

Morning Worship Service

February 26, 2023

(First Sunday in Lent)

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

CALL TO WORSHIP..... Presider

PRESIDER: In the name of Christ, you are welcomed in the presence of the Lord. How shall we be worthy to kneel before our Lord? What is required of you but to love kindness? How shall we be worthy to kneel before our Lord? What is required of you but to walk humbly with your God? Teach us, Lord, to fulfill your commands, that we may dwell with you forever.

MUSICAL SELCTIONS.....Children’s Choir

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 refers to the church universal not the Roman Catholic Church.)

LITURGICAL PRESENTATION.....Mime Ministry

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.....Dr. Keith D. Tillett, Pastor

PRE-MESSAGE SELECTION..... The Simon Temple Praise Team

THE MESSAGE.....Dr. Keith D. Tillett, Pastor

***CALL TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

BENEDICTION

Business of the Week

Dr. Mary Hinson, Ph.D. - Licensed Professional Counselor

“Providing telephonic and video mental health counseling and consultation; supervision for provisionally licensed clinicians; and diversity training for the workplace.”

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Announcements

If you want to sponsor the flowers in the chapel baskets in the Sanctuary “In Honor of” or “In Memory of” a loved one on an upcoming Sunday, please call the church office at (910) 867-1182. Cost: \$100.

In-person Children’s Church is now in effect. We encourage children ages 3 - 12 to attend Children’s Church at 8:30 and 11:00 am each Sunday. POC: Sis. Sarah Wilson. Youth Worship Services at 8:30 am & 11:00 am each Sunday in the Youth Center at Kingdom Plaza. Youth, please join us for fun-filled rap sessions concerning our Savior, Jesus Christ. POC: Dr. Vanessa Alford.

Members and Non-Members, we invite you to sign up for a 6-month MasterLife Discipleship Course. In-Person Classes will begin Thursday, March 2nd, 12 pm - 1:45 pm, and Virtual Classes will begin Sunday, March 5th, 2 pm - 3:45 pm. Please visit simontemple.com and select the Events Tab to sign up for in-person or virtual classes. POC: Dr. Leon Newton.

Simon Temple Members ages 18 years or older, if you desire to learn about providing counseling to others, Sis. Lashawn McGrue seeks your participation in a survey as part of her Doctoral Work in Pastoral Counseling. For more information, please email her at Lfullerton@liberty.edu. Thank you for your participation.

We will Celebrate 150 years of Ministry this year. In recognition of this milestone, each member is asked to give \$150.00 above tithes and offerings to support the Mortgage Liquidation Campaign. Share in the Vision by contributing \$150.00 incrementally or wholly. Thank you for your faithfulness and support. POC: Bro. Willie Meeks.

Lady Tillett has partnered with Ponderosa Elementary to donate clothing and undergarments for students wearing sizes 6, 7 & 8. If you can help support this cause, please drop off your donations in the lobby of the Administrative Building. POC: Sis. Mary King. Thank you for your generosity.

Simon Temple Honors Black History Month. Today is HBCU Jersey Day. Thank You for joining us in celebrating our heritage.

Feb 28 - Dr. Tillett will meet with all Class Leaders at 6:00 pm in BBRTSr. Fellowship Center. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you there. POC: Rev. Ronnie Vandyke.

Mar 4— Sandy Grove AMEZ Church in Lumber Bridge will Host the Central North Carolina Conference’s First Check-up Meeting at 9:00 am. Members amenable to the CNC, please plan to attend.

Mar 10 & 11 — Simon Temple will Host the District’s Class Leaders Training Friday’s session is 6 pm - 8 pm & Saturday’s session is 9 am - 12 pm. Class Leaders, please plan to attend. POC: Rev. Ronnie Vandyke.

Mar 11— The Women of Excellence presents a “Vision Rebirth” Event in Bishop Brian R. Thompson Sr. Fellowship Center, 1 pm - 3 pm. To attend the Event, you may Sign Up using the Simon Temple App, Website, or in the Church Office. POC: Lady Kerri Tillett.

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.

Communion Service: 1st Sunday of each month

Adult Sunday School: 09:45 a.m.

Children & Youth Worship Services 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Corporate Prayer: 7:00 am every Monday – 1-267-807-9611; access code 471857

Bible Study: Wednesday 12 Noon/6:30 p.m.

Wives Empowerment: 10:00 a.m. (Each Saturday Bi-Weekly)

Men's Empowerment: 7:00 p.m. (Each Tuesday Following the 2nd Sunday Monthly)

Women's Empowerment: 10:00 a.m. (4th Saturday Monthly)

WHOMS 7:00 p.m. (2nd Thursday Monthly)

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

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

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

The Simon Temple Book Club on Zoom: 6:30 pm. (2nd & 4th Monday Monthly)

Drive-Thru Prayer 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. (2nd Thursday after 2nd Sunday Monthly)

New Members Class via ZOOM 1:30 pm (1st, 3rd, 4th Sundays)

Youth New Members via ZOOM 1:30 pm (2nd Sundays)

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

Emergency Support After Hours: Please notify your Class Leader concerning critical incidents, hospitalizations, or death notifications. POC: Rev. Ronnie Vandyke & Dr. Leon Newton.

“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. Mary Wright (910) 868-449

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

Sis. Vandora McDowell (910) 822-2654

Bro. Joseph Heath (910) 797-0494

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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

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WORSHIP TIMES

SUNDAY 8:30AM
MORNING 11:00AM

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