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# *The St. Matthew Messenger*

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**My Brother's Keeper**

**#WEAREBETTERTOGETHER**

**WORSHIP WITH US  
IN-PERSON OR  
ONLINE!!**

SUNDAYS AT 9AM

IN-PERSON EVERY 4TH SUNDAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL

CONFERENCE LINE **848.220.3300**

PASSCODE **325 4055**

SUNDAY SERVICES AT 11AM

IN-PERSON

OR CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK LIVE OR

YOUTUBE LIVE!!

LIFE WILL MAKE YOU CHANGE THE  
WAY YOU THINK!

ROMANS 12:1-2

SERMON POINT1: PUT YOUR WHOLE  
LIFE ON THE ALTAR.

SERMON POINT2: DO NOT LET THE  
WORLD SHAPE YOU.

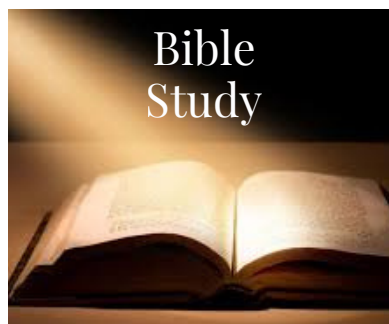
SERMON POINT3: LET GOD  
TRANSFORM YOU.

**ONLINE PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM**  
(BIBLE STUDY HANDOUTS, IF ANY, WILL BE LINKED TO OUR YOUTUBE PAGE AFTER BIBLE STUDY)

IN PERSON EVERY 2ND WEDNESDAY  
ZOOM INFO: MEETING ID **5442587453**  
PASSWORD **153467**


OR

DIAL IN OPTION **1.312.626.6799**



# 2026 June



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	01	02	03 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	04 KC District Conference St. Matthew	05 KC District Conference St. Matthew	06 KC District Sunday School Convention 9:30am
07	08	09	10 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	18	19	20
21 	22	23	24 Prayer and Bible Study 6pm	25	26	27
28	29	30	01	02	03	04
05	06	Notes: KC District Prayer Ministry call in number 657.390.4634 - 7am Saturday before 1st Sunday				



6/14/2026- Pastor's Appreciation - Rev. Francis Spearman speaking, ST Matthew KCMO @ 11AM

## CLASS LEADERS AND MEETING SCHEDULE

- REV. CYNTHIA LEWIS - WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM
- BILLY HOLLAND - MONDAYS @ 6:30PM
- MARCEL BELL - WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM
- MARICIA CRAWFORD - SATURDAYS @ 1PM



**PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CLASS LEADER FOR ZOOM MEETING OR CONFERENCE CALL INFORMATION. PLEASE CONTACT PASTOR MARCEL BROWN IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF YOUR CLASS LEADER.**



# YOUR VOTE • YOUR VOICE • YOUR FUTURE

Get Ready for the 2026 Elections across MO, KS, and IA

## 2026 KC DISTRICT VOTER GUIDE

### IMPORTANT 2026 ELECTION DATES

ELECTION	PRIMARY	GENERAL
<b>MISSOURI</b> (inc. Kansas City):	AUGUST 4	NOVEMBER 3
<b>KANSAS</b> (inc. Wyandotte):	AUGUST 4	NOVEMBER 3
<b>IOWA</b> (inc. Des Moines):	JUNE 2	NOVEMBER 3



### SENIORS & HOMEBOUND SPECIAL ASSISTANCE



- ★ PERMANENT ABSENTEE VOTING (MO, KS)
- ★ NO NOTARY NEEDED FOR SENIORS (MO)
- ★ CURBSIDE VOTING AVAILABLE!
- ★ HELP FILLING OUT FORMS! (Call us!)



### GETTING READY

1. REGISTER TO VOTE!  
Deadlines: MO (Oct 7), KS (Oct 13), IA (Oct 19 or Same Day with ID).
2. FIND YOUR POLL!
3. BRING PHOTO ID!



### MAKE "GOOD TROUBLE": GET INVOLVED



- Request Absentee Ballot help
- Register to vote
- Volunteer to Drive to Polls
- Help check on Homebound Seniors

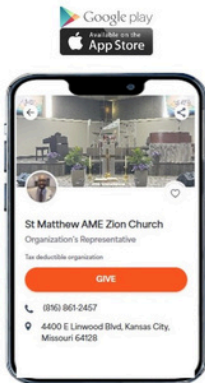
*The vote is precious... use it.*


— John Lewis



STAY INFORMED • MAKE A PLAN • VOTE

# 3 WAYS TO GIVE



Download  Givelify to give on your smartphone



Visit our website  
[stmatthewkc.org](http://stmatthewkc.org)  
to give online



Mail your offering to  
**St. Matthew AME Zion Church**  
4400 E. Linwood Blvd  
Kansas City, MO 64128



Please drop payments off at the church by 2pm on Sundays to ensure payment is counted toward the current week's financial report.

For members who are unable to bring payments to the church and don't have access to technology, Karen Anderson will pick up your money from your home Saturday mornings between 9am and 1pm, please call her at 816.606.6001 to make arrangements.

# *Acknowledgements*

For those of you who were born in June, we would like to wish you the Happiest of Birthdays! Praise God for another year!!



June 8th - Ms. Karen Anderson  
June 8th - Ms. Regina Barksdale

# *Congratulations Graduate!*



Desmond Williams  
BA, Clinton College, Rock Hill, SC

## **QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, ADDITIONS?**

Please call the church at 816.861.2457 and leave a message or send an email to [adminasst@stmatthewkc.org](mailto:adminasst@stmatthewkc.org)