

ALLEN TEMPLE TIMES

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ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays, 9:30 am

WORSHIP SERVICE

Sundays, 11:00 am

BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays, 6:00 pm

(See more details below)

A WORD FROM PASTOR HAYNES



The Ninth Episcopal District of the CME Church has partnered with Compassion International to provide help to children living in poverty in specific nations of the earth.

This is part of our calling and mission as a Christian and the body of Christ Jesus.

Matthew 25:35 says, "For I was hungry and you gave me meat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in."

The partnership is offered as a volunteer project for an individual member, a family or a local church.

The monthly contribution for supporting a child in severe poverty is \$46 per month for a period of one year. You have the right to back out of the partnership at any time.

If you want to participate and give, please contact Rev. Beverly Jackson or our District Guide Gabriel Harper (404) 974-7069.

For more information on Compassion International, go to: www.compassion.com

NEW CHURCH PHONE NUMBER

Allen Temple has a new phone number. It is (503) 208-7705,

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday Bible Study at 6 pm is held at the church and via conference call. In the winter months, it is held ONLY via conference call. (605) 313-4448 Access code: 770850#

NEED PRAYER?

Allen Temple has an intercessory prayer team ready and available to intercede in prayer on your behalf. Reach out to any of the following on the intercessory prayer team: Juri Chaney, Brenda Coleman, Shirley Cuff, Doris Dines, Rev. Yvonne Elzie, Regina Green, Rev. Beverly Jackson, Rev. Lionel Lampkin, Nicole Tonkins or Marlon Warren. They want to pray with you, for you or intercede on your behalf.

WELCOME 2025 NEW MEMBERS

Lamar Hardy
Rose Hardy
Sheba Hardy
Shalom Hardy

A SPECIAL THANKS

Bro. Marlon Warren, your church family and friends want to give you a special thanks for the design, high quality photos and hard work you put in to producing such a beautiful new church directory. We are so blessed to have you.

**THE NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE NEEDS YOU**

If you know how to use Canva or any other design software, we need your assistance. Please contact any committee member listed on the last page.

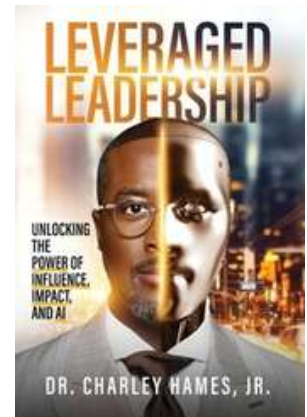
**CONGRATULATIONS PASTOR HAYNES**

Our own Dr. LeRoy Haynes, Jr. was awarded The Bishops Marshall Gilmore and Othal H. Lakey Clergy Service Award for Outstanding Service and Support to the Seminary. This award is given by the Phillips School of Theology/ITC Seminary of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church in Atlanta, GA.

READ, READ, READ

Our own Bishop Dr. Charley Hames, Jr. of the 9th Episcopal District has written the book below. To order go to:

(<http://www.drcharleyhames.com/>) . Allen Temple members please see Rev. Rhonda Smith to place your order directly.

**JUNE, JULY, AUGUST & SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

6/5 James Johnson
6/6 Alina Malray
6/7 Rev. Beverly Jackson
6/12 Rev. Cathy Adams
6/17 Ahquoya Brooks

7/2 Dr. LeRoy Haynes Jr
7/2 Justin Tonkins
7/8 Gloria Cabine
7/8 Charlene Johnson
7/8 Gloria Tims
7/11 Sarai Tyson-Elzie
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7/8 Gloria Tims
7/11 Sarai Tyson-Elzie

7/13 Matthew Roberts
7/13 Elona Hendrix
7/21 Donna Jones
7/23 Azaryiah Richey
7/23 Gloria Kelsey
7/25 William Turner

8/2 Myrtis Beal
8.5 Ja'Zari Richey
8/6 Regina Green
8/13 Min. Empress Edwards-El
8/15 Mamie Powell
8/15 Rev. John Elzie
8/15 Pablo Kennedy

8/16 Burnett White
8/22 Twila Pierce
8/28 Chever Hall
8/28 Milton Adams
8/30 Jada Pierce

9/1 Addie Wallace
9/3 Brenda Thompson
9/5 DeAndre Tillery
9/8 Ted Thieman
9/9 Mary Strayhand-Preston
9/15 Lavon Pierce
9/22 Loadice Tonkins
9/29 Tony Coleman
9/30 Freddie Preston

MINISTRY IN ACTION

HOUSELESS

Allen Temple's Beyond the Walls Houseless Ministry caters to the houseless in the City of Portland. This includes Dignity Village in NE Portland. We provide food, clothing, hygiene kits, blankets, sleeping bags, Bibles and prayer among other items. We believe that everyone deserves to be treated with dignity and respect. We have been blessed to be in existence for 13 years. We are always looking for donations as well as volunteers to make sandwiches. To donate or find other ways you can help, please contact Rev. Rhonda Smith via email at rhondiva3@gmail.com

EMERGENCY FOOD CENTER

Allen Temple's Emergency Food Center is open two days a week at 4214 NE 8th Avenue. Hours are Wednesdays and Saturdays 11 am - 2:00 pm. It is closed the first Wednesday and Saturday of each month. For more info contact Gloria Kelsey at (503) 284-1010.

HIV/AIDS EDUCATIONAL PROJECT

We operate a faith-based program for education of churches and the community on the victims and families of HIV/AIDS. We also conduct workshops on major health issues that disproportionately affect the Black community. See Sis. Doris Dines for further info.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Proverbs 22:6 "Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it." (NIV). Allen Temple Children's Ministry, under the direction of Rev. Rhonda Smith, teaches children the biblical principles so they can make their own decisions giving their lives to Christ. For further info please contact Rev. Rhonda Smith at rhondiva3@gmail.com

RESURRECTION DRUG & ALCOHOL PROGRAM

Allen Temple's 12 Step Resurrection Drug Abuse, Alcoholism and Addiction Program meets Friday nights at 7:00 pm via Zoom. Zoom ID#917-9706-5487. No password needed.

SUGGESTIONS / ELECTRONIC COPIES

We pray you enjoyed this edition of the "Allen Temple Times." If you have any comments or ideas for future newsletters, please see any committee member or email us at allentemplepdx@gmail.com. Put "Newsletter" in the subject line.

To view, download, print or share an online copy of the newsletter, go to Allen Temple's website at (www.atcpdx.org).

COMING SOON

STAY TUNED!

Sunday, June 8, 3:30 pm

Pastor Haynes and Sis. Doris
Mays-Haynes Appreciation

Saturday, June 14, 1:00 pm

Celebrating Juneteenth
Freedom Day Program
Location: Allen Temple
Sponsored by Allen Temple
and The Episcopal Church in
Western Oregon

Sunday, June 15

Fathers' Day

Saturday, June 21

Juneteenth Oregon
Parade and Festival
Lillis Albina Park
N. Flint Ave. & Russell Street

Sunday, June 22

Student Recognition during
morning worship service
(Please complete form by 6/15)

Sunday, June 22, 1:30 pm

Freddie Peston and
Mary Strayhand-Preston
Vow Renewal

Sunday, June 29

Missionary Sunday

Saturday, July 12, 1:00 pm

Memorial Service
Sis. Betty L. Johnson
(Ronald Manus'
lifelong companion)
Location: Allen Temple

Sunday, August 10

Quarterly Conference
Allen Temple

October 6 - 11, 2025

CME Church 13th Annual
Unity Summit
Hilton Hotel - Memphis
(Click link for more info)

[CME Unity Summit](#)

Saturday, November 1, 2025

Fall Gathering
(More details to come)

*Want to know what's going on at the CME
National and 9th Episcopal District levels?*

Check out these websites:

www.thecmechurch.org

www.9thdistrictcme.com

Ways to Give

There are several ways to make
a charitable contribution to
Allen Temple which is a 501(c)(3)
non-profit organization:



www.atcpdx.org/donate



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Each household received one no
charge. You can purchase an
additional one for just \$10.

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