

MLK Diaconate Board 2nd Qtr Report

"Re-Assembling of the Called-Out Ones" Romans 8:28

Saturday, June 4, 2022

9:00 AM

Good Morning Brothers and Sisters,

We have begun a season together. While we do not know what the future holds, we know who holds the future of MLK as Christ is the Head of the Church. Following the direction of the Holy Spirit; and Lead Servants of MLK Baptist Church, the Diaconate Board, will continue to CARE for and Listen to the congregation's concerns concerning the needs of HIS church. The Diaconate asks that if you are aware of any member's concern, please let me or the Deacon present know. The quicker we know of any circumstance and concerns of our members, the quicker we can respond. We embark upon this new season together; our continued goal is to be led by the Holy Spirit to meet the needs and address the concerns and needs of our members on time.

Currently,

- ✦ *Pulpit Coverage has been assigned through August 28, 2022.*

 - ✦ *In collaboration with the Associate Ministers, the Diaconate Board has moved to suspend Monday morning Prayer Call and Wednesday night Bible Study until such time an Interim or Full-time/Bi-vocational Pastor has been called to fill the Pastorage vacancy.*
 - *Weekly Prayer Service will be held every Wednesday from 6:30 PM – 7:00 PM via Zoom (Associate Minister/Deacon)*
 - *Meeting ID 891-1804 2369 | Passcode: 057899*

 - ✦ *The Re-instatement of Holy Communion will resume in the sanctuary during the 1st Sunday Worship Service on June 5, 2022.*

 - ✦ *The Re-instatement of the Church Covenant*
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- ✦ *Yours truly, MLK Diaconate Chair will be assembling a team to re-institute the Audio Visual Ministry back into Worship Services and ministering through the Facebook Platform. The use of the Zoom platform has been suspended until further research and process can be re-established.*

Long-Term Tasks

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- *Reach out to Evergreen Association for Pulpit Search Process and Practices*
- *Research and Survey the Congregation for what we are looking for in a Pastorate Leadership of MLK.*
- *Recommend members to serve on the Pulpit Committee to the Church at MLK 3rd Qtr Business Meeting.*
- *Re-establish members to Constitute Change Committee to the church (3rd Qtr)*
- *Provide Send frequent communication to member*
- *Membership Outreach*

Though we did not wish to be in this current situation, we consider it an honor to serve you as we attempt to live and do the work before us by following the voice and Will of God.

In His Service,

Deacon Dr. Cheryl Graves – Chair

Deacon McClain Cloy – Vice Chair