

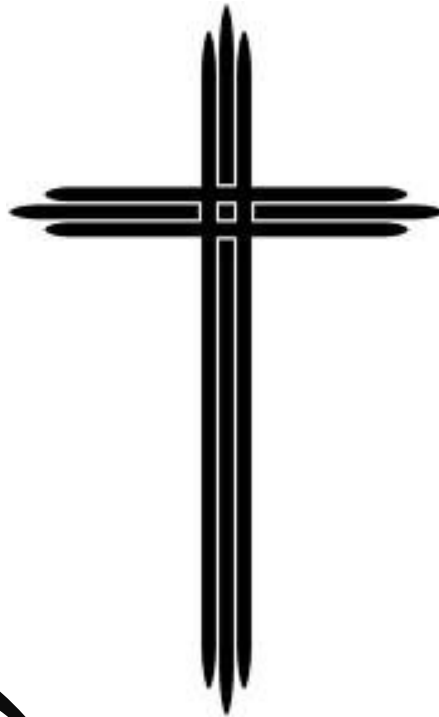
# Faith A.M.E. at Woodbridge

For we walk by faith; not by sight. 2 Corinthians 5:7

*Pero aunque no lo podemos ver, confiamos en él. 2 Corintios 5:7*



## *The Sacrament of Holy Communion*



### **1 Corinthians 11:23-26**

<sup>23</sup>*For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, <sup>24</sup> and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." <sup>25</sup> In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." <sup>26</sup> For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.*

*(New International Version—NIV)*

### **The Doxology**

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. *Amen.*

### **Our Affirmation of Faith**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day He arose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Church Universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. *Amen.*

## Call to Worship

*(Please join us in responsively reading The Call to Worship.)*

**Minister:** I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the House of the Lord. Our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem!

**People:** *For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of the wicked.*

**Minister:** Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek thy good.

**People:** *Those that be planted in the house of the Lord, shall flourish in the courts of our God.*

**Minister:** Blessed are they that dwell in Thy house, Lord I have loved thy habitation; the place where thy honor dwelleth.

**People:** *For the Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silent before Him.*

**Minister:** Let the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer.

**People:** *O sing unto the Lord a new song; for He has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth sing praises.*

# Faith A.M.E.

## Order of Worship

### Doxology & Call to Worship

*Minister & Congregation  
(Please stand if you're able)*

### Praise & Worship

*Congregation*

### Invocation

### The Gospel Reading

*(Please stand if you're able)*

### Summary of the Decalogue

### Affirmation of Faith

*Congregation*

### Welcome & Announcements

### Sermonic Selection

### The Word

*Rev. Andra D'Etta Hoxie*

### Call to Christian Discipleship

### The Sacrament of Holy Communion

### The Benediction

## Sermon Notes

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## The Summary of the Decalogue

Matthew 22:37-40 (New King James Version)

Hear what Christ our Savior says:

<sup>37</sup>Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. <sup>38</sup>This is the first and great commandment. <sup>39</sup>And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. <sup>40</sup>On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

## Opening Prayer

Almighty God, from whom comes every good and perfect gift, and who pours out on all who desire it Your spirit of grace and supplication: deliver us, when we draw nigh unto You, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship You in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. We welcome your Holy Spirit in this place. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

## The Lord's Prayer

*(Sung by Bro. Greg Mason)*

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. *Amen.*



# Holy Communion

## The General Confession

*(Celebrant & Congregation)*

Almighty God, Father of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men; We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee In newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## The Collect

*(The Celebrant)*

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him; Have mercy upon us; pardon and deliver us from all our sins; confirm and strengthen us in all goodness; and bring us to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

# Scripture

Key Scripture Verses

1 John 4:19 (NIV). We love because he first loved us.

1 John 2:28 (NIV) And now, dear children, continue in him, so that when he appears we may be confident and unashamed before him at his coming.

# Our Prayer List

*I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Savior... (1 Timothy 2:1-3 NIV)*

## PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR:

- \*The Church Universal
- \*The Armed Forces and their families
- \*Those who are hospitalized & their families
- \*Those who are incarcerated & their families
- \*The Homeless & the Helpless
- \*Children waiting to be adopted or in foster care
- \*Adoptive families
- \*Those who are seeking employment
- \*World Leaders
- \*Each Other and Our families

To submit a private prayer request, please visit our website [www.fameamission.com](http://www.fameamission.com) and use the online form. We look forward to hearing from you.

# Announcements

Website:

<http://faithamission.com>

We're on Twitter — @faith\_ame

Pastor's Blog:

<http://andrahoxie.blogspot.com>

Weekly Prayer Telephone Conference:  
"15 Minutes with God." Wednesdays,  
5:30 a.m. to 5:45 a.m. Dial Toll-free:  
760-569-7676; Code 113055#.

Volunteers are needed to assist with our Outreach Programs. Please speak with Bros. Hayes or Mason if you would like to become involved with the planning and delivery of services to those who are most vulnerable and in need.

For a full listing of our announcements, as well as a calendar of events, please visit our website.

Announcements should be sent to Sis. Audrey Prescott, the Executive Assistant, no later than Wednesday of each week. Please send your announcements via email to: [faithamission@aol.com](mailto:faithamission@aol.com).

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