

**Order of Service
Beginning January 1, 2023**

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- Praise & Worship Praise Team
- Call to Worship
- Invocation
- Recognition of Visitors/Passing of Peace
- Congregational Hymn
- Acknowledgements/Pastoral Period
- 1st Holy Communion**
- 2nd Faith-Raising Testimonies**
- 3rd Membership: Baby Dedication & New Members**
- Tithes and Offerings**
- Prayers for the People
- Ministry of Music
- Scripture
- Sermon Title
- Invitation
- Benediction*
- *When the Invitation to Follow Christ is given this is not the time to leave the sanctuary, but a time to pray and witness. A soul is about to be reborn. Do not disrespect the work of the Holy Spirit.*

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK!

- Mondays** - Choir Rehearsal @ 7:00 PM.
- Wednesday- GEMS Girls Mentoring 2:45pm – 4:00pm (resumes 1/11/23)
- Thursdays** – Bible Study Will resume Thursday, February 2, 2023.

“TOTALLY FREE IN 2023!”

Confession of Sins

Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, so that we may delight in your will and follow in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen

Prayer Request

Nikesha Sampson, David Cunningham, Amber Jade Armstrong, Larry Charles, Shirley Walker & Family, Essie Holtzclaw Family, Ruby Moman, Hollins Family, Evelyn Perkins, Vanity Arrington, Cortez Rhodes, Elizabeth Murphy-William, Charles & Bessie Brown Family, Melinda Moore, Montgomery Family, Cynthia Bramleit and Family, Charlie Bell Stamps and Ramona Stamps, Sheryl Thomas, Dorothy Tate, Edmund Smith, Carla Long, Deacon Jim Reed, Letisha Lewis, Minette Redmon & community concerns.

Notes/Points to Remember

“Committed to empowering God’s people for action in their lives, community and the world”

SAVE THE DATE!

Church Annual Meeting: Sunday, 2/19/23 after service

Please keep In mind Our Key Points:

✓ For Membership: Go to www.grucc.org/membership

✓ For paypal: goto: www.grucc.org/giving

✓ For Billpay: contact your bank

✓ For CashApp: \$GUCC2500

✓ For Check: Mail directly to the church

✓ For Amazon shoppers you can select Grace UCC for charitable organization to receive donations from your purchase, visit smile.amazon.com select charity and start shopping.

✓ Prayer Line 4TH & 5TH Sunday **9:30am** 1(425)436.6347 Code 173560

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“Have you remembered Grace UCC in your Will”

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