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#### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

## Every Sunday Worship 11:00 am Sunday Church School 9:30 am New Member's Class \* Big Sisters-Children 2½ - 5 yrs \*\*

### 1st & 3rd Sundays\* Children's Worship Celebration.......11:00 am

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#### 1st 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 Prayer, 6:00 pm The Church in Study, 6:30 pm

(\*Call the Church for more information

\*\*To be determined

See monthly Newsletter for more information)

Senior Pastor

Nathan Johnson, D.D.

Minister of Discipleship & Kingdom Expansion Rev. Terry Robinson

Chairman, Deacons' Ministry Deacon James S. Sarter

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Church Clerk
Deacon Jerry Moses

Jail & Prison Ministry Rev. Samuel E. Spruill









# Come Home to Family

February 18, 2024 11:00 am

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

## **Sanctuary Celebration**

(Adjusted Order of Service)

#### THE ENTRANCE MOMENT BEGINS THE WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Dr. Rosetta O'Neal

We are here, together, as one to worship! We are brothers and sisters, sons and daughters in the family of God. Let us lift our voices as one voice. Let us worship, not as separate beings, but as one body, the body of Christ. Let us rejoice that He has given us each other and celebrate the gift of living as one church. May we be unified in our words and songs and prayers. Come now, together, as one to worship!

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

**EXHORTATION TO PRAISE** 

"Medley of Praise"

THE INVOCATION Rev. Arthur Rushin

Blessed Father, risen Son and Holy Spirit, the great Three-in-One, we pray for our time together today. May our worship honor You. May our songs and prayers capture something of Your greatness and convey a portion of our gratitude. May the preaching of Your word be full of truth, seasoned with grace and timely for all who hear. And let us respond, Lord, by loving and serving You with all our heart, our mind, our soul and our strength. For You alone are worthy of such things. Give us eyes to see and ears to hear all You have for us today. Hear us now as we pray.

THE LAYMEN'S PRAYER

Deacon Charles Grace Sr.

THE MODEL PRAYER

Recite in Unison

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THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"Lift Every A Sing"

Congregation

OPENING SCRIPTURE

Psalm 24 (KJV 1900)

Rev. Dr. Tracy Thompson

In Unison:

The earth is the Lord's, and the fulness thereof; The world, and they that dwell therein.

For He hath founded it upon the seas, And established it upon the floods.

Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? Or who shall stand in His holy place?

He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; Who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity, Nor sworn deceitfully.

He shall receive the blessing from the Lord, And righteousness from the God of his salvation.

This is the generation of them that seek Him, That seek thy face, O Jacob. Selah.

Lift up your heads, O ye gates; And be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors; And the King of glory shall come in.

Who is this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, The Lord mighty in battle.

Lift up your heads, O ye gates; Even lift them up, ye everlasting doors; And the King of glory shall come in.

Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory. Selah.

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PASTORAL INPUT Pastor Nathan Johnson

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

THE GIVING REFLECTION

Sis. Keziah Kudowor

#### THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Stephen Collins

Gracious God, You have given us so very much. We have been blessed abundantly and so we give back to You. It is with hearts of joy that we bring these gifts. We offer them up to You that Your kingdom may be made great through their use. Help us always to give generously from what little or much we may have. For we know that You are filled with joy when we give fully from our hearts. Thank You for blessing us so richly. We are so grateful. Amen.

GATHERING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

"Great Day"

Tabernacle Ensemble

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#### OUR WORSHIP IN MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE Matthew 5:8 (KJV) Sis. Ashley Young

THE MEDITATION "Keep Me Every Day"

SERMON "THE HEART OF A DISCIPLE" PASTOR NATHAN JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

"Give Me A Clean Heart"

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Nathan Johnson

BENEDICTION Pastor Nathan Johnson

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE "We Shall Overcome - Haywood"

#### "Medley of Praise" WE EXALT THEE

I love You Lord, and I lift my voice To worship You, O my soul rejoice. Take joy my King, in what You hear May it be a sweet, sound in you ear.

> We exalt Thee, we exalt Thee We exalt Thee, O Lord We exalt Thee, we exalt Thee We exalt Thee, O Lord

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#### "Hymn of Praise" LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING

Lift ev'ry voice and sing, Till earth and heaven ring, Ring with the harmonies of liberty. Let our rejoicing rise High as the list'ning skies, Let it resound loud as the rolling sea. Sing a song

Full of the faith that the dark past has taught us.

Sing a song

Full of the hope that the present has brought us. Facing the rising sun of our new day begun,

Let us march on till victory is won.

Stony the road we trod, Bitter the chast'ning rod, Felt in the days when hope unborn had died;

Yet with a steady beat.

Have not our weary feet

Come to the place for which our people sighed?

We have come,

Over a way that with tears has been watered.

We have come,

Treading our path thro' the blood of the slaughtered,

Out from the gloomy past,

Till now we stand at last

Where the bright gleam of our bright star is cast..

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears.

Thou who hast brought us thus far on the way,

Thou who hast by thy might

Led us into the light,

Keep us forever in the path, we pray.

Lest our feet.

Sray from the places, our God, where we met thee;

Lest our hearts,

Drunk with the wine of the world, we forget thee;

Shadowed beneath thy hand,

May we forever stand,

True to our God, true to our native land...

#### "Hymn of Meditation and Commitment" KEEP ME EVERY DAY

Lord, I want to live for Thee. Ev'ry day and hour: Let Thy spirit be with me, In its saving pow'r!

> Keep my heart, and keep my hand, Keep my soul, I pray! Keep my tongue to speak Thy praise, Keep me all the way!

In my weakness be my strength; In my trials all. Be Thou near me all the day, Hear my ev'ry call! [Refrain]

Leave me not to walk alone, Lest I droop and die; Let Thy spirit go with me, And attend my cry! [Refrain]

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#### "Hymn of Invitation" GIVE ME A CLEAN HEART

Give me a clean heart, So I may serve Thee. Lord, fix my heart So that I may be used by Thee. For I'm not worthy of all these blessings. Give me a clean heart And I'll follow Thee

I'm not asking for the riches of the land I'm not asking for high men to know my name. Please give me Lord, A clean heart, that I may follow Thee Give me a clean heart, a clean heart And I will follow Thee.

I am up and sometimes I am down Sometimes I am almost level to the ground. Please give me Lord, A clean heart, that I may follow Thee Give me a clean heart, a clean heart And I will follow Thee.