



CENTERING MOMENT

*Blessed are those who trust the Lord, whose trust is in the Lord.
They shall be like trees planted by water, sending out their roots by the stream.
They shall not cease to bear fruit.*

PRELUDE

*“He Rose”
Afro-American Spiritual
arr. W. F. Smith*

Robert Johnson, Jr.
Organist

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Jennifer Oliver
Associate Pastor

GREETING

Carmen Hayes
Liturgist

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Happy are those who delight in God’s ways,

***People: who set their hearts and minds
on the laws of God’s love.***

*Leader: In the presence of the Holy, they are like trees
planted by the waters of life.*

***People: They are fed by enduring streams,
with roots that reach into the depths of the soul.***

*Leader: They are nourished in times of drought
and bring forth fruit in seasons of famine.*

***People: Life shall spring forth
as they walk each day in the Way of peace.***

*Abingdon Worship Annual
(Kirsten Linford)*

Rev. OPENING PRAYER

*Holy One, when the road is dusty under our feet
and we find ourselves engulfed,
you share with us the water of life.
You plant our spirits by the streams of your Being.
You nourish our bodies and replenish our souls.
You challenge our minds and guide our hearts.
Lead us, again, O God, into your presence with your prayers.
Be with us, as your renewing love overflows
from our lives and our souls into the world. Amen.*

(Kirsten Linford)

PRAISE & WORSHIP

*“Can’t Nobody Do Me Like Jesus”
Andrae Crouch*

Jubilant Voices

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

*“Victory Shall Be Mine”
James Cleveland*

Jubilant Voices

SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 15:12-20
Common English Bible

SONG OF PREPARATION

*“Khumbaya”
Soweto Gospel Choir*

Jubilant Voices

MESSAGE

“Because He Lives”

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin
Lead Pastor

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

INVITATIONAL HYMN

“Because He Lives”

Hymnal #364

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SERVICE OF HOLY BAPTISM (11 AM) *Andrew Fonseca Kory*

Hymnal, p. 39

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANKSGIVING FOR TITHES & OFFERING

BENEDICTION

Rev. Cyrus-Franklin

POSTLUDE

*“He Lives in You”
Jay Rifkin, Mark Mancina, Lebohang Morake*

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*; 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*

WAYS TO GIVE

- **Mail:** Send to *Holman UMC*,
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- **Radio Broadcast Sponsorship:**
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www.holmanumc.com/forms.
- **Online:** Go to
the church website @
www.holmanumc.com/give
- **Altar Flowers Sponsorship:**
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CONGREGATIONAL CARE

PRAYER LIST | All those affected by wildfires, including Sylvia Griggs Campbell, the daughter of Holman founding members Ulysses S. Griggs, Sr. and El Rae Griggs; Ruby Brown and family, Maritza Brown, Kamille Linton, Hazel Storey, Ovis Massey, Cynthia Marroquin-Henley, Thresa Thomas, Gweneth Alexander, Samantha McQueen, Larry Turner, Freddie Muse, Jr.



BEREAVEMENT | Homegoing services for **Rev. Philip Lawson** will be at Easter Hill UMC in Richmond, CA, on Thursday, February 27 at 11:00 am. • A celebration of the life of **Luren Lightburn**, the brother of Mrs. Geraldine Clark Flowers, is scheduled for Friday, February 21 at 11:00 am in the Holman sanctuary. • **Isaac Jones**, son of Mrs. Mary Jones and brother of Frankie Gragg and Dr. Julius R. Jones, Sr., transitioned on Tuesday, February 4. Arrangements are pending. • **Phillip Cloud**, brother of Holman members Francine Davis and Rosalind Ricks, transitioned on Monday, February 10th in Cleveland, OH. Arrangements are pending. • **Freddie Lee Roberts** passed on February 1. Arrangements are pending. • Arrangements are pending for the homegoing services of **Sonia Sambulla**, sister of Holman member Ionie Garcia, and **Mrs. Lorell Williams**, mother of Cheryl Williams and grandmother of Chyra King.

AFTER WORSHIP

- Join us for **Fellowship Hour**, hosted by the **Fonseca and Kory families** in L. L. White Hall, immediately following the worship service. While at fellowship, purchase a Holman 80th Anniversary t-shirt from Holman United Methodist Men to benefit the parsonage restoration.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- The **Holman office will be closed on President's Day**, Monday, February 17. The office will reopen at 10:00 am on Tuesday, February 18.
- The **Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) West Adams Homeless Count** is Thursday, February 20. Visit the Holman website to register.
- **Saturday School for African American History (SSAAH)** continues on Saturday, February 22, 9:00 am-12:00 pm. To register, visit holmanumc.com/calendar.
- On Saturday, February 22, **Cal-Pac United Women in Faith** will host "Embracing Our Story: Practicing Justice and Hope," a mid-winter event in L. L. White Hall from 9:30 am until 2:30 pm.
- The **Annual Concert of Negro Spirituals** returns to the Holman sanctuary on Sunday, February 23 at 3:00 pm. Sponsors are welcome! To sponsor the concert, speak to any choir member.

This Week @ HOLMAN

www.holmanumc.com/calendar

Sunday, February 16

Sunday Worship

8:00am–9:15am | Sanctuary

Adult Sunday School: Zoom + Phone

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

Book Talk

9:15am–10:15am | Every Sunday | Online

Noel Leo Erskine, *Black Theology and Black Faith*

Children's Church

DIGITAL LESSON "[The Greatest Blessing](#)"

9:30am–10:30am | Every Sunday | Johnson Chapel

Sunday Worship

11:00am–12:15pm | Sanctuary

Tuesday, February 18

A-MAN STEM Center: After School Program

3:30pm–5:30pm | Every Tuesday

Love Education Building

Trustees Monthly Meeting

7:00pm–8:15pm | 3rd Tuesday of every month | Online

Thursday, February 20

LAHSA Homeless Count

5:00pm–12:00am | L. L. White Hall

United Women in Faith: Leadership Team Monthly Meeting

7:00pm–8:30pm | 2nd Thursday of every month | Online

Friday, February 21

Friday Morning Prayer & Holy Communion

7:30am–8:30am | Every Friday | Phone

Saturday, February 22

Cal-Pac Conference United Women in Faith (UWF) Mid-Winter Event

9:30am–3:30pm | Sanctuary & L. L. White Hall

Saturday School for African American History (SSAAH)

9:00am–12:00pm | Love Education Building

Saturday, February 22

Holman Choir Rehearsal

10:00am–12:00pm | Every Saturday

Bowick Music Room

Mark Your Calendars!

Sunday, February 23

63rd Annual Negro Spirituals Concert

3:00pm–4:30pm | Sanctuary

Thursday, February 27

Storehouse Ministry Food Distribution

10:00am–1:00pm | Every other Thursday

Love Education Building

Saturday, March 1

Called Church Council Meeting

10:00am–11:00am | Online

Wednesday, March 5

Ash Wednesday

Sunday, March 16

United Women in Faith:

Spiritual Growth Circle

1:00pm–3:00pm | 3rd Sunday of every other month

Crockett Library

Sunday, March 23

United Women in Faith: Monthly Meeting

1:00pm–3:00pm | 4th Sunday of every month

Crockett Library

Wednesday, March 19 - Saturday, March 22

Black Methodists for Church Renewal

General Meeting ([Registration Link](#))

All day

Saturday, March 29

Black Kidney Kare Symposium

9:00am–2:00pm | L. L. White Hall