

"Remembering Loved Ones"

(A Monthly Memorial Newsletter)

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Very Rev. Cornelius K. Ejiogu, SSJ, Pastor

Deacons: Ira Chase and Thomas Jones



Doris H. Savoy, Editor



Deceased Lazarus Bereavement

Ministry members:

Helen R. Higdon

(September 11, 2000)

William (Dusty) Hawkins

(March 18, 2002)

Laura C. Sullivan

(September 14, 2006)

Shirley T. Green

(October 27, 2006)

Joseph (Fatback) Newman

(February 11, 2008)

Ronald T. Soloman

(February 22, 2008)

Percy (Butch) Battle

(March 22, 2008)

Betty E. Grayson

(April 19, 2008)

Joseph Philmore Curseen, Sr.

(April 28, 2013)

Anne Marice Williamson

(November 7, 2013)

Jean Bernadine Hawkins

(January 28, 2014)

Laura Williams Contee Harris

(October 19, 2014)

Barbara E. Barnes

(May 2, 2016)

William Edward Brown, Sr.

(September 29, 2016)

Diana Lorraine Johnson

(June 6, 2017)

Joseph Aloysius Quander, Jr.

(May 31, 2019)

Earline Norma Wilkinson

(October 10, 2020)

Roberta Harrod-Brooks

(November 1, 2020)

Bernadette Cecelia Waters

(March 11, 2022)

Lucie Grayson Shepherd

(March 27, 2022)

Marianne Beverly Thompson

(July 9, 2024)

Marian Estine Van Dyke

(July 29, 2024)

Dorothy Mae Speight Brown

(November 3, 2024)

In Memoriam



FIRST YEAR ANNIVERSARY

September 13th

Elnora Virginia Branson

Michele Jackson-Sanders

Christine Jean White

September 14th

Marguerite Rosemary Lofty



November 2024 – October 2025

November 4th

Dorothy Mae Speight Brown

November 16th

Patrice Monica Washington Deshields

December 10th

Donna Maria Toliver Grimes

December 16th

Chance' Devon Williams

January 4th

Lent Leroy Hunter

January 12th

Dion M. Thompson

January 16th

LaVerne Victoria Ross

February 1st

Mattie Barnard O'Neal

February 7th

Sheryl Lucia Prue

February 10th

Agatha Gwendolyn Brown

February 14th

Wendell Young

February 18th

Rev. Nixon Mullah, SSJ

February 19th

Emogene Nelson

March 3rd

Carol Ann Joel

March 8th

Judith Cecelia Travers

March 9th

Charles Wyman Roberts, Jr.

March 13th

Warren Irvin Glasco

March 14th

Kourtni Smith

March 20th

Terry Shaw Hawkins

March 21st

Gladys Theodora Washington Reid

March 31st

Reginald Carroll

Lindolph Marcellous, Sr.

April 21st

Pope Francis

April 22nd

Diamond Esprit Benjamin

April 27th

Patricia Ann Cash Hester

May 11th

Sandra Atheline Thomas

May 24th

Melvin James Goode, Jr.

May 26th

Beverly Ann Cleveland

May 29th

Patricia Ann Green

June 6th

Dr. Penny Lynn Sappington

June 10th

Alisa Nicole Logan

Reginald Devon Logan

June 12th

Karen Cecilia Billings

June 26th

Joseph West

July 1st

Juan Marichal Burford

July 3rd

Kevin Andre Chase

Charles Henry Williams, Sr.

July 15th

Andrew Robert Dunmore

July 26th

Jean Hughes Westray

August 2nd

June Epps Rose

August 6th

James Maurice Ramey, Sr.

August 7th

Hewitt Vernon Wilkinson



MEMORIAL BIRTHDAYS

- September 1st
Sabrina Ross
- September 2nd
Lawrence Maurice Ford
- September 3rd
Homer W. Bozeman, Jr.
- September 4th
Hezekiah A. Briscoe
Ronald A. Harley
- Rosa Christine T. Pinderhughes**
Sarah Emma Sylvene Savoy
Lauretta Burrell Sullivan
- September 5th
George Nicholas Conway, Sr.
- September 8th
Randolph DeWitt Hursey, Jr.
- September 9th
Robert Eugene Jordan
- September 13th
Betty E. Grayson
- September 14th
Helen Elaine Duckett Briscoe
- September 15th
Francis DeSales Roberts
- September 19th
Maggie Louise Garrett
- September 20th
Lena Frances Moody
- September 22nd
Vernon S. Brown
- Joan Mercedes Beasley Garner**
- September 23rd
William Soloman, Jr.
- September 26th
Howard S. Craig
William S. Samuels
- September 27th
Julia Catherine (Roberts) Robinson
- September 28th
Alton Denard Kelly
Emily Anne Palmer
- September 29th
Joan McDaniel Stewart

when someone
YOU LOVE
BECOMES A
MEMORY
THE MEMORY
BECOMES A
treasure

**SPECIAL
REMEMBRANCES**



Thomas Jordan
on the 23rd Anniversary of his death
September 2nd
and **Robert Jordan**
in remembrance of his birthday
September 9th
"TJ" and "RJ"
we still love and miss you both.
Love, Deacon Ira & Judy Chase &
Family, your brothers, their wives and
other family members.



Ruth I. Proctor
Remembering our Grandmother
and Great Grandmother on the
anniversary of her birthday,
September 11th.
You are still loved and missed.
Continue to rest in God's loving
peace.
Love from the Tuckers:
Kelly, Darrell, Kayla, Taylor, & Daryl



Father and Grandfather on the
anniversary of his death
September 22, 2008
William Soloman, Sr.
Loving and missing you still!!!
Coleman-Younger-Minor
Families



Lauretta Jean Burrell Sullivan
Those we love don't go away.
They walk beside us every day.
Unseen, unheard, but always near,
still loved, still missed and very
dear!! Remembering and missing
you on your 109th birthday,
September 4th.
Millicent Hawkins

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church is offering **eight bereavement sessions** from October 21 through December 9, 2025. The sessions take place on **Tuesdays between 7:30 and 9:00 PM**. The virtual sessions are available through the **Zoom technology**. The goal of these sessions is to provide a safe and inviting space where grief can be shared freely without expectations, fear or criticism. Group members connect with each other through their loss and help each other through attentive and compassionate listening. Members seek to move through their pain and burdens to finding God in life-giving relationships.
There are no fees, but registration is required.
If interested, please contact Jim Hoffman at 202-577-2213 or email: hoffmanlpc@gmail.com to register.

