

Sunday Morning Worship

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 3, 2021

PRAISE & WORSHIP.....The Simon Temple Praise Team

CALL TO WORSHIP.....Presider

Presider: All around the world people gather in the name of Christ. They who are not for us are against us. All around the world people gather in the name of Christ. They who are not for us are against us. We are called not to judge our neighbors but to witness to God. O come, let us praise the Lord together!

*HYMN:....."Lift Him Up"#668

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....Minister

PASTORAL PRAYER.....Minister

*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.)

INTRODUCTION OF OFFERING.....Minister

OFFERTORY PRAYER.....Minister

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

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

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME.....A/V Ministry

PASTORAL REFLECTIONS.....Rt. Rev. Dr. Brian R. Thompson, Sr., Bishop

PRE-MESSAGE SELECTION.....Simon Temple Music Ministry (8:30 am/11:00 am)

THE MESSAGE.....Rt. Rev. Dr. Brian R. Thompson, Sr., Bishop

*CALL TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

BENEDICTION

Business of the Week

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Announcements

The AV ministry is looking for new members. If interested, send contact information to: mjefferson@simontemple.com

Special Announcement

Reverend Camp is currently pursuing her Doctor of Ministry degree at Liberty University. She is currently recruiting research participants to participate in her thesis project entitled "An Assessment of the Millennial Body and Its Place in the Local Church." Are you a millennial (25-40 years of age), an ordained elder or deacon, licensed minister, or a lay leader at Simon Temple? Would you like to see more millennial participation and involvement at Simon Temple? If you answered "yes" to either of these questions, your assistance is very much needed. This project aims to attract and involve millennial members to grow and revitalize Simon Temple's young adult ministry. If you would like to participate in this project study, please contact Rev. Camp at (910) 964-1623 or at jlcamp@liberty.edu for more information.

Oct 5—The 4th Quarterly Conference for the 2020-2021 conference year will be held via Zoom Tuesday, October 5 at 6:30 pm. All trustees, ministers, stewards, class leaders, deaconesses & heads of all boards and clubs are expected to be in attendance. If you cannot attend, please inform Elder Brown or Bishop Thompson so you can be accounted for. Join the Zoom meeting using the following log in credentials: Meeting ID: 886 4519 2119 • Passcode: 843143 Dial-in number: (301) 715-8592

Oct 6—The photo of the Hospitality Staff for the Souvenir Book will be taken in the Simon Temple parking lot at 6:30 pm. We want anyone past or present who has worked on the Hospitality Ministry to be a part of this photo. The attire is white shirt & black pants. Please be on time.

Oct 16—The Simon Temple Food Truck will be deployed to a designated location within the community by Bishop Thompson between the hours of 10am-2pm, tentatively. We need your support to help bag and distribute supplies to persons in need during this deployment. So, please call the church office to sign up for this outreach ministry. God bless!

Sermon Notes

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If you have concerns or constructive observations about your experience today,
please email them to: memberconcerns@simontemple.com or
howarewedoin@simontemple.com. We appreciate and welcome your input.

Sunday Worship Services: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Corporate Prayer: 7:00 am every Monday – (712) 770-4010; access code 471857

The House of Refuge Prayer & Spiritual Guidance Center – 1-855-979-9804 (toll free)

Communion Service: 1st Sunday of every month

Youth Sunday Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. on 2nd Sundays

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.; Youth Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Children's Church: 8:30 a.m./11:00 a.m.; Nursery provided: 8:30 a.m./11:00 a.m.

Bible Study: Wednesday 12 Noon/6:45 p.m.

Youth Bible Study: Wednesday 6:45 p.m.

Wives Empowerment: 10:00 a.m. (every Saturday)

Men's Empowerment: 6:30 p.m. (2nd & 4th Tuesdays)

Women's Empowerment: 6:30 p.m. (1st Friday)

Men of Zion: 8 a.m. (2nd Saturday)

Good Samaritan Outreach Ministry: 6:45 a.m. (every Saturday)

Ministry House – Food Pantry & Clothing Closet: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. (Tuesday/Thursday)

Temple Fitness Class: 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. (Saturday)

To schedule appointments, please call the church office at (910) 867-1182

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

CW TV, Channel 2, Sunday, 5:30 am

"I was sick and ye visited me"

Pray for the Sick

Sis. Pamela Morgan (910) 354-0706

Sis. Deborah Murphy (910) 425-9505

Sis. Camish Martin (910) 867-6242

Sis. Toinette Downs (864) 385-8040

Sis. Angela Murry (910) 273-8543

Bro. Raeshaun Poe (910) 322-7310

Sis. Ann Hardy (910) 709-5794

Sis. Denise Hoskins-Exum (910) 263-4143

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Bro. James Elder (571) 331-9834

Sis. Mary B. Ray (910) 488-3784

Sis. Lutisha Ray McNeill (910) 635-2376

Sis. Grace Greene (910) 248-6545

Sis. Velicia McLaurin (910) 624-4431

Sis. Frances McKay (910) 835-1406

Sis. Betty Manuel (910) 670-5381

Bro. Charles Collins (910) 425-2059

Bro. Robert A. Walls, Jr. (910) 273-4121

Bro. Willie Frazier, Sr. & Sis. Retus Frazier (Fayetteville Manor Assisted Living Facility)

Sis. Anna McNair (Autumn Care of Raeford – Room 208)

Bro. Nathaniel Elroy Smith (Carolina Rehab, Room 808) • (910) 429-1690

Sis. Margaret Darrell (Haymount Rehabilitation & Nursing Center Room 401) • (910) 689-0150

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