



Greetings Sister Churches,

This letter is to inform you that Mount Ararat C.M.E. Church will be hosting the community's very first Faith Walk on Sunday, March 24, 2013 in an effort to raise money for cancer research. We are reaching out to all of our church families for help during this event. Our pastor, Reverend Kenneth W. Smith, will be walking 18 miles from his hotel in Oxford to Mount Ararat in Alexandria on that Sunday morning and preach at 8AM morning worship. He will depart from his hotel at approximately 3:00 AM and has a goal to reach the church no later than 8:30 AM. The church is requesting assistance from our sister churches in encouraging him along the route, assisting at the water stations, and donating to the American Cancer Society (churches can collect a special offering prior to the event and make payable to "American Cancer Society"). The starting point will be at the Oxford Holiday Inn Express where we will have prayer and wish him well as he begins this journey. The water stations will be at the old Office Max parking lot on Highway 21 in South Anniston, Dr. Keel & Associates office on McClellan Boulevard in Anniston, the Anniston Fire Place on Highway 431 and the old Lenn Costner Auto Sales parking lot at the intersection of highway 431 and highway 144. It is estimated that it will take an hour to an hour and twenty minutes to reach each station. If your church or an organization from your church will be willing to assist in supporting the cause or have any questions or concerns, please email or call the church at mtararacme@cmefifthdistrict.org or (256)-848-9875. Alternatively, you can email Mrs. Quatise Garrett for a quicker response at qua4mete@aol.com or (256) 454-1784. More specific details of the day's events will be provided when you contact us. If you are unable to attend and desire to contribute, please mail your contributions to 1166 Brutonville Road, Alexandria, AL 36265. Thank you for your support and be blessed!

With Love,

The Mount Ararat C.M.E. Church Family