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JUNE 2021

CELEBRATING
PASTOR D.Z.
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Celebrating Juneteenth with Spirits Renewed

Though for some it may seem to be ages ago, the celebration of the nationally recognized Juneteenth holiday is still a very recent part of Black History.

As current events have shown, many challenges inherent in racial discord are still alive and well today.

Nevertheless, recent milestones serve as a poignant reminder that unity is among our greatest assets, and reliance on God for true justice can change even the darkest hours.

This year, let us celebrate Juneteenth not only for its present-day significance, but with the assurance that change is still on the horizon. The collective efforts of like-minded communities are a growing impetus in changing the landscape for the betterment of all mankind. While the fight ahead will not be easy, it is worth engaging with spirits renewed. Happy Juneteenth to all, and may we continue to strive for excellence.

Celebrating the Sentiments of African American Music

Music within and without has soothed the souls of African American people dating back to the beginning of civilization. Instruments made from the world around them accented the adventures of our ancestors while lyrics borne out of love told stories that were passed down from one family to the next.

African American music maintains a uniqueness that is rich in culture, customs, candor and even comedy. Espousing joys and pains of generations, it embodies the human spirit. It's distinctive enough to serve as a point of identity for communities of color, yet relevant enough to be enjoyed by anyone.

Please join us in celebrating African American Music Appreciation Month, continuing the tradition originated in 1979, by sharing the legacy and love for the music that transcends a lifetime.



John C. Maxwell says, "A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way." That statement describes Pastor Cofield perfectly, because for the 27 years we have been blessed to have our Senior Pastor, our church mission to "Love God, love all people, and change the world, in order to make disciples of Jesus Christ," has been exemplified in everything he has said and done! His visionary leadership and heart for people has transformed Good Hope into a leader in the faith-based community locally, nationally, and internationally!

In 1995, just a year after becoming our Pastor, Dr. D.Z. Cofield became the founder and CEO of the non-profit organization, "Hope for Families, Inc." Under Pastor Cofield's leadership, a major building fund campaign was launched in 2001 to create the Center for Hope, which opened in September, 2005. The Barbara Jordan Child Development Center, was another of Pastor Cofield's visions which was created in 2005. This preschool has transformed the lives of thousands of children in the greater Third Ward community and throughout the city of Houston.

Pastor Cofield's passion and love for the community led to the development of the Community Development Health Fair, where Good Hope was able to provide food for those in need as well as essential healthcare testing. Prostate testing, breast cancer awareness, HIV testing, glucose testing, and blood pressure checks are just a few of the life-saving tests that have been provided for the community.

Hope for Families has also partnered with the Houston Food Bank, which is the home of the "Hope for Families Food Bank." Every week, food insecurities have a place to receive food in a dignified and safe environment.

Pastor Cofield, in conjunction with FEMA, created the Disaster Relief Network, where thousands of people have been assisted through Small Business loans, job opportunities, and more. Pastor Cofield has also created a Disaster Relief Network, uniting churches across the nation in coming together during catastrophic events to support those affected. Under his leadership, Good Hope made sure Good Hope has been a beacon of light for people who have been adversely affected by hurricanes and tropical storms.

In like manner, Pastor Cofield has been at the forefront of the church in partnering with local, state and federal agencies in order to provide support as well as Covid vaccines. Pastor Cofield is also the founder of Good Hope, an organization whose mission is to raise educational awareness and benefit families across the world, specifically in Africa who have been affected by HIV/AIDS. Under Dr. Cofield's Missions Ministry, Good Hope is supporting the development of a church and school in Ghana and other parts of the world.

Always a visionary, Pastor Cofield led Good Hope into the digital age at the onset of the global pandemic. His passion and foresight in using social media masses via television paved the way for dissolving the digital divide and becoming a "Smart Phone" church. Pastor Cofield's vision has been supported with a technological foundation that includes live-streaming, recorded services and sermon notes that are available through a convenient website. It is through this foundation that Pastor Cofield's vision of iHope Church was realized, which allows Good Hope to offer "Worship on Demand" as we continue to love God, love all people and change the world. Not only will Good Hope utilize digital capabilities through iHope Church, but through Pastor Cofield's leadership and vision, we have begun to expand our church's impact globally.

Pastor Cofield still believes the best days of the church are ahead. It is a blessing to be led by this outstanding man of God as he facilitates the growth of the church to "Take Hope to the World."

Happy Anniversary, Pastor Cofield! We love you!

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Prioritizing Health

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) is most often associated with veterans, but it can and is experienced by many people who aren't veterans at all. In fact, PTSD occurs when a person experiences or witnesses a traumatic event. With this in mind, a significant increase of people in numerous communities have experienced trauma since the beginning of the global pandemic.

June is PTSD month, and we can raise awareness about both its existence and ways of treating PTSD by understanding factors that cause it, spreading the word about its significance and exploring ways of reducing its impact. We can better protect our mental health if we are better informed and responsive to transformative care. Let's put wellness at the top of our list and strengthen families when it matters most.



amidst PTSD

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SUNDAY

All Audiences:

8AM & 10AM

Call

(713)-524-6578

for details

Wednesday WORSHIP IN THE WORD

Via Streaming: 7PM

Featuring:

Dr. Elliott Green

Happy Father's Day Poem

You've anchored families
since time began.
You've held our hearts
in the strongest hands.
Your spirit revives
with love on end.
You provide a firm foundation.

Even amidst
unintended mistakes,
you made sacrifices
for our sakes.
In His image,
You were made great.
You were destined for admiration.

If ever you're absent
from the home
the lack of your presence
is painfully known.
Your loving bond
is sought for life long.
Your assurance brings consolation.

Be encouraged
and blessed from above.
Your kindness and compassion
Are well thought of.
May you ever know
that you are well loved
and the source of great inspiration.



Time To Celebrate



"and I will give you pastors according to mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding."

Jeremiah 3:15 KJV

We are thankful for 27 years of having the spiritual leadership of Dr. D.Z. Cofield here at Good Hope Missionary Baptist Church! Join us the weekend of **June 25, 2021**, as we show "Love to the Pastor!"

Friday, June 25, 2021 - 7:00 p.m.

Virtual 27th Anniversary Streaming Worship Service

Saturday, June 26, 2021 - 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Pastor Cofield's 27th Year Anniversary Block Party (Ennis Parking Lot) In-Person Event

Sunday, June 27, 2021 - 10:00 a.m.

Pastor Cofield's 27th Anniversary Pastoral Anniversary Worship Service - In person service in the Good Hope Sanctuary

HOOPS 4 HOPE BASKETBALL



Good Hope Missionary Baptist Church is proud to announce that Hoops for Hope is launching its 2021 season. Hoops for Hope is a basketball League that uses sports as a vehicle to disciple youth in the 7th to 12th grade to come to know and grow in Christ as it teaches them about the Word of God and gives them tools to apply His Word to basketball and to their lives.

The workouts for Hoops for Hope are Tuesdays and Thursdays, from June 8-July 8 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the gym at Good Hope. The cost to participate is \$15, and youth from the ages of 12 to 19 are eligible to join.

We cannot wait to see you for this year's "Summer Fun in the Sun." Join us as we zoom in and focus on Jesus with games, crafts, music and more! See you there!

Special Note: On July 16, 2021, we will culminate VBS with a community "Son-Sational Summer Festival" (similar to Hallowed Be Thy Name). The event will be in the Ennis Field Friday, July 16th from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. and will feature games, rides, food, music and more!

Location: Video On Demand (VOD), ZOOM, Parking Lot Worship

Time: July 12-15, 2021 VBS is from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. via VOD and ZOOM. The culmination for VBS is Friday, July 16th from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Ennis Field.

Vacation Bible School 2021

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