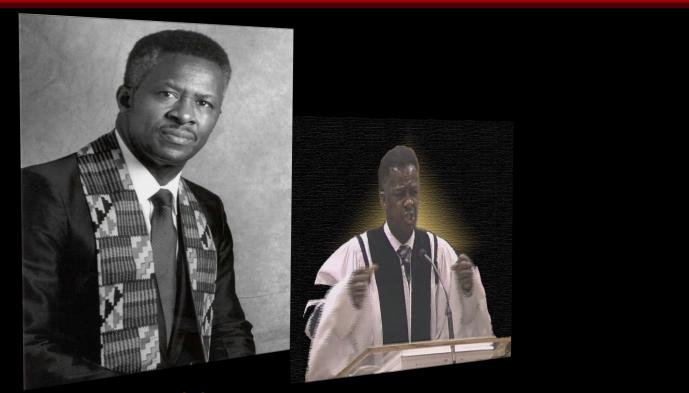
# Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church Pastor Emeritus Recognition Sunday July 10, 2022 | 11:00 AM



47 Years - 1970~2017 The Reverend Dr. Alonzo B. Patterson Pastor Emeritus



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#### **PSALM 145**

I will [a]extol You, my God, O King; And I will bless Your name forever and ever. 2 Every day I will bless You. And I will praise Your name forever and ever. 3 Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; And His greatness is [b]unsearchable. 4 One generation shall praise Your works to another, And shall declare Your mighty acts. 5 [c]l will meditate on the glorious splendor of Your maiesty, And [d]on Your wondrous works. 6 Men shall speak of the might of Your awesome acts, And I will declare Your greatness. 7 They shall [e]utter the memory of Your great goodness. And shall sing of Your righteousness. 8 The Lord is gracious and full of compassion, Slow to anger and great in mercy. 9 The Lord is good to all, And His tender mercies are over all His works. 10 All Your works shall praise You. O Lord. And Your saints shall bless You. 11 They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom, And talk of Your power. 12 To make known to the sons of men His mighty acts, And the glorious majesty of His kingdom. 13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, And Your dominion endures throughout all [f] generations. 14 The Lord upholds all who fall, And raises up all who are bowed down. 15 The eyes of all look expectantly to You, And You give them their food in due season. 16 You open Your hand And satisfy the desire of every living thing. 17 The Lord is righteous in all His ways, Gracious in all His works. 18 The Lord is near to all who call upon Him, To all who call upon Him in truth. 19 He will fulfill the desire of those who fear Him; He also will hear their cry and save them. 20 The Lord preserves all who love Him, But all the wicked He will destroy. 21 My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord, And all flesh shall bless His holy name Forever and ever.

#### SHILOH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH WORSHIP CELEBRATION July 10, 2022 | 11:00 AM

#### INSTRUMENTAL PRAISE SMBC MUSICIANS

WELCOME | SCRIPTURE | PRAYER PSALM 145 [NKJV] REVEREND MILDRED PARKER

PRAISE & WORSHIP | THE VOICES OF SHILOH CHOIR AND MS. KATHY BOWE "We've Come Into This House" | "How Great Is Our God"

A SPECIAL DAY OF APPRECIATION PASTOR EMERITUS APPRECIATION SUNDAY THE REVEREND DR. ALONZO B. PATTERSON 47 YEARS - 1970~2017

I Don't Feel No Ways Tired | Ms. Kathy Bowe

PRAYER OF PRAISE, THANKSGIVING & BLESSING

WORSHIP SONG | DEACONESS BEATRICE FREEMAN AND THE VOICES OF SHILOH CHOIR "Christ Is All"

#### Message | Pastor Undra Parker

INVITATION TO NEW LIFE "We Offer Christ To You"

A Moment of Sharing Pastor Emeritus Alonzo B. Patterson

> MINISTRY FOCUS TITHES & OFFERINGS

BENEDICTION PRAYER PASTOR UNDRA PARKER

#### The Reverend Dr. Alonzo B. Patterson Pastor Emeritus, Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church Director of Alaska Ministries, American Baptist Churches, USA Founder & Executive Director of A.B. Patterson Ministry Center

**Reverend Alonzo B**. Patterson was born in New Orleans, LA to Lonzo Patterson and Susie Milligan Patterson. At the age of 12 he was called to the ministry, and devoted his life to sharing the Word of God with others. **Pastor Patterson and Mrs. Shirley M. Patterson** celebrated 66 years of marriage in December 2021—Pastor and Mrs. Patterson have five children, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. **Reverend Patterson** holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from the University of Alaska, Anchorage and a Doctor of Divinity degree from the American Bible Institute.

With over 72 years in ministry — 47 years as pastor of Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, Reverend Patterson has touched many lives. Under his pastorate, he has licensed and ordained more than 55 men and women into the Gospel ministry. He has encouraged and supported many other men and women to answer God's call on their lives. He has trained and ordained hundreds of deacons and deaconesses, and other church leaders, many of whom are currently serving in churches all over the world.

**Pastor Patterson** was instrumental in building the membership of Shiloh and expanding the church facility, beginning with designing and building the Worship Center in 1976. In 1983 he completed the Education Wing. In 1993, the Martin Luther King, Jr. Family Life Center, which houses classrooms, offices, conference rooms and a gymnasium was completed. In 2000, the church purchased the building at 1677 Juneau as a Youth and Family Support Center.

**Pastor Patterson's** strong concern for people has allowed him to devote himself to professional and community service, addressing religious, cultural and social needs not only for the African-American community, but for all people across cultural distinctions. He has served as president of the NAACP, the North Pacific Baptist Convention, the Congress of Christian Education—National Baptist Convention, USA, INC., the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance, Greatland State Baptist Convention, Alaska Black Leadership Conference and as the Chairman of the March of Dimes Foundation. From 1984 until 1991 Pastor Patterson served on the State of Alaska Board of Parole—serving as Chairman of the Board for 14 years. He is the Founder of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Foundation of Alaska and served as Chairman of the Foundation for more than 25 years. He is a founding member of Bridge Builders of Anchorage. He is the Coordinator of Alaska Ministries for American Baptist Churches, USA and Executive Minister for Alaska Baptist Churches.

**In 2002, Pastor Patterson** organized the Shiloh Community Development, Inc., (SCDI) a community based non-profit organization created to consolidate and enhance Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church's community outreach efforts. SCDI purpose is to help alleviate the conditions of hunger, homelessness, unemployment, poverty, illiteracy, aging, and youth and children-at-risk in the City of Anchorage. SCDI does this by investing in and organizing residents to help our community build assets such as quality affordable housing, good jobs, strong businesses, youth and children programs, senior care initiatives and effective leaders by designing long-term approaches to achieving social and economic improvement at the grassroots level. In 2004 Pastor Patterson organized Shiloh Community Housing, INC(SCHI) an effort that would focus on affordable housing. The first affordable housing unit, a four-plex, was purchased in 2004. A fourteen unit apartment was purchase to provide housing for youth aging out of the foster care system. The LIFE Program was created to help these youth ages 18-24 learn "life skills" to help them in finding jobs, going to college or vocational schools and coping with the childhood trauma they experienced while navigating the foster care system.

*In* 2006 Shiloh began, in partnership with Brotherhood, Inc. and Kappa Alpha Phi, the Home Base After School Program and after school program for students grades 4-7 a program designed to help resources children have a safe place after school in which they could receive help in math, science, and technology and be exposed to cultural experiences not available to them. In 2009 HBAS students raised the funds to travel to Ghana, Africa for 18 days to explore their African cultural heritage.

**Pastor Patterson** is an evangelist and church planter—planting churches in Eagle River, Palmer, Fairbanks, Juneau and Delta Junction, AK. Out of this passion for reaching the world with the gospel, he began a television ministry in the seventies, "Shiloh's Hour of Decision" which continued until his retirement.

**Pastor Patterson** has kept Shiloh on the cutting edge of technology with internet access, Shiloh WEB site, Facebook, streaming worship, up -to-date worship and media systems, including Worship Planning, networked computers with server for Shiloh, telephone communication system with the capability of calling the entire membership within a couple of hours, and a nation-wide teleconferencing system and many other technological advantages.

In 2016 he completed an expansion and improvement project to the sanctuary—" The Joubert Family Atrium" . . . all to the Glory of God.

**In 2015 Pastor Patterson** announced his retirement from pastoral ministry. He developed a succession plan for a God-led transition for the pastorate of Shiloh, as he began planning for his retirement in 2017. He led the church in calling Auxiliary Pastor, Pastor Undra Parker, MDiv, who had served along-side him for 10 years. For two years Pastor Patterson led Shiloh in a transition that included the election of his successor. This was the pinnacle of Pastor Patterson's pastoral ministry—a pastoral transition that was God-led, Spirit-filled and Christ centered—an unforgettable experience for the members of Shiloh. Shiloh members celebrated their much-beloved Pastor's retirement as Senior Pastor of Shiloh on November 5, 2017 with a grand celebration that included former members of Shiloh from across Alaska and the United States, the Anchorage community.

Pastor Patterson was honored with emeritus status by the members of Shiloh and is now The Reverend Dr. Alonzo B. Patterson, Pastor Emeritus, Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church.

**In 2017 Pastor Patterson** retired from the pastorate but not from ministry. He is continuing his ministry as the Director of Alaska Ministries for The American Baptist Churches, USA, and as Executive Minister for The Alaska Baptist Churches.

**His plan to live this season of his life** in evangelical ministry has become a reality. He has founded and is director of a Center for Evangelism & Outreach—**The A.B. Patterson Ministry Center, 1677 Juneau Street**—a place for evangelistic training and outreach to those thought to be unreachable. **This is but a summary of the life of the man** who has been faithful to his calling and to God! This litany of accomplishments does not begin to tell the story of the life of Pastor Alonzo B. Patterson—a man whose whole life "worships God." He is a man of vision and mission—a man of passion, prayer and purpose! A man whose life is totally "Centered in Jesus Christ!" Pastor Patterson is a great preacher, teacher, leader and evangelist. He often slows his pace so that others can catch up or keep up with the work and mission that God has set for his life. Pastor Patterson is steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord! He is a steward who has been found faithful!

# **EVANGELISM 2022**

# PREACHING SERIES

July 10 - August 14

Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church

Therefore GO ! . . . make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, Matthew 28:19 We can get stuck in our comfort zones. However, as Disciples of Christ, Jesus commands us to "GO, therefore, and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:19). What does it mean for our church to GO into the world and make disciples? How are we to live this out?

Senior Pastor Undra Parker will guide us through an Evangelism Series: GO! Once believers accept Christ as their Lord and Savior, they have a responsibility to GO. We are responsible for sharing the Good News and pointing souls toward Christ. Evangelism is not the responsibility of a few selected evangelists but for all that have a personal relationship with Christbecoming a Faithful Witness. This series will guide us through the ways God wants us to GO into the world, reach beyond the building walls, share the love of the Gospel, impact lives for the Kingdom of God, and watch God transform them into the image of His son Jesus.

## SHILOH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH



For Everyone Going Back To School Students, Teachers, Administrators, ADS Employees, Parents

### WEDENESDAY NIGHT | AUGUST 17 at 6:30 PM

As our children, teachers and school administration prepare to return to the classroom, prayers are NEEDED. Prayers for patience, Prayers for protection & safety, Prayers for guidance.....What prayer do you want to petition for your child/children? Parents/Guardians Bring your children and youth to this FAMILY TIME OF PRAYER. School Administration and employees come and cover yourself in prayer as you prepare to start a new schoolyear. There will be a special time of prayer just for you. It's Prayer Time!

# WE ARE SHILOH SHILOH

Be Involved In Building His Kingdom! Join A Ministry! There is a place of service for EVERYONE. Shiloh we want to Know Christ, Grow In Christ, Connect with others and Serve others. SAVE THE DATE! (More Information Coming)



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SHILOH MINISTRY FAIR

August 24<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:00 PM

August 28<sup>th</sup> After 11:00 AM Worship.

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9:45 AM

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Understanding The Bible	Room 310
Comprehensive Bible Study	Room 311
Married Couples Fellowship	Room 312
Foundations	Room 314
Virtual Sunday School Group Meeting ID: 831 4733 5157   Passcode: 850501	ZOOM

#### YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Senior High School	Room 114
Middle School	Room 110

#### **CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Preschool & Kindergarten	Room 105
Elementary: 1st . 2nd . 3rd	Room 104
Upper Elementary 4th . 5th	Room 112



Contact: Reverend Gwuana Thomas, Associate Pastor for Discipleship 907.276.6609 | gwuana.thomas@shilohmbcalaska.org

### AUGUST 28 | SHILOH GYM | 9:45 AM

### SHILOH 101 Discover Our Church Family

#### **MEMBERS NEW TO SHILOH & VISITORS**

This class is designed to help you discover more about our church (our history, vision, core values, priorities, ministries, and our staff) and how you can be part of what God is doing here.

The opportunity to become a fully participating member of Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church is just one great reason to attend. This is the first step in pursuing (if you are visiting), beginning (if you have newly joined) or continuing (if you are already a member) your membership here in the Shiloh Church family.

Shiloh 101 is more than a class—it is a time of fellowship with Pastor Undra Parker and First Lady Mildred Parker and with many of the leaders of Shiloh.

CONTACT SHILOH CHURCH OFFICE: 907.276.6673



BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER ON WEDNESDAYS IS RETURNING ON

SEPTEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> FOR EVERY-ONE! Mark your calendars and set your alarms!



# Summer@Shiloh

WELCOME TO SHILOH

Our challenge and goal is to grow to deeper spiritually in Prayer and Reading the Word of God this Summer! Check each opportunity for growth below and make a decision to excel this Summer embrace your family and grow together. There is no greater gift you can give yourself or your family than the discipline of a consistent life of praying and reading God's Word.

#### **EVERY WEEK@SHILOH**

Sunday School
Worship

9:45 AM 11:00 AM Sunday Sunday

#### ~ SHILOH SUMMER TIME PRAYER CALL ~

- + Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 5:30 AM-6:30 AM Conference Line
- + Wednesday Mid-Week: Pause & Pray With Your Family At Home
- + Saturday 8:00-9:00 AM Conference Line Prayer
- + Sunday 10:45 AM Sunday Morning Prayer In the Sanctuary

#### WEDNESDAYS @ SHILOH THIS SUMMER

- + Family Prayer @ Home and 120 Days Reading The Bible With Family Wednesday Night Bible Study BEGINS September 7
- + PASTOR EMERITUS APPRECIATION SUNDAY-July 10 @ 11:00 AM
- + GO! EVANGELISM SERIES BEGINS: July 10 August 14
- + BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER August 17@ 6:30 PM
- + SHILOH MINISTRY FAIR August 24 @6:30 PM and August 28 following 11:00 AM Worship
- + SHILOH 101 DISCOVER YOUR CHURCH: New Members & Visitors 9:45 AM

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