

**MCKENDREE-SIMMS-BROOKLAND  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

WASHINGTON, DC

**May 19, 2024**

**Pentecost Sunday**



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*Rev. Alexis F. Brown, Senior Pastor*  
*Rev. Dr. Johnsie Cogman, Greater Washington D.S.*  
*Bishop LaTrelle Miller Easterling, Washington Area Bishop*

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# Order of Worship

May 19, 2024 – 10:00AM

*All members and guests are reminded to check their phones when entering the sanctuary  
to make sure they are turned off or in silent mode.*

**\*Please Stand**

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/ Recognition of Guests

Hope Taylor, Liturgist

Invocation

Praise Team Ensemble

**\*Call to Worship**

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Ignite our hearts with joy and confidence to worship you!

**People: Let us give thanks for this day, for God has done wondrous things for us.**

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Fill us with the power of the rushing wind so that we may faithfully serve you in all that we do.

**People: Holy Spirit rest, rule, and abide in us; for Christ has called each of us and gifted us by grace!**

Leader: Come, Holy Spirit! Be with us today.

**People: Come Holy Spirit, help us to boldly proclaim Christ has Risen. AMEN.**

**\*Opening Hymn**

**“Since Jesus Came Into My Heart”**

**AAHH #499**

**1** What a wonderful change in my life has  
been wrought  
Since Jesus came into my heart!  
I have light in my soul for which long I have  
sought,  
Since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

**2** I have ceased from my wand'ring and  
going astray,  
Since Jesus came into my heart!  
And my sins which were many are all  
washed away,  
Since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

**3** I'm possessed of a hope that is steadfast  
and sure,  
Since Jesus came into my heart!  
And no dark clouds of doubt now my  
pathway obscure,  
Since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

**4** There's a light in the valley of death now  
for me,  
Since Jesus came into my heart!  
And the gates of the City beyond I can  
see,  
Since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

**5** I shall go there to dwell in that city, I  
know,  
Since Jesus came into my heart!  
And I'm happy, so happy, as onward I go,  
Since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

**Refrain:**  
Since Jesus came into my heart,  
Since Jesus came into my heart,  
Floods of joy o'er my soul like the sea  
billows roll,  
Since Jesus came into my heart.

Sign of the Week  
Offertory Prayer  
Worship with Tithes and Offerings  
Doxology

Hands in Christian Service

Praise Team Ensemble

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all  
Creatures here below; Praise Him above, Ye Heavenly Host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. AMEN.

Ministry in Music

"The Holy Ghost"

Voices United Choir

**\*Exclamation of the Holy Word (read in UNISON)**

**Romans 8: 22-27**

**22 We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; 23 and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. 24 For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? 25 But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. 26 Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. 27 And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.**

Ministry in Music

"Holy"

Voices United Choir

The Proclamation of the Holy Word

Pastor Brown

Invitation to Discipleship

"Trust and Obey"

AAHH #380

Altar Call

Closing Hymn

"Just Believe"

Just Believe, just believe, nothing shall be impossible  
I can do anything, you can do anything, we can do anything  
If you just believe

\*Benediction

Postlude

Dr. Howard Hope

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 19, 2024**

### Have an announcement?

Please submit it to: [msbannouncements@gmail.com](mailto:msbannouncements@gmail.com)

- The MSB Family mourns the death of Mr. James Cheek. Husband of Sis. Deidre Cheek and Son-In-Law of Sis. Joyce Johnson. Funeral details are forthcoming. Cards can be sent to Sis. Deidre Cheek at 7516 Bentree Rd. Ft. Washington, MD 20744. Please keep the Cheek Family in prayer and extend love and condolences to them during this time of bereavement.
- The MSB Family mourns the death of Mrs. Elizabeth L. Phillips, on Friday, May 3, 2024. Details regarding Celebration of Life services are forthcoming. Please keep the Phillips family in prayer and extend love and condolences to them during this time of bereavement.
- Bible Study will resume on Wednesday, June 5, 2024! Join us for our Pentecost Bible Bible Study. We will meet at 7 pm on Zoom Meeting ID: 863 7320 9008 | Call Number: 301-715-8592 | Password: 547396
- It is that time of the year again! Let's celebrate our graduates and their achievements! Graduate Recognition Sunday will be held on Sunday, June 9, 2024. If you are the parent/guardian of a graduate and they are graduating from Kindergarten, Elementary, Middle, High School, or College, please fill out and submit the 2024 Graduate Recognition Sunday Form to the Education/Scholarship committee or church office by Sunday, May 26, 2024. Forms are located in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please see Sis. Nikki Dobyns.
- A Season of Celebration! - 40 years in ministry honoring Rev. Dr. Michael Armstrong, Saturday, July 13, 2024, at Colesville United Methodist Church (52 Randolph Road, Silver Spring, MD). A limited number of tickets are available at \$75.00 each. There will also be a Souvenir Journal if you wish to place a congratulatory ad. Souvenir Journal and ticket information can be found in the Narthex. To purchase tickets, contact Sis. Judy Jones by June 24.
- Have a celebration, joy, or concern? Please put it in the announcements. We are family and so much of our lives we want to share! We can spend the entire Worship Service with joys, celebrations, and concerns! But Worship is for Worship! We want to be fair to our time and others who send announcements through the church office. We love you and thank you for your understanding.
- Stay tuned for Summer at MSB! We will host our 2024 Community Day & Bike Blessing on Saturday, June 29, Join us for food, fun, and fellowship!
- Our Summer Movie Sermon Series will take place during the month of July! More details to come!
- Please continue to keep in prayer all other members who are mourning the passing of loved ones and those on the sick and recovering list.



**MISSION STATEMENT:**

Celebrate God, Serve God, and make disciples of Jesus Christ

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*We appreciate your continued gifts of generosity of tithes and offerings given online, in worship, or by regular mail. It allows us to continue to advance the kingdom through ministry and to be good stewards of the House of Worship.*