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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..... \*\*

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 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 Emmanuel Haley

**Chairman, Trustees' Ministry**

Trustee Hervey Jenkins

**Church Clerk**

Deacon Jerry Moses

**Jail & Prison Ministry**

Rev. Samuel E. Spruill



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**Church**



**Come Home  
to Family**

**May 11, 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. Stephen Collins

We are here to embrace the invitation to worship. Our God invites us into this sacred time, and we will respond with joyful praise and heartfelt gratitude. Come, everyone, and join us in lifting our voices to give glory to our God. Just as creation sings of God's greatness through its beauty, we, too, will declare God's majesty through our words and songs. We will shout, sing, dance, and pray—all for the glory of the one true God. We gladly accept Your invitation, O God, and we will respond with praise and thanksgiving.

## OUR WORSHIP IN PRAISE

### EXHORTATION TO PRAISE

“Medley of Praise”

### THE INVOCATION

Rev. Debra Carter

Heavenly Father, we joyfully recognize that true worship thrives in Your presence. No matter how beautiful our songs or eloquent our words may be, without our hearts directed toward You, they hold little weight. We are deeply thankful for the wonderful gifts of voice and language that let us celebrate our love for You. As we come together in worship today, fill us with Your spirit, enabling us to keep our focus unwaveringly on You. Let our hearts thrive in adoration and honor Your limitless greatness. May our praise be a genuine reflection of Your glory in all aspects of our lives. Guide us, as we lift our voices in joyful praise, and we humbly ask You to hear our prayers, drawing us closer into communion with You. Amen!.

### THE LAYMEN’S PRAYER

Deacon Frank Adams

### THE MODEL PRAYER

Recite in Unison

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### THE HYMN OF PRAISE

*“To God be the Glory”*

Congregation

### RESPONSIVE READING

“Psalm 96:1-9 KJV”

Rev. Delbert Fails

In Unison: O sing unto the Lord a new song: Sing unto the Lord, all the earth.

Sing unto the Lord, bless his name; Shew forth his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the heathen, His wonders among all people.

For the Lord is great, and greatly to be praised: He is to be feared above all gods.

For all the gods of the nations are idols: But the Lord made the heavens.

Honour and majesty are before him: Strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

Give unto the Lord, O ye kindreds of the people, Give unto the Lord glory and strength.

Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name: Bring an offering, and come into his courts.

O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: Fear before him, all the earth.

ORDINANCE OF BAPTISM

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

*“This Little Light of Mine”*

Tabernacle Male Ensemble

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PASTORAL INPUT

Pastor Nathan Johnson

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

THE GIVING REFLECTION

Sis. Paris Tansil

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Rosetta O’Neal

We give our gifts with gratitude, loving God, in response to all that we have received. We ask You to inspire us to stretch our giving. Grant us the courage to change the rules and give even more, as an expression of our thanks to Christ who gave His all for us. As we dedicate our offering to You, we also dedicate our lives anew to picking up the cross and following Jesus. In His Name, we pray, Amen.

GATHERING OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

*“God Will Take Care of You”*

Tabernacle Male Ensemble

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## OUR WORSHIP IN MEDITATION AND COMMITMENT

THE HOLY SCRIPTURE

“Exodus 34:14 NLT”

Sis. Adrionna Tansil

THE MEDITATION

*“Oh To Be Kept”*

SERMON

“THE LORD IS SERIOUS”

PASTOR NATHAN JOHNSON

CHRISTIAN INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP *“Glory To His Name”*

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Nathan Johnson

PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Pastor Nathan Johnson

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

*“Toccata on Amazing Grace”*

### **“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.

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### **“Hymn of Praise”**

#### **TO GOD BE THE GLORY**

To God be the glory, great things he has done!  
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,  
and opened the life-gate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son  
and give him the glory, great things he has done!*

Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son,  
but purer and higher and greater will be  
our joy and our wonder, when Jesus we see. [Refrain]

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### **“Hymn of Meditation and Commitment”**

#### **OH TO BE KEPT**

Oh, to be kept by Jesus!  
Kept, by the pow’r of God;  
Kept from the world unspotted,  
Treading where Jesus trod.

Oh, to be kept by Jesus!  
Lord, at Thy feet I fall;  
I would be nothing, nothing, nothing;  
Thou shall be my all in all.

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### **“Hymn of Invitation”**

#### **GLORY TO HIS NAME**

Down at the cross where my Savior died,  
Down where for cleansing from sin I cried,  
There to my heart was the blood applied;  
Glory to his name!

*Glory to his name,  
Glory to his name;  
There to my heart was the blood applied;  
Glory to his name!*

I am so wondrously saved from sin,  
Jesus so sweetly abides within;  
There at the cross where he took me in;  
Glory to his name! [Refrain]

Oh, precious fountain that saves from sin,  
I am so glad I have entered in;  
There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean;  
Glory to his name! [Refrain]

Come to this fountain so rich and sweet,  
Cast thy poor soul at the Savior’s feet;  
Plunge in today, and be made complete;  
Glory to his name! [Refrain]

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