

### RESOLUTION OR REDEDICATION

Often times we hear people say "Happy New Year!" then the question is raised; what is your new year's resolution? So many of us have made resolutions only to break them within the first month of the new year. I personally don't make new year's resolution but rededicate my life to the goals that I have set out to reach. Rededication takes a person to another level of commitment to their Creator, family members and themselves.

Take a moment in this new year to reflect on the goodness that your Creator has provided. Listen to that inner voice and make decisions that will impact your life in a positive way. Remember, when you rededicate your life to something or someone you are affirming that you have already made a conscious decision to a commitment that was made last year.

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#### A Word of Thanks

Dean Charles H. Lewter, IV and the Staff of the Johnson Phillip All Faiths Chapel wish to express our "Thankfulness" to those individuals who helped make the 50th Session of the Annual Ministers' Conference a success.

### GOD'S VALENTINES

I know that we all want to be loved and love in return, but it is interesting that we sometimes forget who loved us first. God's love is always the best love we can ever experience.

I know that we all appreciate receiving gifts, candy and cards, but I hope that we all appreciate God's love that was sent down to restore and reconcile us back to God's presence. Now that's a Gift!

God's Valentines should make us aware of the true meaning of love regardless of a person's color, creed, sex or gender. Remember, God's Valentines is the best present one could ever receive. Why not try God's Love for Valentine's Day?

Happy Valentine's Day!

#### Simple Wisdom

*Make things nicer than they were.*

*And better then they've been.*

*And when tomorrow comes around*

*Simply do it all over again.*

*Excerpt from*

*"Chasing the Clouds Away"*

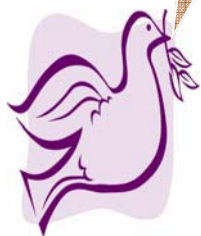
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*Our Creator's  
Love goes further  
than a box of  
chocolate.*



**Spotlight Photos**

**50th Annual Ministers' Conference**



*They Dreamed...*

*They Believed...*



*They Achieved...*



**Food for Thought**

*There is a curve called failure,  
A loop called confusion,  
Speed bumps called friends,  
Red light called enemies,  
Caution lights called family,  
You will have flats called jobs, but  
If you have a spare called determination  
An engine called perseverance  
Insurance called faiths,  
A driver called desire,  
You will make it to a place called success.*

**Author Unknown**

***LENT***

Lent is a period of forty days before  
Easter. To tell you the truth, I am  
excited that churches now call the day  
**“Resurrection Day.”**

For many of us who believe in Christ as  
the risen Lord can appreciate those  
words; why, because of the **fact**

**“He got up!”**

Purple is the color for Lent.

As we all know, Purple is a color of  
royalty.

Let us celebrate the coming of the

**King**

**Jesus the risen Christ!!!**

**JPAFC 10 QUESTIONS/YOUR ANSWERS**

1. Who was Tamar?
2. How many sons did Judah have in the book of Genesis?
3. What are the names of Tamar's twins?
4. Which son was born with a scarlet thread on his wrist?
5. What did Judah give Tamar as a pledge?
6. Who said “she is more righteous than I?”
7. What was Judah's wife name?
8. Who was sold into slavery?
9. Who was known as the dreamer in the Old Testament?
10. Who disguised themselves as a prostitute?

**Have Fun!**

***Dates to Remember***

*Mid Terms*

**March 6-8, 2008**

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*Spring Break*

**March 10-15, 2008**

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*Good Friday*

**March 21, 2008**

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