

Rare Corpse Flower at Botanic Garden About to Flower

Visitors are welcomed and you can watch livestream on YouTube



This is a release from Juniper Level Botanic Garden in Raleigh: Plant Delights Nursery at Juniper Level Botanic Garden in Raleigh, NC, has announced their third flowering (2018, 2023) of the rare Titan Arum/Corpse Flower... Amorphophallus titanum, named Homo Erectus. The plant is 10-11 years old and the tuber weighs 41lbs.

The "flower" is currently growing at a rate of 5 inches per day, and estimated to open on or about August 2-4, probably around 3-4pm. You can follow the flower's opening on our live stream on YouTube. (Search: Juniper Level Botanic Garden Corpse.)

For most people seeing this giant is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. Amorphophallus titanum has a larger-than-life reputation because of its enormous floral size...the largest unbranched inflorescence in the plant kingdom, ranging up to 12' tall. The inflorescence only remains open for 24-48 hours, so if you'd like to experience the unique rotten meat fragrance for which the genus is known, the smell should peak the first afternoon of opening. Native to the understory of the Sumatran rainforest, where it is considered a highly vulnerable species, with only 1,000 plants remaining in the wild, Amorphophallus titanum has been in cultivation since at least 1889. Since then, only 935 Titan Arums have been documented to have flowered in cultivation worldwide, with 576 of those occurring in the US. The Plant Delights specimen will be the 18th to flower in North Carolina.

As part of Plant Delights/Juniper Level's mission to propagate and share rare plants, Plant Delights Nursery has sold over 1,700 nursery propagated plants (since 1997) of Amorphophallus titanum to gardeners around the world. Plant Delights will have these and other more winter hardy amorphophallus for sale during the flowering event. And to the first 100 JLBG Members in attendance we have FREE Amorphophallus konjac seedlings!

The gardens will be open to see the Amorphophallus titanum in person Monday - Friday, July 28 - Aug. 1, 8:00am to 5:00pm. More details on extended visitation times will be provided as the opening of the inflorescence approaches. Stay up-to-date via Plant Delights Facebook page. For more information call 919-772-4794. Plant Delights Nursery at Juniper Level Botanic Garden, 9241 Sauls Rd., Raleigh, NC 27603.

Juniper Level Botanic Gardens is a research and conservation botanic garden, supported currently by garden memberships and sales from Plant Delights mail order nursery. To ensure that the garden and its work remains viable, our endowment is set up through the NC Agricultural Foundation at NC State University.

For more information, visit plantdelights.com or JLBG.org.



Church

JULY 20 - 23

Homecoming & Revival At Henry Grove Baptist Church. Sun-Pastor Marcus Blue at 11am, Rev. Carol Turner of Sneedgrove AME Zion in Ellerbe at 2:30pm. Mon-Rev. George Ellis of Union Grove Baptist Church in Laurinburg, Tue-Apostle Janice Martin of Restoration Deliverance and Hope Ministry, Wed-Rev. Johnnie McCullers of Friendship Baptist Church in Hamlet, all at 7pm.

JULY 20 & 23 - 25

10th Annual Holy Convocation At Victory Temple Miracle Center, 1685 Morgan Sellers Rd in Wadesboro. Sun-"Musical" 3:30pm. Wed-Fri nightly services 7:30pm. Info 704-294-4917.

JULY 20 - 24

Revival At Divine Unity House of Restoration Ministries Fellowship Hall, 3760 Hwy 109 S, Wadesboro. Sun-Pastor Larry Williams at 11am; Mon-Rev. Dr. Margo Gaddy; Tue-Bishop Arvestor Lindsey; Wed-Bishop J.F. Quick; Thu-Pastor Cindy Wiggins, all at 7pm.

JULY 26

Fun Day At Galilee AME Zion Church in Morven, 9am-1pm. Come enjoy food, fun & fellowship!

JULY 27

11th Appreciation Service for Elder Gary Gaddy At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 3:30pm with Apostle Marvin Leak of Sound Doctrine Fellowship in Rockingham. All are welcome.

JULY 27 - 30

Revival Services At Madison Grove Church. Sun-11am with Pastor Fred Leak. No evening service. Mon-Wed Dr. Billy Casey 7:30pm nightly.

Revival Services

At Chilson Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Sun-Rev. Columbus Kiser at 11am followed by dinner. Mon-Wed Rev. Kiser at 7pm nightly. Come & join us!

Homecoming & Revival At Rock Hill Missionary Baptist Church. Homecoming Sun at 11am. Revival Mon-Rev. John Kirkpatrick, Tue-Rev. Joletha Dockery, Wed-Rev. Jerry Tyson, all at 7pm.

JULY 27 - AUGUST 1

Revival Services At Rose of Sharon FCOG in Ansonville. Sun-Sermon by Bishop Arvester Lindsey at 12 noon. Nightly services Mon-Fri with Rev. Vincent Tillman, Pastor of Life Giving Church of God in Concord, at 7:30pm.

AUGUST 3 & 5- 7

Homecoming & Revival At Savannah AME Zion Church. Homecoming Sun with Rev. Dr. Linwood Carver at 10am. Revival Tue & Wed-Rev. Demetra Manns-Marsh of Hudson Grove AME Zion Church, Thu-Rev. Lakeisha Mobley of Kesler Chapel AME Zion Church, 7pm nightly.

AUGUST 3 & 6 - 8

Homecoming & Revival At East Rock Missionary Baptist Church. Homecoming Sunday with Pastor Taylor at 11am. Revival Wed-Fri with Rev. Warren Parson of Parsons Grove Missionary Baptist Church at 7pm nightly. Everyone is invited.

AUGUST 3 - 4

Homecoming &

Revival At Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church, Cairo Rd in Morven. Homecoming 11am Sun with Pastor Rev. Michael McLeod. Mon-Rev. Ricardo Leak of Gatewood Station AME Zion Church in Morven at 7pm. All are invited.

AUGUST 3 - 5

Revival At Parsons Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Sun-morning service with Rev. Dr. J.W. Parsons & at 3pm Rev. Lennon Parsons of West Rock Ford MBC. Mon & Tue-Rev. Donnell Taylor of East Rock Ford MBC at 7pm nightly.

AUGUST 3 - 6

Homecoming & Revival At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church, "A Call to Worship." Sun-Rev. Sharon Lockhart at 11am. Mon-Rev. Terry Little, Tue-Rev. T.J. Horne, Wed-, all at 7pm nightly.

AUGUST 10

Homecoming At Polkton Baptist Church, 11am with Rev. Brad Phifer. Lunch following service. Everyone is welcome!

Homecoming

Celebration At Sandy Plains Christian Fellowship Church. Day-long celebration filled with praise, worship, preaching & teaching, food, fellowship and fun! 9am coffee & conversation, Sunday School 9:45am, service 11am followed by dinner. Concert at 6:30pm with southern gospel group Covenant. 1154 Cason Oldfield Rd, Morven.

42nd Pastoral Anniversary for Pastor Iris Tillman At Church of God of Prophecy in Morven. Musical celebration at 2pm. All are invited.

Homecoming At Elizabeth Pee Dee Baptist Church in Lilesville at 11am with Min. Brian Hardison from Grace Temple Fellowship Church. Everyone is invited.

AUGUST 10 - 13

Homecoming & Revival At Deep Springs Baptist Church, 1908 Deep Springs Church Rd, Peachland. Homecoming Sunday 10:30am with Rev. Gregory Dry. Revival: Sun-Rev. Marty Quick 6pm. Mon-Rev. Randy Storz, Tue-Rev. Dennis Stegall, Tue-Rev. Scott Baucom, all at 6:30pm.

AUGUST 10 - 14

Homecoming & Revival At Saron Missionary Baptist Church in Polkton. Homecoming Sunday at 11am, followed by dinner. No afternoon service. Revival Mon-Pastor Robert Capers, Tue-Pastor Camilo Richards, Wed-Pastor Rodney Evans, all at 7pm.

Homecoming & Revival At Mineral Springs Baptist Church in Polkton. Homecoming Sun at 10am. 7pm Evening Message with David Ross of Anson Baptist Association. Revival Mon-Thu with Pastor Marty Quick at 7pm.

AUGUST 17

Homecoming & 1 Day Revival At Rocky Mount AME Zion Church beginning at 10am. Afternoon preacher Rev. Dr. Corey Rustin, Pastor of Zion Wesley AME Zion Church in Mt. Pleasant NC at 2:30pm.

No Services

At East Rock Ford Missionary Baptist Church. Services resume on August 24.

AUGUST 5

Board of Commissioners Meet 6pm in Board Room, Suite 209, in Government Center, 101 S Greene St in uptown Wadesboro. There are two regular monthly meetings, with the second August meeting on August 19. Meetings are available online at youtube.com, search for Anson Commissioners. To appear, sign up prior to meeting. Info 704-994-3201.

AUGUST 19

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ONGOING EVENTS

Free Food Distributed by Anson Crisis Ministries

Every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 8am-1pm. It is located at 117 North Rutherford Street in uptown Wadesboro. Telephone is 704-694-2445.

Learning Center Hours Burnsville Recreation & Learning Center, Mon-Fri, 10:30-5:30pm. Computer lab (children & adults), copy service, fax service & resource library. All available to the public for a small fee.

Free Food Distribution at Feed My Lambs every Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, 1-4pm. Located at 2290 Hwy 74 West, Wadesboro. 704-695-1820.

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Jeff Maynard, Senior Pastor

First Baptist Church of Brevard

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