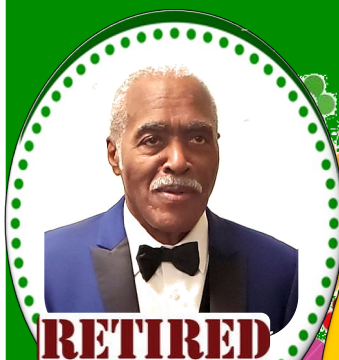


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## MEETING TIMES

### SUNDAY

Sunday School 09:30am  
Sunday School Review 10:15am  
Morning Worship 10:45am  
Evening Bible Study 04:00pm  
**Men's Class 1st & 2nd**  
**Ladies Class**  
Evening Worship 05:00pm

### WEDNESDAY

Song Practice 07:00pm  
Bible Study 07:30pm

*But seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Matthew 6:33*

# Installation

SUNDAY APRIL 5, 2020

*Welcome Visitors' You are our Honored Guests!*

## TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

High 61° Low 48°

Monday: High 54° Low 34°

### March 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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## Mama's MOUTHWASH Is Needed Again!

The decline of morality in our culture is evident in many so-called "reality" television programs and among youngsters of elementary school age. One such program was the Osbourne Family, during this program, the family used such vulgar language on the show that there were more "beeps" than words spoken. The Osbourne language was so bad that one awards presenter walked off the stage and refused to be a part of the show. What saddens this writer, is the vulgar language used among elementary school-aged children today. One little ten-year-old girl was heard to say that the vulgar language of today's culture "does not offend me." Why the decline of morality and the frequent use of vulgar language in our country? It's obviously caused by the **breakdown of the family unit**. Families are admonished to "train up a child in the way he should go" (Proverbs 22:6) and fathers are to "bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord" (Ephesians 6:4). Fathers and mothers have not been fulfilling their responsibility in these important areas. Just a few generations ago, filthy language was not tolerated among children. Mothers and grandmothers used to use lye soap to wash out their child's mouth when vulgar language came out of it in order for the child to get the message that foul language would not be tolerated (**mine used it frequently!**). Brethren and friends, the heavenly admonition to "let your speech be always with grace" (Colossians 4:6) and "sound speech that cannot be condemned" (Titus 2:8) is still valid today! It was the wise Solomon who wrote regarding our language: "**The thoughts of the wicked are an abomination to the Lord, But the words of the pure are pleasant**" (Proverbs 15:26). It is indeed sad for any individual who thinks he or she must resort to filthy or vulgar language to make themselves understood. May the time come when parents again assume the responsibility of directing their children, not only in all walks of secular life, but their spiritual walk as well and also be the example to keep your language clean. (1 Peter 2:21). Do we need to use soap?



## What Must I Do To Be Saved?

Acts 16:30

### HEAR THE GOSPEL

(John 6:45, Romans 10:17, & Acts 15:7)

### BELIEVE IN JESUS

(John 3:16, Hebrews 11:6, & Acts 8:12)

### REPENT OF OUR SINS

(Luke 13:3, 2 Peter 3:9, & Acts 3:19)

### CONFESS CHRIST TO BE THE SON OF GOD

(Matthew 10:32, Romans 10:10, & Acts 8:37)

### BE BAPTIZED (IMMERSED) IN WATER

(Mark 16:16, 1 Peter 3:21, & Acts 22:16)

## When We Obey, God Will:

### FORGIVE US OF OUR SINS

(Acts 2:38)

### MAKE US NEW IN CHRIST JESUS

(2 Corinthians 5:17)

### ADD US TO THE CHURCH OF HIS CHOICE, THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

(Matthew 16:18 & Acts 2:47)



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Please fill out a Prayer Request card, give to the Ushers, so your request can be acknowledged.  
 Let us know, if you're sick, hospital, visiting, out-of-town, vacation, etc. or call.



Bro. Earl & Delores Brown, Sis. Mollie English, Sis. Valine Griffin, SW's Seniors'; New Converts; College Students; Missing from the body; working; our Honored Guests. **Sis. Lula Boles, Bro. Geoffrey Smith surgery Wednesday**

Congregational S Reading: **Psalms 51:1-13 (KJV)**

**New**



**Minister Installation Service**

**Bro. Patrick E. Sr. & Deatrice English**

**Sunday, April 5, 2020**  
 Morning service 10:45am  
 Installation 3pm

**See insert for SW's info.**

**JOIN US**

**WOMEN'S PRAYER Brunch**

**Saturday, March 28th — 11am--2pm**

INTERNATIONALLY KNOWN GOSPEL PREACHER, TEACHER, AUTHOR, AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER...

**DR. TONY E. ROACH SR.**



**SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2020**  
 9:45A.M. | BIBLE STUDY  
 11:00A.M. | WORSHIP SERVICE

**& DON'T MISS THE FREE... G-O-D LINK WORKSHOP**

**MONDAY - WEDNESDAY**  
 MARCH 9 - 11, 2020  
 6:00P.M. | CHURCH LEADERSHIP  
 7:00P.M. | GENERAL SESSION

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**Come Study with Us!**

**TODAY @ 4pm**  
 Every second Sunday  
 Getting prepared to give an answer  
 Small Blue/White Pamphlet  
**Welcome to the Church of Christ**  
 "Some Things You Should Know"  
 Combining All evening classes

**Moving Away** **RSVP TODAY**

**COME SAY FAREWELL**

**BRO. EARL & DELORES BROWN**  
 White Fence Farm this Saturday @ 4pm  
 1376 Joliet Rd., Romeoville, IL 60446

*ALL that can attend*

**Coming Up in April**

**Annual Business Meeting**  
 Saturday, April 11th @ 6pm  
 All SW's Adult members

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Bro. Patrick English Sr. **WE NEED YOU!**  
 Superintendent of Education  
 Director: Sis. Deatrice English



**9:30 Am**

**Wake Up for 1st Sunday Fellowship Breakfast**

**APRIL - Continental Each 1 Bring 1**  
 See Sis. English - Come for the fellowship!

**WEEKLY EVENTS**

**COUPLES**  
 Every other month

**LADIES CLASS**  
 Every Sunday @ 4pm

**MEN/YOUNG MEN CLASS**  
 1st & 2nd Sunday @ 4pm

**NURSERY**  
 Ages 6months - 5yrs.

**NURSING HOME VISITATION**  
 2nd Sunday every month

**Sw Scholar's College students**  
 Jasmin Kemp, Tomika Hope, Imani Hodges, Asauntria Young, Kila Goodman, and Kyra Brown

**V.B.S. Fundraiser**  
 VBS - June 22-26

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

**March**

04 Deatrice English  
 11 Letha Gillis  
 11 Lorraine Ross  
 15 Lawrence Evans Sr.  
 21 Imani Hodges  
 21 Branden Johnson  
 24 Roberts Donald  
 24 Asauntria Young

**Building Fund Commitment**  
 \$18.00 weekly or \$72.00 monthly

**DOLLAR Campaign** Save the "C" "G" "L"  
 Benevolent Fund Please use special envelope

**MARCH Church Cleaning**

03-14 Bro. P. Hope Jr.  
 03-21 Bro. P. English Sr.  
 03-28 Bro. T. Hope Sr.  
 04-09 Sisters'