



5th Sunday in Lent
March 17, 2024
8:00am and 11:00am



Church of the Bells
3320 West Adams Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90018
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Rev. Christian Washington, Interim Senior Pastor

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CENTERING MOMENT

God has written the law of love on your heart. Gaze deeply and find God within.

(B. J. Beu, *Abingdon Worship Manual 2024*)

PRELUDE

Robert Johnson, Jr.

“God Will Make a Way”
Don Moen

GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP

Are you feeling tired and worn out?

Call on the name of the Lord.

Are mistakes from the past weighing you down?

Come to the fount of living water.

Are you the person you wish to be?

Seek God’s help and it shall be granted.

Are you looking for a better path?

Ask Christ to show you the way.

Come! Let us worship. (Beu)

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

“In the Name of Jesus”
David Billingsley

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Jubilant Voices of Holman

“I Have No Reason to Fear”
J. J. Hairston

PRAYERS

Rev. Christian Washington

☞ Please pray for Gloria Smith, Dr. Harold Jordan, Dr. Barbara Lake, Freddie Muse, Jr., and Everett Williams.

☞ Dorothy Lane Parker, the sister of communion steward Georgia Pettis, transitioned on March 2 in Peoria, IL. A Celebration of Life was held on Saturday, March 16, in Peoria. Please keep the Pettis and Parker families in prayer.

LORD’S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE **Matthew 14:22-33 (NIV)**

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

MINISTRY OF MUSIC **Jubilant Voices**

“Not By Might”
Tasha Cobbs Leonard
Sandra Gray, soloist

SERMON **Rev. Washington**

Destroying the Fear Factor

“Stay in the Way”

RESPONSE AND INVITATIONS

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE **Robert Johnson, Jr.**

“The Lord Will Make A Way Somehow”
Hezekiah Walker, Jeff G. Clark



A Lenten Prayer

Lord, we know Easter is coming soon and while we anxiously wait to celebrate your triumphant victory over sin and death, there are still difficult days between now and then. And try as we might, we cannot comprehend love and mercy so great as this. There is nothing perfect about us, yet you beckon us with hands that soon will be scarred by betrayal, greed, selfishness, pettiness, pride, and apathy. You see us and our imperfections with compassionate and patient eyes as we struggle to rid our lives of all the worldly things that distort, distract, and entangle us. As the cross looms ahead, our eyes and our focus are on you and you alone for our redemption and salvation. Amen.

(Cynthia A. Bond Hopson, *The Africana Worship Book, Year B*)



Altar Flowers

are given in honor of
our mother and grandmother,
Jewel; sister, **Barbara**;
and son, brother, and nephew,
Jerome.



The flame of love is forever.

Joyce, Christopher, Gretchen, Victor

Bulletin Board

Lenten Book Study continues Wednesday, March 13, at 7:00 pm. Please use this Zoom ID to join:
856 0940 5566

Easter Lily order forms are available online and at the back of the sanctuary. Each 7" potted plant raises \$15 toward Holman's Storehouse ministry. Thank you for your generous support!

Come Home for Easter! Celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ on Sunday, March 31. Join special guest artist Joshua Wilson at 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. services. During a special fellowship hour, capture memories in our Easter family photo booth!

Clergy

Rev. Christian Washington, Interim Senior Pastor
Rev. Louis Chase, Minister of Community Outreach
Rev. James M. Lawson, Pastor Emeritus

Liturgist

Juanita Cannon

Music Ministry

Jubilant Voices of Holman
Robert Johnson, Jr., Organist
Melida Skeete Smith, Director

Media Ministry

David R. Sears, Keith McGruder, Mark Conway,
Fitzroy Younge, Jules Green
Mychael Carter

COME HOME FOR EASTER!

MARCH 31, 2024

ATTENTION
HOLMANITES & FRIENDS

EASTER SUNDAY
MARCH 31, 2024

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Easter

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PASTOR CHRISTIAN
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Spiritual Growth Circle
meets today
Sunday, March 17
1:00 - 3:00 pm
in
Crockett Library
Pastor Christian delivers a
series summation





California-Pacific Black Methodists for Church Renewal

**THE SEVEN LAST
WORDS OF JESUS**

Good Friday
March 29, 2024
12:00 noon

Holman UMC
3320 W Adams Blvd
Los Angeles, CA 90018



The deadline for bulletin listings is **Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.** Please send announcements and/or flyers to caroline@holmanumc.com

Weekly Events

24/7 PRAYER LINE

Bible Study (Phone)*

Prayer Service (Phone)*

Adult Sunday School Class*

Children's Ministry

(323) 703-1545

Thursdays @ 1 PM

Fridays @ 7:30 AM

Sundays @ 9:30 AM

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Sunday, March 24, 2024
REV. Christian Washington

“THE OUTRAGEOUS AUDACITY OF JESUS”

Our Mission

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.