

Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church

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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

1st Sundays

Observance of the Lord's Supper

2nd Sundays*

Baptism

3rd 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

Chairman, Trustees' Ministry

Trustee Hervey Jenkins

Church Clerk

Deacon Jerry Moses

Jail & Prison Ministry

Rev. Samuel E. Spruill



**Come Home
to Family**

March 2, 2025

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. Delbert Fails

The Lord is magnificent and greatly deserving of our heartfelt praise! Today, we have come together in joyful unity to worship, and what a precious gift it is to assemble as the beloved community of God. As we gather in this sacred space, let us take a moment to release any worries and distractions that burden our minds and hearts, laying them gently at the feet of Jesus, our Savior. We approach with open hearts, presenting ourselves fully before the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, immersing ourselves in their divine presence. Our Lord is truly awe-inspiring and worthy of all adoration! Let us lift our voices and worship Him together in this beautiful moment.

OUR WORSHIP IN PRAISE

EXHORTATION TO PRAISE

“Medley of Praise”

THE INVOCATION

Rev. Debra Carter

Almighty God, Creator of the vast universe, Sustainer of every living being, and Redeemer of our souls, we stand in awe at the wonder that a God of such majestic grandeur and profound mystery receives our humble worship, hears our heartfelt prayers, and tenderly cares for the burdens we carry. With open hearts, we turn to you, reorienting ourselves to the profound and timeless truths of our faith: that life encompasses more than the tangible things we can see and touch, that love consistently triumphs over the darkness of hate, and that the act of forgiving our enemies is not merely possible but essential for our souls. We embrace the radiant truth that hope blossoms in Jesus Christ, and that the solid foundation of our lives rests upon you, not on our own frail understanding. Thank you, Lord, for meeting us in this sacred moment. We pray for your Spirit to speak to us, to illuminate our paths, and to renew us by your grace. Hear us now as we lift our voices in prayer.

THE LAYMEN’S PRAYER

Deacon Daryl Thomas

THE MODEL PRAYER

Recite in Unison

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

“*Rejoice The Lord Is King*”

Congregation

OPENING SCRIPTURE

“Psalm 19:1-11 (NKJV)”

In Unison: The heavens declare the glory of God; And the firmament shows His handiwork.

Day unto day utters speech, And night unto night reveals knowledge.

There is no speech nor language Where their voice is not heard.

Their line has gone out through all the earth, And their words to the end of the world. In them He has set a tabernacle for the sun,

Which is like a bridegroom coming out of his chamber, And rejoices like a strong man to run its race.

It’s rising is from one end of heaven, And its circuit to the other end; And there is nothing hidden from its heat.

The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul; The testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple;

The statutes of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart; The commandment of the Lord is

pure, enlightening the eyes;

The fear of the Lord is clean, enduring forever; The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, Yea, than much fine gold; Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.

Moreover by them Your servant is warned, And in keeping them there is great reward..

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

“Corner Stone”

Tabernacle Choir

PASTORAL INPUT

Pastor Nathan Johnson

OUR WORSHIP IN SHARING GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERING

THE GIVING REFLECTION

Sis. Faith Dawson

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Rosetta O’Neal

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, Amen.

GATHERING OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

“O Lord, How Excellent Is Thy name”

Tabernacle Choir

OUR WORSHIP IN MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE

“Psalm 139:7-12 (TPT)”

Sis. Anna Rushin

THE MEDITATION

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

SERMON

“OUR GOD IS PRESENT”

PASTOR NATHAN JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

“He’s So Real”

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Nathan Johnson

READING OF THE CHURCH COVENANT

OBSERVANCE OF THE LORD’S TABLE

PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Pastor Nathan Johnson

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

“Toccata on Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

“Medley of Praise”

HERE I AM TO WORSHIP

Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see.
Beauty that made this heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with you

*Here I am to worship, Here I am to bow down.
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether worthy, altogether lovely
Altogether wonderful to me.*

King of all days o so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above.
Humbly You came from the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor.[Refrain]

I'll never know how much it costs
To see my sin upon that cross.
I'll never know how much it costs
To see my sin upon that cross[Refrain]

“Hymn of Praise”

REJOICE THE LORD IS KING

Rejoice, the Lord is King:
Your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks and sing,
And triumph evermore.
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus, the Savior, reigns,
The God of truth and love;
When He has purged our stains,
He took his seat above;
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail,
He rules o'er earth and heav'n;
The keys of death and hell
Are to our Jesus giv'n:
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope!
Our Lord and judge shall come
And take His servants up
To their eternal home:
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

“Hymn of Meditation and Commitment”

GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but you are mighty;
hold me with your powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me now and evermore,
feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain,
where the healing waters flow.
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
ever be my strength and shield,
ever be my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
bid my anxious fears subside.
Death of death, and hell's Destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever sing to you,
I will ever sing to you.

“Hymn of Invitation”

HE'S SO REAL

*He's so real, real in my soul today
He has washed all of my sins away.
Jesus' love just bubbles over in my soul.*

Some people doubt the Lord
They don't believe in His word.
They try to make it seem like God is dead.
