



Take
Courage

WORSHIP GUIDE
OCTOBER

Order of Service

REVEREND DR. ANDREW LEE STEPHENS JR.

Gathering	Minister Johnathan McGill
Call To Worship	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Praise and Worship	The Every Sunday Choir
Call To Confession	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Prayer of Confession	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Declaration of Forgiveness	Pastor
Apostles Creed	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Congregational Song	The Every Sunday Choir
Announcements	Pastor
Offering	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Scripture Reading	Elder Teresa Wynn Roseborough
Inspirational Song	The Every Sunday Choir
Sermon	"Take Courage"
Invitation	Pastor
Charge and Blessing	Pastor
Postlude	Congregation

Sunday, November 9th 2025

11AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Call To *Worship*

**Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises.
Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the
lyre and the sound of melody.**

**With trumpets and the sound of the horn make
a joyful noise before the King, the Lord.**

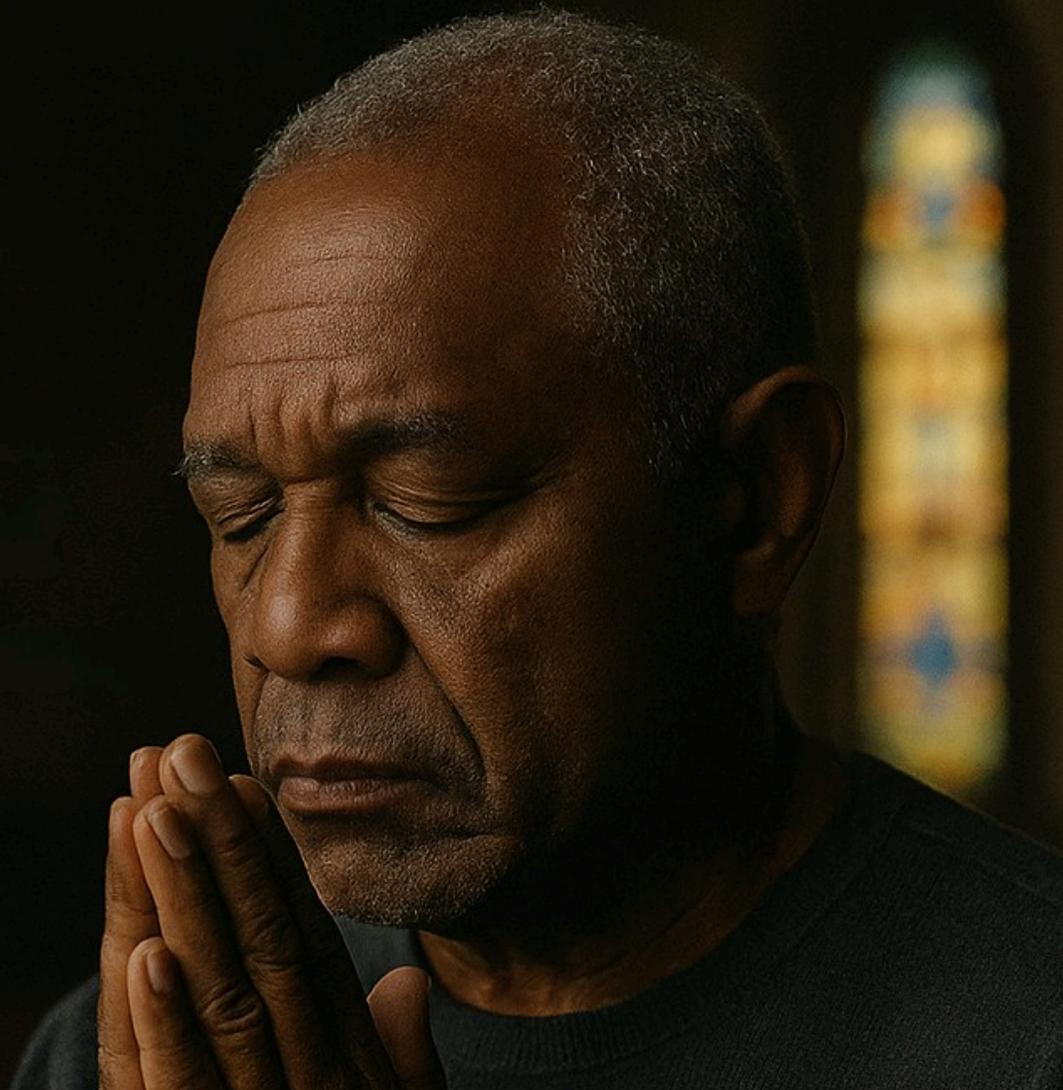
Come, make a joyful noise, sing praises!

Come, let us worship the Lord!



Call To *Confession*

The psalmist assures us that the Lord is near to all who call on God in truth. So with that assurance of God's presence, God's steadfast love, and God's overwhelming mercy, let us confess our sins before God and one another.



Prayer of *Confession*

**Holy God, we come before you a broken
people in a broken world.**

**We confess we have ignored, yet again, your
assured presence.**

**We have forged our own paths and charted our
own waters.**

**In the name of independence, we have ignored
your aid, your comfort, and your peace.**

**We have called upon you in desperation, rather
than recalling your mighty and faithful acts in
all times and places.**

Forgive us.

**You have been with us in exile and liberation;
be with us even now. Amen.**

Declaration of *Forgiveness*

The psalmist declares that God hears the cry of the beloved. and saves them.

Be assured: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Praise the Lord, and bless God's holy name forever.

