

members,
don't
git weary.

CENTERING MOMENT

May the kindling of God warm our souls. May the winds of the Spirit nudge us onward. May the love of Christ transform us anew.

PRELUDE

"Libra"
Max Roach

The Libra Quintet

OPENING SONG

"Great Is Your Mercy"
Donnie McClurkin

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Jennifer Oliver
Associate Pastor

GREETING

Nancy Harris
Liturgist

CALL TO WORSHIP

*Beloved, we gather today by faith. A faith handed down to us over generations.
By faith, we follow God's call as we journey toward a better country.*

*By faith, our grandparents, parents, aunts, uncles, neighbors, and
friends shared God's love with us.*

By faith, we follow God's call as we journey toward a better country.

*By faith, we recall the story of God's desire for all creation to be reconciled
to God and one another.*

By faith, we follow God's call as we journey toward a better country.

*By faith, we carry the faith forward, building a community of belonging,
provision, and care.*

By faith, God's will shall be done on earth as it is in heaven!

Discipleship Ministries
(Dr. Lisa Hancock)

OPENING PRAYER

*Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for,
the conviction of things not seen.
We come convinced of many things but trusting very few.*

*Holy God of limitless surprises, meet us here in this place
as we touch that which we cannot see,
that which we have not dared to hope.*

*Discipleship Ministries
(Katherine Hawker)*

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN *“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”
William Williams*

Hymnal #127

PASSING OF THE PEACE *“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”
Elisha A. Hoffman*

Hymnal #133

SCRIPTURE ***Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16***
Common English Bible (CEB)

Theodore King

**SONGS OF PREPARATION
(TRIBUTE TO MAX ROACH)** *“Equipoise”
“Members Don’t Git Weary”
Max Roach*

The Libra Quintet

MESSAGE ***“By Faith”***

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin
Lead Pastor

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

INVITATIONAL HYMN *“We’ve Come This Far By Faith”
Albert A. Goodson*

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Dr. Jennifer Oliver

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THANKSGIVING FOR
TITHES & OFFERING** *“Where Is Your Faith in God?”
James Cleveland*

DOXOLOGY *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”*

Hymnal #95

BENEDICTION *“We Walk By Faith”
Jan Sanborn*

POSTLUDE *“Members Don’t Git Weary / Libra”
Max Roach*

The Libra Quintet

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin, *Lead Pastor*; Rev. Dr. Jennifer Oliver, *Associate Pastor*; Rev. Louis Chase, *Minister of Community Outreach*; Nancy Harris, *Liturgist*; William Campbell, Jr., *Holman Choir Director and pianist*; Robert Johnson, Jr., *Pianist & Organist*; Haqumai Sharpe, *vocalist*; The Libra Quintet (Tre’ Cyrus-Franklin, *drums*, Max Weiner, *bass*, Eli Heard, *trumpet*, Francisco Martinez, *saxophone*, Mateo Arce, *piano*), David R. Sears, *Production Mixer*; Mark Conway, *Video Director*; Keith McGruder, *House Mixer*; Fitzroy Younge, *House Mixer*; Jules Green, *Post-Production*; Mychael Carter, *Audio Tech/Mixer*

HOLMAN Announcements

ALTAR FLOWERS & RADIO BROADCAST SPONSORSHIP

Today's altar flowers are given by **Dr. Amber Wilburn and family** in remembrance of our Grandparents, Ransom (August 6) and MaryBelle Varnado (August 14) and in celebration of the next generations, Jamila Fairley (August 18) and Aleena and Major King (July 22). *"One generation shall commend your works to another and shall declare your mighty acts."* ~Psalm 145:4"



We also thank the **Holman United Methodist Men** for their sponsorship of today's special music in worship!

You can sponsor our radio broadcast live on Radio Free KJLH, 102.3 FM, or adorn the sanctuary with an arrangement of altar flowers. Visit holmanumc.com/forms or call the church office. You can also sign up for these and other opportunities online at holman.churchcenter.com/registrations.

AFTER WORSHIP

- **Fellowship Hour** will be held in L.L. White Hall and is sponsored by **A-MAN, Inc.** to acknowledge our STEM Achievers Scholarship recipients!
- **The All-Church Town Hall** will be in L.L. White Hall to begin approximately at 12:45pm.

WAYS TO GIVE

- **Mail:** Send to *Holman UMC, 3320 W. Adams Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90018*
- **Radio Broadcast Sponsorship:** Access the broadcast sponsorship form at www.holmanumc.com/forms.
- **Online:** Go to the church website @ www.holmanumc.com/give
- **Altar Flowers Sponsorship:** Visit holmanumc.com/give and choose Givelify or Vanco.



CONGREGATIONAL CARE

BEREAVEMENT | Hazel Story passed away on Friday, July 18. Arrangements are pending.

- Longtime Holman member **Mari Norman**, wife of Don Norman transitioned on Tuesday, August 5th. Her celebration of life will be Saturday, September 6 at 12:00 noon here at Holman Church.
- Longtime Holman member **Thelma Warren** transitioned on Thursday, August 7th. Funeral arrangements are pending.



PRAYER LIST | All those affected by recent wildfires, storms and floods, Gweneth Alexander, Trudy Austin, Jennifer Blannon, Audrae Broadnaux, Maritza Brown, Juanita Cannon, Toni Edwards, Tiffany Hall, Sharon Jackson, John T. Jones, Joyce Lewis, Kamille Linton, Cynthia Marroquin-Henley, Ovis Massey, Samantha McQueen, Eretha Minor, Elaine D. Moore, Freddie Muse, Jr., Jason Rabb, Ruth A. Smith (with sister Izola Shaw), Larry Turner.

This Week @ HOLMAN

www.holmanumc.com/calendar

SUNDAY, AUG 10

Book Talk: Book Talk: Zoom

9:15–10:15am | Every Sunday
ONLINE

Adult Sunday School: Zoom + Phone

9:30–10:30am | Every Sunday
ONLINE

Sunday Worship Service

11am–12:15pm | Every Sunday

Holman Church Council: Town Hall

12:45–1:45pm

TUESDAY, AUG 12

Staff-Parish Relations Committee (SPRC): Monthly Meeting

6:30–7:45pm | The second Tuesday of every month
ONLINE

WEDNESDAY, AUG 13

Prayer Shawl Ministry

12–2pm | The 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month
HOLMAN UMC

THURSDAY, AUG 14

CA Calls Organizer Training

8am–4pm
HOLMAN UMC

StoreHouse Ministry Food Distribution Day

10am–1pm
HOLMAN UMC

FRIDAY, AUG 15

Friday Morning Prayer Group: Prayer & Communion Service (Phone)

7:30–8:30am | Every Friday

CA Calls Organizer Training

8am–4pm

Mark Your Calendars!

TUESDAY, AUG 19

Trustees: Monthly Meeting

7–8:15pm | The third Tuesday of every month
ONLINE

SUNDAY, AUG 24

Revolutionary Nonviolent Activism Workshop

2–4:30pm
HOLMAN UMC

TUESDAY, AUG 26

Lifeline Screening

8am–4pm
HOLMAN UMC

Finance Committee: Meeting (Zoom)

6:30–7:45pm | The fourth Tuesday of every month
ONLINE

WEDNESDAY, AUG 27

Prayer Shawl Ministry

12–2pm | The 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month
HOLMAN UMC

THURSDAY, AUG 28

CA Calls Organizer Training

8am–4pm
HOLMAN UMC

StoreHouse Ministry Food Distribution Day

10am–1pm
HOLMAN UMC