

### **UNION BAPTIST CHURCH OF SWISSVALE**

"Glorifying God, Healing Lives, and Inspiring Hope"

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Reverend Les A. Scales, Senior Pastor
Sunday, August 24, 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.

### August 24, 2025

### **Celebrating 105 Years of Ministry**

Call to Worship	Dea. Donna McClendon
Congregational Hymn	'Oh, How I Love Jesus" (Page 10)
Scripture Reading	
Prayer of Invocation	
Praise and Worship	UBC Voices of Praise "I Just Want To Praise You" "Way Maker"
Welcome	Min. Rodney H. Smith, Sr.
Announcements	
Offering Appeal	
Congregational Prayer	
Sermonic Selection	UBC Voices of Praise "Rumors"
Sermon	Rev. Andrews Amoh
Invitation to Christian Discipleship	
Song of Invitation"We Offer Christ To You"	
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

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

### **AUGUST/SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

August 4

Joyce Turner

Marietta Pinnick

August 5

Janice Jackson

Clement Payne

Eugene Turner

August 10

Kathy Chamberlain

Tiana Monk

Nicole McGee Scurry

August 11

James G. Williams

August 18

Aaliyah Brown

August 27

Amirah Gibbons

September 1

Nicole Chamberlain

September 13

Benjamin Williams

September 14

Diana Moore

September 16

Nolan Toran

September 21

Drew Bey

September 26

Tesarus Kenney

Denise Wallar

October 3

Arthur Richardson

October 4

Penny Graves

October 5

Krvstal Fowler

October 12

Dea. Agatha Balgrove

October 16

Tia Carrington

October 18
Leila Smith

October 19

Rev. Andrews Amoh

October 20

Lawanda Prvor

October 22

Wayne Graves

October 23

Robert Hester

October 31

Veryl Lawson

Kaelyn Toran



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 IS ON BREAK. Class resumes on September 8, 2025 as Rev. Andrews Amoh will begin 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.





**Pour Church Fellowship** - The next Four Church Fellowship service is next Sunday, August 31, 2025, at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 330 4th Avenue in Rankin at 11:00 A.M. The Fellowship Choir will rehearse this Thursday, August 28, 2025, from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church. Anyone willing to sing is encouraged to attend the rehearsal. Remember, there will be no service at Union next Sunday.

**B** ack To Church Sunday - Back to Church Sunday is September 21, 2025. T-Shirts in extended sizes from Babies to Adults are on sale for \$10 regardless of size. Use an envelope from the Vestibule, the QR code from the bulletin insert, or visit the Union app. **T-Shirt sales end on September 1, 2025**.





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 J 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).



TRANSPORTATION **MINISTRY** 

BC's Transportation Ministry is seeking to expand its pool of drivers. If you have a good driving 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).





**TOAH TRIP - ONLY A FEW SEATS LEFT!** Tickets to this spectacular performance includes shopping, an all you can eat buffet, as well as transportation. Online registration only. Use the QR code from the bulletin insert to register and arrange payment. Contact Min. Synthia Swepston Brown ASAP for more details.

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**

"The Unashamed Pursuit"
II Timothy 2:16-26

BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY T-SHIRTS are now on sale in sizes including Baby Onesies, Toddler, and Youth X-Small through Adult 5X. All T-Shirts are \$10.00 each regardless of size. Place your order using one of the envelopes located in the Vestibule or online via this QR code. Back to Church Sunday will be celebrated on September 15, 2025. All payments are due by September 1, 2025.



Swissvale Ministerium

# Prayer Walk



June 26

July 24

August 28

September 25

start: 6:30 PM @ St. Anselm Church

End: Dari Delite



JOIN THE

**SENIORS MINISTRY** 

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2025

SIGHT & SOUND THEATER

BUS TRIP LANCASTER, PA





## BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY T-SHIRT

ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN STARTING SUNDAY, AUG 10 THROUGH SEPT 1



## SHOUT MINISTRY

### SUGGESTED DONATION: \$35

Ticket includes: Fashion show admission and dinner.



Text or call Min. Synthia Brown Sweptson at 412-862-6750

### SHOW SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 2025 3:00PM

\*Doors open at 2:30pm

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