

Our Mission

*Beth Shalom is a House of Peace.
We worship the Lord,
Reach out to Sinners,
Teach Believers,
Care for the Needy, and
Encourage Each Other in the Lord.*

**CHURCH CALENDAR &
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Church School - Sunday 9:30am
Worship Service - Sunday 11:00 am
Prayer & Bible Study - Wednesday
7:30pm

EVENTS FOR MAY 2019

Sunday, 12th — *Mother's Day*

Monday, 13th — *Ministry Team
Meeting, 7:30pm*

Saturday, 18th — *Celebrating Our
Pastor; Levi's Restaurant, 6410
Coventry Way, Clinton, MD; Donation:
\$25 Per Person; \$15 Children 12 &
Under; Live Music will be played for
your enjoyment.*

Tuesday, 21st—Sunday, 26th —
*Philadelphia-Baltimore Annual
Conference at the Bethesda North
Marriott Hotel and Conference
Center; 5701 Marinelli Road,
Bethesda, MD 20852*

Monday, 27th — *Memorial Day*

Peace Benediction in E^b

Please don't worry about anything;
But pray and ask God for everything
you need. Always giving thanks and
He'll give you peace for your heart
and mind.

And the peace of God
which surpasses all your understanding
will keep your heart and mind
in Christ Jesus the Lord.
*(Adapted from Philippians 4:6,7
Music by Darrell J. Gaskin)*

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*Share your plans with the Lord and you
will succeed. Proverb 16:3 (CEV)*

Life Lessons from Lemuel's Mother

Beth Shalom AME Zion Church

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Rev. Dr. Evalina Huggins,
Presiding Elder
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A Compassionate Ministry

Important Life Lessons from Lemuel's Mother

1. Name some things that your mother taught you?
2. Life Lessons that Lemuel's Mother taught him are examples of the kind of life lessons every mother should teach their children.
3. However, first who are you raising? A king or a peasant (an ignorant, rude, or unsophisticated person).
4. Lesson #1: Don't waste your time and energy being a player. It will destroy you and your kingdom.
5. Lesson #2: Don't live to get high. You'll make bad decisions and hurt those in your care who are weak.
6. Lesson #3: Defend the rights of the destitute, poor and needy. Use your power to help those who need your help.
7. Lesson #4: Find a good woman, one of noble character, and marry her.
8. What life lessons are you teaching your children? It's not too late. You counsel adult children, too.



OUR BIBLICAL TEXT FOR TODAY

What Life Lessons are You Teaching Your Children?

The sayings of King Lemuel—an inspired utterance his mother taught him.

² Listen, my son! Listen, son of my womb! Listen, my son, the answer to my prayers! ³ Do not spend your strength on women, your vigor on those who ruin kings. ⁴ It is not for kings, Lemuel— it is not for kings to drink wine, not for rulers to crave beer, ⁵ lest they drink and forget what has been decreed and deprive all the oppressed of their rights. ⁶ Let beer be for those who are perishing, wine for those who are in anguish! ⁷ Let them drink and forget their poverty and remember their misery no more. ⁸ Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. ⁹ Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy. ¹⁰ A wife of noble character who can find? She is worth far more than rubies.
Proverb 31:1-10, NIV

*Our Prayer is that
You Receive God's Peace
through*

**P – Powerful Preaching
E – Excellent Teaching
A – Awesome Praise and
Worship
C – Creative Ministry
E – Engage, Exciting and
Effervescent Fellowship.**

What did Pastor Gaskin Preach About?

Every mother (and father) should teach their children important life lessons. This is sound advice that will help them be successful. In addition to cooking, cleaning and personal hygiene, parents should teach their children four life lessons from King Lemuel's mother. 1) Parents should teach their children how to control and satisfy their appetites. Unbridle appetites will ruin their life. 2) Parents should teach their children to treat people fairly especially those who they could take advantage of. 3) Parents should teach their children to help people who need their help. 4) Parents should teach their children to find and marry a spouse of noble character. A good spouse will help them build a successful family and life.

WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH THIS MESSAGE?

1. Think about the life lessons you were taught by your mother. Are you still living by them? Why or why not?
2. Make sure you are teaching your children important life lessons.