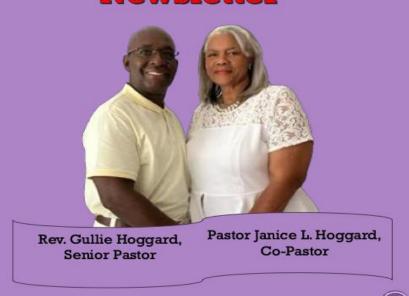


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**Mission of RockFaith IMI** 

To reach those of various ethnic, social, and economic backgrounds, and disciple them, through the Word of God, on how to live a victorious Life in Christ Jesus.



# To connect souls to God by way of the Cross of Christ

#### Possessing a Spirit of Thanksgiving

Colonists in New England and Canada regularly observed "thanksgivings," days of prayer for such blessings as safe journeys, military victories, or abundant harvests. Americans model their holiday on a 1621 harvest

#### The Pastor's Corner

feast shared between the Wampanoag people and the English colonists known as Pilgrims. (Britannica) Unfortunately, many of us only view this time of year as a day of enjoying various activities with family and friends where God is often not honored.

In Psalm 100, God admonishes us to enter His presence with thanksgiving. In every situation, we need to be thankful for this is the will of God. (1Thess. 5:18). We know that, as believers in Christ, everything will work out for our good according to His will (Rom. 8:28). Therefore, we need to possess a spirit of thanksgiving, regardless of the challenges we may face.

Our trials may seem like they're about to overtake us. But God doesn't want us to be anxious about the times we're living in, but for us to send our trials up to Him with prayers and petitions with thanksgiving. Therefore, it is of vital importance to start every day with honor and glory to our Lord and Savior.

Delighted to Serve, Senior Pastor, Rev. Gullie Hoggard

#### The Co-Pastor's Nuggets

#### **Don't Stress in The Process**

<u>Matthew 6:31 "Therefore take no thought, saying, what shall we eat? Or What shall we drink: or, wherewithal</u> shall we be clothed?."

God did not mean for us to carry the load of worrying about how we would be provided for in this life. Even in the Garden of Eden, God made provision for man so they would not have to wonder how they would be taken care of.

Stress and worry are some of the things that came along with the sin nature of mankind. It was never God's plan for us to be overly concerned about our next meal or where our clothing would come from.

He did, however, make a remedy for us by saying if we do not work, then we cannot expect to eat, (2Thes 3:10). This simply means that we are to use the tools God has given us to provide for ourselves, while keeping in mind that He is our ultimate source and provider.

With this said, there is no need for us to stress in the process of whatever challenges come our way. We have to continue to look to the Hills from whence cometh our help, which is God our Father, (*Psalms 121:1*).

So, the next time you feel the emotion of stress trying to bombard your mind, turn to God. Remember that God is your source from which every one of your blessings flows. He does not want you to stress concerning things that are out of your control, but He does want you to make good use of the resources He has given you, such as your mind, your hands & feet, and a heart to always rely on Him.

Don't stress while in the process because God will always see you through.

humbly submitted.

Pastor J.



#### The Affirmation of Our Faith

We affirm our faith in the Holy Bible.

We believe the Holy Bible to be the inspired and only written Word of God. II Peter 1:20-21: II Timothy 3:16-17

We affirm our faith in God.

We believe there is one God eternally existent in three persons, God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. Isaiah 43:1-11; Matthew 28:19 and John 1:1

We affirm our faith in the Blessed Hope and the mission of hope that Jesus always offers.

We believe in the Blessed Hope which is the rapture of His church, which includes **RockFaith International Ministries, Inc.** Acts 1:11; Titus 2:13 and I Thess. 4:16-17

We affirm our faith in Repentance and Salvation.

We believe that the only means of being cleansed from sin is through repentance and faith in the precious blood of Jesus Christ. We believe that the regeneration by the Holy Ghost is absolutely essential for personal salvation. Romans 10:8-13; Matthew 19:28 and Titus 3:5

We affirm our faith in Jesus Christ.

We believe the redemptive work of Christ on the cross provides both healing and salvation (Physically and Spiritually) in answer to believing in prayer.

We affirm our faith in the Holy Ghost.

We believe that the baptism of the Holy Ghost, according to Act 2:4, is the promised gift to believers who ask for it. Acts 2:38-39

We affirm our faith in Sanctification.

We believe in the sanctifying power of the Holy Ghost, by whose indwelling, the Christian is enabled to live a Holy and separated life in this present world. **AMEN** 

## Dates to Remember

### **Daylight Savings Time Ends:**

November 3, 2024



November 5, 2024





November 28, 2024



Also, remember
Native American Heritage Day
11/29/2024



#### Sunday:

\*WORSHIP CELEBRATION - 10:30-11:00 am

\*WORD EXPERIENCE – 11:00 am (Simultaneously broadcasting on Facebook Live, Instagram, and YouTube)

#### Tuesdays:

\*PRECIOUS MOMENTS OF PRAYER - 6:00-6:30 am (the prayer line will open @ 5:45 am)

M.O.V.E.S - MEN OF VALOR, ENLIGHTENMENT & STRENGTH – 6:00-7:15 pm; 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays

YOUTH ON THE MOVE FOR CHRIST – WORD STUDY – 6:30-7:30 pm; 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays

#### Wednesdays:

\*WORD STUDY - 6:30 - 7:45 pm

Weekly Church Communion and Fast

#### Thursdays:

\*PRECIOUS MOMENTS OF PRAYER – 6:00-6:30 am (the prayer line will open @ 5:45 am)

SBLM PRESENTS - LET'S TALK W/GULLIE

6:00-7:15 pm -1<sup>st</sup> Thursday

SBLM PRESENTS – NEW HORIZON MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT GROUP 6:00-7:15 pm – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday.

#### Saturdays:

RIGHTEOUSNESS OF CHRIST
- SIMPLICITY OF GOD'S WORD FOR WOMEN

10:00-11:00 am - 2nd and 4th Saturdays

\*Weekly

### Thank You for Giving



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