SERMON NOTES:
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# **Church Covenant**

**Minister:** By what common and gracious experiences do we enter into spiritual fellowship and covenant relations with God and with one another?

**Congregation:** Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

**Minister:** What is the great bond of our union with God and each other?

**Congregation:** 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, holiness, and comfort.

**Minister:** What are our great privileges and duties in this, our own church?

**Congregation:** To promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrines.

**Minister:** What vows do we gladly make as stewards of that which God has entrusted to us?

**Congregation:** To contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the gospel through all nations.

**Minister:** For the sake of our homes and our loved ones, what gracious tasks do we humbly assume?

**Congregation:** To also engage and maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances.

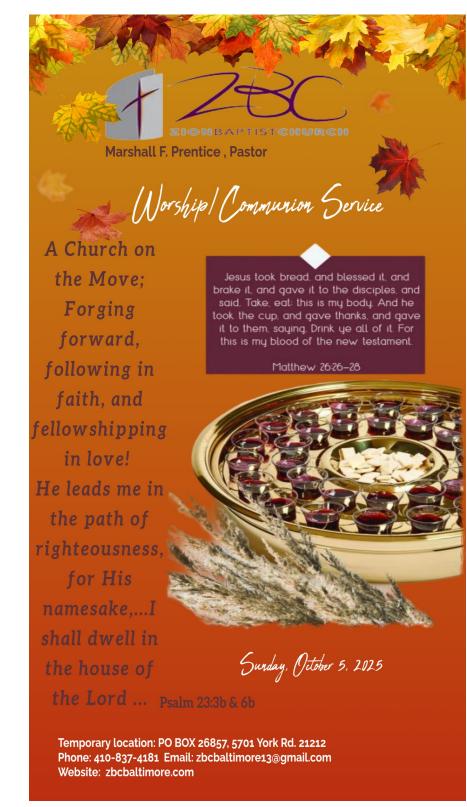
**Minister:** For the sake of the unsaved for whom our Saviour died, to what manner of life and conversation are we solemnly and sincerely pledge.

**Congregation:** To walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment; to avoid all tattling, backbiting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage, and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

**Minister:** Since one is our Master, even Christ, and all we are brethren, by what fraternal ministries are we to strengthen each other and adorn the teachings of our Lord and Saviour?

**Congregation:** We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

**Together:** We moreover engage, that when we remove from this place, we will as soon as possible. unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word.



# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# Tuesday, October 7, 2025

Sign Language classes @ 5:30pm Beginners & Intermediate

Prayer Meeting @ 6pm

# ZBC Bible Study

Wednesday mornings, @ 10:30am Thursday evenings @ 5:45pm All are welcome \*\*\*\*

# Early Morning Prayer

Fridays @, 6am 1-605-468-8003 Access code 426772 \*\*\*\*\*

# Saturday, October 11, 2025 @ 10am

Lucille Harris Singles & Singles Again Meeting \*\*\*\*\*

# Saturday, October 18, @ 10am

Men of Unity Meeting Woman of Faith Meeting \*\*\*\*

Sunday, November 9, 2025 @ 10am ZBC 35th Annual Men & Women's Day

Inspirational Message Believing Christ died that's history, believing Christ died for me that's salvation Mark 19:1-20

## **ENTER TO WORSHIP**

# Worship Leader - Minister John Mobley, Jr.

# Praise & Worship

"God, we seek you in the precious name of Jesus according to your loving kindness and tender mercies. We ask that you bless all families, heal our land of violence, forgive us of all our sins, create in us a clean heart and renew within us a right spirit in the matchless name of Jesus." Amen. Morning Hymn.....(insert)....."Oh the Blood of Jesus"

# **Pastor's Comments**

## Church Covenant

Prayer/Response.....(seated)..........Deacon Marlin Lambirth

*Tithes, Offering, & 365:* Malachi 3:8,10 "Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings. Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it". Amen.

# Children/Youth Altar Call

Musical Offering ......ZBC Music Ministry 

> Invitation to Discipleship Right Hand of Fellowship Holy Communion Depart to Serve

## HOME SICK\SHUT-IN

Sis. Erica Barham - 21218 Sis. Lavern Blackwell - 20708 Sis. Sharon Campbell - 21009 Sis. Alice Dooley - 21239 Sis. Marlene Garner - 21215 Sis. Sarah Harlee - 21237 Sis. Myra Henry—21218

Sis. Charlene Jennings - 21042 Sis. Myrna Lane - 21206

Sis. Veronica Lane - 21234 Sis. Gerri Myles - 21213

Sis. Edna Neal - 21244

Sis. Joan Nelson - 21206

Sis. Hilda Phillips - 21215 Sis. Earnestine Powell - 21212

Sis. Charmayne Ray - 21239

Sis. Daisy Scott -21206

Sis. Ruth Smith - 21212

Sis. Dee Sparks - 21214

Sis. Jean Stokes-21215

Sis. Anna Taylor - 21202

Sis. Towanda Taylor - 21230

Sis. Ondra Walker - 21218

Sis. Shirley Scott-Walker - 21206

Sis. Antoinette Washington - 21201

Sis. Alice Watkins - 21239 NV

Sis. Mae West - 21401

Sis. Clarissa White - 21239

Bro. Arthur Chambers - 21231

Bro. Louis Edmonds - 21239

Bro. Garfield Griffin -21220

Bro. Michael Savage - 21136

Bro. Nicholas Toatley-Scott -21136

Bro. Jerry Tomlin & Sis. Natalie

Page-Tomlin - 21218

Bro. Worthington Winkler - 21117

Bro. Ted Kay (TK)

## **ASSISTED LIVING**

Sis. Priscilla Marshall - 21208 Deacon Ellis Spruill - 21133

## **NURSING HOME**

Sis. Diane Adams -21060 Sis. Janice Clark - 21239 Sis. Elaine Richardson Sis. Joan Blake-Scott—21218 Deacon Thomas Phillips - 21215

# **REHABILITATION** (cont.)

Sis. Cynthia Thomas - 21286 Sis. Jean Thompson

## **BEREAVEMENT**

Minister Charles Frisby & Family Bro. Kelphon Whitfield & Family Pastor Lamont Brown & Family

Deacon Cleveland Powell - 21239

# **HOSPITAL**

Sis. Leslie Weems-

**H** - Hospice **NV** - No Visitors