staff

Sister Robin Smith  
Sister Portia Thompson  
Sister Robin Williams

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*Administrative Assistant*  
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Nineteenth Street Baptist Church  
4606 16th Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20011

Church Office Hours: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Monday through Friday  
Phone: 202-829-2773 Fax: 202-291-6877  
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Church School, Sunday 8:45 AM  
Morning Worship, Sunday 10:00 AM  
Prayer Meeting, Thursday 6:30 PM

## NINETEETH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

**4606 16th Street, NW**  
**Washington, DC 20011**

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Senior Pastor

Sunday, March 24, 2019  
*Baptism Sunday*

# Our Mission

The mission of the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church is

to profoundly *experience*, joyfully *celebrate*, and meaningfully *share* God's grace.

We do this through Christ-centered worship, biblical instruction, prayer, nurturing fellowship, and caring acts that are reflective of our love for God and one another.

We, through the power of the Holy Spirit, proclaim the Gospel and Jesus Christ to all people while supporting the work of missions in our church, our community, our country and the world.

# The Vision

We exalt the hope, power and glory of Jesus Christ through ministries that transform lives, churches and communities.

# Sermon Notes

Sermon Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Biblical Text: \_\_\_\_\_

Main ideas of the sermon:

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Actions I will take as a result of this sermon:

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## We Lovingly Extend Prayer to those facing health challenges, those who are experiencing loss due to death of a loved one, those who simply want prayer

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Sister Janice Robertson          | 1603 Gould Drive, District Heights, | MD 20747      |
| Sister Carasundia (Sandy) Rivers | 5550 Tuckerman Lane, North Bethesda | MD 20852      |
| Sister Dorothy Smith             | 3570 Ferry Landing Road, Dunkirk    | MD 20754 (NV) |
| Brother Thomas Black             | 7431 12th Street, NW                | DC 20012      |
- Sister McLean Avery is recovering at home  
Sister Roxanna Bilal, her nephew, Timothy Crawford, Jr. and Family  
Sister Kathryn, who had surgery during the week, and Brother Elmer Brooks  
Sister Shirley France, her father and mother William and Leadell Watkins and Family  
Sister Viola Keyes  
Sister Jessie McCrae, her sister, Ella Lott Miles, granddaughter Calencia McCrae and Family  
Sister Patricia and Brother Nathaniel Robb, niece Renee Gibbs and Family  
Sister Irish Stovall, her brother, Roosevelt Cagins and Family  
Sister Emily Woolcock                      Sister Josie Meeks is at Independence Court of Hyattsville  
Brother Avery Blakeney                      Brother Walter A. Jackson, Jr. is in Bethesda Health Rehab  
Brother Sherman Mathis  
Brother R.J. Parker, his mother, Marjorie C. Parker and Family

# Events of the Week

**Sunday, March 24, 2019**  
 8:45 AM Church School  
 10:00 AM Worship Service

**Monday, March 25, 2019**

**Tuesday, March 26, 2019**  
 7:00 PM Bible Study with Rev. Crosson/Moore Conference Room

**Wednesday, March 27, 2019**  
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Food Pantry  
 12:00 PM Lenten Service - Rev. Dr. Robert G. Childs preaching  
 6:30 PM A Stronger Church by 2023/Moore Conference Room  
 6:50 PM Women's Bible Study Fellowship in Fellowship Hall  
 7:00 PM Pastor Roberts preaches at Gethsemane Baptist Church

**Thursday, March 28, 2019**  
 6:30 PM Prayer Meeting

**Friday, March 29, 2019**  
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Food Pantry  
 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Women's Ministry/Sisterhood Room

**Saturday, March 30, 2019**  
 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM Liturgical Dance  
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 180th Church Anniversary-Audio/Video Recording  
 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM New Members Orientation Class/Deacon Board Room  
 10:00 AM Booker Memorial Committee/Moore Conference Room  
 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Men's Choir rehearsal

# Order of Worship

**Sunday, March 24, 2019**  
**10:00 AM**  
*Baptism Sunday*

*Celebrating 180 Years!*

**Music Provided by the Mass Choir**  
**Directed by Guest Artist Gail Freeman**

Devotional Praise  
 Adoration in Song

*"Just Want to Praise You"*  
*"Let It Rise"*

Baptism

Call To Worship  
 Invocation

Minister Brandon Slaughter

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Hymn of Praise

*"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"*

No. 410

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Responsive Reading

Faith (No. 662)

Brother Gerald (Jay) A. Young, II

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Words of Welcome  
 Selection

*"The Jesus in Me"*

Sister Bria Wooden

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Offertory Prayer  
 Selection

*"Can't Nobody Do Me Like Jesus/This Joy I Have/No Doubt"*

Pastor Roberts

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Pastoral Announcements

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Altar Call Prayer

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Preparatory Praise

*"Jesus Lifted Me"*

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Sermon

**Something the Lord Gave Me**

**Rev. James L. Harris, Youth Pastor**

Invitation to Christian Discipleship  
 Receiving of New Members  
 Benediction  
 Postlude

\*Worshippers may enter and be seated

*(Nursery available. Hearing devices for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an Usher.)*

# Announcements

All articles, announcements, pictures with captions and any other materials for the April issue of The Epistle are due **Today**. Please submit items and photos to [Epistle@everyblessing.org](mailto:Epistle@everyblessing.org). Call or text Sister Karen Williamson at 703-283-5736 or email her at [williamsonke@gmail.com](mailto:williamsonke@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

**Lenten Season Prayer Line.** Join with our church family for prayer on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 6:30 AM until 6:45 AM. **The call-in number is 605-472-5349. The access code is 348952#.** Please join the call by 6:25 AM to help minimize interruptions while the call is in progress. Prayer Leader for Monday, March 25th-Deaconess E. Louise White; Wednesday, March 27th and Friday, March 29th-Pastor Darryl Roberts.

**We are midway through our Lenten Services.** Join with us at 12:00 noon for service in the Sanctuary followed by lunch in the Fellowship Hall. **Our next Lenten Service is March 27th** with Rev. Dr. Robert G. Childs, Pastor, Berean Baptist Church.

**As we celebrate the 180th Anniversary** of Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, let us remember the ancestors on whose shoulders we stand and loved ones of the church whose memories we will always cherish. We encourage you to purchase a plaque in their honor to be placed in the Memorial Alcove in the amount of \$1,000.00, \$500.00 or \$250.00. Please forward your requests to

([wafbonner@aol.com](mailto:wafbonner@aol.com)) or leave a message in the church office for the 180th Anniversary Steering Committee - Memorial Plaques. Proceeds from this effort will go to the church budget. As always, thank you for your support! Sister Wilma Bonner.

**Pastor Roberts' Upcoming Preaching Engagements:**  
**This Wednesday, March 27, 2019, 7:00 pm, Revival** at Gethsemane Baptist Church, 5119 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, DC 20011; Phone: 202-882-5836  
Rev. Khalfani Drummer, Esq., Senior Pastor

**Wednesday, April 10, 2019, 7:00 pm, 29<sup>th</sup> Pastoral Anniversary** at Fort Foote Baptist Church, 8310 Fort Foote Road Fort Washington, Maryland 20744  
Phone: 301-839-1343  
Rev. Dr. Joseph W. Lyles, Pastor

**Wednesday, April 17, 2019, 7:00 pm, 69<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary and Pastor's 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary** at St. Mary's Baptist Church, 8008 Eastern Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20012  
Phone: 202-726-2424  
Rev. Daryl M. Washington, Senior Pastor

**Transportation is available** for each of these engagements. Please call the church office to place your name on the church bus list. Thank You.

**Fisk Jubilee Singers**, Saturday, May 25, 2019 at 2:00 PM. Make your reservations **today** with any Progressive Adults member.

**Nineteenth Street Baptist Church**, Thank You for your prayers and thoughtfulness during this time of bereavement.  
Sister Debora Lewis.

**Dear Nineteenth Street Family**, Thank you for the scholarship. It was a generous investment in my education. My experience at Spelman so far has been nothing short of amazing. I have been exposed to so many wonderful people and events. I joined my dorm stroll team (LLCI) and we won first place. I finished my first semester strong and made the Dean's List. I look forward to all of the rich experiences to come.  
Sister Sekai Bonner-Flagg.

**Dear Church, Thank you.** Words cannot properly express how grateful I am for all the love and support extended to my family and me at the loss of my sister, Collette Gordon. Thank you all...truly...and know that the entirety of the Gordon family will always remember the love and kindness that the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church family showed during our loss. Sincerely, Brother Charles Gordon.

**You are invited to walk with us - Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays**, from 8:30 AM until 9:30 AM. We meet in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Put on your walking gear and bring your water! For more information, please contact Sister Oretha Chandler ([Oretha.chandler@outlook.com](mailto:Oretha.chandler@outlook.com)) or Deaconess Dena Bowen ([dblkbowen@gmail.com](mailto:dblkbowen@gmail.com)).

**Save the Date: Sunday, April 28, 2019 is Women's Day.**

**The Helping Hand Club is Ready** to take your Mother's Day Tributes and Memorials. We will also take your picture request for the Booklet. Stop by our table in the Fellowship Hall **today** after service to give your requests and make a donation. Monies collected go to the Scholarship Fund and to purchase tags for two church vehicles. See Sisters Rose Dawson, Karen Sidney-Drumgold or Sheila Beale.

**Volunteers/Support needed for the Parade of Brides Fashion Event** on Saturday, June 15, 2019.



Volunteers are needed to be **Bride models, Groomsmen, Flower girls, Ring Bearers, and other important roles.**

Contact Deaconess Brenda Lightening-Tolbert, 301-651-1303 or send an email to ([bjltolbert@gmail.com](mailto:bjltolbert@gmail.com)).

**Our new Church Directory Distribution Date** is April 14, 2019 after service in the Fellowship Hall. Members who took a picture with Lifetouch will receive 1 free directory, regardless of the number of people in your picture. Extra Directories are available for purchase for \$15.00. Your directory can be reserved by submitting a check, payable to Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, to Deaconess Gloria Smith.