

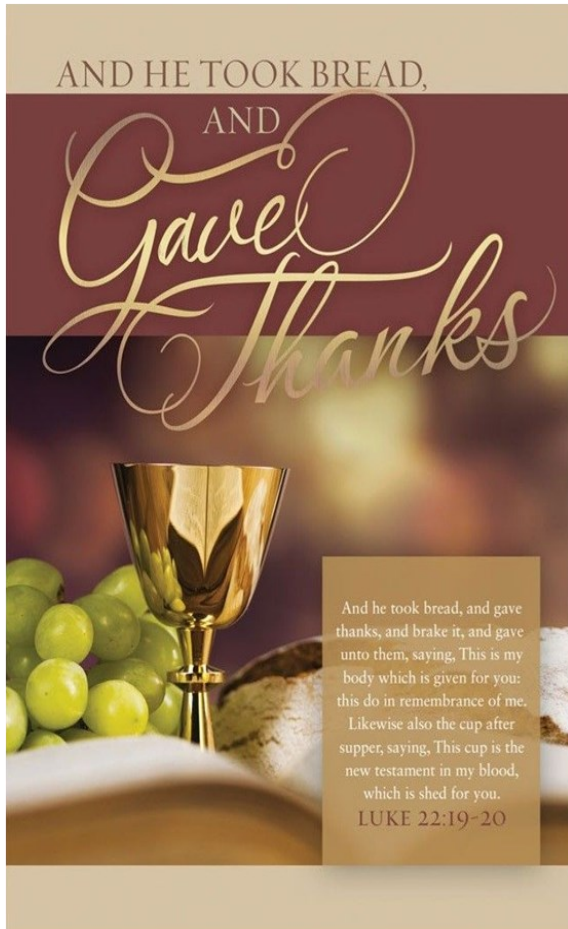


Union Baptist Church

1914

111 YEARS

2025



April 6, 2025

Reverend Dr. Verlin D. Williams, Pastor

"The Church in the Heart of the Community with the People of the Community in its Heart."

Worship Hours

Sundays at 10AM

CHURCH COVENANT

LEADER: Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God to receive the LORD Jesus Christ as our Savior; and on the profession of our faith we do now in the presence of God, angels, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully renew this covenant with one another as one body in Christ.

CONG: *We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place in our affections, prayers and services above every other organization of human origin.*

LEADER: To contribute cheerfully and regularly as God has prospered us, toward the support of the ministry, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world.

CONG: *We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to study the word of God; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintance.*

LEADER: To walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealings, faithful in our service.

CONG: *We further engage to watch over, to pray for, to exhort each other unto every good word and work; to guard each other's reputation, not needlessly exposing the infirmities of others; to participate in each other's joys, bear one another's sorrows; and to cultivate Christian courtesy;*

LEADER: To be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, being mindful of the rules of the Savior to secure it without delay.

ALL: *When we remove from this place, we engage as soon as possible to unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 146: 1-10 (NKJV)

*The Happiness of Those Whose
Help Is the Lord*

¹ He Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

² While I live I will praise the Lord; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being. ³ Do not put your trust in princes, Nor in a son of man, in whom there is no help. ⁴ His spirit departs, he returns to his earth; In that very day his plans perish.

⁵ Happy is he who has the God of Jacob for his help, Whose hope is in the Lord his God, ⁶ Who made heaven and earth, The sea, and all that is in them; Who keeps truth forever, ⁷ Who executes justice for the oppressed, Who gives food to the hungry.

The Lord gives freedom to the prisoners.

⁸ The Lord opens the eyes of the blind; The Lord raises those who are bowed down; The Lord loves the righteous. ⁹ The Lord watches over the strangers; He relieves the fatherless and widow; But the way of the wicked He turns upside down.

¹⁰ The Lord shall reign forever— Your God, O Zion, to all generations.

Praise the Lord!

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Matthew 16: 5-18 (NKJV)

The Leaven of the Pharisees and Sadducees

⁵Now when His disciples had come to the other side, they had forgotten to take bread. ⁶Then Jesus said to them, “Take heed and beware of the leaven of the Pharisees and the Sadducees.” ⁷And they reasoned among themselves, saying, “It is because we have taken no bread.” ⁸But Jesus, being aware of it, said to them, “O you of little faith, why do you reason among yourselves because you have brought no bread? ⁹Do you not yet understand, or remember the five loaves of the five thousand and how many baskets you took up? ¹⁰Nor the seven loaves of the four thousand and how many large baskets you took up? ¹¹How is it you do not understand that I did not speak to you concerning bread?—but to beware of the leaven of the Pharisees and Sadducees.” ¹²Then they understood that He did not tell them to beware of the leaven of bread, but of the doctrine of the Pharisees and Sadducees.

Peter Confesses Jesus as the Christ

¹³When Jesus came into the region of Caesarea Philippi, He asked His disciples, saying, “Who do men say that I, the Son of Man, am?” ¹⁴So they said, “Some say John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.” ¹⁵He said to them, “But who do you say that I am?” ¹⁶Simon Peter answered and said, “You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.” ¹⁷Jesus answered and said to him, “Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but My Father who is in heaven. ¹⁸And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it.

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy!
Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning
Our song shall rise to Thee
Holy, holy, holy!
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy!
Though the darkness hide Thee
Though the eye of sinful man
Thy glory may not see
Only Thou art holy
There is none beside Thee
Perfect in power, in love and purity

Holy, holy, holy!
Lord God Almighty
All Thy works shall praise Thy name
In earth and sky and sea

Holy, holy, holy!
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity
Oh God in three persons
Blessed Trinity!

KEEPING UP WITH UBC

Thrivers Support Ministry	Saturday, April 12 10:30AM-1:30PM
PALM SUNDAY Right Hand of Fellowship	Sunday, April 13th
GOOD FRIDAY	Friday, April 18th
RESURRECTION SUNDAY	April 20th
Mother's Day	Sunday, May 11th
CHURCH ANNIVERSARY,	Sunday, May 18th
Women's Workshop	Saturday, May 24th 8AM-3:30PM
Wing's Annual Day	Sunday, May 25th
CHILDREN & YOUTH DAY	Sunday, June 8th
Union C.A.R.E.S. Student Recognition Ceremony	Thursday, June 12th 6-8PM

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM

(please place your completed form in the basket on the Welcome Table)

Date: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

Gender: Male: _____ Female: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Address (if different) _____

Phone (Home): _____ Mobile: _____ Work _____

E-mail address: _____

Preferred method of contact (**check one**): Mail _____ Phone _____ Email _____

Service you expect to attend: 8:00 a.m. _____ 11:00 a.m. _____

How are you joining Union Baptist Church? **Check One**

Candidate for Baptism (Never been baptized)

Reinstatement (Former member of Union Baptist Church wishing to reinstate membership)

By Letter (Former member of another Baptist church and have a letter of introduction from that church)

Christian Experience (Baptized Christian with no church affiliation or letter of introduction)

Please share some information about yourself:

Name of Spouse (if any): _____

Name(s) and age(s) of child(ren) (if any):

1. _____ 3. _____

2. _____ 4. _____

Hobbies: _____

Ministry Gifts (if known): _____

In case of an emergency contact:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Relationship: _____

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Dial-In: (646) 558-8656

Meeting ID: 868 6578 9958

Pastor Williams' Office Hours

By appointment

Call 914-948-6439

† *Sunday Bible Study* †

8:30AM

Adult Bible Study

(Reverend L.W. Hughes Chapel)

10:00AM

Children's Church (3-12 yrs.)

*(Deacon Grover Jones, Sr.
Fellowship Hall)*

† *Wednesday Bible Study* †

11:30AM

Senior Bible Study

(Worship Center Narthex)

6:30PM

Men's Bible Study

(Worship Center Narthex)

Women's Bible Study

(Worship Center Sanctuary)

† *Morning Prayer* †

Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7:45AM

Dial In Number: 945-218-0064

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† *New Members* †

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