

Christian Fellowship Evangelistic Church, Inc is a house of worship for congregants, a beacon of hope and support for the community, and a safe haven for community members, the disenfranchised, and members of the congregation.

#### CFEC Family,

As we step into this beautiful spring season, I want to take a moment to talk about something that might seem ordinary, but can be incredibly meaningful—spring cleaning. This isn't just about dusting off shelves and organizing closets; it's about renewal, refreshment, and creating space for new beginnings.

In Ecclesiastes 3:1, we are reminded that "There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens." Spring is a season of renewal, a time to clear out the old and make way for the new. Just as nature blooms anew, we too can refresh our surroundings and our spirits. Spring cleaning can be a physical act with spiritual significance. In 2 Corinthians 5:17, we read, "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!" Just as we clean our homes, we can also clean our hearts and minds, letting go of old hurts, habits, and thoughts that no longer serve us.

As you go through your home, consider what you can let go of—not just material things, but also emotional baggage. In Matthew 6:19-20, Jesus tells us, "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal." This reminds us to focus on what truly matters—our relationship with God and with each other.

So, as you clean, pray. Ask God to help you let go of what you don't need and to fill your home and your heart with His peace and joy. Remember, He makes all things new, and He is with you in every moment. May this spring cleaning be a time of renewal and refreshment for you. May your home be filled with light, and may your heart be filled with the love of Christ. Blessings to you all,

# **SPOTLIGHT**

This month's spotlight is on CFEC's core value *We Care*. CFEC demonstrates their earnestness in caring for the community, members of the congregation, friends, family members, and anyone else that has a need. CFEC encourages all members and neighbors to let the church know when he/she happens upon someone in need of a meal, prayer, school supplies, etc. Our purpose is to assist those in need while spreading the gospel. Our purpose is to demonstrate to all that *we care* by word and deed. An example of how CFEC meets this particular core value is the church recently providing free breakfasts to go for members of the community on Good Friday. The breakfast was a rousing success! God is good, and with Him on our side, we can't fail!

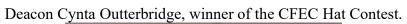
# RECENT EVENTS



Pictured above: Sister Helene Weaver(L) and her

Daughter, Khalilah Anthony®, after Khalilah joined

CFEC Easter Sunday.







CFEC Ladies wearing their beautiful hats during the contest. (Photo courtesy of Michelle Rouse.)



CFEC Congregation worshiping in the sanctuary. (Photo courtesy of Michelle Rouse)



Pastor and Mrs. Michael Kea enjoying the April sunshine after service (Photo courtesy of Helene Weaver)

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

MINISTRY: CFEC recently made some staff and ministry changes during the month of April. The Evangelist Ministry Team has expanded and now consists of Albert Cordery, Helene Weaver, Valerie Williams, Sylvia Montgomery, and LaKeya Smith. A new ministry was created, The Construction Ministry. The ministry members are Yvette Plant, Cliff Ferguson, Terrance Bolden, and Keith Outterbridge. The Ministry Team has made some recent changes also. Kevin Outterbridge is no longer an Associate Minister. Albert Cordery has been appointed as CFEC's new Associate Minister.



Minister Albert Cordery. (Photo courtesy of Michelle Rouse)

O **Donations** in the form of special assessments are still being collected for CFEC's Building Fund. These donations do not take the place of your tithes. They are in addition to your tithes. Whatever you can spare will be greatly appreciated. It is only through God's continued grace and working together that CFEC can continue to complete dominion projects. You need not be a member to contribute. All contributions are greatly appreciated. **[REPRINT]** 

\*\*\*Contributions to our newsletter are encouraged. If you would like to include something in *CFEC: Say What Now???* email your copy to top1sg1@gmail.com NLT the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month. Community events, accomplishments of members, etc. We would be pleased to publish all uplifting copy. If possible, please include a photo, your name, and a number where you can be reached with all copy. It takes a village to make *CFEC: Say What Now???* a success!

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