



Welcome!

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH OF SWISSVALE

“Glorifying God, Healing Lives, and Inspiring Hope”



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Reverend Les A. Scales, Senior Pastor
Sunday, May 3, 2026



Communion Sunday

Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and said, “Take this and divide it among yourselves; for I say to you, I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.” And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, “This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me.” - Luke 22:17-19, NKJV

"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord."

Psalm 122:1

Order of Worship

10:00 A.M.

May 3, 2026

Celebrating 106 Years of Ministry

Call to Worship *Dea. Robert Russell*

Song* *"At The Cross" (Page 79)*

Prayer of Invocation

Praise and Worship *UBC Voices of Praise*
"He's Able"
"The Anthem"

Welcome *Min. Ella C. Scales*

Announcements

Offering Appeal

Scripture Reading* (*Matthew 26:26-30, ESV*) *Bro. Derek Martin*

Congregational Prayer *Min. Ella C. Scales*

Sermonic Selection *UBC Voices of Praise*
"You Are The Living Word (Bread Of Life)"

Sermon *Pastor Les A. Scales*

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Song of Invitation *"O Come To The Altar"*

Communion Service

Benediction

***Please Stand**

Remember to whisper a prayer for those who are sick; those who are shut in; those who are bound, brokenhearted, or in prison; those who are bereaved; and those who are lost . . . “The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.” (James 5:16)

- Reverend Ruth Jeffries
- Deacon Rubell Thompson
- Elizabeth “Betty” Shaw Davis
- Yardley Bentley-King
- Belinda Blue
- Kathleen Cannady-Schley
- Juanita Connor
- Joel Fletcher
- Lillian Fletcher
- Krystal Fowler
- Rosalie Green
- Patricia Kelly
- Samuel Lawrence
- Todd Nelson
- Audrey Nesby
- Deborah Oliver
- Arthur Richardson
- Dolly Richardson
- Trustee Emeritus Eugene Turner
- Darren West

MAY/JUNE BIRTHDAYS

May 3

Jeremy Ross

May 7

Taunya Jeffries

Clarence Payne

May 10

Dain Cannady

Ari Wilkerson

May 12

Tiffanee Hardaway

Timothy H. Hardy, Jr

May 14

Dara Wilkerson

May 15

Dea. Eric Williams

May 16

Leland Scales

May 17

Sherrse Gaines

Sara Williams

May 18

Deontay Bush

May 21

Zion Wilkerson

May 24

Judith Brown

Lois Mufuka Martin

Shatara Murphy

May 26

Bertha “Dolly” Richardson

May 28

Contrina Perkins

May 30

Nicole Franklin

May 31

Warren Wright

June 1

Kimberly Hairston

Chelsea Richardson

Min. Rodney H. Smith, Sr.

June 2

Jeffrey Griffith

June 3

Kyhnroe Sanders

June 4

Kevin Stewart

June 8

Amber Oliver

June 10

Gwendolyn Armbruster

Pastor Les A. Scales

June 11

Hannah Johnson

Jameria Moore

Jacen Wilkerson

June 14

Tamara Bey

Charlene Grant

June 16

Chantell McKnight

Tonya Warren

June 17

Derek Thomas

June 19

Amirah Sanders

First Lady Tiffany Scales

June 22

Layla Mason

June 24

Marissa Bailey-Eboh

Taliah Jones

June 25

Che’Von Goodlow

Lillian Fletcher

June 26

Tammy Richardson

June 27

James “Jimmy” Williams



If you need a ride to church on Sunday, call the Transportation Ministry Voicemail at 412-440-6908 no later than 6:00 P.M. on Saturday evening. Leave your pickup information and telephone number and a driver will call you to arrange pick up. Please note that the driver is only authorized to drop you off at the same location where you were picked up. No exceptions, please.

The UBC Children's Church is open in the UBC Annex and accepts children ages 2 through 10. Children should be walking and fully potty trained or engaged in potty training. Volunteers are always welcome. If you want to make a difference in the lives of our children, please sign up to "Volunteer Once A Year." For more details about our children's ministries, please contact Sis. Amber Oliver at 412-600-7687.



The UBC Women's Ministry Bible Study, "Renewing the Heart for Women: Life Principles from the Beatitudes" has moved to every second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 7:00 P.M. via Zoom. The ID is 870 7072 2801. Please contact Min. Danel Payne for more information.

MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY– Rev. Andrews Amoh is leading a study of Isaiah at 7:00 P.M. via Zoom. **The Zoom ID is 816-0723-7506 and the passcode is 950787.** Use your computer, your tablet, or your smartphone to connect. No book purchase is required. It's not too late to join us!



Get paid to do ministry! If you have a good driving record and you are interested in becoming a UBC Transportation Ministry driver, please contact a Trustee or call the Church Office (412-271-3900) for more information. You don't have to drive every week and no Commercial Driver License (CDL) is required.

Senior Citizen Ministry - The UBC Seniors Ministry will meet next month on **Thursday, May 14, 2026, from 7:00 - 9:00 P.M.** at the church. Please sign up in the vestibule if you plan to attend. If you are at least 50 years old, we invite you to join us. Can't make it in person? Join us using Zoom. The ID is 871 3860 4738.





The Prison Ministry is looking for new members who have a desire to minister to those who are incarcerated and their families. We are looking for those who want to go into the jail and those who do not want to go into the jail. Meetings are held every fourth Saturday of the month. If you are interested in joining or would like more information about what we do, please contact Sis. Lacy Scales Bland (412-498-9286).

Join The Choir! - If you love to sing and would like to share your gift, the Worship and Celebration Ministry invites you to join the UBC Mass Choir. If you are interested, rehearsals are at 11:00 A.M. every Saturday. For additional information, you may contact any member of the Worship and Celebration Ministry Team or contact the Church Office (412-271-3900).



The Union Baptist Church of Swissvale celebrated our 106th anniversary on Sunday, April 26, 2026. The suggested anniversary donation was \$106 per family and \$53 per single person, but all donations of any amount are still welcomed as your finances allow.

ManUp is a one-day experience on June 6, 2026 at the Victory Family Church in Cranberry that helps maximize your impact in your home, neighborhood, and city. Keynote speakers, local pastors, and sports personalities will challenge you to be the best godly leader you can be and raise awareness of the devastating impact of fatherlessness among youth today. Breakouts, breakfast, and lunch are included. Recommended for ages 15+. Scholarships are available. Contact Min. Rodney H. Smith, Sr. for more information. (www.manuppittsburgh.org)



Please join us on Saturday, May 23, 2026, at 4:00 P.M. for a special music and poetry event. Come enjoy an afternoon of worship through the arts. There will be a light repast following the program.

careforyou Tuesdays! Join us for fun, fitness, and fellowship each Tuesday at 7:00 P.M. Grab a friend and let's work out together - all fitness levels are welcome! www.c4ufitness.com.



Sermon Notes

“When The Music Stops”

Matthew 26:30, ESV

SPECIAL MEN’S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST - In honor of Mother’s Day, women are invited to join us this Saturday, May 9, 2026, at 9:00 A.M. Come enjoy a hearty breakfast, fellowship, and conversation. Free will offering.



Four Church Fellowship - The next Four Church Fellowship service will be held on Sunday, May 31, 2026, at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 330 4th Avenue in Rankin at 11:00 A.M. UBC is the host church and Pastor Les will bring the preached word. Remember, there will be no service at Union on that Sunday.



**USE THIS QR CODE TO DOWNLOAD THE UNION BAPTIST
CHURCH OF SWISSVALE HISTORY**



**Join us on May 23, 2026 at 10 A.M. as
we pray for City, State, and Nation.**



**We will walk in procession praising,
🎵 singing, praying and exulting 🎵
the name of Jesus**



MARCH FOR JESUS

**We will meet at:
Restoration Community Church
7327 McClure Avenue
Pittsburgh PA 15218 at 9:45 am.**

PSALM 20:7

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YOUTH SUNDAY

&
YOUNG ADULT

MAY 17, 2026 @10:00AM

*Food and Refreshments will be served following service.

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CPR/AED TRAINING

Saturday, June 13, 2026

9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

**Swissvale Volunteer Fire Department
7400 Irvine Street • Swissvale, PA 15218**



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Sign Up Online**



NOW HIRING

DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Develop and lead consistent discipleship gatherings for middle and high school students
- Recruit, train, and shepherd youth volunteers
- Create and execute an annual ministry vision and calendar
- Foster relationships with students and their families
- Integrate youth into the broader life and worship of the church

BENEFITS

- Part-time (20 hours per week)
- Schedule: flexible includes evenings, weekends, and special events.
- Mentorship and collaboration with the Senior Pastor
- Paid Time Off
- Salary Negotiable

EMAIL YOUR RESUME: info@unionbaptistpgh.org



YOUTH & PARENT

LISTENING
QUESTIONNAIRE



YOUR **VOICE MATTERS.**

HELP US GROW, IMPROVE, AND BUILD
A STRONGER MINISTRY TOGETHER.

