

ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 23, 2025

Musical Prelude

Welcome & Church Highlights

Musical Preparation for Worship

- APPROACHING GOD -

Words of Approach | Psalm 123:1-2

To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!
Behold, as the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the
eyes of a maidservant to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to
the Lord our God, till he has mercy upon us.

Prayer of Approach

Song of Approach | *Psalm 150*

- OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD -

Call to Confession | Psalm 119:130-133

The unfolding of your words gives light; it imparts understanding to
the simple. I open my mouth and pant, because I long for your
commandments. Turn to me and be gracious to me, as is your way
with those who love your name. Keep steady my steps according to
your promise, and let no iniquity get dominion over me.

Prayer of Confession

Lord Jesus, we believe, help our unbelief. We love you, but not
wholeheartedly. We forget how much you have done for us. We
love ourselves at the expense of our neighbor. We lean on our own
understanding rather than your Word. Forgive our sins,
transgressions and iniquity, through Christ our redeemer. Amen.

Silent Confession of Sin and Brokenness

Song of Confession | *From the Depths of Woe*

Words of Grace | Colossians 2:13-14

And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of
your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our
trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with
its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

Songs of Celebration | *Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery / My Jesus I
Love Thee*

Reception of New Members [First service only] | Ellen Rowe, Scott &
Michelle Weersing

Prayer for God's Provision & Guidance

Doxology [Children may be dismissed for Children's Church – First service only]

- RENEWED & SENT BY GOD ~

Message | *The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus (Luke 16:19-31)*

Song of Dismissal | *Be Thou My Vision*

Benediction

Musical Postlude

- NOTES -

Passage Next Week | *The Father's Discipline, Hebrews 12:4-17* (TE TJ Schley)

Worship Leaders Today

Worship Leader | Bryan Simperts, Elder
Music | Isaiah Day
Message | Mike Sharrett
Congregational Prayer | Justin Stevens
Deacon of the Day | Brad Allen, Peter McHenry
Video/Sound/Tech | Tim Nargi, Jeff Field

Children's Ministry Today

8:30 Service

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Babs Bengston, Anne and Leigh Schmidt
Children's Church | Sarah Walrath
Beginning Catechism | Katie Block
Advanced Catechism | Alli Nuckols

10:00 Education Hour

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Jeri Field, Heather Harrell
PreK | Martina Kidwell, Larisa Nargi
K & 1st Grade | Gayle & Charles Corson
2nd & 3rd Grade | Audrey & Roy Jester
4th & 5th Grade | Jennifer Allen, Mary Slade

11:00 Service - No educational offerings at this time

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Caroline McHenry, Ellen Rowe, Cara Smole



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- 1) Online at www.gracecovpca.org/resources/giving
- 2) Send check to GCPC at 1677 Jamestown Rd, Williamsburg, VA 23185
- 3) Bringing your gifts with you to worship and depositing it in the offering box in the back of the Worship Area.