



2nd Sunday in Lent
February 25, 2024
8:00am and 11:00am



Church of the Bells
3320 West Adams Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90018
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Rev. Dr. Ken J. Walden, Senior Pastor

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CENTERING MOMENT

Loving God, I worship you. You constantly reveal yourself to me; you're with me for the long haul. You lift me with your hugs and never tiring support. This journey is for you, O God. celebrate you!

(Carolyn W. Dandridge, *Africana Worship Book, Year B*)

PRELUDE

Robert Johnson, Jr.

“Faith Can Move Mountains”

Nat King Cole, Ben Raleigh, Guy Wood

GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lenten travelers, who is this Jesus that we follow?

He is the Messiah.

How does it feel to follow a Messiah whose teachings and call are so hard and uncomfortable?

Some feel fear and anger, while others feel uncertain and anxious, and still others feel resolute and ready to follow.

Lenten travelers, we are not alone in our feelings about following Jesus as our Messiah. It is a hard road. The blessing is that we do not travel it alone.

Thanks be to God that we share this journey with Jesus and one another as we lose our lives for the sake of the gospel to save our lives through Jesus, our Messiah. Amen.

(Dr. Lisa Hancock, *Discipleship Ministries*, 2023)

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

“We’ve Come This Far by Faith” (traditional)

OPENING PRAYER

Ancient of Days, bring your future hope into our world. Bring your love into our lies. Bring your presence into our midst. Open our hearts and minds to your message, that we may respond with hope and trust. With our ancestors of old, may we walk in the lineage of faithful discipleship. Amen

(Mary Scifres, *Abingdon Worship Manual 2024*)

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Jubilant Voices

“I Open My Mouth to the Lord”

SCRIPTURE

Romans 4:13-25

**Liturgist
People**

The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God!

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Jubilant Voices

“In the Midst of It All”

Kevin Bond

Myron Jackson, soloist

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Ken J. Walden

“It Depends on Faith”

THANKSGIVING FOR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPELSHIP

PRAYERS

☞ Please pray for Robert Waters, Edith Wolfrey, Dr. Harold Jordan, Dr. Barbara Lake, Thresa Thomas, Freddie Muse, Jr., Everett Williams, and the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Walden.

POSTLUDE

Robert Johnson, Jr.

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

Ray Palmer, Lowell Mason

*Dear Rev. and Mrs. Walden,
May the road rise to meet you,
may the wind be always at your back,
may the sun shine warm upon your face,
may the rains fall soft upon your fields,
and until we meet again,
may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.*

Traditional Gaelic Prayer

Words of Appreciation

Whether you kept us in your thoughts and prayers, sent a lovely arrangement, gave a memorial donation, provided a meal, or helped in any way, your love and kindness brought us great comfort and will always be remembered.

Sandra Hardy and Family



Thank you, Holman Family, for the love and appreciation you showed us during the Farewell and Appreciation Service last Sunday. We thank all the committees, ministries, visitors and friends for making the day and our years together special! We will always look fondly upon our time together in ministry. We are excited about the future of Holman United Methodist Church and anticipate brighter days ahead!

God Bless you!

Rev. Dr. Ken and Michelle Walden

Announcement

Lenten Book Study continues Wednesday, February 28 at 7:00 pm. Please use this Zoom ID to join:

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Clergy

Rev. Dr. Ken J. Walden, Senior Pastor
Rev. Louis Chase, Minister of Community Outreach
Rev. James M. Lawson, Pastor Emeritus

Liturgist

Justin Walker

Music Ministry

Jubilant Voices of Holman
Robert Johnson, Jr., Organist
Ricardo L.J. Mowatt, Drummer
Melida Skeete Smith, Director

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SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024
REV. CHRISTIAN WASHINGTON
DESTROYING THE FEAR FACTOR
PART 1: "SEE THE WAY"
MATTHEW 14:22-33

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To fulfill the great commission by inviting people into discipleship with Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

A place where bells are rung as we **gather** for dynamic worship, **grow** through inspired learning, **go** into joyful service and **live** the gospel of Jesus Christ.