



Anaust 2009 Newsletter

Greater True Light Missionary Baptist Church, Inc.

Dr. E. Wayne Gaddis, Sr., Pastor

AUGUST 1, 2009

Get involved with the many Ministries we have at Greater True Light and help make the Vision come Alive not only in your life but in someone else's life. That's what Ministry is all about.
GIVING BACK

August Events

Prayer Praise service
Tuesday, August 4, 2009
@ 7:00 p.m.

Choir Barbeque on
Saturday, August 8, 2009

Pastors Aide Ministry
will be in service
Sunday, August 9, 2009

Women's Ministry
Explosion and Brunch
Saturday
August 22, 2009
@ 9:00am

Sunday August 23, 2009
10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.

Feeding the Community
every Thursday from
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

"We have gone **GREEN**
So Please help us save the
trees and help our
environment"

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Brc. Daniel George so he
can help you get setup
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A Mission Minded Church

Greater True Light has accepted one of the commandments that God has commissioned us to do as a church and that is to go beyond the four walls of our church, and to reach out to the community. During the week of our City Wide Crusade Conference we fed the community, it was a great success. Therefore, starting Thursday, July 30, 2009, and every Thursday up until October 1, 2009, we will be feeding the community from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The following ministries have been given the charge to give leadership on Thursdays, July 30, Ushers; August 6, Ministers; August 13, Youth; August 20, Womens; August 27, Choir; September 3, Brotherhood; September 10, Nurses; September 17, Pastor's Aid; September 24, Deacons and October 1, the Deaconess. Should you have any questions please speak with Dr. Gaddis. This will also be a time for us to reach out and develop relationships and open lines of communications with those we come in contact with. Also, our new World Vision distribution was started during this week and was very successful. World Vision is under the administration of Bro. Ramlmon David and Sis. Lynda McPheters.

City Wide Crusade Conference 2009

Our City Wide Crusade Conference this year was a great success. The Word of God was truly preached, by each and every lecturer and speaker. There were many guest who attended this years' conference. This was Pastor Ticey Brown's first time speaking for our City Wide and he truly blessed the people of God. Pastor Fisher as usual spoke under the anointing of the holy spirit, and Thursday night preached like it was his last time. Each lecturer really brought to light our vision that has been given by our Pastor. We were truly blessed by the Greater True Light choir, the Mt. Tabor male chorus, Heavenly Rest Activity Center, and the Greater Zion Young Adult Choir, and as usual Sis. Rose Neal truly blessed the worship experience as she rendered songs of praise to the Body of Christ. Each night we fed our members and the community and this was a great success, there was plenty of food, water & soda for everyone. We are truly looking forward to next years' conference. We thank God for the vision that He gave our Pastor to begin this endeavor.

Vacation Bible School was a Big Success

This years' VBS was a great success. Thank you Sis. Shelton for giving leadership for this years' VBS. A special thank you to all of the teachers and students who came out to make this a week of fun and learning. Studio Go: Serve, Lead, Risk, Tell, and Obey. It is our responsibility as Christians to be Servants of Christ and Go out Lead People to Christ, in Leading people to Christ there is a risk involved in telling people about the goodness of God, but God is with us, therefore, we must Obey his commandments and GO! Next year's theme is Hero Headquarters – Where Kids Join Forces with God.

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Board of Directors
meeting Wednesday,
August 5, 2009 @
6:30 p.m.

State Convention
Congress on
Christian Education
LAX Radisson Hotel
August 10-13, 2009

Youth Convention
Lax Radisson Hotel
August 14-15

Communications
meeting
August 17, @6:30 pm

In-House
Convention Service
August 26-27, 2009
7:00 p.m. nightly

Mission Ministry
Service Sunday
August 30, 2009

REMINDER:

All announcements for
the screen, must go
through the Church
Office **first** to be
approved by Pastor
Gaddis. Thank you

August **Birthdays**

4th Bro. Walter Hicks
Bro. Dwain Hines
Bro. Tinsley Pace
6th Sis. Shantice Bridges
7th Sis. Evonne Scott
8th Rev. Arthur Jupiter
13th Mo. Valadeane Roland
Sis. Claudia Champion
Sis. Lynetta Marie Sly
14th Sis. Nicol Tunstall
18th Sis. Mary Hunt
Sis. Shannont Palacio
19th Sis. Ashley Johnson
22nd Sis. Wendy Daniels
28th Sis. Barbara Stewart
Bro. Jonte Theophile
30th Sis. Monique McGhee
31st Sis. Janice Johnson
Sis. Taneka Johnson-Koonce

Vision Minded Krew

Friday Night Mini Explosion

On Friday, August 7, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. the Vision Minded Krew will be having a Friday night explosion, there will be several guest choirs and praise dancers, along with the Greater True Light Youth & Young Adult Choir. Our youth have been very active this year and are continuing to give God all of the Praise. We encourage you to support our Youth for this Explosion. The director, Bro. Wayne Gaddis, Jr. has put a lot of work in keeping our youth & young adult active and making sure that they are busy for the Lord. The Youth Convention will also be taking place Friday and Saturday, August 14th & 15th, our children have been asked to play in active part in this Convention. It will be held at the LAX Radisson Hotel, and our Youth will be staying over night at the hotel on August 14th. Parents we are asking you to pay \$15.00 per youth. This includes: their room, convention registration fee and the for the Ice Cream Social which will be held on Friday night August 14th. Also, our Youth will be rehearsing at the Greater Ebenezer Church every Saturday, at 1:30 p.m. the last rehearsal will be August 9, 2009. Parents please make sure that your children attend.

New Women's Members Weekend Explosion

The Call is being put out to all women to invite your co-workers, family, neighbors and friends to come out and be a part of this Holy Ghost filled weekend. Starting Saturday, August 22, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. will be our Women's Brunch the speaker is the world renown Speaker, Evangelist Jessica P. Manaway, First Lady of the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Seattle, Washington. The tickets for the Brunch is \$10.00 per person, and can be exchanged by giving any women of the Women's ministry \$10.00 and they will give you a ticket. On Sunday morning, August 23, at 10:00 a.m. Evangelist Manaway will be our speaker once again, and then on Sunday, August 23, at 3:00 p.m. our Speaker will be Sis. Barbara Calhoun, of the Tree of Life M.B.C. in Los Angeles. We are truly expecting a double blessing from the Lord during this weekend. So we encourage you to come out and support these services.

In-house Convention

Our in-house convention will be held August 26-27, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. During our in-house convention each Ministry President is asked to give an account of what your ministry has done so far this year. And what your future goals are for your ministry. If the President is not available, please make sure that your vice president or a representative is prepared to stand in and give a report for your ministry. The following ministries are scheduled to give an account of your stewardship on Wednesday, August 26, Deacons, Deaconess, Mothers, Sunday School, Ushers, and Nurses on Thursday, August 27, Womens', Brotherhood, Youth, Choir, Mission, and Pastor's Aid. We are also asking that each ministry be in uniform or the same color on your night. Please be prepared to represent. We are looking forward to having a good time in the Lord.