

***Palm Sunday***

*Rev. Sameerah l. Shareef, M.Div., Senior Pastor*

*Rev. Charles J. Corley, Ph.D., Associate Pastor*

*Bro. Brysien Beer, Minister of Music*

**Praise & Worship Service**

**March 24, 2024**

*Please mute your microphones & open your chat boxes in Zoom*

Prelude

Opening Prayer

Congregational Hymn

*“At The Cross”*

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Isaiah 60:1-3 (NIV)

New Testament: Philippians 1: 3-6; John 14: 12-20 (NIV)

Sermon

“Grateful For The Greater Work – Part 2”

Rev. Charles J. Corley, Associate Pastor

Corporate Prayer/Altar Call

Offering

Benediction

***At The Cross***

. Alas, and did my Savior bleed,

 And did my Sov'reign die?

 Would He devote that sacred head

 For sinners such as I?

 (Refrain)

Refrain:

 At the cross, at the cross,

 Where I first saw the light,

 And the burden of my heart rolled away,

 It was there by faith I received my sight,

 And now I am happy all the day!

2. Was it for crimes that I have done

 He groaned upon the tree?

 Amazing pity, grace unknown,

 And love beyond degree!

 (Refrain)

3. Well might the sun in darkness hide,

 And shut his glories in,

 When Christ the mighty Maker died

 For man, the creature's sin.

 (Refrain)

4. Thus might I hide my blushing face

 While Calv'ry's cross appears,

 Dissolve my heart in thankfulness,

 And melt mine eyes to tears.

 (Refrain)

5. But drops of grief can ne'er repay

 The debt of love I owe;

 Here, Lord, I give myself away;

 'Tis all that I can do.

 (Refrain)

Mother Juanita Williams

The Family of DaJuan Lewis

The Family of Sister Doris Jackson

The Family of Llew Wilson

Connie Forrest

Lance Stallings

Stefani Whiteside and Family

Sister Tinisha Speed & Family

The Family of Russell Neal

Harry Gaskin, IV

The Family of Elmira Henley

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The Family of Charles Hudson

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The family of Ken Beachler

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The family of Sister Paula Clark

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The Family of Keith Harrison

The Family of Bill Woodland

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Sister Tama Hamilton Wray

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Sister Kathy Thomas & Family

The families of Brian Frazier, Arielle Anderson, and Alexandria Verner

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The Family of Hiawatha Cromer

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Rivers of Life Church

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The Family of Shirley Scott

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Curlada Eure Harris

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Pamela Armstrong English

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Kim Binker

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The Family Diana Swoop

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Diana Love

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The family of Sherri Lawson

The Haller Family

Terrion Williamson

The Robinson Family

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**and click Prayer List.**

**Prayers requests are always accepted at ststephenscommunitychurchucc@gmail.com.**

To include your prayer request in the weekly bulletin,

please send it to the church office no later than Thursday.

**Wednesday Afternoon Bible Study weekly at 12:10 PM**

**via free conference call.**

The dial-in number is (945)218-0073 and use Access Code: 8812094

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