



# THE REHOBOTH CONNECTION

## REHOBOTH LIVE IN 35!

July 2018



We've had a jam-packed 35 days at Rehoboth! Here's a recap of the flurry of activity we've enjoyed, as we embodied our mission: To know Christ and to make Him known!

On **Father's Day 2018**, we celebrated all our men, and declared that they are incredible! We symbolically crowned them, as Rev. Dalton Spencer spoke into their lives and encouraged them to step into their rightful position.

A week later on June 24th, it was **Children's Sunday**, and this year, it took the form of a casual Sunday, with everyone wearing their denim and white. The children ministered in various art forms throughout both morning services, as they focused on the theme: "Loving God and Loving People".



Later that evening, we joyously recognized all of our Capital Campaign contributors at the **Capital Campaign Close-out Celebration**. Thank God for His goodness and faithfulness, as many persons paid off their pledges in full, or contributed more than what they had pledged. We also had dozens of contributors who had not pledged, but still donated to the



Campaign. The entire Capital Campaign team, spearheaded by the Co-Directors, Bro. Cleveland Plunkett and Bro. Dalton Patterson, was also recognized for a job well-done.

### Upcoming Events

- ◆ **Annual Picnic and Family Fun Day**  
August 4, 2018
- ◆ **Summer Concert**  
August 5, 2018
- ◆ **Elevate East**  
August 10-12, 2018
- ◆ **Seniors' Appreciation**  
September 16, 2018

There was no slowing down in July, as we had our annual **Caribbean Night**, highlighting the culture of several Caribbean islands, including Barbados, Trinidad, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, and Jamaica. There was storytelling, song, dance, comedy, and of course a delectable spread of Caribbean food. As we have come to expect, Caribbean Night was an entertaining and satisfying evening.



Then we shifted our focus to our evangelistic outreach at 888 East 56th Street. **Summer Bash** afforded us the opportunity to connect with parents and children in the community, as we distributed over 200 bookbags filled with school supplies, provided some tasty food for attendees, made health screenings and medical information available, entertained the children in the waterslide, bouncy house and with face-painting, prayed and shared the Word of God.



Awake America 365 was on hand to partner with us and minister powerfully. Kudos to Sis. Barbara Newman and team as they demonstrated the Love of God to the East 56th Street community.

## GET YOUR INHERITANCE!

The Rehoboth youth were challenged over the Youth Conference weekend to align themselves with the will of God, to exercise humility and to avoid loopholes in order to get their inheritance in Christ by guest speaker, Rev. Chevanne James. The weekend started with a focus on identifying and letting go of hindrances in their spiritual walk, with former Youth Director, Bro. Norman Clayton as the speaker.

The youth ministered in song, spoken word, and dance throughout the weekend. We were also blessed to have gospel recording artiste, Kiokya Cruickshank-Jack, in both Sunday morning services, and heard words of encouragement from former Youth Directors: Sis. Andrea Clayton, Sis. Melonia Simpson, Sis. Carla Samuels, and Rev. Leroy Spencer.

We capped off the weekend with a celebration of the Graduating Class of 2018!

All levels, from Pre-Kindergarten to Graduate study, were recognized, and 2017 college graduate, Shaquille Sinclair, gave a charge to the graduates. Rev. Leroy Spencer delivered the final address as we closed off Youth Conference 2018.

The youth ministry thanks our Pastors, the leaders, and the entire Rehoboth family for your support year-round, and especially during our recent youth conference.



## GUARD YOUR WIDOW!

The seven-week "Wisdom" series, presented by Revs. Leroy and Dalton Spencer, has been an inspiring and eye-opening study, as we looked at the topics of: Worry, Wisdom, Worship, Wealth, and Words.

The final sermon in the Wisdom series is projected to take place on Sunday, August 5th.



*Revs Leroy & Dalton Spencer*

*Proverbs 4:23  
"Above all else, guard your heart for everything you do flows from it."*

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## THE ROAD TO 888

We are getting closer and closer to our new building at 888 East 56th Street, with anticipated groundbreaking in 2018. You can continue to help by supporting our various fundraising activities, and also by directing your friends, family and associates to give at: [www.gofundme.com/giveROBC](http://www.gofundme.com/giveROBC).



We are making room for the amazing! Won't you join us?

**Senior Pastor: Rev. Leroy Spencer**  
**Administrative Pastor: Rev. Dalton Spencer**