

PASTORAL EMPHASIS:

Key Events & Announcements

MONTH-at a-GLANCE:

3/05 => Ash Wednesday

3/09 => Lent/Post-Africa

3/16=>Pst-Ch.Annv.Sun.

3/23 => 3rd Sun. Aft. Lent

3/30 => 4th Sun. Aft. Lent

MEANING OF LENT:

#1=> Focus on JESUS' bodily sacrifice for eternal life;

#2=> Themes of subjugating the "flesh" through penance, forgiveness, prayer, fasting;

#3=> More intently & intentionally focus on CHRIST!

WOMEN'S EMPHASIS SEASON ANNOUNCEMENT:

**Deaconess-Led
Prayer Breakfast**

WHEN => Sat., 3/15

**WHO => Dean Deborah
Blanks, Princeton Chapel**

SU., 3/15-at a-GLANCE:

8AM=> Worship Service

10AM=> Sunday School

11AM=> Worship Service

**3PM=> New Bethel Srvc.
*PastorDLA Speaking***

VISION 2020 INTVS.

**L.G.C.=> Ldrshp. Gvng. Cmp.
*Leaders lead in demolishing bldg.***

**CRZ.=> Spirit of Philadelphia
*Cruise w/ 500 family & friends!***

**SVC=> New Sat. Nght. Srvc.
*Trenton's 1st Sat. Night Service!***

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GREEN=> eBlasting Bulletin
Using Technology to Glorify GOD!

O.O.S=> Newly Revised Order
Enter to Worship...Depart to Serve

NEW MBRS.=> New Members
Welcome to the Body of Christ!

SERMON PNTS.:

- 1. SACRIFICE**
- 2. STATURE**
- 3. SERVICE**
- 4. SPIRIT**

SERMONIC
POINT #1:
SACRIFICE

TODAY'S
SCRIPTURE:
JOHN
11:1-45

SERMON TITLE:

***"JESUS...THE
LIGHT OF THE
WORLD"***

"Now a certain *man* was sick, Lazarus of Bethany, the town of Mary and her sister Martha."

John 11:1

"It was *that* Mary who anointed the Lord with fragrant oil and wiped His feet with her hair, whose brother...was sick."

John 11:2

"Therefore the sisters sent to Him, saying, "Lord, behold, he whom You love is sick...When JESUS heard that..."

John 11:3-4a

"He said, "This sickness is not unto death, but for the glory of God, that the Son of God may be glorified through it."

John 11:4b

"Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus. So, when He heard that he was sick, He stayed two more days..."

John 11:5-6

"Then after this He said to *the* disciples, 'Let us go to Judea again.' "

John 11:7

" *The* disciples said to Him, 'Rabbi, lately the Jews sought to stone You, and are You going there again?' "

John 11:8

“Jesus answered, ‘...If anyone walks in the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world.’ ”

John 11:9

“ ‘But if one walks in the night, he stumbles, because the light is not in him.’ ”

John 11:10

“These things He said, and after that He said to them, ‘Our friend Lazarus sleeps, but I go that I may wake him up.’ ”

John 11:11

“ ‘Lazarus is dead. And I am glad for your sakes that I was not there, that you may believe. Nevertheless let us go to him.’ ”

John 11:14-15

“Jesus said to her, ‘I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live.’ ”

John 11:25

“ ‘And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?’ ”

John 11:26

"Fill your horn with oil, and go; I am sending you to Jesse the...*For I have provided Myself a king among his sons.*"

I Samuel 16:1

"...Samuel said, "...If Saul hears *it*, he will kill me."

But the Lord said, "...say, '*I have come to sacrifice to the Lord.*'"

I Samuel 16:2-3

"So Samuel did what the Lord said...And the elders...trembled at his coming, and said, 'Do you come peaceably?' "

I Samuel 16:4

"...he said, '*Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the Lord...*' Then he consecrated...and invited them to the sacrifice."

I Samuel 16:5

SERMONIC
POINT #2:
STATURE

"So it was, when they came, that he looked at ***Eliab*** and said, 'Surely the Lord's anointed *is* before Him!' "

I Samuel 16:6

"...the Lord said...Samuel,
*'Do not look at his
appearance or at his
physical stature, because
I have refused him.'*"

I Samuel 16:7a

" 'For *the Lord does not
see* as man sees; for
*man looks at the
outward appearance, but
the Lord looks at the
heart.*'"

I Samuel 16:7b

"So Jesse called
Abinadab,...made him
pass before Samuel. And
he said, 'Neither has the
Lord chosen this one.' "

I Samuel 16:8

"Then Jesse made
Shammah pass by.
And he said,
'Neither has the Lord
chosen this one.' "

I Samuel 16:9

"Thus Jesse made seven
of his sons pass before
Samuel. And Samuel
said to Jesse, '*The Lord
has not chosen these.*'"

I Samuel 16:10

SERMONIC
POINT #3:
SERVICE

"...Samuel said to Jesse, 'Are all the young men here?' Then he said, 'There remains yet the youngest, *and there he is, keeping the sheep.*'"

I Samuel 16:11

"So he sent and brought him in. Now he *was* ruddy, with bright eyes, and good-looking. And the Lord said, 'Arise, *anoint...this is the one!*'"

I Samuel 16:12

SERMONIC
POINT #4:
SPIRIT

"Then Samuel *took the horn of oil and anointed him* in the midst of his brothers;..."

I Samuel 16:13a

"...*and the Spirit of the Lord came upon David from that day forward.* So Samuel arose and went to Ramah."

I Samuel 16:13b