

November 17, 2024

26th Sunday After Pentecost · 8:00 & 11:00 am 3320 West Adams Blvd Los Angeles, CA 90018

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The Church of the Bells



CENTERING MOMENT

How great is our God? Great enough to hold us when we fall down. Great enough to love us when we feel unlovable. Great enough to sustain and strengthen us all the days of our lives.

PRELUDE

*"Can't Give Up Now"*C. Burrell, W. Campbell, T. Campbell, E. Campbell

Robert Johnson, Jr.

GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP

Carmen Hayes *Liturgist*

We approach the God of grace and glory, who has called us to worship this day. We arrive from the chaos of our world into the clarity of God's presence. We leave the struggles of our lives to embrace the power of God's love. May this hour bring us courage and a time to strengthen our faith.

(Mary Scifres Abingdon Worship Annual 2024)

OPENING PRAYER

Great and mighty God, open our hearts to the power of your Holy Spirit. Open our minds to the wisdom of your Word. Help us run the race of life with faithful perseverance and with steadfast love. Amen.

(Scifres)

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

"My Hope Is Built"

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"When the Battle's Over"
Walter Hawkins

Jubilant Voices

SCRIPTURE

Mark 13:1-8 Common English Bible

SONG OF PREPARATION

"Only You Are Holy"
Donnie McClurkin

Jubilant Voices

MESSAGE

"Rumor Has It"

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin *Lead Pastor*

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

INVITATIONAL HYMN

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANKSGIVING FOR TITHES & OFFERING

BENEDICTION

Go into the world with hope.

We will shine with God's glory and grace.

Courageously face the struggles and joys of each day.

We will embrace the power of God's love.

Go forth in courage and faith.

We will bring God's love to the world.

POSTLUDE

"Sign O' the Times/
I Want Jesus to Walk With Me" medley
Prince Rogers Nelson, Negro Spiritual

Robert Johnson, Jr.

TODAY IN WORSHIP: Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin, *Lead Pastor*; Rev. Dr. Jennifer Oliver, *Associate Pastor*; Rev. Louis Chase, *Minister of Community Outreach*; *In Memoriam* Rev. James M. Lawson, Jr., *Pastor Emeritus*; Carmen Hayes, *Liturgist*; Jubilant Voices of Holman, Melida Skeete Smith, Director; Robert Johnson, Jr., *Organist*; Ricardo L. J. Mowatt, Drummer; David R. Sears, *Production Mixer*; Mark Conway, *Video Director*; Keith McGruder, *House Mixer*; Fitzroy Younge, *House Mixer*; Jules Green, *Post-Production*; Mychael Carter, *Audio Tech/Mixer*

Today's **altar flowers** are given by Mrs. Mary Johnson "In celebration of my 97th birthday, which is on November 20." Happy birthday, Mrs. Johnson!



WAYS TO GIVE

- Mail: Send to Holman UMC, 3320 W Adams Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90018
- Radio Broadcast Sponsorship: Take advantage of a 20% discount on the 11am worship broadcast on KJLH Radio Free 102.3 FM!
- **Online**: Go to the church website @ www.holmanumc.com/give
- Altar Flowers Sponsorship: Visit <u>holmanumc.com/give</u> and choose flowers.



Access the broadcast sponsorship form at <u>www.holmanumc.com/forms</u> and be a blessing today!

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

PRAYER LIST | The family of Dr. Barbara Lake, the family of Wilfred Malcolm, Marjorie Ellington, Michael Owens and the family of Little King, Hazel Storey, Dr. Marguerite Phillips, Kamille Linton, Ronald Rabb, Samantha McQueen, Jules Green, Vera Cincore, Dr. Harold Jordan, Larry Turner, Freddie Muse, Jr.

BEREAVEMENT | **Dr. Barbara Lake** made her transition on Wednesday, November 13. A **Celebration of Life** is scheduled for **Friday, December 6** at **11:00 am** in the Holman sanctuary. Please keep Dr. Lake's daughter Holly Lake, her sister Patricia Kent, and the Lake family in prayer. | Homegoing services for **Wilfred Malcolm** are pending. Please keep Mr. Malcolm's family in prayer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Holman United Women in Faith **Spiritual Growth Circle** will meet today at 1:00 pm in the Crockett Library. This month's focus is propositions and measures of the recent election.
- The Storehouse Food Pantry Volunteer Training will be Thursday, November 21 from 10am-12pm in Crockett Library. Contact Pastor Jennifer Oliver for details and more information.
- **Advent Book Study** begins Monday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. Sign up at the Holman website. This year's book is *The Heart That Grew Three Sizes* by Matt Rawle. Copies of the book will be available for \$16 each, immediately following 8:00 and 11:00 am services.
- The 2024 All-Church Charge Conference is scheduled for Wednesday, December 18 at 7:00 p.m. Charge Conference reports are due next Sunday, November 24. Council members, please submit electronic charge conference forms. Ministry chairs are requested to complete electronic forms as well. Contact the church office at caroline@holmanumc.com if you need the link.
- Ministry leaders, please submit requests for 2025 events calendars to holman@holmanumc.com.
 Be sure to list both in-person and virtual events so that we can record them on the Church calendar and announce important dates as below. You may also request space by filling out a facilities request
 form at the Holman website.



www.holmanumc.com/calendar

Sunday, Nov 17

Sunday Worship: 8:00 am

8-9:15am | Every Sunday Holman United Methodist Church

Adult Sunday School: Zoom + Phone

9:30-10:30am | Every Sunday Online

Children's Church/Sunday School: Gathering

9:30-10:30am | Every Sunday Holman UMC

Book Talk: Zoom

9:30-10:45am | Every Sunday Online

Sunday Worship: 11:00 am

11am-12:15pm | Every Sunday Holman United Methodist Church

Holman Choir Rehearsal: 12:30-2:00 pm

12:30-2:00pm | Every Sunday Bowick Music Room (111)

Holman UWF Spiritual Growth Circle

1:00-3:00pm | Every 3rd Sunday Crockett Library

Tuesday, Nov 19

A-MAN STEM Center: After School Program

3:30-5:30pm | Every Tuesday and Thursday Holman UMC

Trustees Monthly Meeting

6:30-7:45pm | The second Tuesday of every month Online

Thursday, Nov 21

Storehouse Volunteer Training

10am-12pm Library

Thursday Bible Study: Phone

1-2pm | Every Thursday

A-MAN STEM Center: After School Program

3:30-5:30pm | Every Tuesday and Thursday Holman UMC

Friday, Nov 22

Friday Morning Prayer Group: Prayer Service

7:30-8:30am | Every Friday

Phone

Sunday, Nov 24

Reign of Christ / Christ the King Sunday

Thursday, Nov 28
Thanksgiving Day

Cal-Pac BMCR Thanksgiving Worship

10:00-11:15am

Saint Mark United Methodist Church of Los Angeles

Save the Date!

Sunday, December 8

Handel's Messiah

3pm | Sanctuary

Sunday, December 8

Holman Choir and Jubilant Voices at Leonard Beerman Foundation for Justice and Peace

6-8pm | Sanctuary

Leo Baeck Temple | 1300 N. Sepulveda Bl. | L.A., CA 90049

Saturday, December 14

CYFC Annual Holiday Festival

8am-3pm

Holman United Methodist Church

Holman United Women in Faith Annual Christmas Luncheon

11am-3pm | Sanctuary

Proud Bird Restaurant | 11022 Aviation Bl. | L.A., CA 90049

Sunday, December 15

A Soulful Christmas featuring the Holman UMC Children and Youth Ministries

9:45-10:45am | Sanctuary

Sunday, December 15

Jubilant Voices 30 Year Celebration

3pm | Sanctuary