

engaged in something vital: he was reading the living Word and specifically, Isaiah 53. This demonstrates his sincere searching for truth.

At that moment, God sent a Spirit-filled servant to this searching soul. Phillip told him that passage he was reading in Isaiah 53 spoke of Jesus Christ. In this divine appointment, the seeking Ethiopian believes in Christ. When they come to water, the Eunuch asked Phillip to baptize him. Phillip's answer was clear: "If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest." The Eunuch declared his faith and powerfully obeyed the Lord's command to be baptized as a believer. His powerful example of searching resulted in an urgent sense of obedience to baptism after he believed with all of his heart.

3. Niger and Lucius of Cyrene: A Powerful Example of Leadership, (Acts 13:1). This is the only mention of these men in the Bible, but it demonstrates their position of leadership in the vibrant, mission-minded church of Antioch. They are described as those among the "prophets and teachers" working alongside Barnabas and the Apostle Paul. Incredibly, we see this church with great ethnic diversity as Jewish, Roman, and Africans served together in the leadership of the church, striving for the faith of Jesus Christ. This church is the model New Testament church as the believers were called Christians for the first time (Acts 11:26). These men served humbly in prayer and fasting, surrendering to God's will that they send out Barnabas and Saul on the first missionary venture. Simeon, called Niger, and Lucius of Cyrene, were among the leadership responsible for fulfilling the great commission and obeying the command of Christ. Their powerful example of humble leadership resulted in dynamically living out the Great Commission.

These three powerful examples of black history in the Bible are examples to us all. May God give us grace to walk by the faith of Ebedmelech, the searching that results in obedience like the Ethiopian Eunuch, and leadership that leads to Great Commission living like Niger and Lucius.



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ORDER OF SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING

Zoom service

9:30am Men's, Women's, and Youth Classes

**10:05am Prayer, Worship & Ministering
God's Word**

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**3RD SUNDAYS 1:00 pm children's service for
kids 12 and under**

**MONDAY - FRIDAY 7:00 - 7:30am Conference
Line Prayer
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**MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY 12noon
Conference Line Prayer**

**MONDAY Evening Conference Line Prayer
6:30 - 7:00pm**

**3RD MONDAYS 7:00pm AWM The Cafe for young
adults 22 and older**

**WEDNESDAY 6:30pm conference line prayer &
7:00pm Zoom Bible Study**

FEBRUARY CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAY

Tywanna White 22nd

**Bishop George & Lady Sarion 2nd
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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Warfare Prayer 10:05am, Morning Worship 10:15am

Praise & Worship

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You make a living by what you get. You make a life by what you give. (Winston Churchill)

Ministering God's Word

Bishop George Williams, Jr.

Benediction



Greetings to the family and friends of Absolute Worship Ministries. It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord for he has done great things for us. For his goodness endures through all generations. Praise and glory to the one that deserves all our adoration and Thanksgiving.

Today is the day that the Lord has made we should rejoice and be glad in it. Every time that we are granted the opportunity to lift our voice and magnify our God it is truly a privilege. In so many places in our world there are people that do not have the opportunity to magnify the God of their salvation Without some kind of negative consequences.

I am thankful for all the Absolute Worship Family that is making the effort to gather in person as we glorify and exalt our Lord and savior each Sunday morning. I would like to encourage those of you that have not committed to assembling in the House of God to seriously consider joining us in the awesome and soul stirring presence of the Lord. I believe that God is going to release a supernatural outpour in our midst as we seek to make him the center attraction of our worship.

If you have not been filled with the infilling of the Holy Spirit, this is your time to position yourself for God to do a new thing in your life.

Please don't forget that God has a divine purpose for your life and only what you do for him really matters. All our personal pursuits in life will never

bring satisfaction that comes with serving the Lord. I would like each of you to know that God needs your commitment to service in the Kingdom of God. There is little time left but much work to get done. There is only a few that recognize the seriousness of reaching the loss at any cost. So today if you feel a burden to serve God with your gifts, talents, and time please let us know before you leave today.

May God's Peace be yours, Bishop George

Feel free to email me this week:

fullword4u@hotmail.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS FEBRUARY 26, 2023

Today the Anniversary committee meeting after service today.

March 4th Min. Trina Simpson's mother **Lydia Rucker** celebration of life service will be at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church 2025 Winter Ave 46218.

Viewing 11:00am - 12:30pm. Service will start at 12:30pm- 1:30pm. Colors are Royal Blue, White and Black.

March 4 3pm Elder Ralph Parrott 80th Birthday at Golden corral west 38th

MAY 20th Praise and Worship Night (Suicide Prevention)

JUNE 17th Praise and Worship Night

offerings, three ways you can give.

- online absoluteworship.org
- credit/debit card by-phone please contact Andrea

Jackson or Lady Sarion

- Cash app \$absoluteworship



THREE POWERFUL EXAMPLES OF BLACK HISTORY FROM SCRIPTURE

By [Matt Recker](#)

1. Ebedmelech the Ethiopian: A Powerful Example of Faith, (Jeremiah 38:6-13; 39:15-18). Jeremiah ministered in loneliness and under constant attack. No one would defend him and the great prophet was thrown in a dungeon where he "sunk in the mire" (Jeremiah 38:6). While Jeremiah was left for dead, out of sight and out of mind of the people, while no one stood to support, visit, or minister to him, out of nowhere comes a man named Ebedmelech the Ethiopian. He stood up for the prophet going to the king's house and stated that they were treating Jeremiah in an evil way. Ebedmelech knew Jeremiah's condition was dire and he was likely to die. The king let Ebedmelech take thirty men and then used the simple resources at his disposal: old rotten rags and rope. He created a crude harness and had Jeremiah securely strap himself to his contraption. Ebedmelech pulled Jeremiah to safety, prolonging his life.

God later came to Jeremiah with a message for Ebedmelech. God promised that he would deliver Ebedmelech from the evil that would fall upon Jerusalem. God commended the Ethiopian's trust in the LORD during the dark days of unbelief and coming judgment. Ebedmelech is a powerful example of faith. He sympathetically defended the prophet of God, he creatively delivered him with basic resources, and he reaped what he sowed as God promised him deliverance. Ebedmelech's powerful example of faith resulted in a mighty deliverance, the Prophet Jeremiah and his own!

2. The Ethiopian Eunuch: A Powerful Example of Searching, (Acts 8:26-40). This man of Ethiopia was an important man in a powerful position, but he did not seem to have peace. It is true that he had great human authority but there was still an inner ache. His career was succeeding but he hungered to know the living and true God. He came all the way from Ethiopia to Jerusalem searching for truth but found dead religion. As he returned to his homeland, he