

4th Sunday of Easter **April 21, 2024**

8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



Church of the Bells

3320 West Adams Boulevard Los Angeles, California 90018 www.holmanumc.com

Rev. Christian Washington, Interim Senior Pastor

Our 11 a.m. Worship Celebration broadcast live on Radio Station KJLH FM 102.3

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- Share a special message
- Honor a loved one
- Celebrate an occasion
- Promote an event

For information, please call the Holman church office at **323.703.5868**.

CENTERING MOMENT

Through God, the Good Shepherd, you are found, comforted, loved.

(Sara Lambert, Abingdon Worship Manual 2024)

PRELUDE

Robert Johnson, Jr.

"God Favored Me"
Jules Bartholomew, Hezekiah Walker

GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord is my shepherd, I will fear no evil.

We will love one another, as Christ loves us.
Christ, the Good Shepherd, has compassion for all.

We will love one another, as Christ loves us.
Open your hearts to goodness and mercy today.

We will love one another, as Christ loves us.
Love, not merely in thought and word, but in truth and action.

We will love one another, as Christ loves us. (Lambert)

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

"I Love You Lord Today"

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Jubilant Voices

"Love's in Need" Stevie Wonder arr. Fred Hammond

PRAYERS

Gwenette Parker, Elona Bailey Williams, James Bailey, Helen Harris, Lorene Flanagan, Leonard White, Dr. Harold Jordan, Larry Turner, Dr. Barbara Lake, the people of Los Angeles, Haiti, Gaza, Rwanda, and Ukraine.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 13:1-8a, 13b (NIV)

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

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Jubilant Voices

"More Than Anything" Lamar Campbell

SERMON

Rev. Christian Washington

"Love Is Not Envious"

RESPONSE AND INVITATIONS

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Robert Johnson, Jr.

"Love Theory" Kirk Franklin

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An Earth Day Prayer

O God, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen: You place us in your creation, and you command us to care for it... Where we have degraded or destroyed earth's bounty, forgive us. Where we have taken beauty and majesty for granted, have mercy upon us. Where we have become estranged from the creatures with whom we share this planet, grant us your peace. Renew us in the waters of baptism, refresh us with the winds of your spirit, and sustain us with the bread of life. In the name of Jesus Christ, and for the sake of the new creation, we pray. Amen.



Altar Flowers

are given in memory of

Roger Johnson

our Wednesday Storehouse cousin

Roger was faithful, kind, gentle and generous.
We honor his spirit of lovingkindness by embracing the message: "Let us not grow weary in doing good."
Galatians 6:9

Wednesday Storehouse Ministry



BULLETIN BOARD

Wednesday Night Live continues Wednesday, April 24, 6:30-8:00 pm in L. L. White Hall.

Calling all high school seniors! The Bellringer would like to feature you in its June issue. Send your photo, the name of your high school, and the college you'll attend next fall to caroline@holmanumc.com. Thanks and congratulations!

Calling all nonagenarians! The July *Bellringer* issue will spotlight Holmanites who have lived nine decades or more. Please send us a photo with your contact information and the best times to reach you. We'll take it from there. Contact us at (323) 703-5868, caroline@holmanumc.com.

Take the **2024 Holman Church Survey.** Scan the QR code on the back of your bulletin, or fill out a hard copy of the survey in White Hall immediately after service.

Holman United Women in Faith announce their **Mother's Day Recognition categories for May 12, 2024**:

- 1.Oldest mother in attendance
- 2. Mother with the most children present
- 3. Mother with the most generations present
- 4.Mother with the youngest child (because of health concerns, the child need not be present)

Clergy

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

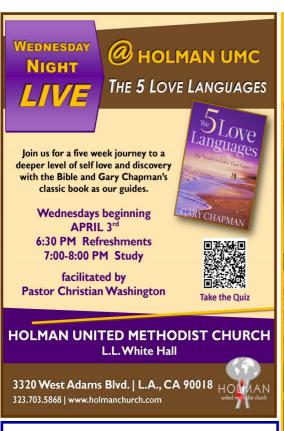
LiturgistCandace Hobson

Music Ministry

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

Media Ministry

David R. Sears, Keith McGruder, Mark Conway, Fitzroy Younge, Jules Green Mychael Carter, Audio Tech/Mixer





Deadline May 1, 2024





Complete Your Holman Church Survey today!

- Scan the QR code
- Follow this link
- · Pick up a hard copy in White Hall



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
Youth Bible Study*

(323) 703-1545

Thursdays @ 1 PM Fridays @ 7:30 AM Sundays @ 9:30 AM The Good Shepherd

*Contact the office (323) 703-5868 for details. Holman@holmanumc.com



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Contact the church office holman@holmanumc.com 323-703-5868

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SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024

"LOVE IS NEVER..."

1 CORINTHIANS 13:1-8a, 13b (NIV)

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, and **go** into joyful service to live the **gospel** of Jesus Christ.