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*Established in 1887*

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**Church Theme for 2012-13**  
**“I Want To Be A Follower of Christ”**  
 (I Corinthians 11:1, Ephesians 5:1-2)

**Spiritual Goal**

“To Make Every Person A New Person In Christ”

**10:30 a.m. Song and Praise Service**  
**10:55 a.m. Organ Prelude**  
**11:00 a.m. Call to Worship**

**Worship Leader:** “For we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those whom he has called according to his purpose.” (Romans 8.28)

**People:** “Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble, or hardship, or persecution, or hunger, or poverty, or danger, or death?” (Romans 8.35)

**Unison:** “No, in all these things, we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am persuaded that nothing can separate us from the love of Christ.” (Romans 8.37-39)



**CONVENANT STATEMENT**

New Bethel Baptist Church is a family of Christ-Empowered Believers Baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; committed to making every person a new person in Christ through Evangelism, Worship, Stewardship, Fellowship, Christian Education, Economic & Social Advancement, celebrating our African Heritage, and Community Empowerment; and anointed by God to do the will of God.

*Holy Communion*  
*Order of Worship*  
*September 8, 2013*

Processional

Invocation  
 Reprise  
 Doxology  
 Hymn of Praise  
 Scripture  
 Prayer of Faith  
 Choral Response  
 Melodies of Praise  
 Greetings  
 Offertory Service

Offertory Sentence  
 Tithes and Offering

Choral Response  
 Melodies of Praise  
 Sermon  
 Call to Christian Discipleship  
 Invitational Selection  
 Closing Expressions  
 Altar Call  
 Benediction

Voices of Praise  
 Pastors and Officers  
 Pastor  
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 Deacon Lorenzo Waters  
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 Voices of Praise  
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 Steward Vanessa Farmer

Voices of Praise  
 Pastor

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