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L.I.F.E. CHRONICLES

News & updates from our church for our community



NLCC SCHEDULE

WORSHIP

SUNDAYS - 8AM

LIFE PRAYER

WEDNESDAYS - 7AM & 7PM

YOUTH PRAYER

WEDNESDAYS - 8PM

LIFE STUDY

2ND & 4TH THURSDAYS - 7PM

ZOOM MEETING ID: 804-928-1376
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Elder



L.I.F.E

LIVING IN FAITH EVERYDAY

New Life's Elders Appreciation & Recognition



Circle of Elders

"Living In Faith Everyday"



*For I am sure of this very thing, that the one
who began a good work in you will perfect
it until the day of Christ Jesus.*

Philippians 1:6

Thank you, elders, for your love, wisdom, and guidance.

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Orange Tulips

The happiest tulip color meaning is orange. These bright bursts of sunshine radiate appreciation, understanding, and joy. A gift of an orange tulip can mean you enjoy their energy and are thankful for their presence in your life.



2022 INDUCTEE

Robert Taylor



Robert Taylor was born October 28th, in Tappahannock Va to the late Clarence and Gertrude Taylor. Robert is the youngest of five children. He has one sister Louise and three deceased brothers. Robert was baptized at age seven at New Mount Zion Baptist Church in Caret, Virginia. He graduated from Essex High School in 1981. During his high school years, Robert enjoyed playing baseball, running track, and playing the tuba in the marching band.

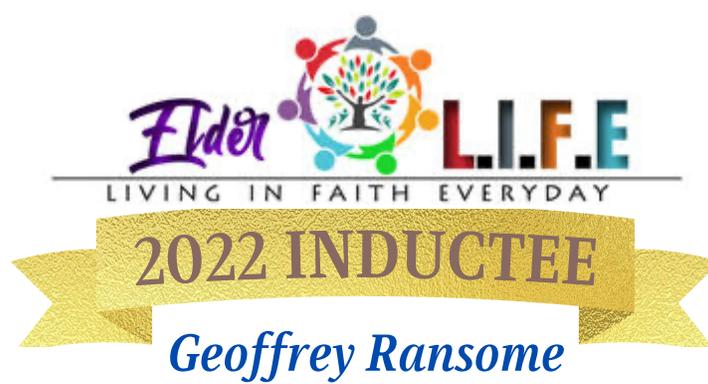
Robert married Beverley Pierce on October 7, 1995, they currently reside in Essex County and have two children Briana and Isaiah. Robert was ordained as a deacon in December 2012. He currently serves as Chair of the deacons at New Life Community Church.

Robert has 40 years of experience working with natural gas. He enjoys listening to music, making CDs for others, and cutting grass. Robert believes he can do all things through Christ.

Robert gets the most joy from fixing and repairing things. Robert enjoys giving God praise and helping others. His favorite dish is ham, corn on the cob, and potato salad. Robert desires to learn more about people in the Bible while retirement would be the brand new experience he would most like to try.

If given an all-expense paid trip Robert would travel to Africa to learn more about their culture and how they worship God. He would also visit his brother's grave in Germany and would travel by airplane and boat.

Robert shares these words of encouragement to others and himself, "*Keep the faith and give everything to the Lord.*"



Geoffrey Ransome was born on November 6th, in Richmond Virginia to the late George and Clarine Ransome. He has one sister Georgetta Ransome. Geoff was baptized at an early age at Second Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Little Plymouth, VA. Geoff matriculated through Middlesex High School and received a Doctorate degree in Biblical Studies from Grace Bible Seminar. Geoff was ordained as a deacon in 2012. He faithfully serves on the diaconate and trustee ministries of New Life Community Church.

Geoff married Catherine Corbin in November 2004, they reside in King and Queen County and have two daughters Catina and LaToya. Geoff is the owner of "Ransome Trucking" for 31years. He's most recognized on the CB radio saying, "You hear me?" Geoff enjoys watching boxing and spending time with his grandchildren. He's very patient and easy to get along with.

Geoff gets the most joy from driving his truck. His favorite dish is potato salad, green peas, and fried chicken. Geoff desires to learn more of the word of God while getting a better understanding of the scriptures. When asked which brand new experience he would most like to try, Geoff said, "*To be a contestant on the Price is Right.*"

He would travel to California by airplane if given an all-expense paid trip just to be on the Price is Right show.

Geoff shares these words of encouragement to others, "*Get in a relationship with God so you would be saved.*"



Mary "Odessa" Washington gets the most joy from dancing. Her favorite dish is greens, and she also desires to learn more about cooking. Playing basketball would be a brand new experience she would most like to try.

If given an all-expense paid trip, Odessa would travel to Mississippi by airplane. Because she has never seen Mississippi, this sparks her interest to visit.

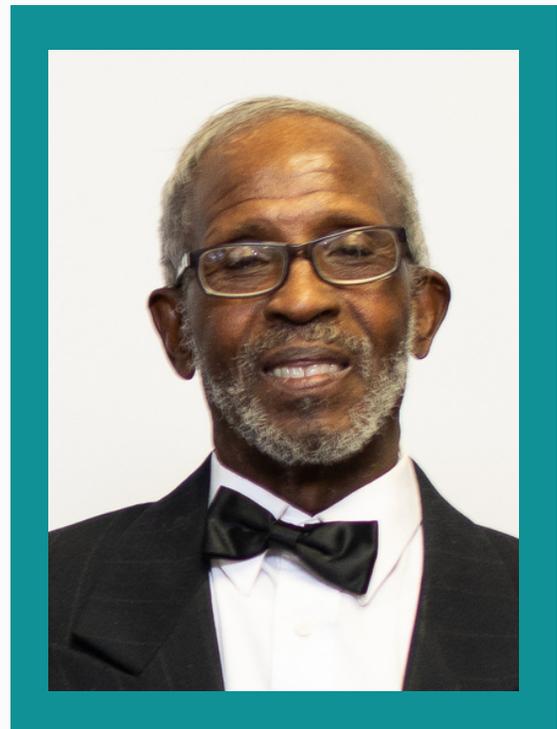
Here are some words of encouragement Odessa shares with herself and others, *"Read the Bible to learn more about Jesus."*

Mary "Odessa"

Herbert Washington gets the most joy from dancing. His favorite dish is corn pudding and rice. Herbert desires to learn more about Jesus. Roller skating would be a brand-new experience that he would like to try.

If given an all-expense paid trip, Herbert's place of interest would be to travel to California by airplane, because he has never visited there before.

Herbert shares these words of encouragement to others and himself from Psalm 1:1-2. *"Blessed is the one who does not walk in step with the wicked or stand in the way that sinners take or sit in the company of mockers, but whose delight is in the law of the Lord, and who meditates on his law day and night."*



Herbert



Catherine

Catherine Ransome gets the most joy from helping the elderly and babysitting. Her favorite dish is fried chicken, turnip greens, and potato salad. Catherine desires to learn more about sewing and technology. The computer and her cell phone are what she desires to learn the most.

If given an all-expense paid trip, Catherine would drive to Florida. This would be a brand new experience for her, and Catherine believes Florida would be a nice place to relax.

"Have more confidence in yourself", are some words of encouragement Catherine gives to herself and others.

Bertha Wilson gets the most joy from exercising, helping others, and giving hugs. Her favorite dish is corn pudding. Bertha desires to learn more about computers and would love to try bungee jumping as a brand-new experience.

If Bertha was given an all-expense paid trip she would travel by airplane to Hawaii. What interests her the most about visiting Hawaii is learning more about the island's culture.

Bertha shares these encouraging words to herself and others, *"Keep moving forward."*



Bertha



Carolyn

Carolyn Eley gets the most joy from helping others. Her favorite dish is chicken alfredo and buffalo wings. Carolyn desires to learn more about being a caregiver for her mother who has dementia. Writing a book is a brand new experience she would most like to try.

If Carolyn was given an all-expense paid trip she would visit New York and travel by airplane or train. Carolyn is interested in visiting her nephew and having him show her the town.

Carolyn shares these encouraging words with herself and others *"Treat others the way you want to be treated, and remember that God loves you and He will never leave you or forsake you."*

Ulric Eley, Sr. gets the most joy from family gatherings. Ulric's favorite dish is crab cakes. He desires to learn more about the Bible, and playing golf would be a new experience he would most like to try.

If given an all-expense paid trip, Ulric would travel to the Holy Land, by plane. What interests him the most is all things associated with the life of Christ.

Some encouraging words Ulric gives to himself and others is, *"If you want to reap the harvest, you must sow, and love never fails."*



Ulric



Vivian "Irene"

Vivian "Irene" Hudson gets the most joy from spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her favorite dish is macaroni and cheese, turnip greens, and fried chicken. Irene desires to learn more about the Bible and learn how to play the piano.

If given the opportunity for an all-expense paid trip she would travel to Paris, either by car or train. She is interested in visiting Paris because she has never been there before and it would be a new experience.

Irene encourages others by telling them, *"Be the person that you are... don't put on airs, just be yourself."*

Gale Robinson gets the most joy from creating things and spaces that motivate, inspire, and empower herself and others to love. Her favorite dish is French apple pie with vanilla ice cream. As a lifelong learner, Gale wants to learn more about Small Business and Entrepreneurial Development. She also desires to experience authorship.

If given the opportunity for an all-expense paid trip she would travel to all 50 states and US territories; traveling primarily by airplane. The beauty and diversity of culture and landscape pique her interest.

Gale encourages herself and others with her quote, *"Love God, love yourself, and love others...peace will prevail."*



Gale





Dianne

Dianne Green gets the most joy from utilizing her God-given talents to bless someone else. Her favorite dish is spaghetti. One of her desires in life is to learn to sew on a sewing machine. Dianne desires to experience more with technology, such as computers, electronics, and other devices.

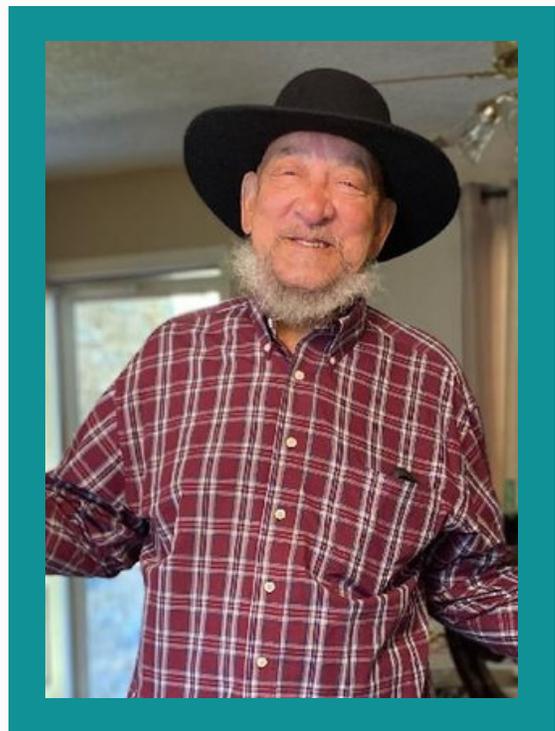
Dianne would travel by plane to Paris if given an all-expense paid trip. The idea of visiting a romantic city and seeing it through her eyes interests her the most.

Dianne shares these words of encouragement to herself and others, *"Everyone should think before speaking...Know that God watches over us and knows all of what we say and do."*

Everett Green gets the most joy working in his yard. Green's favorite dish is macaroni salad with tuna. He desires to learn more about using his iPhone.

If given an all-expense paid trip Everett would travel by airplane to South Korea. He is interested in seeing how Korea has changed since he was there last.

"I must get to know God for myself, just like you need to know God for yourself" are words of encouragement Green shares with himself and others.



Everett "Green"





Lealie

Lealie Russ gets the most joy from being a blessing to other people. Her favorite dish is fried chicken and turnip greens. Learning more about the word of God and being whom God wants her to be is what Lealie desires the most. Walking around and celebrating Juneteenth with her family is a brand new experience she would love to try.

If Lealie was given an all-expense paid trip, she may gift it to someone else because Lealie is not too fond of traveling.

Lealie shares these words of encouragement to herself and others, *"Take life one day at a time; the world was not made in a day... Keep the faith and don't give up."*

Alice Fortune gets the most joy from visiting and helping others. Her favorite dish is baked chicken, collard greens, and potato salad.

Liz desires to read others better so she can understand them better. Liz believes getting along better with the younger generation is a brand-new experience she would try.

Liz would travel to Florida by plane if given an all-expense paid trip. Her love for visiting places with her brother is most interesting to her.

These are Liz's words of encouragement for herself and others, *"God has not given us the spirit of fear, but of power, love and sound mind... No weapon formed against you shall prosper."*



Alice "Liz"



Teresa "Ann"

Teresa King gets the most joy from decorating the house. Teresa's favorite dish is chicken and she desires to learn more about computers. One brand-new experience Ann would most like to try is public speaking.

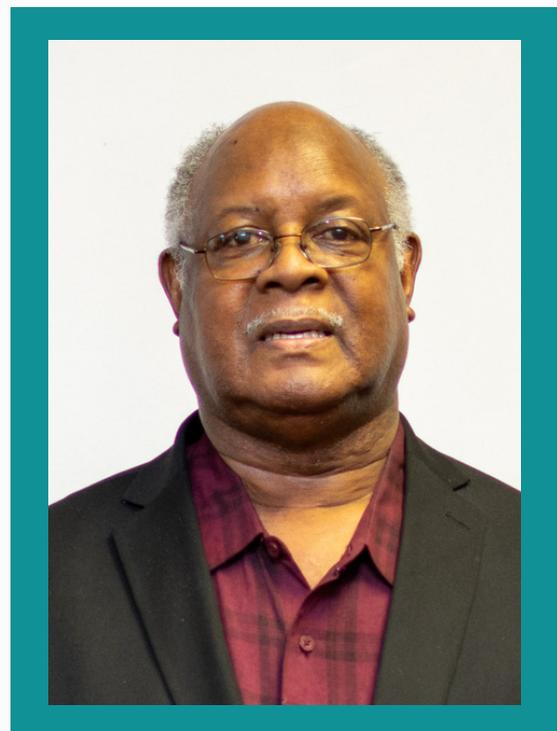
If given an all-expense paid trip she would travel to Africa by plane and is interested in experiencing their lifestyles.

When asked to share some words of encouragement, she says, "*Treat people the way you want to be treated...show kindness...do unto others as you would have them do unto you.*" Her daddy always told her this and it just stayed with her.

James King gets the most joy from gardening. His favorite dish is steak. James desires to learn more about what interests the children. Traveling to Disney World would be a brand-new experience he would most like to try.

If James was given an all-expense paid trip he would fly to Florida because he has never been there.

"*Listen to the children*" are some words of encouragement James shares with himself and others.



James





L.I.F.E. CALENDAR

- 9/1 - NLCC @ Trinity for Revival @ 7PM
- 9/3 - Diaconate Meeting @ 9AM
- 9/3 - Praise Dance Rehearsal @ 11AM
- 9/4 - NLCC Church Anniversary @ 8AM
- 9/7 - L.I.F.E. Prayer @ 7AM & 7PM
- 9/8 - L.I.F.E. Study @ 7PM
- 9/11 - NLCC Worship @ 8AM
- 9/14 - L.I.F.E. Prayer @ 7AM & 7PM
- 9/18 - NLCC Worship @ 8AM
- 9/21 - L.I.F.E. Prayer @ 7AM & 7PM
- 9/22 - L.I.F.E. Study @ 7PM
- 9/24 - PBA Division of Women @ 10AM
- 9/25 - NLCC Worship @ 8AM
- 9/28 - L.I.F.E. Prayer @ 7AM & 7PM



SEPTEMBER
2022

For with GOD nothing shall be impossible.
LUKE 1: 13

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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September Birthdays

- 9/2 - *Jeremy Kelly*
- 9/4 - *Rosetta Clay*
- 9/10 - *Richard Britford*
- 9/22 - *Micah Wormley*
- 9/23 - *Littyia Clay-Crawley*
- 9/26 - *Lonnie Pierce*



The Veterans Administration (VA) and Disabled American Veterans (DAV) will conduct a VA Claims Clinic and Benefit Information Session

Wednesday, September 28, 2022
9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

NAACP King William Branch
694 Sharon Rd. Suite K
King William, VA 23086

Topics: VA policy, programs, benefits

Veterans who are interested in filing a claim, please bring DD-214.

ALL MILITARY VETERANS, SPOUSES, AND DEPENDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

Contact: *Lonnie O. Pierce, Sr.*
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RELATIONAL L.I.F.E.



Grandparents Day is celebrated on the first Sunday after Labor Day. This year, it's Sunday, September 11, 2022. While we honor our grandparents every day, take an extra moment to appreciate all the joy and wisdom that grandparents bring to our lives.

Marian McQuade raised awareness about senior citizens throughout the 1970s. In 1978, President Jimmy Carter declared National Grandparents Day.

Most grandparents just want to spend time with their grandchildren. Show your Grandparents some love!

Here are some things that you can do to show them love:

- Call them and visit them
- Laugh with them
- Hug them
- Listen to their stories
- Take them their favorite foods
- Treat them with respect, patience, and plenty of love

Listen to this song with your grandparents: ["A Song for Grandma and Grandpa" by Johnny Prill](#)



SEPTEMBER Observances & Awareness

*Be proactive.
Click ALL the links below.*



Month:

- [Christian Faith Formation](#)
- [Gynecologic Cancer Awareness](#)
- [Hispanic Heritage](#)
- [National Disease Literacy](#)
- [Nat. Childhood Cancer Awareness](#)
- [National Pain Awareness](#)
- [National Preparedness](#)
- [National Self-care Awareness](#)
- [National Suicide Awareness](#)
- [Polycystic Ovarian Syn. Awareness](#)
- [Self Improvement](#)
- [Whole Grains](#)

Weeks:

- [National Suicide Prevention 1](#)
- [National Assisted Living 2](#)
- [National Arts in Education 2](#)
- [Orchid Male Cancer Awareness 2](#)
- [National Indoor Plant 3](#)
- [National Keep Kids Creative 4](#)

Days:

- [National Food Bank Day -2nd](#)
- [World Beard Day -3rd](#)
- [Labor Day -4th](#)
- [National Grandparents Day -11th](#)
- [Back to Church Sunday -18th](#)
- [Nat. Voters Registration Day -20th](#)
- [National Daughter's Day -25th](#)
- [National Pancake Day -26th](#)

There are more topics of awareness.

~Love and be loved.~

CONNECT WITH NLCC



EDUCATIONAL L.I.F.E.

Aspects of Faith Formation

- **Participants:** Faith formation is in the people whose faith is being formed. Participants engage in some way.
- **Leadership:** Faith formation leader, as a parent, teacher, preacher, worship leader, small group leader, service project organizer, or someone who starts a conversation or offers a hug.
- **Training:** Faith formation leaders and participants train to know the best practices to be effective.
- **Relationships:** Faith formation happens through relationships. Nurturing and forming relationships is the point of faith formation.
- **Time:** Faith formation takes time. Preparing resources, nurturing relationships, forming faith habits, and doing missions take time.
- **Effort:** Faith formation takes a time commitment. It requires committed effort to be a prepared leader, to be authentic in relationships, and to engage in devotional practices.
- **Content:** Faith formation needs content. We need to know our Creator, Redeemer, and Comforter using resources, i.e., the Bible, study guides, curricula, devotionals, hymnals, prayer, and other things.



Happy 7th Church & Pastoral Anniversary!

HEALTH L.I.F.E.



MENTAL HEALTH IS HEALTH.

BLACK MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

"African American adults are 20% more likely to experience mental health issues than the rest of the population"

-Center For Discovery

Blackmail4u.com

5 Action Steps for Helping Someone in Emotional Pain

 ASK <small>"Are you thinking about killing yourself?"</small>	 KEEP THEM SAFE <small>Reduce access to lethal items or places.</small>	 BE THERE <small>Listen carefully and acknowledge their feelings.</small>	 HELP THEM CONNECT <small>Save the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline number 1-800-273-8255.</small>	 STAY CONNECTED <small>Follow up and stay in touch after a crisis.</small>
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National Institute of Mental Health

www.nimh.nih.gov/suicideprevention

EMOTIONAL L.I.F.E.



Wildlife Fun

National Wildlife Day - Sept 4th



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Red Deer

Nyla

Mink

Impala

Forest Hog

Duiker

Arapawa

Black Duck

Canada goose

Wildebeest

Rattlesnake

Tahr

Turkey

Ibex

Fisher

Doll Sheep

Baboon

Blacktail

Canvas Back

Zebra

Raccoon

Muskrat

Mallard

Hippo

Fallow Deer

Big Horn Sheep

Badger

Blesbok

Cape buffalo

Pronghorn antelope

Musk Ox

Kudu

Grizzly

Elk

Crow

Beaver

Broadwing Hawk

Coes Deer

Polar Bear

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Bison

Brown Bear

Hawk

Otter

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Javelina

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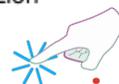
Eland

Cougar

Black Bear

Bush Buck

Lion



Watch on YouTube: ["A scenic wildlife film with calming music."](#)