

Praise and Worship

The Morning Prayer

Hymn There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood #255

1. There is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Emmanuel's veins; And sinners, plunged beneath that flood, Lose all their guilty stains, Lose all their guilty stains, Lose all their guilty stains; And sinners, plunged beneath that flood, Lose all their guilty stains.	2. The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day; And there may I, though vile as he, Wash all my sins away, Wash all my sins away, Wash all my sins away, And there may I, though vile as he, Wash all my sins away.	3. Then in a nobler, sweeter song, I'll sing Thy power to save, When this poor lisping, stammering tongue Lies silent in the grave, Lies silent in the grave, Lies silent in the grave, When this poor lisping, stammering tongue, Lies silent in the grave.
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The Word Read

Luke 10:1-7 (NRSV)

10 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ²He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. ³Go on your way; I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. ⁴Carry no purse, no bag, no

sandals, and greet no one on the road. ⁵Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' ⁶And if a person of peace is there, your peace will rest on that person, but if not, it will return to you. ⁷Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house.

Leader: The Word of God for The People of God.

Congregation: Thanks Be to God!

The Decalogue

"From All That Dwell Below The Skies"

From all that dwell below the skies. Let the Creator's praise arise; Let the Redeemer's name be sung, Through every land by every tongue.

Minister: Let us express our commitment to keep God's law.

Congregation: God our salvation, only You are God. We will make no idols. We will not invoke with malice your name, O God. We will remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

*My Soul be on thy guard. Ten thousand foes arise
And hosts of sin are pressing hard to draw thee from the skies.*

Congregation: We will honor our father and our mother. We will not commit murder. We will not commit adultery.

We will not steal. We will not be a false witness. We will not covet anything that belongs to our neighbor.

Lord have mercy upon us, and write these laws upon our hearts.

Nearer my God to Thee! Nearer to Thee.

Even though it be a cross that raiseth me.

Still all my song shall be nearer my God to Thee.

Nearer my God to Thee! Nearer to Thee.

Minister: Jesus said: “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment.”

Congregation: Jesus also challenged us to live justly with a second commandment which is like the first: We shall love our neighbor as ourselves! On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.

Gloria Patri: “Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.” Amen, Amen

Ministry in Music

The Preached Word **Pastor Charles Norris**
“Where They At?”

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship

The Bringing of Tithes & Offerings

The Offertory Prayer

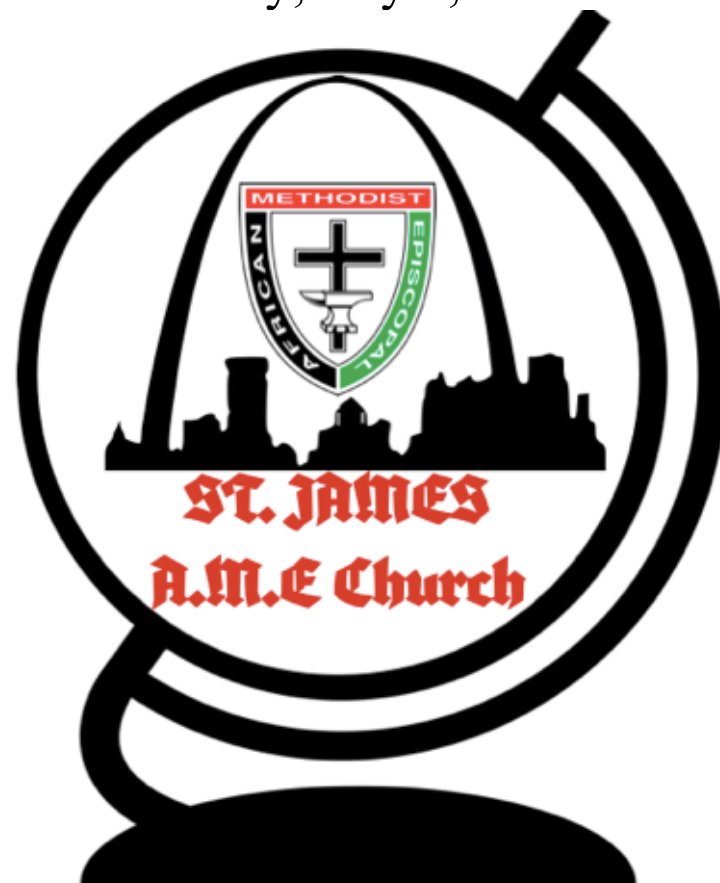
All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee. Amen

The Holy Communion

The General Confession

Benediction

St. James AME Church
Worship Experience
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