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Couples Retreat 2023

February 10-12, 2023

Marriott Myrtle Beach Grand Dunes
8400 Costa Verde Drive
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

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Rev. Hayward and Scarlett Jean
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The Brookland Baptist Church is located at 1066 Sunset Boulevard, West Columbia, SC 29169 and 1203 Summit Parkway, Columbia, SC 29229.

The mission of the Brookland Baptist Church is to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ through **Evangelism, Education and Economic Empowerment.**



Advice for a Happy New Year by Mandy X **Submitted with Revisions by Dr. James A. Jamison**

“No matter how hard the past, you can always begin again.” – Buddha

“Good Advice and Tips for a Happier New Year”

Kick Fear Into Touch

Fear is a mindset and the more you avoid it the more fear will stay with you as an ever-present shadow in your life. Shrug off the fearful thoughts and do it anyway. Fear stops us from living a full life. It limits us and restricts opportunities. Don't let fear control your life. Be cautiously optimistic and go forth in your endeavors.

Don't Be Afraid to Fail

All too often when we fail, we take a global attitude and assume we are failures. That's a big inaccurate leap from doing something that didn't work to believing that we, as people, are inadequate. Where's the evidence that just because something didn't work that you aren't enough?

Surely there are times when you did something well? If you can think of just one thing you have done well in life, you have negated that thought that you are a failure. Evidence to the contrary proves it isn't true. Don't fear failure, fear doing nothing at all – that is far worse.

Live in the Moment

By all means have long-term goals but then avert your attention and focus back on today. Be fully present in your life and don't check out of life and live for a future that hasn't arrived yet.

Be Kind to Yourself and Others

There is enough hatred and misery in this world without adding to it. Make it your mission to treat yourself with respect and to give yourself a break if you make a mess, don't check out of life, and live for a future that hasn't arrived yet.

Be kind to others too – it feels good. If we all made a small gesture to others and went beyond the minimum of what we have to do, imagine that happening and sweeping through the world...Wow -what a difference it would make and what a nicer world we would live in.

Happy 2023!



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NEWS RELEASE

MLK DAY 2023 AT BROOKLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Join us! Let's Keep the Dream Alive!

Join with the Brookland Baptist Brotherhood and the South Carolina Chapter of the National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice (NABCJ) for a Martin Luther King, Jr, Day celebration and remembrance!

The program will be held Saturday, January 14, 2023 at 8:00 a.m. in the Brookland Banquet and Conference Center, 1066 Sunset Blvd., West Columbia, SC 29169. Tickets are \$25.00 each.

Our Theme is "Where Do We Go from Here?" The keynote speaker will be The Honorable Congressman James E. Clyburn.

Let's all keep in mind the Major Intersections along the road we have traveled: Slavery --1619 to 1863 (Dred Scott v. Sandford 1857); Separate But Equal – (Plessy v. Ferguson 1896); Equal Treatment Under Law – (Brown v. Board of Education 1954 & Civil Rights Act of 1968). Congressman Clyburn will help us consider and plan the road ahead.

Tickets can be purchased after each Sunday morning worship service on January 1st and 8th in the lobby of the Brookland Health and Wellness Center, or by contacting O'Neal Smalls at 803-776-8072; Warren Gadson at 803 463 5026 or H.S. Tate at 803-960-7082.

NOTICE: MASK REQUIRED

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DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
1929-1968

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Mail: PO Box 2093
Columbia, SC 29202

**JOIN US AT THE BROOKLAND BANQUET
AND CONFERENCE CENTER FOR OUR
SOUTHERN BUFFET LUNCH ON
MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY,
MONDAY JANUARY 16TH: 11AM-3PM**



It has been an honor to serve you through our 3rd Saturday food distribution. December marked the final month of this project. We will continue to serve you at the Brookland Community Food Bank from 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. each Monday (Except Major Holidays). The Brookland Community Food Bank is located at 1218 Batchelor Street West Columbia, SC 29169. Please contact us if you have any questions or need additional information.



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Brookland Academy

Child Development Center

Home of the Brookland Lambs

“Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it.”

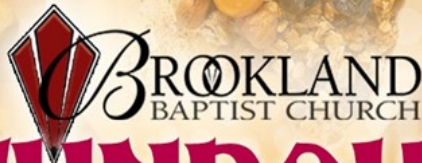
-Proverbs 22:6

NOW HIRING

The Brookland Academy is looking for full and part-time teachers and caregivers. Are you an energetic, fun spirited, caring, and creative individual? If so we are looking for YOU! Specifically, we need people who are able to work with children ages 6 weeks to 5 Monday - Friday. You do not have to have a teaching certificate, just experience working with groups of children in a licensed child care facility and an enthusiasm for learning. Background checks are required for all potential employees.

Apply at:

1054 Sunest Blvd. West Columbia, SC 29169
(On the campus of Brookland Baptist Church)
Monday - Friday 9am - 6pm



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SUNDAY Brunch

@ THE BROOKLAND
BANQUET AND CONFERENCE CENTER

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GATHERING VENUE?"
SAY *Grace* AT OUR PLACE"

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Birthdays

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Eunice Graham
Sherry James
Lorraine G. Johnson
LaToya Willingham
Gloria Singleton-Evans
Krista Greene
Derrick W. Livingston
Reginald Epps
Angela Williams
Gregory Ray
Kenneth Grimes
Demond Coleman
Sumita Stewart
Doris Shahid

1

Aretha Barnes
Willie Patterson
Shalai McConnell
Dorothy Brewer
Tanita Gilbert
Tiffany Scott
Britney White
Jeanna Holmes
Selena Anthony

2

Erick Hopkins
Thomas Gilliam
Stephen Holmes
Karen McNeal
Dwan Samuel
Beverly Jivers
Viola Napper
Breanna White
Jazzlyn Mack
Kaelyn Singleton
Shirley Gates
Edwanna Portee
Tailynn Miles
Tony Brown

William Hankerson
Christian Keith
Susan Hall
Adriane Clark
Carlton Green
Lester Myers
Crystal White
Jacquetta D. Chatman
Lizzie Borum

3

Tara Taylor
Dorothy Wilson
Shanell Valentine
Willie Morgan
Nickolus Stewart
Janet Eldridge
Santana McDaniel

Marilyn Dawkins
Michele Starling Felder
Cecilia Brooks
Kimyonn Hughey
Lewis Broome
Jermaine Ransom
Samantha McNeal

Crystal Banks
Jacqueline King
George Flemming
Reginald Reed
Essence Smith
Antonio Campbell
Fred Johnson
Javian Bellamy
Dominique Williams

4

Sabrina Gaulman
Lynetta Carson
Lenora Jones-Green
Julius Daniels
Lance Evans
Vincent Parker
Charlene Brown

5

Favour Didia
Jimmy Turner
Micaela Jackson
Irene Morning
Tiffany Triutt
Alyssa Robillard
Ashley Manning
Franquelletta Wallace
Tarsha Hutto
Samuel Minor
Marianne Daverman
Jamila Davis
Raven Smith

6

Iris Jackson
Bryan Keith Miles
Charles Brunson
Sandra Anderson
Nicole Sanders
Marcia Stephens
Latonia T. Davis
Ricky (Eric) Taylor
Gwen Daniels
Jason Allen

Ramadam Mercer
Major Joe
Terrance Wingfield
Jacquelyn Douglas
Nicholas Johnson
Sophia Armstrong
LaSondra Kennedy

Shakena Pollock
Jada Brown
Eryn Wright
Tiffany Truitt-Brown
Elouise Quillin
Alexis Ishmal
Doris Davis
Willie C. Gilbert
Marlena Smalls
Allean Harris
Larry Hefline
Kotina (Tarsha) Hutto

Birthdays

15

Bernard Edwards
Melvin Hart
William Bethea
Catherine Smith
Donald Turner
Francine Simpson
Cortez Lagroone
Rashida Singleton
Dantigo Green
Nashia Jones
Alicia Williams
Dorothy Morant
Deatrix Zeigler
Mary Darby
Alia Wright
Kayron Nesmith
Marlon Ealey

7

Robin Bennett
Cassandra Tolliver
Leon Davis
Vonetta Hubbard
Felix Childs
Kasia Keith
Bryson Cannon
Leon Morgan
Linda Story
Marissa Campbell
Samantha Profit
Nadine Lewis
Harry Robinson
Shakquan Darby
Nicholas Ealey
Diamond Henry
Ronald Mack

Jerome Thomas
Pamela Caldwell
Tolliver Wise
Regina B Priester
Joe A. Glover
Melissa Garrick
Brenda Hackett
Tommy Simons
Wil Singleton
Julius Mickle
Alfreida Belgrave
Donna Bonds

11

Wayne Baskerville
Reginald Betts
Edward Griffin
Charlie Bess
Clinton Seawright
Erica Rice
Herbert King
Sumitra McGee-Stewart
Regina Stearns
Sharon Cooper
Davenna Williams

Tekeina Fields
Kirt Duley
Myleah Hodges
Marcus Chisolm
Tina Holmes
Brooke Boyd
David Foulks
Mildred McGee
Laurie Gilreath

8

Bernice Breeland
Jarvis Wright
Nicole Bennett
Shirley Bobo
Jacqueline Stephenson
Karen Cante
Inga Everson
Liz Simons

Jaleesa Dupree
Jacqueline Daniels
Sabrina Shuler
Ryan Lee
Sydney Hannibal
Bryant Matthews
Shastiny Brewer
Alonzo Oliver
Dantuane Wright
Betty Taylor
Pamela Davis
Tamara Jacobs
Buster Williams

12

Janice Hollis
Keisha Aiken
Cassandra Bellott
George A. Devlin
Pedro Robles
Michelle Wright
Angela Hartwell
Derek Fitts
Jessica Malone
Regina Lawton
Gwynisha Pringle
S. Allison Baker
Orlando Nelson

Wendy W. Fitts
Valeta Geddis
Jackie G. Carlton
Shirley Cante
Jordan Gamble
W. Priester
William Jackson
Brandon Muller
Will Curtain
Carrie Wilder

9

Chandler McLeod
Hope Williams
Keith Ray
Lauryn Wilson
Melvin Malone
Glenn Evans
Willis Langley
Peaches Gilford
Dylan Brooks
Marilyn Torres

Charles Poindexter
Jerone Wilder
Ayana Reid
Lerone Wilder
Trayona Sumpter
Ericka Tucker
Matte Lewis
Terri Logan
Chad Wilson
Yolanda D. Williams Harper
James Boone

13

Dollie Skinner
Richmond Taylor
Sean Mosley
Kalenna Ginyard
LaQuinta Lewis
Kenneth Lewis
Nadia Egipciano
Rodrick Shiver
Delores Crosby
Joshua Wilder
Deloris Fuqua

Richshique Prophet
Sytasha Simpson
Tammye Hogan
Michael Manning
Michael Haynes
E Wiggins
Jacqueline Jones-Brown
Taurus Lewis
Cynthia Ashford
Handy Miles
Felicia March

10

Maya Fields
Tamara King
Shawna Barefield
James Hallmon
Jessica Goodley
Joyce Hart
Courtney Martin
Patrick Butler
Jonathan Huskey
Peggy Vincent
Jacqueline Burns

Marquita Coleman
Roderick Smith
Amelia Samuel
Kristin McConnell
Justin Hopkins
Brandon Brunson
Elijah Frasier
Denise Ward
Lisa Perry
Levias Peterson
Christine Thompson
]Anna Langley

14

Ja'Shuan Brailey
Dennis Copeland
Jeanette Evans
Lenore Samuel
Elvin S. Lewis
Malendrix Carrington
Erin Elam
Charles Watson
Alisha Charleman
Etta Linen

Birthdays

Debra Jacobs
Cheryl Hill
Andrea Blake
Amanda Blair
Yolanda Pee
Mark Weeks
Eugene Johnson
Cynthia Little
Malcolm Shade
Angela P. Galloway
William Bethea

15

Regina Goff
Julius Harris
Brandon Greene
Jared Tolliver
Kemaria Furtick
Mattie Jennings
Cassie Portee
Melinda Dublin
Kristina Coleman
James Fuqua

James Heyward
Vernese Ellis
Janaya Burgess
Christine Wallace
Santago Daniels
Eric Bussey
Fred Hawkins
Lauren Primus

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Jametza Bowser
Felissa Moore
Ashley Dean
Courtney Curry
Keith Jacobs
Helena Pleasant
Charlene Smith



Imari Jones
Akeem Freeman
Marlon Bennett
Layton Cofield
Charles Nelson
Shawn Bell
Lois Goodwin
Lisa Jones
Angela Scott
Derrick Gallion
Daniel Hutto
Malissa McNairy

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Christopher Mims
Jerome Kearney
Sidney Wise
Emily T. Grant
Anthony Perry
Tiffany Monroe
Kayla Canty
Jessica Hampton
Kelvin Young
Revonda Whitley
Tara Roberts
Katrna Everett

Renee Smith
Ronita Adams
Myra Washington
Nayo Harvin
Deke Adams
Debra Tucker
Steven Cannon
Tiffany Glover
Bradley Slaughter
Sylvia Watkins
Rebecca Gates
Gerd Devlin

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Du-Wonn Reuben
Kimberly Jackson
Noelle Winningham
Clinton Bowman
Eleanor Davis
Travis Williams
Mary Smith
Celeste Jones
Stephanie Patterson
Dezmond Palmer
Ariana Preston

We're Here for you

Your Deacon and the Pastoral Staff are concerned and care about every member in our Church "Family." When there is a sickness, surgery or death in your family, Please contact your Deacon and the Pastoral Office (Angela Taylor) at (803)744-7908

Bobby Lomax
Martha Alston
Lonnie Walker
Eric White
Joseph Mack
Kendrick Cowans
Bertha Brown
Carmelita Wise
Antoinette Pryor
Elizabeth Felder
Noah Johnson
Denise Simon

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Danni Priester
Bernice Dunlap
Spain
Twanda Mickle
Christian Green
Ashley Nelson
Jonathan Taylor
Russell Fair
Mike Boynton
Jabrea Rodriguez
NaQuori Pruitt
Tammy Armstrong

Timara Council
Toreia Morgan
Patrick Brown
Christopher Feaster
Erica Norris
Dianne Aiken
Harriet Little
Cedric Thompson
Sherrel L. Mars

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Wanda Walker
Lorie Anderson
Makayla Holmes
Tallent Williams
Angel Werts
Derrick Brown
Cynthia Vaughn
Zhane James
Mikayla Genwright

All birthdays listed on the previous pages are generated through the church membership database.

If you find any errors in the listings or if you have recently moved or changed your phone number, please contact the Church Office at the West Campus at (803) 796-7525 or the Northeast Campus at (803) 753-0610.

Cardell Jones
Kathy Williams
Roy Alston
Crystal Singleton
Jonathan Stroman
Shirley Williams
Odell Hydrick

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Peggy Jackson
Cassandra Alston
Reginald Wiggins
Tacauma Lettsome
Walter Brownlee
Joyce McGraw
Jerome Nesbitt
Michelle Williams

Miriama Andrews
Jennifer O'Neal
Karen Kinard
Delores Washington
Asia Pringle
Justin Anderson
Sylvira Grady

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Daniel Yancey
Ebony Crenshaw
Franceina Hopkins
Albert Harris
Talmadge Bookert
Alexis Georges
Justice Jesse Smith
Faye Robinson

Birthdays

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Djwana Reeves
Deedra Roberts
LaDarryl Page
Earthly Haskell
Ramona Williams Carr
Francia Montague
Tiffany Ray
Geraldine Grissette
LaRhonda McCray
Samuel Stewart

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Laura Funchess
Corey Johnson
Delicia Gillard-Ealey
Terry Millender
Taylor Cunningham
John Butler
Terence Palmer
Thaddeus Davenport
Theron Wallace
Nathaniel Jackson
Ronyetta Johnson

Shiann Greene
Thymond McGlockton
Jaylaah Washington
Rose Holmes
Marvinia Adams
Lauryn Coleman
Jordan Green
Pedro Rodriguez
Darlene Earle
Bria Simpson
Darlene Ziegler

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Michael Clark
Brenda Middleton
Barrick Belton
Georgia Gandy
Richard Cunningham
Elliott Powe
Latanya Wright
Aleesa Able
Bianca McCoy
Chrisheena Williams

Tasha Talavera
Alisha Simmons
Jennifer Perkins
Michael DeWitt
Lauren Walton
Emery L. Benn
Kenneth Makins
Gwendolyn Dwyer
Jeanette Gilchrist
James Daniels
Tormora Carson
Margaret Stewart

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Keira Session
Alexis Graham
Elizabeth Nuhu
Alachia Gilmore
Sharron Pappillion-
Diggles
Christia Haynes
Jenese Jackson
Sharmella Deberry
John Weston
Lynn Council

Helen Heath
Diane Anderson
Walter Napper
Kadatrix Marcus
Michelle Bennon
Tamiko Robinson
Orlando Haggins
Waletha Short
Mia Conelly
Jessica James
Davita Williams

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Rosie Washington
Marian Cross
Sabrina Jackson
James Brown
Latonia Barrett
Thomas Barr
Travis Thomas
Tacara Jett
Dale Collier
Kenny Simmons

Paula Jordan
Evangelist Robinson
Irvin A. Walker
J. Brown

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Cassandra S. Vaughn
Ebony Washington
Robert Hubbard
Terrie James

Kenyatta Jeffcoat
Janie Graham
Kendrick Brown
Walter Thompson
Rianna Carroway
Floyd Burgis
Christopher Miller

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Jessica Faulk
Rose Jones
Jerome Jones
Rose Smith
Ahryona Johnson
Daishia Robinson
Melvin McDonald
Helena Bridges
Candace Cannon
Chezdent Thompson
Dominic Crosswell
Sam Bartley

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Jacolby Nelson
Doris Jones
Dorothy Perry
Tracey Alexander
Jackie Perry
Elainea Myers
Cynthia Smith
Mosetta Sullivan
Elmora Payne
Therese Alford
Cyril V. Belton
Joe Solomons

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Aubrianna Pressley
Latoya Cook
Khalil Eggleston
Shanitra Mason
Cameron Weston
Tarcia Flemming
Barbara Coe
Santerria Davis

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Terry Fell
Douglas Harley
Christopher Lewis
Roberta H. Okoli
Charles Greene
Delores Wright

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Delesia Crumblin
Leatrice Nelson
Justin Geiger
Leona Moten
Richmond Taylor
Daysia Grady
Dylan Reilly

Devin Simmons
Anise Calloway
Anthony Jenkins
Patricia Hall
Jerome Gamble
Reggie Geiger
Wendy Adams
Richard Krider
Niasia Zeigler
Kendra Alexander
George Garner

Edwin Williams
Carrie Colley
Angela Sims
Alicia Osborne
Pamela Davis
Ashante' Smith
Brittany Lazarus
Shayla Gortman
Caliah Sims
Rachel Jackson
Ishamel Byrd
Robbie Saunders

Latoshia Lancaster
Richardine Myers
Maxine Nesbit
Anthony Fanning
Vernetta Anderson
Patricia Greene
Bobby Davis
John Alford

Andrena Wilson
Tyler Gasque
Shaniya Hughes
Trina Stevens
Tricia Douglas
Booker Wright
Joy McGraw

Brookland Foundation HIV/AIDS Program

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Peer to Peer Support Group

Ages 19-30
(PERSONS LIVING WITH HIV)

Upcoming Sessions
February 8th
February 22nd

6pm - 7:30pm
Brookland Banquet & Conference Center
1066 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia, SC 29169

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Recognizing Heart Health



Sunday February 12th, 2023

American Heart Month is observed every February. Every year more than 600,000 Americans die from heart disease. Heart Disease affects all ages, genders, and ethnicities. Unfortunately, African Americans are more at risk for complications from heart disease.

Risk factors include high cholesterol, high blood pressure, smoking, diabetes, and excessive alcohol use. Increase your knowledge about your health risk. Know your numbers. Knowledge is power but it does require action. Take charge of your health today!!!

The American Heart Association, Churches and other faith-based organizations, community leaders and the medical community have formed partnerships to increase awareness of the impact of heart disease.

Promotions such as Wear Red Day continue to affect positive changes towards healthier outcomes and reduction in health care cost. People are taking action but there is room for a higher engagement. Let it be you!!!!

Join the movement, wear red on Sunday, February 12th, 2023.

Brookland-Lakeview

21st Century COLA Program Afterschool

A Partnership with Northside Middle School
and East Point Academy Middle Campus

Register online today!

Click here or scan the QR Code to register.

Spring Semester

**January 9, 2023 -
May 31, 2023
Monday - Friday
3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.**

What we provide:

- Snacks and light meals
- Homework assistance
- Academic Enrichment in Math and Reading
- Character Building and Leadership
- Bus transportation
- Creative Arts, and more!

Parent classes also available!

Virtual and In-Person Classes

- Financial literacy
- Sign language
- Mental Health Awareness Training
- Nutrition
- Gardening, and more!

Location:

Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center
1218 Batchelor St., West Columbia, SC 29169

Contact:

Dr. Benjamin Washington, Project Director
bewashington@brookland.cc | lakeview@brookland.cc
(803) 744-1967 (office)



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SCAN ME



Helping Families at Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center

Stable Homes • Thriving Families • Successful Students

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What is the program?

Our goal is to improve the futures of families and their children at risk of becoming homeless, or experiencing homelessness by providing long term case management.



Eligible Families must have a child enrolled in Lexington School District Two



How do we do this?

1. Parents

- Cultivating Financial Security
- Increase income
- Maintain Monthly Budget
- Furthering Adult Education
- Gaining Employment

2. Children

- Support with school transfers
- Tutoring, Mentoring and Homework Assistance
- Medical Appointments

3. Home

- Maintain/ Obtain Housing
- Food
- Clothing
- Utility assistance

For more information, please contact **Mrs. Theresa Hill, Social Worker**
• Email: Helping-Families@brookland.cc | Direct Email: Thill@brookland.cc
• Office: (803) 744-7949

Roadside Produce Stand in Partnership with Martin Farms



**BROOKLAND-LAKEVIEW
EMPOWERMENT CENTER**

Empowerment is the key.

Fresh Produce | Low Cost | Excellent Quality

- Collard greens, mustard greens
- Cabbage, tomatoes, okras, peppers, sweet potatoes
- Pecans, walnuts
- Plums, apples, oranges
- Honey, and more!



**Fresh
PRODUCE**
GROWN LOCALLY

Every Friday

Times: 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m

Location: Corner of 12th Street and Monticello Street in West Columbia (location near the BLEC marquee)

Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center
Farmers' Market and Food Promotion Program

For more information, please contact Mr. Michael Brown
at mbrown@brookland.cc

Community Food Box Distribution

Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center is partnering with Harvest Hope Food Bank to distribute food boxes to Seniors and Diabetics facing hunger in Lexington County.

9:00 am - 12:00 noon

Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center
1218 Batchelor Street West Columbia, S.C. 29169
Office: (803) 744-7943

Fridays | Jan. 13 | Feb. 10 | March 10

Eligibility Requirements:

- 60 years or older
- Must be Lexington County resident
- Must meet federal income guidelines for program
- Bring picture ID with date of birth

Boxes will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis.

For more information, please contact:

Dr. Cindye Richburg Cotton
crichburgcotton@brookland.cc

Rev. Mardell Whyte
mwhyte@brookland.cc



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THE
11TH ANNUAL
YOUNG PASTORS'
AND
LEADERS
Conference
2023

FEBRUARY
6-9TH
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Reverend Dr.
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MORE INFORMATION TO COME! SIGN UP FOR OUR MAILING LIST!