

Worship Service
November 5, 2017
Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES.....The Acolytes

CALL TO WORSHIP:.....Minister

Leader: Bring yourselves before the Lord!

People: We offer our faithful works, our loving labors and our constant hopes to the glory of God.

Leader: Bring yourselves before the Lord!

People: We await the gospel, in word and in power, in the Holy Spirit and in full conviction!

*INTROIT:.....#685

INVOCATION:.....Minister
O God, we hear a distant voice calling. Draw closer, visit us; grasp our hand and lead us, that we may know that it is you, our Creator, who knows our name. You will open doors to us never before opened; you will unlock gates that have always been closed. Then we will know it is you, and no other, who goes before us.

*HYMN:....."No, Not One!".....#286

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:.....Minister

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is one true church, apostolic and universal, whose faith let us now reverently and sincerely declare. What do we believe?

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost. Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead and buried, the third day He rose from the dead He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

(Holy catholic church means the church universal not the Roman Catholic Church.)

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SCRIPTURE LESSON.....Minister

PASTORAL PRAYER.....Minister

PRESENTATION.....The Simon Temple Youth Praise Dancers

WELCOME.....Minister

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS.....A/V Ministry

OFFERTORY PRAYER.....Minister

MINISTRY OF KINDNESS.....WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERING

*OFFERTORY....."All Things Come of Thee O Lord"

PASTORAL REFLECTIONS.....Rev. Brian R. Thompson, Sr., Pastor

PRE-MESSAGE SELECTION.....Senior Chancel Choir/Male Chorus (8:30 am/11:00 am)

THE MESSAGE.....Rev. Brian R. Thompson, Sr., Pastor

*CALL TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

BENEDICTION

**Please Stand*

**PLEASE REMAIN SEATED UNTIL ACOLYTES FINISH EXTINGUISHING
CANDLES AND LEAVE THE SANCTUARY**

Announcements

Prayer Line: Our weekly prayer line call is every Monday morning beginning at 7am. The dial-in number is: (712) 770-4010. Access code: 471857. Please press *6 to mute your line. Pastor Thompson will deliver the prayer.

***Start giving God at least 10% of your time on a daily basis. Out of a 24-hour day, that is 2.4 hours. He loves you and wants to spend time with you throughout each day.**

"Final Call for the Wall of Victory." Please stop by Conference Room A, across from the church office, after each service to discuss all concerns regarding leaves or to make new purchases. This will be your final opportunity to do so. All information and monies must be submitted NLT December 17th.

Lav Council Announcements: Election Day is Tuesday, November 7th. VOTE!!!

First Lady Thompson needs volunteers to help with collecting and wrapping toys for the Christmas Outreach. Please sign up electronically ASAP.

Nov 5—Pastor Thompson will be preaching at Hood Memorial AME Zion Church, 2801 Rosehill Road, Fayetteville, NC 28302 at 3:00 pm.

Nov 5 & 12—Audio Visual Ministry will be having a meeting immediately after the 11am service benediction. All AV members and newcomers are welcome! To all members of Simon Temple, at anytime, you wish to join the AV Ministry, all you have to do, is come upstairs to the AV-Booth and see Bro. Sinatra Anderson on any Sunday. I'm praying that I see you at one of these meetings. POC: Bro. Sinatra Anderson - avministry@simontemple.com

Nov 6—Ministry Appreciation Dinner in the New Fellowship Hall at 6:30 pm. Sign up in the church office.

Nov 8-12—The Central North Carolina Annual Conference will be held at St. Mark AME Zion Church in Durham, NC.

Nov 8—The Men of Simon Temple will gather to pray at the altar in the New Sanctuary at 6:00 pm. All men are invited to come out and join us.

Nov 10—The Simon Temple Church Office will be closed on Friday.

Nov 10—First Lady Thompson will be preaching at the Central NC Annual Conference at St. Mark AME Zion Church in Durham, NC at 7:00 pm. Please sign electronically to reserve a seat on the bus. The bus will leave at 4:00 pm. We are asking choir members to show your support for our First Lady.

Nov 13—New Members Orientation Class Part 1 will be held in the New Fellowship Hall at 6 pm. If you will be attending, please sign up electronically or contact Sis. Gentry in the church office at (910) 867-1182 ext. 103.

Nov 14—Baptism for adults and youth will be held in the New Fellowship Hall on Tuesday at 6 pm. If you desire to be baptized, ensure you have completed baptismal form in the church office.

Nov 18—The Simon Temple YACM (18-40) will join the Outreach Ministry at 6:30 am to feed the local homeless. Please join us as we show a spirit of service by serving others. POC: Bro. Denton Carter - (410) 300-2713

Sunday Worship Services: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Communion Service: 1st Sunday of every month
Children/Youth Sunday Worship Services: 11:00 a.m. on 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 5th Sundays
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.; Teen Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Children's Church: 8:30 a.m./11:00 a.m.; Nursery provided: 8:30a.m./11:00 a.m.
Youth Service: 4th Sunday of every month (main Sanctuary)
Bible Study: Wednesday 12 Noon/6:45 p.m.; Teen Bible Study: Wednesday: 6:45 p.m.
Wives Empowerment: 10:00 a.m. (1st Saturday)
Men's Empowerment: 6:30 p.m. (scheduled Tuesdays)
Women's Empowerment: 6:30 p.m. (1st Friday)
Men of Zion: 8 a.m. (2nd Saturday)
Joshua Generation: 10 a.m. (scheduled Saturdays)
Daughters of Excellence: (scheduled events)
Good Samaritan Outreach Ministry: 6:45 a.m. (every Saturday)
Ministry House – Food Pantry & Clothing Closet: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. (Tuesday/Thursday)

To schedule appointments, please call the church office at (910) 867-1182
Church Office Hours: Monday & Saturday Closed
***Tuesday 9am-6pm *Wednesday 10am-9pm *Thursday 9am-7pm *Friday, 9am-2pm**
Sunday 8:15am – closed during services

Minister on Call after Office Hours for Emergencies concerning "critical incidents, hospitalizations, or death notifications only." (910) 391-2998

**1st Lady Rev. Felica Thompson: www.revfelicathompson.com
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Free To Be Me Radio Talk Show airs every Thursday at noon on WIDU (1600AM)
To submit your "imfreeu2" story email Rev. Felica - imfreeu2@gmail.com
Radio Broadcast, WIDU, 1600, Saturday, 5:30 pm
WIDU Live Broadcast, 1600, Sunday, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
CW TV, Channel 2, Sunday, 5:30 am

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Email addresses: info@simontemple.com or pastor@simontemple.com
If you see areas you think we can improve or have concerns you would like addressed, please send them to: memberconcerns@simontemple.com or howarewedoing@simontemple.com. We appreciate and welcome your input.

"I was sick and ye visited me"

Pray for the Sick

Sis. Jessie McKoy (910) 339-3058
 Sis. Deborah Murphy (910) 425-9505
 Sis. Camish Martin (910) 867-6242
 Sis. Toinette Downs (864) 385-8040
 Sis. Margie Bain (910) 246-3740
 Bro. Raeshaun Poe (910) 322-7310
 Sis. Annie McNeill (910) 822-3299
 Bro. Harvey Herron (910) 867-8072
 Sis. Vandora McDowell (910) 822-2654
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 Sis. Pamela Morgan (910) 354-0706
 Sis. Denise Hoskins-Exum (910) 263-4143
 Sis. Frances McKay (910) 867-1778

Bro. Larry Oliver (910) 488-3114
 Sis. Mary B. Ray (910) 488-3784
 Sis. Lutisha Ray McNeill (910) 635-2376
 Sis. Grace Greene (910) 248-6545
 Bro. James Elder (910) 339-1375
 Sis. Lucinda Adams (910) 867-3994
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 Bro. Charles Collins (910) 425-2059
 Bro. Robert A. Walls, Jr. (910) 273-4121
 Sis. Lynn Siler (910) 497-7418
 Sis. Anna McNair (910) 867-0509
 Sis. Phyllis Elwood (919) 758-1112
 Bro. Brady Henderson (910) 868-8320

Bro. Emanuel Northe, Jr. (NC State VA, Rm 211, Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC)
 Sis. Pamela Miller (Village Green Care Rehab. #302, Purdue Drive) (910) 551-1913
 Bro. Shyheem Mack (UNC Hospital) (910) 797-2172
 Sis. Otelia Norswether (Woodlands Rm 506, 400 Pelt Dr., Fayetteville, NC) (910) 779-1849

LORD

*we want
to see
Your face.*

COMMUNION

*This is my body,
which is broken for you:
this do in remembrance of me.*
1 Corinthians 11:24

**5760 Yadkin Road
 Fayetteville, NC 28303**
Rev. Felica R. Thompson, First Lady
Rev. Brian R. Thompson, Pastor
Praise is our Passion! Worship Is Our Lifestyle!