

Queen Street Baptist

Church
Since 1822

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Caring For Others

Jeremiah carried out his ministry through what is called the darkest period in Judah's history. He had his call in 627 BC. It was a difficult and dangerous period with many changes and challenges. A period that ended with the fall of Jerusalem.

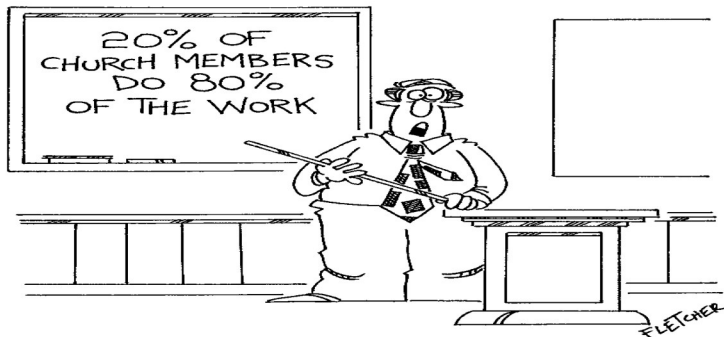
Just before the fall of Jerusalem, Jeremiah gave a final warning to the people of Judah, The warning came from God. Jeremiah told them, The Lord says, "Whoever stays in this city will die of war hunger or plague...but whoever goes over to the Babylonians will live. They will escape with their lives." (Jer. 38:2a NIV).

Four officials believed that Jeremiah was a traitor, so they sought to silence him by asking the king's permission to put him to death. King Zedekiah knew that Jeremiah was innocent but he did not want to oppose the men. So he said, "The king can do nothing to oppose you." Thereby giving permission for the officials to carry out the devious act. (Jer. 38:5) He was lowered into an empty, muddy well with ropes, but God was with him, and someone cared about his safety. The empty well belonged to a member of the Royal court named Malkijah.

Ebed -Melech , a servant of the king, sought an audience with the king on Jeremiah's behalf. He did not want Jeremiah to starve to death. His use of rags and clothes from the palace storehouse to reduce Jeremiah's discomfort while he was being lifted from the cistern shows Ebed-Melech's concern for his well being. It is this same kind of deep concern that the Lord wants us to show for others when He commanded us to love our neighbours as we love ourselves. (Matt. 22:39)

Do you care about others? Do you honour this command that comes from God?

Let us ask the Lord to use us in someone's life without expecting anything in



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"So the question is: 'How to get that 20% to press on to greater achievement?'"

Leaders And Deacons (1 Tim. 3: 1-9 Nivv)

Here is a saying you can trust. If anyone wants to be a leader in the church, he wants to do a good work for God and people.

A leader must be free from blame. He must be faithful to his wife. In anything he does he must not go too far. He must control himself. He must be worthy of respect. He must welcome people into his home. He must be able to teach.

He must not get drunk. He must not push people around. He must be gentle. He must not be a person who likes to argue. He must not love money. He must manage his own family well. He must make sure that his children obey him and show him proper respect.

Suppose someone doesn't know how to manage his own family. Then how can he take care of God's church?

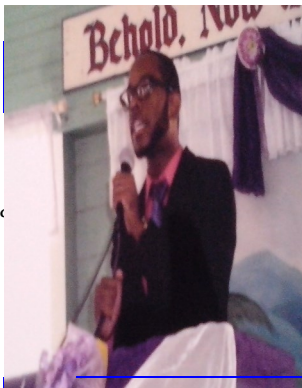
The leader must not be a new believer. If he is he might become proud. Then he would be judged just like the devil.

The leader must also be respected by those who are outside the church. Then he will not be put to shame. He will not fall into the devil's trap.

Deacons also must be worthy of respect. They must be honest and true. They must not drink too much wine. They must not try to get money by cheating people. They must hold on to the deep truths of the faith. Even their own minds will tell them to do that. First they must be tested. Then let them serve as deacons if there is nothing against them....

Serve the Lord with Gladness

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Congratulations to you Pastor Fredrico Lord.
We welcome you to our fold as our new pastor, and look forward for great things in your leadership. God has a plan for us here at Queen St. Baptist Church. It is no accident that you are here. We support you as you take on this position as pastor. We know that the responsibility is great, but God never fails and you are under his wings. We serve a God who never changes. He is the same yesterday, today and forever.
To God Be The Glory.

Upcoming Events

Young Adults Retreat
 April 8 - 10 - Camalote

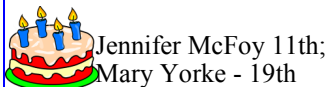
Women's Camp
 April 29 & 30
 Camalote

Baptist Association
 of Belize Sunday School
 Teachers' Workshop
 Sat. April 16
 Lake I Baptist Church
 9:00 a.m.

Georgetown Mission Trip
 Summer 2016

“Everyone does matter! To see, hear or feel as others do, one must close the physical eye and open our Spiritual heart.”

Happy Birthday!



Jennifer McFoy 11th;
 Mary Yorke - 19th

Church Fellowships

Sunday School for all ages - 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.
 Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.

1st Sunday

Children's Service - 10:45 a.m.
 Communion (After Evening Service)

Last Sunday: Singspiration: - 7:00 p.m.

Monthly Fellowships & Meeting

Women's Fellowship - 1st Monday
Church Council Meeting - 2nd Monday
Trustees Board Meeting - 3rd Monday
Men's Fellowship - 4th Monday
Couple's Fellowship - Last Friday

Weekly Activities

Evangelism - Wednesday - 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study -
 Thursday 6:00 p.m.
Youth Fellowship - Friday - 7:00 pm -

Saturday - Music Practice

Children's Choir - 1:00 p.m.
Adult Choir - 2:00 p.m.
Praise Team - 4:00 p.m.

Come And Join Us!



Welcome



Historical Church Installs New Pastor

After 45 years of ministry at Queen Street Baptist Church, 38 years of which he served as pastor, Lloyd Stanford Sr. is passing on leadership of the Church to a new pastor.

On April 03rd 2016 Bro. Fredrico Lord will be ordained and installed as the new pastor of Queen Street Baptist Church. Since its establishment in 1822, the church has established other Baptist churches in Belize, sent missionaries to start churches in other countries in Central America and was the church of choice for worship and thanksgiving by emancipated slaves on 1 August 1838.

Brother Fredrico Lord hails from the island of Jamaica. He grew up in a small town called Annotto Bay with a population of about 5,500 residents. He was schooled in that very same community where he attended primary and high school. After being converted to Christianity in January 2009, Mr Lord plunged into seminary where he did a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology at the Midland Bible Institute. He graduated in 2013 as valedictorian of his class, then went on to practice as a guidance counsellor at the Kemps Hill High School.

Since his conversion, Mr Lord has been instrumental in Kingdom building all over Jamaica. Last year he spent 6 months here in Belize where he worked voluntarily with the Child Development Foundation (CDF), and spoke at several churches and high schools across the country. He is a camp counsellor, and speaks at conferences, conventions, open air meetings and crusades. He enjoys reading current affairs, socializing and spending time in the Word of God. He is currently pursuing a Masters of Science degree in Counselling & Consultant Psychology (MCCP) at the International University of the Caribbean (IUC).

Mr Lord believes that with the tenacity of a bulldog and hard work, anyone can achieve his/her goals, no matter the odds. This is his personal experience. His philosophy, developed by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow is: *“The heights by great men reached and kept were not attained by sudden flight, but they, while their companions slept, were toiling upward in the night.”*

The congregation of Queen Street Baptist Church welcomes their new pastor, and through the ministries of the church, is poised to “blaze new trails”.