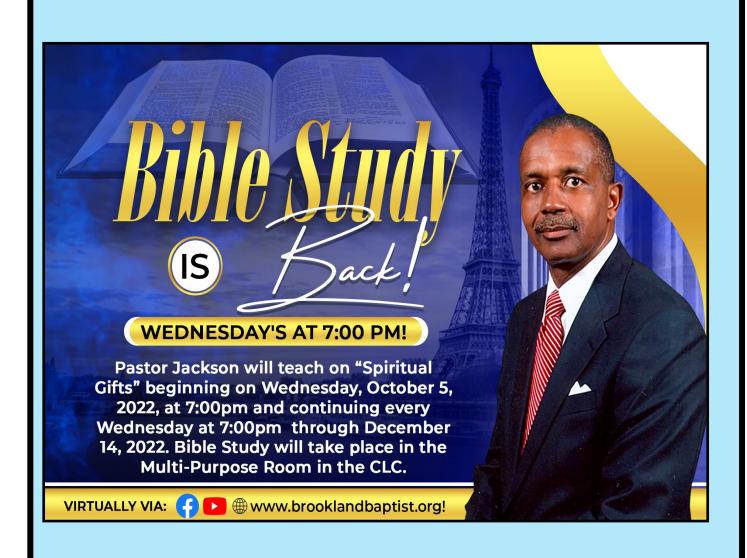






### BIBLE STUDY WILL START WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH ON THE WEST CAMPUS WITH PASTOR JACKSON!

VIRTUAL OR IN PERSON AT 7PM!



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The Brookland Baptist Church is located at 1066 Sunset Boulevard, West Columbia, SC 29169

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Pastoral Staff

Dr. Charles B. Jackson Sr., Senior Pastor
Dr. James A. Jamison,
Assistant Pastor
Reverend Charles B. Jackson Jr.,
Executive Pastor
Dr. Chris Leevy Johnson,
BNE Campus Pastor



Brookland Northeast Campus is located at: 1203 Summit Parkway Columbia, SC 29229.





### "October is Pastor Appreciation Month"

Excerpts from published article: "Pastor Appreciation by Samantha Decker."

We can easily and far too often take our pastors for granted. It can be easy for us to criticize them on how good of a job they did on their sermon, saying things like:

- "I wasn't a big fan of their sermon today."
- "I didn't really connect with their sermon."
  "I think they could have done a better job preparing or delivering their message."

We far too often forget that they are human, and have a life, family and other responsibilities they have throughout the week. We can easily think that a pastor is just there to serve us and deliver a sermon that we want to hear and if either of these doesn't go the way we want it to, we forget that our pastor also is pastoring an entire congregation. If we are not careful, we can fall victim to the spirit of entitlement where it becomes *all about us*.

Now, while this isn't always the case and it may not be this extreme, it is something we all need to keep in consideration and remember that even if one person's life is changed by the pastor's message, then isn't that what it's all about?





Pastor Appreciation Day started as "Clergy Appreciation Day", the idea of showing appreciation for your Clergy, Pastors, or Leaders is very Biblical and can be traced all the way back to Paul's new testament letters. Paul mentions this idea in a number of different letters that he writes to the various churches. Paul says this in his first letter to Timothy,

"Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching." 1 Timothy 5:17 (English Standard Version).

Paul highlights the fact that our Pastors be considered worthy of double honor for assuming this role in His church and do it well. But, typically with double honor, you can expect double stress, this is why we need to make an even greater effort to celebrate and encourage those in leadership.

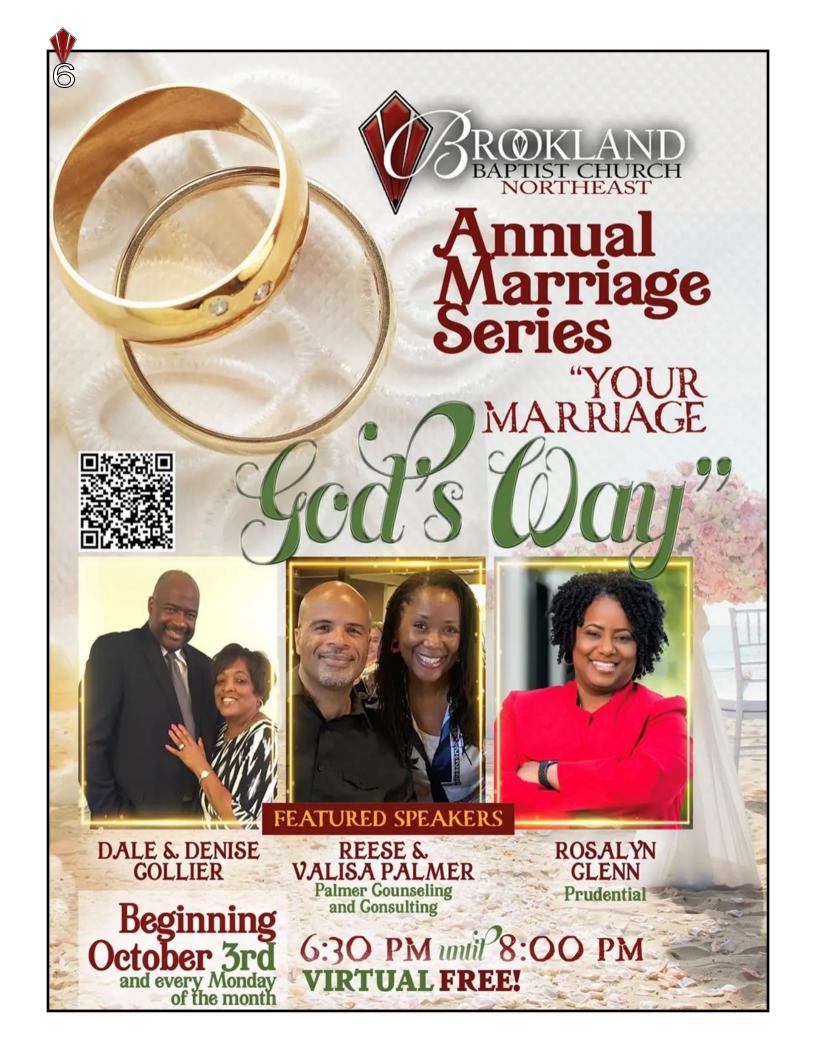
Clergy Appreciation Day/Pastors Appreciation Day was not commercialized until the early 1990's, Hallmark Cards in 1992 and Focus On The Family led the charge in 1994 by making it a point to remind congregations to make the month of October special for their Pastor. Now with the growth of media and technology, the idea that sprang from Paul has now evolved and diffused into even more congregations around the world.

### **Pray For Your Pastor And With Your Pastor**

Prayer is huge. Pray for your pastor daily, in your own quiet time. Pray for your pastor as the service begins. Pray for them as they enter the pulpit to teach. Beyond private prayer, start a prayer time with others in the church for the specific purpose of praying for your pastor.

### **Bless Your Pastor**

LET US Bless Pastor Jackson this month and show appreciation to the BEST PASTOR IN THE WORLD! at: CashApp \$PJ0307



The District of South Carolina Alpha Phi Alpha
Fraternity Incorporated, the Brookland Baptist Church
Youth Department, and the UNCF present...

# THE HBCU

# IMPACT FAIR

October 6, 2022 9:00am - 2:00 pm Brookland Health and Wellness Center 1066 Sunset Blvd, West Columbia, SC

HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS & SENIORS:

**Meet HBCU** 

Representatives &

**Learn about Programs &** 

**Scholarships** 



Register today

On-Site Admissions

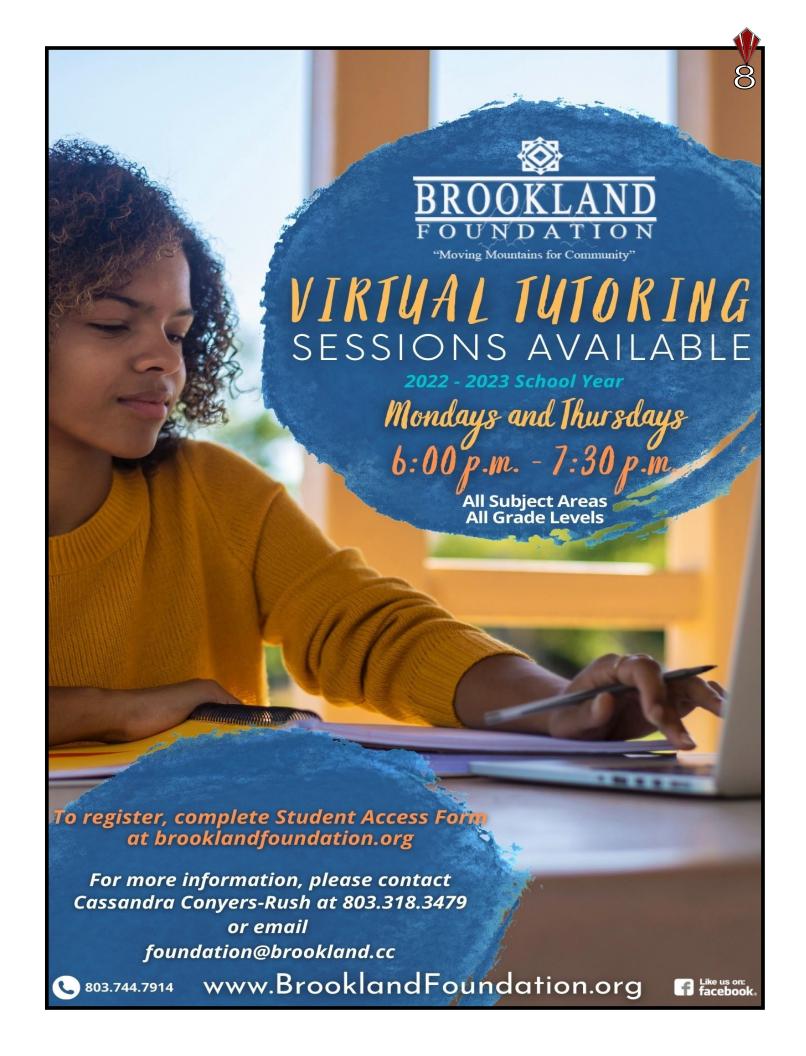
Over 30 representatives from HBCUs, military, and vested groups







For more information: call Trevin Montgomery at 803-807-0179 or email at trevinm@hotmail.com





### 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.

**Fall Semester** 

August 22, 2022 -December 16, 2022 Monday - Friday 3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.



SCAN ME

### 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!



#### **Q** Location:

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



Ms. JaQuanda Wright, Project Director (803) 744-1967 (office) | lakeview@brookland.cc





### Eligibility Requirements:

- The household has an income at or below 80% of Area Median Income (AMI). Go to the Fannie Mae Area Median Income Lookup Tool @ https://ami-lookup-tool.fanniemae.com/amilookuptool/
- **2.** The household demonstrates a risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability.
- 3. One or more individuals within the household:
  - Qualifies for unemployment
  - · Has experienced a reduction in household income
  - · Incurred significant costs
  - Experienced a financial hardship due to COVID-19





## **Lexington County Farmers' Market**





GROWN LOCALLY

# OPEN NOW!

#### **South Carolina Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program**

Vouchers will be given out to Lexington County Senior Citizens aged 60 and older who meet income guidelines.

Location: Brookland-Lakeview Empowerment Center

Bogan Hall, 1218 Batchelor Street West Columbia, S.C. 29169 **Times:** 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

October 14, 2022

Note: October 31, 2022, is the deadline to redeem vouchers.

For more information, please contact Rev. Nicky Wilson or Rev. Mardell Whyte

Office: (803) 744-7943 | Email: lakeview@brookland.cc

#### **Lexington County Authorized Farmers' Markets Locations:**

LIVINGSTON FARM (THE SHACK)
1424 Southbound Road, Swansea

January – December Monday – Saturday • 9 am – 6 pm Contact: James Livingston 803-530-3169 MARKET AT ICEHOUSE 107 West Main Street, Lexington

May – September Saturday • 9 am – 12 pm Contact: Walker Brewer 803-358-7275 • wbrewer@lexsc.com Meeting Street Artisan Market 425 Meeting Street, West Columbia

Saturdays • 9 am - 12 pm Second Thursdays - 4 - 8pm Contact: Walker Brewer 803-358-7275 • wbrewer@lexsc.com

The following agencies will also be present to provide FREE assistance!

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Brings jobs and employment services directly to you.

Helps uninsured and underserved South Carolinians gain access to essential health services. Helping individuals achieve stability and strengthening families.

## FOOD GIVEAWAY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022

FOR LEXINGTON COUNTY RESIDENTS
Impacted by COVID-19

9:00A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

BROOKLAND BANQUET & CONFERENCE CENTER
1066 SUNSET BLVD.

WEST COLUMBIA, SC 29169



FOOD ITEMS VARY FROM MONTH TO MONTH

EDING OUR COMMUNITY ENDING HUNGER

FEEDING OUR COMMUNITY, ENDING HUNGER.







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www.BrooklandFoundation.org





## Should I Be Screened for Lung Cancer?

Mention you heard about this program through the Brookland Foundation

Smoking is the main cause of lung cancer and the second most diagnosed cancer in Lexington County, South Carolina.

Detecting lung cancer early can reduce your risk of dying from it by 20 percent. Free lung cancer screenings, using low-dose CT scans similar to an X-ray, are available during November from Lexington Medical Center to those at high risk.

You may be eligible for a free lung cancer screening if you meet ALL the following criteria:

- · Are between the ages of 55 and 77
- Are a current smoker or have quit within the past 15 years
- Have smoked at least one pack a day for 30 years or two packs a day for 15 years
- Have no signs or symptoms of lung cancer.

#### Find Out If You Qualify

Find out if you qualify for a free lung cancer screening by completing this online survey: LexMed.com/Screening. If you qualify, you will be contacted for an appointment.

PROJECT BREATHE EASY



#### PROJECT BREATHE EASY

Mention you heard about this program through the Brookland Foundation

Smoking Cessation Classes (LMC Lexington)





Health & Wellness Program

### **Smoking Cessation Classes**

Lexington Medical Center offers free smoking cessation clinics to the public.

Ouit smoking with the support of this free program that meets at various Lexington Medical Center locations throughout the year. The Freedom from Smoking program consists of eight two-hour sessions and boasts a 56 percent quit rate (compared to the national average of 17 to 23 percent).

January 4 – February 22, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Center Lexington 811 West Main Street • Lexington, SC

March 1 – April 19, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Park Otarre Pointe 3799 12th Street Extension • Cayce, SC

> May 3 – June 21, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Center Irmo 7035 St. Andrews Road • Irmo, SC

To register, please call (803) 358-6180.

Free smoking cessation clinics are provided by the Lexington Medical Center Foundation.

LEXINGTON | Foundation

June 28 – August 16, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Center Main Campus

North Tower 5th Floor Classroom A 2720 Sunset Blvd. • West Columbia. SC

August 23 – October 11, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Center Northeast

3016 Longtown Commons Drive . Columbia, SC

October 18 – December 6, 2022 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Lexington Medical Center Lexington 811 West Main Street • Lexington, SC







#### WORKSHOP SPEAKERS

SISTER BETTY R.
JENKINS

Brookland Baptist Church, West Columbia, SC

#### REVEREND ANKOMA ANDERSON

Welfare Baptist Church Belton, SC

POWERFUL PRAISE AND WORSHIP AND DYNAMIC WORKSHOPS!

SESSION TOPICS

WAKE UP! IT'S PRAYING TIME! POWERFUL EARTHSHAKING PRAYERS!

### REVEREND PATRICIA MILLER REED

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SATURDAY SPEAKER TIME OF INTERCESSION

2 WAYS TO REGISTER
ONLINE | IN PERSON
\$30 LUNCH INCLUDED
\$25 SENIOR RATE

REGISTER AFTER 8AM & 11AM SERVICES

www.brooklandbaptist.org

DEADLINE: MON. NOV. 7TH

BROOKLAND BAPTIST CHURCH 1066 SUNSET BLVD, WEST COLUMBIA, SC 29169 803.796.8133



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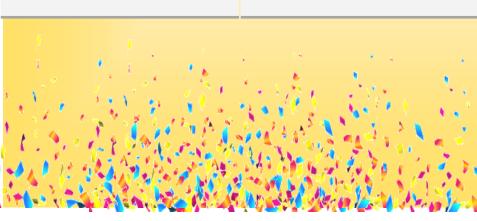
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Bobby Keller

### We're Here for you

JoAnn Brown

Daheia Barr-Anderson

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



# Birthdays

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Lauris Finney Jr	Jeri Salmond	Cori Moses			
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Jamez Fletcher		Tyler Brown	15	Carl Edwards	
Cameron Jackson		Zonpudeh Tailey		Leonard Brown	
Brittany Hopkins		Brittany Williams		Karen Carlos	
Tamia Hayes	Melody Wise	Sabrina Harley		Sherene Chavous Sandra Best	
Jeremiah Wright	Carroll Johnson	Donald Turner Jr.			
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Jazmine Squire	Brittany Brunson	Lawrence McCray		Kelvin Durant	
Mauria Frederick	Charles Singleton	Nneka Singleton		Tyrone Wallace	
Hakeem Heyward	Shirley Reed				
Shaneshia Dozier	Frenchie D. Walker			Hossein Louis Miller	
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Traleesa Parker	Gary Kendrick	Joshua Kinard		Kendra Taylor	
Shawanda Millender	Steven Dantzler	Brantley Evans III		Connie Jackson	
Jamie Austin Caldwel	Glenice Dyer	Tyler Foulks		Shoranda Thomas	
Angela Wells	Vittis Corbitt	Tanisha N. Stewart		Joye McDaniel	
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# GIVINGTUESDAY November 29, 2022

Join the global generosity movement and celebrate all acts of giving.

Support The Brookland Foundation on Giving Tuesday!





### SAVE THE DATE

Brookland Baptist Couples for Christ

HOLIDAY SOCIAL

Friday, December 9. 2022 - 7:00 p.m. Brookland Baptist Banquet & Conference Center 1066 Sunset Blvd - West Columbia, SC

Music provided by DJ D Dubb

Tickets: \$45/couples and \$20 singles Email decollier1961@gmail.com for ticket information.

ADVANCE TICKET PURCHASES ONLY (no ticket sales at the door)



Buffet Dinner
Old School Music
Line Dances
Fun and Fellowship
Social Distancing





On Saturday, September 17, 2022 we hosted our *joint* Virtual New Members Orientation (NMO) session via Zoom from 9AM to 11AM. New members who successfully completed the session earned their Certification of Participation.

Congratulations to our September 2022 NMO Graduates who attended the virtual session:

**West Campus** 

**Lesley Betts** 

**Morgan Boykin** 

Joyce Felder

Valerie Golson

**Kristen Hammett** 

Lakenzie Mcilwain

**Reverend Howard Rogers** 

**Loretta Rogers** 

**Heather Weeks** 

**Evelyn Wiggins** 

**Northeast Campus** 

Latasha Johnson

**James Livingston** 

Katrina Livingston

New members, we look forward to your service in ministry as we endeavor to fulfill the mission of Brookland Baptist Church!

As a reminder, we currently offer two options, In-Person (West Campus only) and Virtual (combined session) for you to complete New Members Orientation.



#### Please see details below:

When: In-Person (Sundays at 9:30 AM) / Virtual (Saturday, November 19,

2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.)

Where: In-Person (Brooklands Health & Wellness Center/Arts and Crafts

Room) / Virtual Via Zoom (login details will be sent once registered)

What to Expect: Session topics may include: Conversion and Baptist Beliefs, Stewardship &

Discipleship, Overview of Brookland Baptist Church and Ministries at

Brookland

**Certificate:** To earn your certificate of completion you must complete either **4 in-person** 

sessions or 1 virtual session!

How to Sign Up: Brookland Baptist Church New Member Orientation Sign-Up Link

For more information, please contact Pamela Felder, BNE NMO Coordinator via email at <a href="mailto:brooklandnenmo@gmail.com">brooklandnenmo@gmail.com</a>.

