



Together We Can Heal

Domestic Violence & Breast Cancer Awareness Luncheon

Miracle Int'l Praise Ministries
Dr. Patrina Steadman, Senior Pastor
97 Yost Place
Seat Pleasant, MD 20743
Saturday, October 26, 2024
11:00AM

PROGRAM

11AM-11:15AM - WELCOME
Dr. Patrina Steadman, Senior Pastor

11:15AM - 12NOON - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PANEL DISCUSSION
Evangelist Monica Gaulden, Elder La Shawn Green,
Dr. Eloise M. Kelly, Elder Crystal Love, Kita Williams McGee

12NOON - 12:15PM - AUDIENCE Q&A

12:15PM - BLESSING OF FOOD
Elder Stacypatrice Penn

12:15PM-12:45PM - LUNCH/GIVE-AWAYS

12:45PM - OFFERING
Dr. Patrina Steadman, Senior Pastor

LITURGICAL DANCE
Janet Polite-Penn

1PM - 1:45PM BREAST CANCER PANEL DISCUSSION
Deacon Louis Burton, Glenda Cousar, RN, BSN, DCN,
Elder Constance B. Rowe, Shaun Jay Russell, RN, BSN, DCN

ALTAR CALL
Elder Constance Rowe

THANK YOU & BENEDICTION
Elder LaShawn Green

Louis Burton, CEO, Garage Door Tech Services

Louis has built a 30-year career in the garage door industry, launching his own business in the DMV area in 2009. A committed member of Bethlehem Baptist Church in Alexandria, VA since 2007, Louis's faith has been central to his life. In December 2014, he married his wife, Tamera, and they now reside in Maryland. In June 2017, Louis was diagnosed with breast cancer. Despite the challenges, his faith never wavered. The love and support of God, his family, and his church community strengthened him through the toughest moments. After fighting courageously, Louis beat cancer and has been in remission ever since. Today, he shares his testimony to encourage others facing similar battles, reminding them to keep their faith and never lose hope. While doctors can help, it is God who has the final say. You may contact him at: GDTS94@gmail.com.

Glenda Cousar, RN, BSN, OCN

Glenda Cousar has been a dedicated oncology nurse at Washington Hospital Center in Washington, D.C., since 1991. In 1997, she transitioned to the Washington Cancer Institute, where she served as a Staff Nurse in the Ambulatory Infusion Center until 2016. She now serves as the Oncology Nurse Navigator, guiding patients through their cancer journey. A Philadelphia native, Glenda has held several nursing roles throughout her career, including positions at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania and Temple University Hospital. In 2002, she founded a cancer support ministry at Greater Mount Calvary Holy Church in D.C., providing spiritual and emotional support to those impacted by cancer. Glenda has been recognized numerous times for her dedication and service. She was named "Woman of the Year" by her church in 2006 and again honored as "Woman of the Year" by the Celebration of Life Foundation in 2007. Additionally, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. honored her for her outstanding community service. Glenda actively participates in various outreach programs to support cancer survivors and their families. Recently, she founded the Cancer Connection Resource Center, a non-profit organization offering comprehensive resources and support for adults affected by cancer. Glenda holds a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Indiana University of Pennsylvania. You may contact her at: gcousar@verizon.net

Elder La Shawn Green

LaShawn is the visionary founder of Now Marketing Solutions, a premier graphic design and visual communications company based in Washington, D.C., established in 2014. Originally a senior accountant for over 12 years, LaShawn later pursued her passion by completing studies in graphic design and visual communications. Since then, she has successfully managed over 8,500 creative projects, including banners, flyers, building wraps, and storefront signage. Her dedication extends internationally, with mission work across African nations such as Liberia, Kenya, and Uganda. Domestically, she contributes to Recovery Café DC, where she teaches coping strategies for sobriety to recovering addicts and ex-offenders. LaShawn is also deeply involved in supporting displaced women and children, domestic violence survivors, human trafficking survivors, and the homeless. Her commitment to social justice has shaped her into a powerful advocate who inspires others to chase their dreams, knowing that society often overlooks dreamers. LaShawn is an ordained elder and covenant partner at Miracle International Praise Ministries under the leadership of Dr. Patrina Steadman. Today, LaShawn is truly soaring. For inquiries, contact her at green.lashawn@gmail.com.

Dr. Eloise M. Kelly

Eloise, a native of Purcellville, Virginia, attended Bennett College for Women in Greensboro, NC, where she majored in Psychology and minored in Social Work. After working in the mental health field for 10 years, she transitioned into Human Resources, specializing in healthcare. Eloise's personal journey of survival began with her own experience in an abusive marriage. After enduring years of abuse, she made the courageous decision to leave with her young son in search of safety and stability. Through extensive counseling and therapy, she discovered her calling: to assist and support others affected by domestic violence. Her path to healing and inner peace has connected her with countless men, women, and children who have not only survived but become victorious over their circumstances. Now a Board-Certified Life Coach and Certified Domestic Violence Intervention Specialist, Eloise dedicates herself to educating, supporting, and empowering those impacted by domestic violence. She actively works to raise awareness about the cycle of abuse and its devastating consequences. A member of Greater Mt. Calvary Holy Church in Washington, D.C., Eloise has led the church's Domestic Violence Ministry, offering hope and guidance to survivors. Proud mother to her son, Michael, Eloise stands firmly on the scripture Matthew 19:26: "With men this is impossible, but with God, all things are possible." You may contact her at: eloisekelly68@gmail.com

Elder Crystal Love, CEO, Love's Hair

Crystal Love is a Baltimore native, devoted mother to her 15-year-old son, Joshua, an ordained Elder, and an affirmed Prophet within the Christian community. She dedicated her life to the Lord at 17 in 1997 and was called to ministry at the age of 20. With 25 years of ministry experience, Crystal currently serves as an Elder at Kingdom Worship Center in Baltimore, MD, under the leadership of Bishop Gregory and Pastor Tonya Dennis. Crystal is passionate about community service, dedicating her time to volunteering at homeless shelters, teaching in women's transitional homes, engaging in outreach and evangelism, and hosting empowerment events that inspire individuals to embrace their God-given callings. In 2011, she founded Holistic Ministries, an organization committed to addressing the holistic needs of individual spiritual, emotional, social, and physical. Holistic Ministries, Inc. operates as a parachurch affiliate of Kingdom Fellowship Ministries, Inc., under the leadership of her spiritual father, Archbishop Ralph Dennis. Crystal is the author of nine books focused on promoting healing and wholeness, with her most recent release titled *Broken to Build*. She holds a bachelor's degree in Pastoral Counseling from Family Bible Seminary and is currently pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Religion and Christian Leadership & Ministries. Her ministry reflects her passion for helping individuals

discover their purpose in Jesus Christ to further advance the Kingdom of God. With over 25 years of experience as a licensed cosmetologist, Crystal owns Love's Hair, a salon located in Pikesville, MD. She specializes in all types of hair, creates custom wigs, and is a certified colorist. Crystal has also developed her own hair growth oil, which has received glowing testimonials from clients. John 5:6: "When Jesus saw him lie, and knew that he had been now a long time in that case, he saith unto him, wilt thou be made whole?" You may contact her at: clove@holisticministries.com.

Kita Williams McGee, Founder & President, Atikal Foundation

Kita is the founder of the Atikal Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization launched in 2009, which supports survivors of cancer and domestic violence. Her vision for the foundation was born out of her personal experiences with childhood sexual abuse and the battles her mother and late grandmother faced with cancer. Kita has received numerous accolades, including The Daily Record's Leading Women Award, the PGSIF's 40 Under Forty Award, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.'s Omicron Phi Zeta Chapter Community Pearl Award, Cadillac's Community Service Award, and the PGCAC Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Fortitude Image Award. Beyond her work with the foundation, Kita is deeply involved in community service. She is a member of the Johns Hopkins Center to Reduce Cancer Disparities, President of the Glenarden Youth Advisory Committee, and a member of the MLK Holiday DC Executive Team. Kita brings over 19 years of experience in visual communications, event marketing, and planning to her role as President and Creative Director of Brand U, LLC, a branding and design studio. Prior to this, she spent 10 years with the American Chemical Society (ACS), organizing semi-annual national conferences with an average attendance of 16,000 people. She has presented branding workshops at institutions such as Bowie State University and Washington Adventist University. A proud alumna of Hampton University, where she studied Information Systems Management, Kita is currently pursuing a degree in Graphic Communications from the University of Maryland, University College. Born and raised in Washington, D.C., Kita continues to dedicate her life to making an impact in both her professional and personal endeavors. You may contact her at: char@atikal.org

Evangelist Monica "Evang. Moni", CEO, Uniquely Anointed Chic Boutique

Moni, a Washington, D.C. native, has long been passionate about both modeling and hairstyling. She is the owner and operator of Uniquely Anointed Chic Boutique in Fort Washington, MD, where she brings 30 years of expertise as a licensed cosmetologist. Moni is also an accomplished author; her book, *Bruised But Not Broken*, offers an intimate look at her journey through struggles, fears, successes, and ultimate victories. Driven by a deep commitment to serve, Moni launched Truth Ministries Outreach and W.A.G.O.H. (Women After God's Own Heart) Ministries in 2002, with a mission to uplift those facing difficult challenges. This outreach ministry seeks to share God's Word with authenticity, love, and conviction. Moni earned her doctorate in 2010 from Breakthrough Bible College and a covenant partner at Miracle International Praise Ministries under the leadership of Dr. Patrina Steadman. Moni's story is a testament to resilience. Raised in a challenging family environment marked by drugs,

violence, and abuse, she grappled with feelings of rejection and loss, especially after losing both parents. She candidly shares how she searched for “love” in unfulfilling places, but ultimately found strength and purpose through faith. Moni writes a daily blog at truthministries09.blogspot.com, offering encouragement and wisdom, and hosts a podcast, Truth Ministries, available on Anchor and Spotify. You may contact her at: truthministries9@gmail.com.

Janet Polite-Penn, aka “Coach J” – CEO, Hit Refresh with Janet

Janet is a dedicated woman of faith, loving wife, proud grandmother of four, and compassionate caretaker for her aging parents. As a Minister of Dance, she performs solely for an audience of One—Jehovah—pouring her heart and soul into every movement. Her dance ministry journey began at The Sanctuary at Kingdom Square, where she continues to serve passionately. With over 30 years of expertise in health and wellness, Janet is a Certified Holistic Health Coach, Personal Trainer, Group Exercise Instructor, and a Black Belt in Martial Arts. Her transformational coaching blends faith, fitness, and nutrition to help women shed unwanted weight, boost energy, and reduce stress while strengthening their spiritual connection. Janet’s devotion to God’s Kingdom shines through her work to restore and empower the Body of Christ, as well as her dance ministry, where she inspires others with Spirit-led worship that glorifies God through every movement. Connect with Janet at: www.HitRefreshWithJanet.com.

Elder Constance B. Rowe

Elder Constance Rowe, the esteemed First Lady of Greater Tyson Temple-FUCLG in Washington, D.C., and devoted wife of 30 years to Senior Pastor Bishop Thson Rowe, is a living testament to resilience and faith. A metastatic breast cancer survivor, she was first diagnosed with invasive ductal carcinoma in December 2017. Through her journey, she remains steadfast in her faith, boldly proclaiming, “I have cancer, but cancer doesn’t have me” With unshakable confidence, she affirms that the battle is already won and celebrates her victory on this side. You may contact her at: wwoz2010@yahoo.com

Shaun Jay Russell, RN, BSN, OCN

Shaun is a highly skilled and compassionate nurse with over 15 years of diverse experience in healthcare, specializing in General Surgery Intermediate Care, Medical Oncology, Infusion Therapy, and Radiation Oncology. Originally from North Carolina, Shaun has called the Washington, DC area home for the past decade. She earned her BSN from Winston-Salem State University in 2009 and became an Oncology Certified Nurse in 2018. Her extensive experience at Duke University Hospital, George Washington University Hospital, and Medstar Georgetown Cancer Center has equipped her to deliver exceptional care to oncology patients. Shaun’s dedication to her field reflects her belief that every life matters, motivating her to approach each day and patient with unwavering commitment and care. You may contact her at: Shaun.J.Russell@medstar.net





Dr. Patrina Steadman, Senior Pastor, Miracle International Praise Ministries, Inc.

Dr. Patrina Steadman has dedicated 23 years to leading Miracle International Praise Ministries (MIPM), a transformative force in Seat Pleasant, Maryland. A native Washingtonian, she honed her leadership skills at Greater Tysons Temple, founded by her late grandfather, Bishop Joshua Quarles, and succeeded by her late brother, Bishop James E. Steadman. Installed as MIPM's pastor in 2002, she later rose to become Presiding Bishop of Inner Circle Fellowship Ministries, which was founded by her eldest brother, the late Bishop James E. Steadman.

Dr. Steadman champions education, holding degrees in divinity and a recent doctorate focused on women in leadership, and affirmed an Apostle in 2021. Her heart and passion are to see souls set free and serve the Lord with commitment, coupled with guidance in offering and mentoring, coaching, and leadership. She's a savvy entrepreneur with business ventures ranging from security, real estate and trucking logistics to boutique fashion. Under her guidance, MIPM impacts communities locally and globally through outreach and empowerment initiatives. Dr. Steadman's faith and compassion shines through her work, making her a beacon of inspiration and goodwill. She cherishes her role as a Bonus Mom to her daughter Tiffany Marshall and three beloved grandchildren, Keith Andre Lucas, Jr., (age 17), and twin girls, Taylin & Torri (age 3), who are her heartbeat. You may contact her at: mipmoffice@gmail.com.

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