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#### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

#### **Every Sunday**

Worship	11:00 am
Sunday Church School	
New Member's Class	
Big Sisters-Children 2½ - 5 yrs	11:00 am

#### 1st & 3rd Sundays

Children's Worship Celebration ...... 11:00 am

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Sundays

Observance of the Lord's Supper

2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays Baptism

3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays
Dedication of Babies

#### Wednesdays

The Church in Fellowship, 5:30 pm The Church in Study, 6:30 pm The Church in Prayer, 7:30 pm

(See monthly Newsletter for more information)

Senior Pastor Nathan Johnson, D.D.

Assistant to the Pastor Rev. Johnnie Green, II

Minister of Discipleship & Kingdom Expansion Rev. Terry Robinson

Chairman, Deacons' Ministry Deacon Ulyses Hunter

Chairman, Trustees' Ministry Trustee J. L. Westbrook, II

> Church Clerk Deacon Jerry Moses

Church Treasurer
Deacon James McDonald III

Jail & Prison Ministry Rev. Samuel E. Spruill

Evangelism Ministry Rev. Miller Adams









# Come Home to Family

December 1, 2019 11:00 am

Sunday Worship Service Nathan Johnson, D.D., Senior Pastor

### **Sanctuary Celebration**

ORGAN PRELUDE "Go Tell It on the Mountain" Dr. Stanley Waldon

#### THE ENTRANCE MOMENT BEGINS THE WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Johnnie Green, II

Hope has come; let the people rejoice! Bring songs of praise to worship the Savior who has come to Earth. Come with shouts of joy to honor the God who took on flesh. Lift up your voices to the King who forever reigns on high. Hope has come; let the people rejoice!

#### **OUR WORSHIP IN PRAISE**

EXHORTATION TO PRAISE

"Medley of Praise"

Sis. Karra Thomas

THE INVOCATION Rev. Manuel Peace

Holy God, we enter this sacred space and time with expectation — expectation of Your coming, expectation of hearing You speak to us a word for our lives that is new and renewing, expectation of being challenged and changed. We lay aside any expectation of being entertained, of being made comfortable, of being served rather than serving others. Your kingdom is near, and You have entrusted to us, Your church, the responsibility of exemplifying the love, forgiveness, justice, compassion and peace that are signs of it. May we embody your kingdom with faithfulness and joy, hear us as we pray.

THE LAYMAN'S PRAYER

RESPONSIVE READING

Deacon John Crew & Deacon Duval Evans

THE CHANT "The Model Prayer"

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Psalm 113, KJV

THE HYMN OF PRAISE "Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart"

Dr. Walter McLean

Rev. Dr. Joyce Moore

Minister: Praise ye the Lord. Praise, O ye servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord.

Congregation: Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth and for evermore.

Minister: From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same the Lord's name is to be praised.

Congregation: The Lord is high above all nations, and His glory above the heavens.

Minister: Who is like unto the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high,

Congregation: Who humbleth Himself to behold the things that are in heaven, and in the earth!

Minister: He raiseth up the poor out of the dust, and lifteth the needy out of the dunghill;

Congregation: That He may set Him with princes, even with the princes of His people.

All: He maketh the barren woman to keep house, and to be a joyful mother of children. Praise ye

the Lord.

THE GLORIA PATRI

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THE ANTHEM "O Come All Ye Faithful" Tabernacle Choir

WELCOMING OF GUESTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sis. Monica Nuckolls

PASTORAL INPUT Pastor Nathan Johnson

#### OUR WORSHIP IN SHARING GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERING

THE GIVING REFLECTION

Sis. Olayinka Iposu

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Tracy Thompson

God, we recognize together that You are worthy -- worthy of our worship, our love, our lives. We also recognize that You are worthy of our best gifts, and so we give today with hearts overflowing with gratitude. It is a joy to give back to You, to honor You with our money, to bless You with that with which You have blessed us. Take these gifts and use them to bring great glory to Your name. For You and You alone do we give these gifts today. In Jesus' Name we pray, Amen.

GATHERING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY MUSIC** 

"Good News, Great Joy!"

Tabernacle Choir

**DOXOLOGY** 

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#### OUR WORSHIP IN MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE Isaiah 40:1-11, KJV Sis. Jasmine Obiora

HYMN OF MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

"Breathe On Me"

**SERMON** 

"A WORD OF HOPE FOR A HOPELESS PEOPLE"

PASTOR NATHAN JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

"We Offer Christ to You"

Rev. Arthur Rushin

THE LORD'S SUPPER

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Nathan Johnson

BENEDICTION Pastor Nathan Johnson

ORGAN POSTLUDE "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord" Dr. Stanley Waldon

Rev. Dr. Bill Thompson, Pulpit Assistant

#### HYMNS FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER

Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross / The Name of Jesus / Bless That Wonderful Name of Jesus / Victory in Jesus

\*\*\*\*Seating Intervals

## "Medley of Praise" I JUST WANT TO PRAISE YOU

I just want to praise You
Forever and ever and ever
For all You've done for me
Blessings and glory and honor
They all belong to You
Thank You Jesus for
Blessing me

(vamp)
Blessing and glory and honor
they all belong to You (repeat)
Thank You Jesus for blessing me

#### YOU ARE ALPHA AND OMEGA

You are Alpha and Omega We worship You our Lord You are worthy to be praised You are Alpha and Omega We worship You our Lord You are worthy to be praised

We give You all the glory We worship You our Lord You are worthy to be praised

We give You all the glory
We worship You our Lord
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## "Hymn of Praise" ANGELS FROM THE REALM OF GLORY

Angels, from the realms of glory, Wing your flight o'er all the earth; You who sang creation's story, Now proclaim Messiah's birth:

Come and worship, come and worship, Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Shepherds, in the fields abiding, Watching o'er your flocks by night, God with man is now residing, Yonder shines the infant Light:

Sages, leave your contemplations, Brighter visions beam afar; Seek the great Desire of nations, You have seen His natal star:

Saints before the altar bending, Watching long in hope and fear, Suddenly the Lord descending, In His temple shall appear: -----

## "Hymn of Meditation and Commitment" BREATHE ON ME

James Cleveland

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## "Hymn of Invitation" WE OFFER CHRIST TO YOU

We offer Christ to you, oh, my brother, We offer Christ to you, oh, my sister. He will give you brand new life Through life abundantly; Oh come, come on to Christ.

#### Flowers Enhancing the Beauty of the Sanctuary

In loving memory of **Louis L. Sikes, Jr.**A Husband, Father, and Grandfather. Always in our hearts.
Placed there by wife, Dorothy; Children, Christopher &

Angela; Grandchildren, Brandon & Cameron.