

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH OF SWISSVALE

"Glorifying God, Healing Lives, and Inspiring Hope"

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Reverend Les A. Scales, Senior Pastor Sunday, September 21, 2025



"I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture." - John 10:9 KJV "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.

September 21, 2025

Celebrating 105 Years of Ministry

Call to Worship
Congregational Hymn "We'll Understand It Better By and By" (Page 325)
Scripture Reading
Prayer of Invocation
Praise and Worship
Welcome
Announcements
Offering Appeal
Congregational Prayer
Sermonic Selection
Sermon Pastor Les A. Scales
Invitation to Christian Discipleship
Song of Invitation"The Invitation"
Benediction

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
- Kathleen Cannady-Schley
- Juanita Connor
- Lillian Fletcher
- Krystal Fowler

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- Rosalie Green
- Pat Kelly
- Samuel Lawrence
- Audrey Nesby
- Deborah Oliver
- Dolly Richardson
- Trustee Emeritus Eugene Turner
- Darren West

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER/NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

September 1 October 12 Nicole Chamberlain September 13 October 16 Benjamin Williams Tia Carrington September 14 October 18 Leila Smith Diana Summer October 19 September 16 Rev. Andrews Amoh Nolan Toran October 20 September 21 Drew Bey Lawanda Pryor September 26 October 22 Tesarus Kenney Wayne Graves Denise Wallar October 23 October 3 Robert Hester Arthur Richardson October 31 October 4 Veryl Lawson Penny Graves Kaelyn Toran November 9 October 5

Mvkel Parks

Dea. Agatha Balgrove
October 16
Tia Carrington
October 18
Leila Smith
October 19
Rev. Andrews Amoh
October 20
Lawanda Pryor
October 22

Marion Payne
November 26
Karen Oliver
November 28
Alexis Spencer

November 12

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f you need a ride to church on Sunday, call the Transportation Ministry Voicemail no later than 6:00 P.M. on Saturday evening at 412-440-6908 and leave your pickup

information and telephone number. 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 in the UBC Annex is open and accepts children from age 2 through age 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.





he UBC Women's Ministry Bible Study, "Renewing the Heart for Women: Life Principles from the Beatitudes" meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month at 7:00 P.M. in the Walter L. Shaw Fellowship Hall. Please contact Min. Danel Payne for more information.

ONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY CLASSES HAVE RESUMED- Rev. Andrews Amoh is leading a free online study of II Corinthians via Zoom at 7:00 P.M. Use your computer, your tablet, or your smartphone. The Zoom ID is 816-0723-7506 and the passcode is 950787. It's not too late to join us!





Pastoral Anniversary - We will celebrate the First Pastoral Anniversary of Pastor Les Scales and First Lady Tiffany Scales on Sunday, October 19, 2025. The Anniversary Theme is "Pressing Towards The Mark" based on Philippians 3:13-14. A sign up sheet is in the Vestibule for anyone planning to attend the repast following the Anniversary Service. **One name per line, please.**

participating in the Woodland Hills Trunk or Treat event, and they are asking for candy donations. Donations will be accepted through the end of September.





he 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).

oin The Choir! - If you love to sing and would like to share your gift, the Worship and Celebration Ministry invites you to become a member of 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).



MINISTRY

BC's Transportation Ministry is seeking to expand its pool of drivers. If you have a good driving TRANSPORTATION record and you are interested in becoming a Ministry driver, please contact a Trustee or call the Church

Office (412-271-3900) for more information. This is a paid position.

aves of Glory - The Creative Arts Ministry is looking for children and youth who are interested in learning how to worship the Lord through flagging and dancing. Romans 12:1 asks us to "... offer our bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God - this is our true and proper worship." Contact Sis. May Pinnick (412-969-1278) or Min. Danel Payne (412-657-5680).





TH ANNUAL HAYRIDE AND HARVEST FESTIVAL - Come ioin us for Fun and Fellowship at Simmons Farm, located at 170 Simmons Road, McMurray, PA. Enjoy a day filled with hayrides, bonfires, and festive fun for all ages. Saturday, October 25, 2025. The bus departs the church at 4:30 P.M. and returns at 9:00 P.M. Five dollars per person.

Sign up in the Vestibule. Contact Sis. Amber Oliver (412-600-7687) for more information.

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

"Built Different"
II Timothy 4:1-8



Prayer Walk - The last Swissvale Ministerium Prayer Walk of the season will take place this Thursday, September 25, 2025, beginning at 6:30 P.M. The Walk will start at the St. Anselm Church and will end at the Dari Delite.