

# LaMott African Methodist Episcopal Church

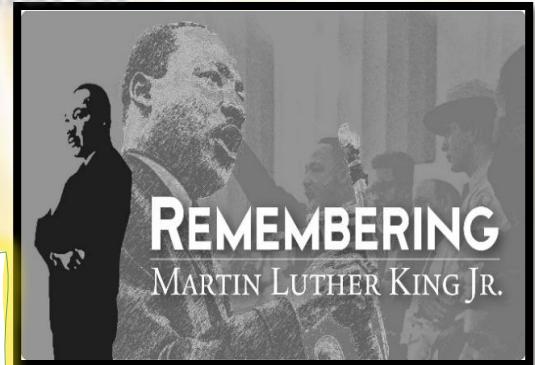
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We Honor - The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.  
- January 15, 1929 – April 4, 1968



## Church Vision for 2026 "Worship - Give God Your Attention"

**Scripture:** "There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in flames of fire from within a bush. Moses saw that though the bush was on fire it did not burn up. So Moses thought, 'I will go and see this strange sight—why the bush does not burn up.' Exodus 3:2-3 NIV

**Scripture of the Month :** "One thing I have desired of the Lord, That will I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the Lord All the days of my life, To behold the beauty of the Lord, And to inquire in His temple." Psalm 27:4 NKJV

## Order of Service

Sunday, January 18, 2026 - 10:00 a.m.

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP - New Year

**L:** Come, people of God, step into this new year with hearts open to His leading.  
We leave behind what is past, and press on toward what lies ahead.

**P:** The Lord who was faithful yesterday is the same today and forever.  
We trust His promises and rejoice in His unfailing love.

**L:** Lift up your voices, for the God who makes all things new is here among us.

**All:** We worship the One who crowns the year with His goodness and fills our days with hope!



### OPENING HYMN

"How to Reach the Masses" #221

**1.** How to reach the masses, those of every birth? For an answer Jesus gave the key:  
"And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto Me." **[Refrain]**

**4.** Lift Him up by living as a Christian ought, let the world in you the Savior see.  
Then all will gladly follow Him who once taught: "I'll draw all men unto Me." **[Refrain]**

**Refrain:** Lift Him up, lift Him up, still He speaks from eternity: "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth,  
will draw all people to Me."

### \*PRAYER



### PRAYER RESPONSE

### WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

The Sanctuary Choir

### DECLARATION

This is my Bible. I am what it says I am. I can have what it says I can have. I can do what it says I can do. Today I will be taught the word of God. My mind is alert. My heart is receptive. I'll never be the same again. In Jesus' name. Amen

### \*READING OF THE WILL

Old Testament: **Exodus 3:7-13** New Testament: 2<sup>nd</sup> **Corinthians 3:16-18** The Gospel: **Luke 10:38-42**

\*Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"

Gloria Patri – "Glory be to the Father"

**PRESENTATION - We Honor The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. –** Sis. Lydia Goodman - The Church School of LaMott  
**WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC** The Sanctuary Choir

### \*SERMON

Rev. Dr. Louis P. Attles, Pastor

### \*INVITATIONAL

### GIVING OF OUR TITHES/OFFERING

Cashapp -[https://cash.app/\\$LaMottAMEChurch](https://cash.app/$LaMottAMEChurch)

Or Text the word: **lamottamec -1888-364-4483(give)follow link**

You Can Also Drop off your Envelope  
or Mail To The Church

### THE PASTOR'S WORD/ANNOUNCEMENTS/ & WELCOME VISITORS

### BENEDICTION

"Reach out and Touch Somebody's Hand"

**Worship Webinar :** **Webinar ID:** 931 9705 6304 -Dial in +1 (646) 931-3860 - **Then dial** 931 9705 6304 #

**Or :** +1 (301) 715 8592 – **Bible Study, Meetings - Zoom** - Join Zoom Meeting <https://zoom.us/j/99882887220> -

**Meeting ID:** 998 8288 7220 **Passcode:** 1505 - **Mobile** +1 (301) 715-8592 then dial 998 8288 7220#

\*WORSHIPPERS Are Asked To Refrain From Entering In The Sanctuary at These Times.



USE ME, GOD.  
SHOW HOW TO TAKE WHO I AM,  
WHO I WANT TO BE,  
WHAT I CAN DO  
AND USE IT FOR A PURPOSE  
GREATER THAN MYSELF.  
"

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.



**God Our Father, Christ Our Redeemer, the Holy Spirit Our Comforter, Humankind Our Family**

**CHURCH SCHOOL LESSON: "Prayer and Humility"** Lesson Text: Genesis 18:25-27, Luke 18:9-14, 1 John 5:14-15 -

**Key Text:** "I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." Luke 18:14

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!**

Sis. Paris Graves, Bro. Gerald Samuels, Cayden Carter,  
Sisters Robyn Manley, Deborah Roberts, & Martha Woods

**Come Join Us In Church School:** Every Sunday 9:00a –**Black History Presentation** -Every 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY - The Youth Ushers** will meet with Sis. Malinda Miller, Director, after the morning service for usher training in the rear of the sanctuary. All youth are welcome to join the Youth Usher Board.

**TODAY - The Youth Choir** will rehearse after the morning service.

**EVERY TUESDAY is "Zoom Bible Study" - @ 7:30 p.m.**, come Join us all are welcome!!

We are asking for **donations** to help defray the cost of the heater/boiler, **please see the updated insert**

**FEBRUARY IS "Black History Month" the Board of Christian Ed** will have presentations during Church School and the morning worship service. On Sun, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> please wear your African garb. Lunch will be served- Donation. – Sis. Taylor, Pres.

**Sun., Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> – @ 3:00 p.m.** The YPD will celebrate their **Annual Day**. The speaker will be Sister Ashley Banks, Director of the LaMott YPD. All are welcome. Lunch (Donation) will be served after the morning service.

The **Sign-Up Sheet** is on the table in the rear of the sanctuary to request a **Tax Statement (Financial Giving) For 2025.**

**Please do not forget the Prayer Board in the back of the Sanctuary. Let us Pray for others.**

LaMott's **"FOOD PANTRY"** is open **Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday** – **Time: 9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.**

All are Welcome. Please share this info with someone who might be in need. Charlotte Covington, Director.



## REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

### **Please Pray For Those Who Are Requesting Prayer**

Bro. Bobby Sewell, Sis. Katrina Lowman, Bro. Nate Howard, Sis. Anette Stafford wife of Elder Safford, Bro. John Alcorn, our Youth and Teachers, Sis. Danita Wilbanks and her mother, Sis. Felicia Phelps and Bro. William Walker sister & brother of Wanda Samuels, Bro. Herbert Tucker father of Sis. Linda Floyd, Bro. Roy & Sis. Catherine Moore, Sis. Mary English, Sis. Lil Mellison, Sis. Maggie Bullard, Sis. Deb Williams' father Bro. Bartholomew Bundy, Sis. O'Jetta Croswell's Brother - Brewington W. Croswell ESQ, and her Sister Dr. Elva L. Croswell, Sis. Lottie Chisholm and her mother, Lula King, Tuwana Jones, niece of Sis. Mary & Keith English, Rev. Dr. & Mrs. Melvin D. Wayns, family members and friends who are sick and have lost loved ones, **Birthdays or Anniversaries in JANUARY.**

### **January -**



Tymir Banks 4 <sup>th</sup>	Malinda Miller 4 <sup>th</sup>	Paris Graves 6 <sup>th</sup>	Angel Williams 6 <sup>th</sup>
Jeannette Congleton 8 <sup>th</sup>	Tori Lim 11 <sup>th</sup>	Gerald Samuels 11 <sup>th</sup>	Robert Sewell Sr. 11 <sup>th</sup>
Robyn Manley 12 <sup>th</sup>	Ebony Barrier 15 <sup>th</sup>	Josea Martinez 15 <sup>th</sup>	Robert Sewell Jr. 16 <sup>th</sup>
Cayden Carter 17 <sup>th</sup>	Diane A. Davis 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Deborah Roberts 26 <sup>th</sup>	Martha Woods 26 <sup>th</sup>

### **January -**



Gerald & Wanda Samuels 3<sup>rd</sup> - **25 years**      Bobby & Jackie Sewell 19<sup>th</sup> - **41 years**

