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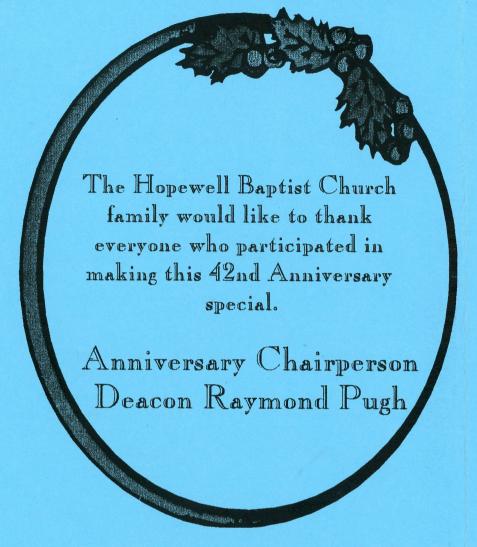


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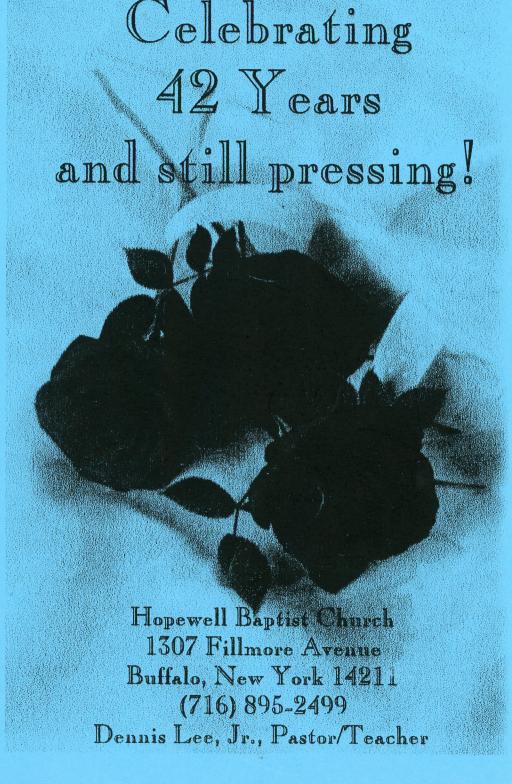
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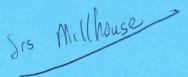
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Sunday School: 9:30am.
Worship Service: 11:15am.
Bible Study: Wed. 7:00pm.
Morning Prayer: Sat. 8:00am.



Devotion	Deacons
Hostess	Sis. Nikki Gray
Welcome	Sister Lenz Ashley
Response	Nazareth B. C.
Selection	Senior Choir
Church History	Deaconess Ann Hooks
Selection	Senior Choir
Introduction of Speaker.	Pastor Lee
Offering	Deacons
Selection(s)	Nazareth B.C.
Sermon	Rev. Gentre Garmon
Invitation to	Discipleship
Gift of Love	Deacons
Remarks	Pastor Lee
Benediction	Pastor Garmon
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Church History

The Hopewell Baptist Church was organized in the home of Rev. John F.D. Lyles, in January of 1956 at 474 Genesee st.

The church was organized with eight members and we are still blessed to have two remaining charter members with us today.

They are Mother Marquerite Dunford and Mother Gladys Bonner.

Due to our constant growth we have moved several times starting at 474 Genesee Street to our present location, 1307 Fillmore Avenue. In the near future, we are planning on one more move which will be our new edifice. Our founder and pastor, Rev. John F. D. Lyles, served faithfully until his death, December 8, 1887. In June of 1988, Dennis Lee, Jr. was called to be our

In June of 1988, Dennis Lee, Jr. was called to be our pastor. Under his leadership and the vision that the Lord has given him, we have continued to grow spiritually.

Under Pastor Lee's leadership we have
established a "Nurse's Guild, a Board of Christian
Education, a Youth, Women's and Men's Ministry,
a week of Vacation Bible

School, and on Wednesday nights our bible study has grown to three separate classes.

We believe that the more you study, read and understand God's word the more obedient you become to it. The results are that you move from being just a member, to becoming a "disciple" of Christ.

Our church theme is: "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus".

Philippians 3:14

We, the Hopewell Church family desire your prayers, that God will continue to bless us and keep us in his loving arms.