

## Worship Service

October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

9:30 am	Welcome & Opening Prayers
10:00 am	Parenting Seminar V
10:40 am	Praises & Worship
10:55 am	Congregational Hymns
11:00 am	Today's Message <b>The Cross Made The Way</b>
11:45 am	Offering - Ushers <i>Offering Hymn</i>
12:00 pm	Closing Prayers & Benediction

## October Birthdays

Brother Arnold Mensah	Oct 10 <sup>th</sup>
Brother Samuel Boakye	Oct 14 <sup>th</sup>
Brother Solomon Asiamah	Oct 28 <sup>th</sup>

## Message: The Cross Made The Way

Jeremiah 2; 3; 4

The Bible is written to promote the mission of God, it is a missional phenomenon. The mission of God is for Him to have a permanent and constant relationship with man. The first pages of Scripture tell us the beautiful story of God's creation and the amazing personal relationship God had with man. In Genesis 3 man disobeys God thereby destroying this relationship, God then calls Abram in Genesis 17 with the purpose of making him and his descendants the people of God. God's plan is to restore this broken relationship by making a covenant to be "their God and them His people." Although God saves Israel from captivity and reminds them of His promise to be their God (Exodus 6:6,7), Israel goes against God and His commandments. Like the people of Israel we have neglected the goodness of God and acted against His will – We have changed our God.

- God sends His word to remind us of His goodness, which should bring us into repentance or justify God for punishing us. Jeremiah 2:1-8
  - He points out our sin and its consequences. Jeremiah 2:9-37
- Will God remain angry with us forever? Will He make a way for our restoration?
- Jeremiah 3:1-5 opens a door of hope for Israel, and all of mankind.

God's intended mission is seen throughout the Old Testament, but in the New Testament it becomes an accomplished mission. The Incarnation, death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ has made it possible for all men to come to God: we are His people. 1 Peter 2:9 and 10; 2 Cor. 6:16 – The Cross Made a Way! For this reason we can boldly come to God and share in His glory – Yes! The Gospel is that simple.