## **Bethany Baptist Church Ministries**

- 1. **Aesthetics Ministry** The team of members who are responsible for beautifying the church facility internally and externally for special functions throughout the year, and for regular worship experiences.
- 2. Artistic Expression Dance Ministry Giving God praise through dance! A gifted and growing team of interpretive dancers who provide deep and meaningful presentations of liturgical dance for the enhancement of worship.
- 3. **Bethany Blessers {Hospitality Ministry}** The Heartbeat of the family, prone to showering systematic and spontaneous blessings upon the members and guests of the church to produce an anticipatory atmosphere of the "Bethany Experience".
- 4. Brothers at The Door Core of Door-Keepers comprised of Men
- 5. **Building Bolder Christians (B.B.C. Discipleship Team)** Ministry designed to take sinners who were transformed into saints, and then transform them into Servants of the Most-High God through the diligent adherence to the Word of God.
- 6. **Calendar Crew** The Team responsible for maintaining the Church's calendar of events in coordination with the Church Administrator.
- 7. **Children's Chapel** –An opportunity for youth ages 6-12 to develop into worshippers aided by age appropriate lessons and activities provided for their enhancement.
- 8. **Comforters Ministry** The bereavement ministry which is to assist those who are bereaved and ailing, by making their time of sorrow as easy as possible. The vision is to support and minister to families and individuals who have lost loves ones, or are dealing with sickness, enabling them to see God's care and compassion in the midst of life's most difficult challenges.
- 9. **Counselors Ministry** The team of counselors appointed by the Pastor to aid in sharing with seekers who need guidance through various circumstances.
- 10. **Deaconess Ministry** The female counterpart of the Deacons designed to assist the Pastor in ministering to the Membership.
- 11. **Deacons Ministry** Core of Pastoral assistants established to serve tables. To aid the Pastor in ministering to the membership of the church.
- 12. **Evangelism** –In fulfilment of the commission given by Christ, this ministry will lead the church in reaching lost souls for the Kingdom.
- 13. **Finance Ministry** This ministry manages the money. The business function of the finance department includes planning, organizing, auditing, and accounting for the church's finances.

- 14. **Food Service Team** This ministry is responsible for supporting all church functions where food services and hospitality is required. We plan nutritious menus for each event.
- 15. **G.O. Sunday (Get One)** One designated Sunday per month when each member is challenged to bring a guest with them to Worship.
- 16. **Golden Years Ministry** (**G.Y.M.**) We are very excited about our senior citizens here at BBC. Our Seniors may get shut-in, but they are never shut-out! Senior Saints In action! A ministry designed to engage and encourage the members of our congregation who are Sixty-Plus!
- 17. **H.O.P.E. Ministry (Greeters) Helping Others Prepare for Eternity** The ministry of initial impact and contact of worshippers for the church. Responsible to set the tone for each person, members and guests for the "Bethany Experience"; preparing them for what they should expect in worship.
- Holistic Ministry A ministry that reflects Bethany's concerns for the whole man. We desire for every aspect of our members to become stronger, including but not limited to: Dietary Concerns; Medical Concerns; Financial Concerns; Insurance; Retirement; and Wills.
- 19. **Intercessory Prayer** While prayer is the responsibility of every Christian, this is a special group that the Pastor appoints to pray for specified issues.
- 20. **Marriages Adding Power (M.A.P.) -** God's blessing of Marital relationship is not wasted on us here at BBC. We strive to nurture and care for our family's marriages. We have plans for a Marriage Retreat once a year for married couples. This is a Time of Marital enrichment and development for couples in the church and community to collectively strengthen each other as examples for the Body to view for encouragement and service.
- 21. **Media Ministry** God has used communication methods (medias "methods") suitable and effective for the time and person in question. The methods were different based on the need of the hearers and the message. The Bible demonstrates that God uses various "Medias" in order to communicate with man. This ministry is focused on how members and visitors hear the Word of GOD at Bethany. They also maintain visible presence of the Bethany Church across the social spectrum in order to reach the masses.
- 22. **Membership Team** Designated personnel appointed to lead members to Christ when they respond to His grace, and to connect them to their discipleship partner. This team will also maintain membership records in coordination with the Church Clerk.
- 23. **Mighty Men of Valor Men's Ministry (M.M.V.)** The Men's ministry of our church seeks to develop men into Kingdom Men with a Kingdom agenda and a Kingdom heart. Our Men's Ministry offers several fellowships throughout the year. The Men's ministry of the church. A place where men come together for accountability and development for personal growth and church support.
- 24. **Ministry of Music** The purpose of the Bethany Baptist Church Music Ministry is primarily centered around sharing the gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ through music and song; which inspires the Saints to further affirm their faith and Christian

walk. Through the ministry of music, we strive to bring hope for salvation to nonbelievers. We aim to cultivate and nourish musical gifts to further edify the body of Christ.

- **25. Missions** We must never omit our duties to reach those who are without benefit of relationship with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. This responsibility involves home and foreign needs. This ministry is saddled with the obligation to lead our church in this commission.
- 26. **Mothers Ministry** Body of Senior Women in the church established to serve as directed and to nurture the younger women of the church.
- 27. **New Member/Convert Orientation Ministry** Classes established to orient new members and new converts into the nature and structure of the Bethany church.
- 28.**Nurse's Ministry** Team of medically astute members designed to watch for the healthcare of the Pastor and members.
- 29. **Outreach** This ministry provides the venue for offering services to the communities around the church and beyond, demonstrating the love and acceptance of a God of Love and a Christ of Compassion.
- 30.**Passion for Performing Arts** Designed to provide passionate, informative, educational, and spiritually enhancing dramatic presentations of Biblical, Historical, Cultural and Inspirational themes.
- 31. **Property and Building Management** This department is designed to address our stewardship. We must adequately enhance and maintain the things that God has blessed us with for ministry.
- 32. **Public Relations and Publications** The team of members who keep the church connected with the community and publish materials which serve to broadcast the goals of the ministry.
- 33. **Shepherds Care Ministry** A ministry designed to care for the shepherd. To communicate with him regularly to know his needs and provide for him in an effort to free him for ministry.
- 34. **Single Saved & Satisfied** A highly anticipated ministry which will embrace singles seeking to live contently outside of a marital relationship, and yet bringing honor to God. **TBA**
- 35. **Sisters Acquiring Spiritual Strength (S.A.S.S.)** Women's Ministry The Women's ministry is involved in ministering to ladies that require ministry for needs in their life or who want to join in ministering the life of God to other. Women of all ages are welcome come join us and see how God is changing women's lives and setting them free.
- 36.**Sunday Church School** The educational arm of the church designed to inform and equip the membership with fundamental truths which enlighten and enhance the core values and principles of the church's doctrinal stance.

- 37. **The King's Team Ministry Leaders** A conglomerate of Ministry leaders who meet with the Pastor for consultation for the enhancement of the church.
- 38.**Transportation Ministry** The team who takes responsibility for coordinating and providing ministry for church functions and services.
- 39. Ushers Ministry The Ushers ministry is dedicated to help usher God's people into the building as well as maintain an atmosphere of reverence and order before, during, and after service. The Usher's vision is to provide a warm and welcoming presence in God's house. Door-Keepers of the church, who are in place to keep order during various services and meetings of the body. Specially prepared to provide for day-to-day needs of the membership during such services, such as seating, serving, and sharing with the worshippers.
- 40. **Vacation Bible School** An educational and outreach tool for connecting with the members and the community fun, fellowship and fruitful learning.
- 41. **Website** A major communications tool for the Church which keeps members informed and connected, while reaching out to seekers across the world with the message of Jesus Christ.
- 42. **Young-Adults Engaging Spiritually (Y.E.S.)** An opportunity for the unique minds of the millennial generation to enhance one another and be developed through Biblical, Worshipful and Social activity.
- 43. Youth Ministry A total program of Spiritual and Biblical activities at home and beyond for the development of the mind, body, and souls of the Bethany youth.