# THOMAS M. THOMAS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

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Sunday October 12, 2025 Rev. Michael L. Moore, Pastor Elder Roseida Bryant, Clerk Trustee Merle Jones, Treasurer

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## IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

October 12, 2025, ......10:30 am

"The Lord is in His Holy Temple,

Let all the earth keep silent before Him!"

# Worship Service

*Introit	
Worship Leader	. Sister Regina McKinzie
Call to Worship	Worship Leader
Leader: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth!	
People: Sing to the glory of God's name.	
Leader: All of creation worships, singing praise to God.	
People: Sing to the glory of God's name.	
Leader: Let us give glory to God.	
Let us Worship God!	
Invocation	The People of God
Heavenly Father, as we enter this worship service, we pray for spirit courage and resilience to face life's challenges with unwavering faith that we may continue to walk in your light, even in times of adversit from you, O Lord, and we rely on your grace to carry us through the gather in worship, may your strength infuse our hearts and sustain us With hearts fortified in your strength, we say, <b>AMEN</b> .	h. Strengthen our spirits so y. We draw our strength storms of life. As we
Call to Confession  Even when we are faithless, God remains faithful. Assured of God's together:	

# LET US CONFESS OUR SINS TO ALMIGHTY GOD MOMENT OF PRIVATE AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

Holy God, when we are in need, we cry out for your mercy and healing. Yet, we confess that too often, we are confident in our own strength. We take the blessings to which we feel entitled and continue on our way, rather than returning to you in worship and praise. Jesus, have mercy on us! It is easy to take for granted the ease of life we so often experience, while failing to question why others are pushed to the margins and excluded. It is tempting to take pride in our health and strength rather than confronting ableism in all its forms. Jesus, have mercy on us! Help us to grow in compassion for all people. Redirect our paths so that we return to you, offering our praise and gratitude, now and always. **AMEN** 

The saying is sure: If we have died with Christ, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him. We are clothed with the righteousness of Christ. Our sin is forgiven! Thanks be to God. <b>AMEN</b>
People: In Jesus Christ we are FORGIVEN!
Gloria Patripg.579
Affirmation of Faith
Hymn of Praise
Welcome & Announcements Leader
The Peace /Selection

**Minister:** God sent the world His only Son. Since God loves us so much, we too, should love one another.

People: Let us love one another, since love comes from God.

Assurance of Pardon:

(The people may greet one another with a hug /fist bump saying "Peace be with you")

# Offering Our Gifts to God

Offertory Sentence Leader
Every good gift comes from God. We are invited to respond in gratitude, giving freely and
generously, just as we have received.

# **Worship with Tithes and Sacrificial Offerings**

(Please utilize Vanco or mail your offering)

Please scan the QR code below or mail to the church.



https://secure.myvanco.com/L-YS67/home
Doxology
Offertory Dedication Leader
Holy and generous God, use the gifts we bring for healing and reconciliation in the world, to the glory of your name. <b>AMEN</b>
Prayer of Illumination Leader
God of Wisdom, By the power of your Holy Spirit, open us to receive your Word today. Lead us in wisdom and courage as we seek to follow Jesus, in whose name we pray. <b>AMEN</b>
Scripture:
Old Testament Jeremiah 20:1-9
New Testament Acts 4:1-24
"THE WORD OF THE LORD"
"THANKS BE TO GOD" The People of God
Selection
Sermon

# "I CAN'T SHUT UP!"

# The Sassy Side of Faith

Call for Discipleship ...... Rev. Michael L. Moore

If you feel a call from God today, a need for deeper commitment, or a desire to receive prayer and encouragement, we invite you to come forward to the altar now. This is a moment to open your heart to the Lord and experience His presence in a personal way. Please don't hesitate to step forward, our loving community is here to support you.

Let us go from this place trusting that God is with us and for us in every place. May the grace of our Lord Jesus, the love of God, and the companionship of the Holy Spirit be with you and abide with you this day and forever more. AMEN.

Let the Church Say AMEN,

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God has spoken, Let the church say AMEN

AMEN, AMEN, AMEN



The doors of Thomas M. Thomas Memorial Presbyterian Church swing on warm and welcoming hinges. We are pleased to have you worshipping with us today. We trust that you will be blessed by our FELLOWSHIP. Again, thanks for worshipping with us today and come back again soon and often.

**2 Timothy 2:15** (KJV) 15 Study to show thyself approved into God, a workman that need not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

Please join us **Sunday Mornings** at 9:00 am with the Adult Sunday School.

Wednesday Afternoon with the Mid week Bible Study at 1:00pm with Sister Janet Jones

Wednesday evening: 6:00 pm in the center with Elder Louis Morse. All are welcome.

## **Session Meetings**

Session meetings are scheduled for the second Thursday of the month. All are welcome to attend but if you have any concerns or ideas please contact the Clerk of Session - Roseida Bryant.

#### **TMT Women**

Next Sunday Ladies is our Day! Get all excited, go tell everybody! Our spiritual goal is to come together as women of TMT to Worship God. Our financial goal is \$5000.00. Ladies, our financial responsibility is \$125.00. If you don't have it, show up anyway. We want to see your face in this place.

Women's Day - October 19, 2025

Color for the day is Purple

Preacher is Pastor Rasheedah Lee

Music Provided by Pastor Lee's Band and Choir

TMT Men are asked to report \$25.00

Light refreshments will be served between the morning and afternoon service for those who do not want to go home between services and for the visiting guests. Please see D.C. to see how you can help. There will be no food served after the afternoon service.

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# **Pastor Appreciation Sunday**

Every year, the second Sunday of October is celebrated as Pastor Appreciation Day. So let us take a few moments to recognize our Pastor, The Rev. Michael Lynn Moore.

The members of Thomas M. Thomas Presbyterian Church would like to thank you for answering the call, your faithful leadership, and your dedication to the spiritual growth of our congregation. We look forward to your weekly inspiring sermons that always point us to Christ and strengthens our faith. Thank you for being a faithful servant, a compassionate leader and a reflection of God's love. We pray that you will continue to be Blessed and used to uplift His Kingdom. Amen

Please join us after church for light refreshments in honor of our Pastor!

Thank You and Praise God!



10/13 Naomi Bilal-Jones

# **Pray for our Sick and Shut-in**

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Sunday Morning Zoom Church: ID # - 6577941155

If you are using your phone – 1-312-626-6799 or 1-646-558-8656 Wed. Afternoon Bible Study: Free Conference 425-436-6361 code- 496234# The QR code for the church's YouTube Channel

