

Union Bethel

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African Methodist Episcopal Church

Sunday, March 16, 2025 – 10:00 a.m.

The Second Sunday in Lent – Liturgical Color is Purple

Welcome

Stephanie Betterson

The Doxology

Stephanie Betterson

Call to Worship

Daphne Turpin

Hymn of Praise

“Yes, God Is Real” - Hymn #361 AMEC Hymnal

Daphne Turpin

Invocation

Valerie Cherry-Jones

Choral Response

Scripture: St. Luke 13:31-35 NIV

Renee Johnson

Worship of Music

Announcements

Acknowledgment of Visitors

Moments of Fellowship

The Pastor’s Words

Rev. Raymond F. Edmonds, Jr.

Offering

Sermonic Selection

The Sermon

Reverend Raymond F. Edmonds, Jr.

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Altar Call Prayer

The Doxology

The Benediction

The Extinguishing of the Candles

Hymn of Praise “Yes, God Is Real”

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There are some things I may not know, there are some places I can’t go,
But I am sure of this one thing, that God is real for I can feel Him deep within. [Refrain]

Some folk may doubt, some folk may scorn, All can desert and leave me alone,
But as for me I’ll take God’s part For God is real and I can feel Him in my heart. [Refrain]

I cannot tell just how you felt When Jesus took your sins away,
But since that day, yes, since that hour God has been real for I can feel His holy power.
[Refrain]

Refrain

Yes, God is real, real in my soul, yes, God is real for He has washed and made me whole.
His love for me is like pure gold, yes, God is real for I can feel Him in my soul