

# Impacting the World with the Word!

Date: October 20, 2024

Listen and hear the message from God's Word. Use the following information to make some notes. Go over them through the week. Let God's Truth crystallize in your life.

Scripture/Text: *Hebrews 4:14-16 (NLT)* Sermon Title: "Grace, When We Need It The Most"

Main points of the Sermon:

What shall I do as a result of this sermon:

# Prayer Concerns

We continue to lift our church family in prayer. We pray for the healing & restoration of these names listed below.

Ricardo Adkins Walter Ash Elnora Burton Johnie Darnell Rev. Robbin Davis Patricia, Dana & Wesley Evans Eddie Flowers Maurice Franklin Essie Glenn Carl Good Jim Harrison



Tyler Seaberry Smart Family Joann Stokes James Storey Deanna Valle Frances Wimbley Bill Winston The Bereaved, The Infirmed & The Entire Grant Chapel Family

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*Impacting the World With the Word!* "MENTAL HEALTH, MUSIC, & MISSIONS"



## October 20, 2024 - 22nd Sunday after Pentecost AME CHURCH SCHOOL DAY

Bishop Francine A. Brookins, Presiding Prelate, 5th Episcopal District Rev. Miriam Burnett, M.D., Episcopal Supervisor, 5th Episcopal District Rev. Karla J. Cooper, EdD Presiding Elder, Midwest South District REV. DR. V. GORDON GLENN III, Pastor

Rev. Robbin Davis, Itinerate Deacon (Pastor at Halls Chapel—Newton) Rev. Akiki "Daisy" Kabagarama, Local Elder (Supply Pastor at Bethel-Winfield) Bro. Harry O. Willis, Licensed Exhorter Bro. James Douglas, Licensed Exhorter Sis. Albertine Jennings, Music Ministry

> "God Our Father, Christ Our Redeemer Holy Spirit Our Comforter Humankind Our Family"

Enter to Worship/Depart to Serve

Our prayers are with you always.

### ORDER OF SERVICE October 20, 2024 21st Sunday after Pentecost/AME Church School Sunday 10:30 A.M.

#### DOXOLOGY: #647

"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost"

#### Call to Worship—A Litany of Covenantal Learning

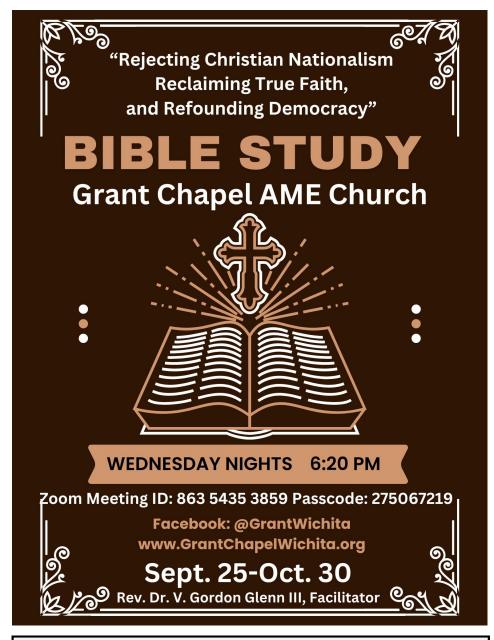
**Leader:** Loving God, we thank you for the people who have lovingly presented themselves for the work of Christian education and formation.

Educators: Gracious God, thank you for this opportunity for growth and service. We come first as disciples, seeking wisdom and knowledge from you. Teach us, so that we can teach others.

**Leaders:** We covenant to pray for our leaders and for all the children, youth, and adults who will attend classes and other learning activities and gatherings this year. Lord, enable all of us to grow spiritually and study diligently. May this year of learning enlighten and transform us.

# Educators: Amazing God, grant each of us a fresh vision of faith and a new understanding of your grace.

Leader: We pray for those, dear God, being drawn by your love, who will venture into your classrooms and learning settings for the first time. We pray especially for those who will come searching for God and for a Christian family. Educators: Accepting God, show us how to welcome the stranger. Use our classrooms, small groups, activities, and gatherings as loving examples of Christian community for persons of all ages.



You had a choice of where you would worship today. We are so glad that you chose to worship with us. We pray that God blesses you richly until we see you again. If you are traveling outside the city, we pray your safe travels home, if within the city, we hope to see you again real soon.

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# Announcements

The **Wednesday 12 Noon in-person Bible Study** is exploring "Women in the Bible." The lead facilitator is Pastor Robbin Davis.

The **Wednesday Evening Bible Study** continues our new study this Wednesday **at 6:20 p.m.** Lesson 5, "Peacemakers, Not Conflict Makers" looks at Matthew 5:9.

We meet via Facebook Live and Zoom. Join us! Zoom Meeting ID: 863 5435 3859 Passcode: 275067219

Youth Choir rehearsals are **Thursdays** at 5:30 p.m., and the Adult Choir rehearses **Fridays at 5:30 p.m.** *Join us!* 

We are looking to expand our music ministry to include a "praise team." If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please see Pastor Glenn.

SAVE THE DATE: The Fall Church Bazaar will be Saturday, November 2nd, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. *It's not too early to get your \$25 table!* 

Pastor Glenn sends out messages of inspiration and information on a regular basis via e-mail. If you are not receiving these e-mails, please let Pastor Glenn know by emailing him at:



**Leader:** Help us, loving God, to encourage all in our care to love you with all our hearts, our minds, our souls, and our strength, and to love our neighbors as we love ourselves.

ALL: EMPOWERING GOD, HELP US ALL TO PRACTICE WHAT WE TEACH! AMEN

## Opening Hymn: #347 "Higher Ground"

# Morning Prayer/Scripture.....Psalm 119:9-16

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

People: (singing) From all that dwell below the skies, let thy Creator's praise arise. Let thy Redeemer's name be sung, Through every land by every tongue.

# ~ THE SUMMARY OF THE DECALOGUE ~

Hear what Christ our Savior saith, "thou shall love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang 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.

Morning Announcements/Welcoming of Our Guests

## **Musical Selection**

# Missionary/Benevolent Offering

**Response**: "In the name of the Triune God, May the Spirit of Christian Missions, enter every heart. This we ask in Jesus' Name. Amen."

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#### **Musical Selection**

Children are invited to join us in the nursery for a special lesson just for you.

### Morning Message: Pastor Gordon Glenn "Grace, When We Need It The Most" *Hebrews 4:14-16 (NLT)*

#### Invitation & Altar Call If you'd like to begin a personal relationship with Jesus today, please pray this prayer:

"Lord Jesus, I invite You into my life. I believe You died for me and that Your blood pays for my sins and provides me with the gift of eternal life. By faith I receive that gift, and I acknowledge You as my Lord and Savior. Amen."

#### **Tithes & Offering**

Safe, On-line Giving is available through Givelify and CashApp (\$GrantWichita) Response: "All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee. Amen"

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#### Three Reasons Why You Need Jesus:

Jesus loves you! He desires to have a relationship with you and give you a life full of joy and purpose. Why do you need Him in your life?

**1. Because you have a past.** You can't go back, but He can. The Bible says, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday and today and forever" (Hebrews 13:8). He can walk into those places of sin and failure wipe the slate clean, and give you a new beginning.

**2. Because you need a friend.** Jesus knows the worst about you, yet He believes the best. Why? Because He sees you not as you are but as you will be when He gets through with you. What a Friend!

**3. Because He holds the future.** Who else are you going to trust? In His hands you are safe and secure - today, tomorrow, and for all eternity. His Word says, "For I know the plans I have for you... plans for good and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope." (Jeremiah 29:11-12a.TLB)

Did you invite someone to church this week? Did you <u>call</u> someone you missed seeing <u>last</u>Sunday?

Your *Class Leaders* are: James Douglas, Kim Locks, Harry Willis, Frankie Conley & Rose Tillman

### IN CASE YOU WERE WONDERING ...

A *class* is a small group that meets regularly for the purpose of building the church community and growing into a deeper understanding of God by: promoting connectivity within the congregation, offering close, committed, and accepting relationships, and offering teachings in a small-group setting.

**Class Leaders** are persons assigned to each class. Class Leaders are appointed annually by the Pastor. They shall serve for one year and may be appointed as long as their conduct is satisfactory. Class Leaders are "called" disciples. They are called because they have shown certain qualities in their lifestyles that reflect the Spirit of Christ.



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