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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

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Deacon Jerry Moses

Jail & Prison Ministry

Rev. Samuel E. Spruill



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**Come Home
to Family**

March 9, 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. Dwight Fowler

We gather in worship to celebrate God, the great I AM! We rejoice in both Creator and creation. We are awed by the beauty and diversity of the world. We celebrate God's covenant with us. We remember God's faithfulness through the ages and in our own lives. We give thanks for God's eternal love and mercy. God is too great for us to keep silent! Let us join hearts and hands and voices to worship the Lord our God.

OUR WORSHIP IN PRAISE

EXHORTATION TO PRAISE

"Medley of Praise"

THE INVOCATION

Rev. Arthur Rushin

O faithful One, we your people, are drawn to this place. We're drawn out of a sense of profound thankfulness for all you have seen us through. We're drawn to this place just as strongly out of our profound needs and anguish. But you, O God, are already here waiting — waiting to hear our praise and thanksgiving, as well as our most fervent pleas. As we enter this time and place, hear us now as we pray.

THE LAYMEN'S PRAYER

Deacon James Beasley

THE MODEL PRAYER

Recite in Unison

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"How Great Thou Art"

Congregation

OPENING SCRIPTURE

"Psalm 111 (ESV)"

Rev. Dr. Kimberly Elyse

In Unison: Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.

Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and merciful.

He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever.

He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the inheritance of the nations.

The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy;

they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name!

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!

OBSERVANCE OF BAPTISM

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

“Time In Praise”

Tabernacle Male Ensemble

PASTORAL INPUT

Pastor Nathan Johnson

OUR WORSHIP IN SHARING GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERING

THE GIVING REFLECTION

Bro. Xavier Grace

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Bill Thompson

Holy God, it is with joy that we respond to your presence in our lives. We ask that you receive these gifts and offerings as our “thank you.” Thank you for choosing us as your own. Thank you for guiding and protecting us through life’s storms. Thank you for the privilege of serving you. Thank you for your love. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray, Amen.

GATHERING OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

“He Never Failed Me Yet”

Tabernacle Male Ensemble

OUR WORSHIP IN MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE

“Ezekiel 36:25-28 NKJV”

Sis. Lailah Washington

THE MEDITATION

“Just A Little Talk With Jesus”

SERMON

“THE CERTAINTY OF SURVIVAL”

PASTOR NATHAN JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

“The Lord Is My Light”

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Nathan Johnson

PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Pastor Nathan Johnson

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

“O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing - Swan”

“Medley of Praise”

THIS IS THE DAY

*This is the day, this is the day
that the Lord has made,
that the Lord has made;
I will rejoice,
I will rejoice and be glad in it,
and be glad in it*

This is the day that the Lord has made;
I will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day
that the Lord has made.

I will enter His gates with Thanksgiving in my heart
I will enter His courts with praise.
I will say this is the day that the Lord has made
I will rejoice for he has made me glad.

He has made me glad,
He has made me glad.
I will rejoice for He has made me glad.
He has made me glad
He has made me glad
I will rejoice for He has made me glad.

“Hymn of Praise”

HOW GREAT THOU ART

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hands hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

*Then sings my soul, my Savior-God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior-God, to thee:
How great thou art! How great thou art!*

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; [Refrain]

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
that on the cross my burden gladly bearing
he bled and died to take away my sin; [Refrain]

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim: "My God, how great thou art!" [Refrain]

“Hymn of Meditation and Commitment”

JUST A LITTLE TALK WITH JESUS

I once was lost in sin but Jesus took me in
And then a little light from heaven fill my soul
He bathed my heart in love and He wrote my name above
And just a little talk with Jesus makes me whole

*Have a little talk with Jesus
Tell Him all about our troubles
He will hear your cry
He'll answer by and by
Know you feel a little prayer wheel turnin'
Know a little fire is burnin'
Just a little talk with Jesus makes it right*

I may have doubts and fears
My eyes be filled with tears
But Jesus is a friend who watches day and night
I go to him in prayer
He knows my every care
And just a little talk with Jesus makes it right[Refrain]

“Hymn of Invitation”

THE LORD IS MY LIGHT

The Lord is my light and my salvation
The Lord is my light and my salvation
The Lord is my light and my salvation
Whom shall I fear?

*Whom shall I fear, whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the strength of my life
Whom shall I fear?*

In the time of trouble, He shall hide me
In the time of trouble, He shall hide me
In the time of trouble, He shall hide me
Whom shall I fear?[Refrain]

Wait on the Lord and be of good courage
Wait on the Lord and be of good courage
Wait on the Lord and be of good courage
He shall strengthen thine heart.[Refrain]
