

## 9:00 AM WORSHIP

Prelude	Joy-Leilani Garbutt
Call to Worship—#88 – <i>O Worship the King (verse 1 only)</i>	Congregation
Invocation	Pastor Jeff Taylor
Responsive Reading—#720 – <i>God is Our Refuge</i>	Elder Caleb & Devakanie Edinborough
Song of Praise—#167 – <i>Alleluia, Sing to Jesus</i>	Congregation
Garden of Prayer	Pastor Chris Cheatham
Scripture Reading— <i>John 11:38-44</i>	Sharon Arner
Song of Mediation—#338 – <i>Redeemed</i>	Congregation
Sermon— <i>Hope for the Dead</i>	Pastor Jeff Taylor
Song of Response—#343 – <i>I Will Sing of my Redeemer</i>	Congregation
Offering Appeal	Pastor Anwar Ottley
Offertory Selection	Joy-Leilani Garbutt
Church Life	Pastor Chris Cheatham
Benediction	Pastor Jeff Taylor

## 10:15AM BIBLE STUDY

Welcome to our Small Group Bible Study time where we study the Sabbath School lesson, the Bible, and Christian literature. We invite you to join in one of our study groups located throughout the sanctuary for adults, downstairs, and in the Church Center for children of all ages.

## 11:30AM WORSHIP

Prelude	Joy-Leilani Garbutt
Church Life	Pastor John Nixon II
Songs of Praise & Worship—#167 – <i>Alleluia, Sing to Jesus</i>	Congregation
Garden of Prayer	Pastor Osei Daniels
Children's Story	Yorgos Lanthimos
Scripture Reading— <i>1 Peter 2:9, 10</i>	James Seals
Song of Meditation	Congregation
Sermon— <i>God's Peculiar People</i>	Pastor John Nixon II
Song of Response—#101 – <i>Children of the Heavenly Father</i>	Congregation
Offering Appeal	Pastor Anwar Ottley
Offertory Selection	Joy-Leilani Garbutt
Benediction	Pastor John Nixon II
Postlude	Joy-Leilani Garbutt

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS** are given today by Jeyakody Edward and family.

**THANK YOU** – The Blackwood Family would like to thank the Takoma Park Church Family for a wonderful memorial service in honor of Harold Blackwood. A special thank you to Pastor Taylor, Pastor Nixon, Pastor Ottley, and Zeon Railey.

**VISITORS LUNCH** will take place in the Fellowship Hall immediately following second service.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE** for Ethel Stokes will be held this afternoon at 3:00 pm in the Sanctuary. All are invited to come and celebrate her life and faith.

**MY SISTER'S KEEPER TEAM** is inviting all young ladies, ages 13-18, to attend a light lunch and desert bar celebration today in the Youth Room to congratulate our graduates. We have a special gift for MSK high school graduate girls. Please be sure to attend. Contact MSK Leader Antoné Daniels with any questions at 301-237-2321.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** takes place July 22-27 from 6-8:15 pm each night for children ages 5-13. The theme is "Sea of Miracles." Volunteer sign-up sheets and registration forms are available at the Welcome Desk

**SERVICE SABBATH** will be held on July 28. Sign-up sheets for the various outreach activities will be available in the lobby during 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> services on July 14 and 21. For more information please contact Kimberly Wright at 201-835-6556 or [outreach@thetpchurch.org](mailto:outreach@thetpchurch.org) or go to <http://bit.ly/ServiceSabbathSignUp>.

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** is looking for volunteer teachers and pianists in Cradle Roll, Kindergarten, and Primary departments. If interested, please contact Linda Frias at 301-675-0900 or [lindafrias@comcast.net](mailto:lindafrias@comcast.net).

**AA MEETING** occurs every Wednesday night at 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall where love and forgiveness abound.

**TP PRAYER GROUPS** meet each Sabbath after second service. Women's prayer group meets in the PRAYER ROOM. Men's prayer group meets in the CHAPEL downstairs. Wives are in the LIBRARY, and the God is Able group meets in the MOTHER'S ROOM.

**PARKING** is free on the Maryland side of the Sanctuary (Carroll Ave. & Laurel Ave. only) until 1pm. Please remember that it is not free to park on Eastern Ave on Sabbath, also remember to observe street parking signs. Parking is available in the lot behind the church center or the lot next to Strayer University on Laurel Ave.

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## FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

As of July 14, 2018

Offerings		Tithe	
Budget	\$9,500	Received	\$22,084
Received	\$9,031	Received to date	\$813,877
Budget to Date	\$279,000	Received 2017	\$834,305
Received to Date	\$248,843	Over/(Under)	\$(20,428)
Over/(Under)	\$(30,157)		

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### OFFICERS ON DUTY

**Deacons:** Jonathan Smith  
**Deaconess:** Merlyn Matthews, Simone Ankle  
**Security:** James Partlow IV

### SUNSET

Friday – 8:24 pm  
Sabbath – 8:23 pm

### WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU

<b>Senior Pastor</b>	John Nixon II	770-262-8826
<b>Executive Pastor</b>	Chris Cheatham	302-480-6940
<b>Associate Pastor</b>	Jeff Taylor	540-333-1601
<b>Associate Pastor</b>	Kosly Joseph	315-706-1473
<b>Worship Pastor</b>	Anwar Ottley	240-731-9845
<b>Lay Youth Pastor</b>	Osei Daniels	301-318-6518
<b>First Elder</b>	Trevor O'Neil	301-595-3391
<b>Church Administrator</b>	John Reed	301-367-9288
<b>Treasurer</b>	Earla Stowe	301-466-2442
<b>Church Office Secretary</b>	Karla Rivera	202-829-4800

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

July 28 – Service Sabbath  
August 18 – 50+ Day



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