

## Sunday School

### Sunday School Classes:

Start Time: 9:30 am

Men Class: Social Hall

Women Class: Sanctuary

Children Class: Nursery

Outreach Class: Main Building 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Zoom Links for Sunday School:

<http://progressive4life.org/sunday-school> (Women's Class)

## Morning Worship

Start Time: 11:00 am

(Baptism & Communion: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday)

- Call to Worship
- Praise and Worship
- Scripture and Prayer
- Welcome
- Announcements
- Baptism (First Sundays)
- Choir Selections
- Preached Word
- Invitation
- Communion (First Sundays)
- Benediction



Morning Worship Service is now being streamed on YouTube. A link to the channel can be found on the church's website under "worship".

## **PMBC Purpose Statement**

Our purpose is to grow in our faith and knowledge of God so that we are equipped to lead individuals to salvation and train them to follow Christ and serve in God's ministry.



**Progressive MBC of Berkeley**

## Congratulations

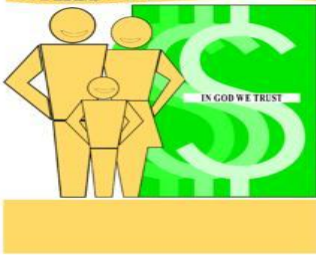
*Pastor Earl C. Stuckey*



on **49** years as the faithful shepherd of the Progressive Missionary Baptist Church. This month we honor you as the Angel of this house. We bestow double honor (1 Timothy 5:17) as you have lovingly and selflessly cared for very member of PMBC, and we praise God for you for your stewardship, teaching and preaching the word of God in season and out of season (1 Thessalonians 5:12-13). *With love and appreciation,*  
PMBC Family

## Tithes and Offering

### TITHES AND OFFERINGS



Giving is a part of worship. We encourage you to pray and ask the Lord what you should give, for He loves a cheerful giver (2 Corinthians 9:7). You can honor God with your gift:

#### Online:

[www.progressive4life.org](http://www.progressive4life.org)  
and click on the giving tab.

**By Mail:** Progressive MBC  
of Berkeley 3301 King St,  
Berkeley, CA 94703

**In Person:** Use an offering  
envelope located at the  
back of the sanctuary, near  
the exits, and drop it in the  
secure mail slot in the  
Finance office door  
(opposite the ladies'  
restroom).

## The Best Kept Secret No More!

Quoting Pastor Stuckey, *it is a poor man who won't paddle his own canoe*. PBC has a lot of programs and services that meet the needs of members and others. When life happens, we're here! Below is a partial listing of what is available ~ help spread the good news!

- Celebrate Recovery ...A confidential, Bible based "cell group" offering mutual support
- Care Giver ...Support for those serving as a care giver for a loved one
- Grief Share ...Coping with the passing of a loved one
- Home Builders ...Support group for married and engaged couples
- Outreach Ministry...Those interested in building or enhancing a relationship with Jesus

### IN-PERSON / ZOOM MEETINGS

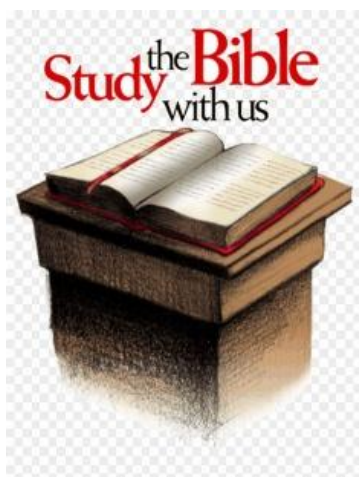
**Tuesday Bible Study:** Every Tuesday, 11am In-person Meeting (Zoom available)  
<http://progressive4life.org/bible-study>

**Tuesday Night Bible Study:** Class will resume September 8<sup>th</sup>, 6:50pm – 8pm on Zoom <http://progressive4life.org/bible-study>

**Wednesday Prayer Call:** Every Wednesday morning 6:45 a.m. – 7:00 a.m. on Zoom <http://us02web.zoom.us/j/87680372586> or phone: Meeting ID 87680372586; passcode 339492

**Celebrate Recovery:** Every Saturday at 10am (In-person - Stovall Hall)

**Saturday Bible Study:** Saturday/Bi-Weekly, 11am (In-person)



### September 2026 Lesson Guide

|      |                             |                     |
|------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| 9/6  | Johoash Rebuilds the Temple | 2 Kings 12:1-16     |
| 9/13 | Fellowship Breakfast        | Stovall Hall        |
| 9/20 | The Fall of Israel          | 2 Kings 7:1-33      |
| 9/27 | Hezekiah's Stand            | 2 Kings 18:1-19, 37 |

On Sunday, August 10, 2026, we proudly issued scholarship awards to three aspiring young women of God to help them pursue academic excellence:

***Sydney Raines; Sarai Raines; Gabby Taylor***

Thank you to all who support the Scholarship program with your tithe and offering. Veronica McGary, Scholarship Chair

## Praise Report Women's Ministry

Four women successfully completed 3, 2-hour sessions totaling 6 hours of Biblical study regarding Spiritual Gifts; Woman's Purpose (Married or Unmarried); and Evangelism "Tune-Up". Praise God for the August Spiritual Growth Opportunities and the fruit God will yield.

*Sis Roz Simpson, Ministry Leader*

**Health Tip:** As we age, we often lose some level of mental acuity. Coping with the gradual and sometimes swift change can be challenging. If this is a concern for you or a loved one, pick up the **Dementia and Alzheimer Disease** guide available at the back of the church and on the table near the accessible exit.

## Progressive Staff

### Pastor

Dr. Earl C. Stuckey Sr

### Executive Elder

Eric Hardy

### Church Administrator

Tia Ingram-Taylor

### Christian Ed. Director

Michael Raines

### Office Manager

Renee Clark

### Christian Ed. Admin

Jacquelyne Cooper

### Finance Team

Bryan Reed  
Marvin Reynolds  
Fretias McGary  
Cassandra Foster

### Men's Ministry

### Outreach Ministry

Mark Johnson

### Women's Ministry

Rosalind Simpson  
Sandra Sims

### Ushers

Robert Redmon

### Senior Ministry

Betty Hicks

### Music Ministry

**Torey Campbell**  
Pamela Onafowode

### Archive Ministry

Veronica McGary

### Mission Ministry

Tia Ingram Taylor  
Natalie Johnson

### Media Ministry

Robert Stephens  
Sheila Crumbo=Price  
Gwen Jones

### Soul Care Ministry

Biblical Counseling – Edward Cooper  
Care for the Caregivers – Shelia Price  
Celebrate Recovery - Darryl Price  
Grief Support–  
Grief Share – Nelvia Davis  
Home Builders-Kola Onafowode

### Ministers

Torey Campbell  
Ronald Ellis  
Eric Hardy  
Daryl Price  
Michael Raines

## Happy Birthday

|                         |      |                  |      |
|-------------------------|------|------------------|------|
| Cecil Hendricks, Jr     | 9/3  | Clemmie Lister   | 9/21 |
| Bernice Wright          | 9/6  | Edward Cooper    | 9/24 |
| Donna Christopher       | 9/9  | Natalie Johnson  | 9/25 |
| Timothy Christopher, Jr | 9/9  | Charles Joseph   | 9/26 |
| Madison Vincent         | 9/9  | Bobbie Green     | 9/27 |
| Sheila Price            | 9/12 | Shirley Theodore | 9/27 |
| Moral Walker            | 9/16 | Brenda Davis     | 9/29 |



## A. From the Archives ....

Did you know that the PMBC Stovall Hall, originally named as Stovall Recreation Center, was a dedication and tribute to Mrs. Florence Mildred Stovall? Mrs. Stovall, the first wife of Pastor Edward Stovall appeared as a quiet unassuming demure woman of God but proved herself to be a genuine "helpmate" for her husband. In the early part of the pastor's ministry, she served as his unofficial secretary, also as vice president of the Ministers Wives of the East Bay, and as a special counsel for the youth. She and the pastor raised two enterprising sons, Edward and Robert. Sister Stovall completed her earthly journey, January 4, 1964.

## B. Christianity in the News

One of our current pastor's requests is to remind us that we have hosted a few professional athletes here at PMBC since the 1980s. Here are some of those who fellowshipped with us:

- Chris Webber, "C-Webb", Golden State Warriors center and power forward
- Joe Smith, Golden State Warriors power forward
- Carl Lewis, winner of nine Olympic gold medals and one silver medal in track and field
- Ricky Henderson, "Man of Steal", Oakland Athletics left fielder
- Thunder, human mascot for the Golden State Warriors

*Monthly quote: Looking at other's faults  
distracts us from our own.*



Mrs. Florence Mildred Stovall



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Join us for

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Saturday, September 12, 2026

12:00 noon

Stovall Hall

Brothers, join us for

## **GUY TALK**

with Minister Guy Robinson

Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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