

We are a multiracial, pro-LGBTQ, economically diverse, member-led Atlanta church devoted to radical inclusivity, thoughtful spirituality, and caring community.

Recognizing that we are all “one in Christ Jesus” (Galatians 3:28) we affirm our equality in the family of God and in this congregation regardless of social status, education, race, age, gender identity, sexual orientation, mental ability, physical ability, position, or any other distinction. You can learn more about us at www.churchatponceandhighland.org.

We are an independent, member-led community that relies on offerings.



Our finance committee manages a lean budget that is 100% transparent and approved by church members annually.

Offerings may be made via the QR code to the left, at churchatponceandhighland.org, in the offertory boxes in the sanctuary, or **(new!)** via card in-person at the donation terminal. Please consider a recurring monthly gift!

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Contact Us!

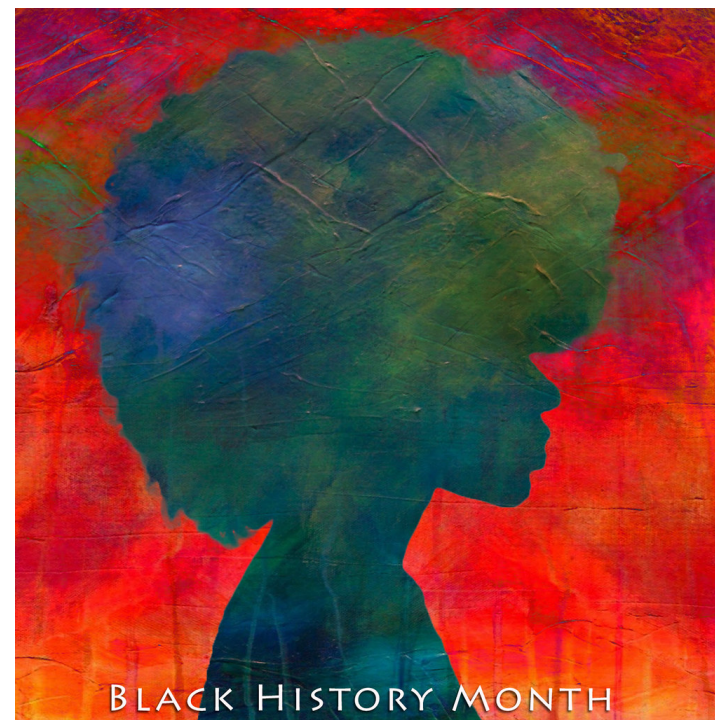
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We livestream our services and occasionally take pictures! Please note that by attending worship, you consent to be

Order of Worship

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The Church at Ponce & Highland

www.churchatponceandhighland.org

404-874-5721

First time here? Text HELLO to 470-317-6435!

Prelude Leisa Smith

***Opening Hymn, Number 6** All
“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

***Call to Worship** Mimi Walker

One: Lord God, it was in an African garden that you created humanity.
Many: **May our lives point to respect, equality, and dignity.**
One: Who are we that you should have made us in your image. Lord Kyrios,
forgive us for straying from your purpose for humanity.
Many: **May our lives point to respect, equality, and dignity.**
One: While too many traffic in hatred, we seek liberation. Forgive those who
accept ideas of racial inferiority and prejudice.
Many: **May our lives point to respect, equality, and dignity.**
One: We extend love and fellowship to all, for all are created in your image.
Give us courage to stand against those who sow evil.
All: And may our lives point to respect, equality, and dignity. Amen.

Chiming of the Hour
A moment to breathe and reset

Children’s Time Harrison Litzell
*God loves your kids’ wiggles and squeals. Children are welcome
to stay in the sanctuary or join Sunday school at this time.*

Hebrew Bible Reading
Psalm 37:1-8

***Hymn of Affirmation, Insert 300** All
“We Are One in the Spirit (They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love)”

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord’s Prayer (*printed on back*) Allen Jones

Music for Meditation The CPH Choir

Gospel Reading
Luke 6:27-38

One: The Word of God for the People of God.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Mimi Walker

***Hymn of Response, Number 330** All
“Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound”

Announcements Chris Ladouceur

Offertory Prayer Andrew Crenshaw

***Doxology** (*printed on back*) All

***Benediction** Mimi Walker

****Postlude** Leisa Smith