

ORDER OF WORSHIP

April 19, 2026

Musical Prelude

Welcome & Church Highlights

Musical Offering

- APPROACHING GOD -

Words of Approach | Psalm 106:1-5

LEADER: Praise the Lord! Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

Who can utter the mighty deeds of the Lord, or declare all his praise? Blessed are they who observe justice, who do righteousness at all times!

ALL: Remember me, O Lord, when you show favor to your people; help me when you save them, that I may look upon the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may rejoice in the gladness of your nation, that I may glory with your inheritance.

Prayer of Approach

Song of Approach | *How Great is Our God*

- OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD -.

Call to Confession | Isaiah 1:18

LEADER: "Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool."

Prayer of Confession | Psalm 38:1-4

ALL: O Lord, rebuke me not in your anger, nor discipline me in your wrath! For your arrows have sunk into me, and your hand has come down on me. There is no soundness in my flesh because of your indignation; there is no health in my bones because of my sin. For my iniquities have gone over my head; like a heavy burden, they are too heavy for me.

Silent Confession of Sin

Song of Confession | *I Need Thee Every Hour*

Words of Grace | John 3:16

LEADER: "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life."

Songs of Celebration | *Here I Am to Worship, This is My Father's World*

New Members Received

8:30 service: Elias Anderson, Thomas McHenry, Ruth Vander Kooi

11:00 service: Amelia Gaines, Erik Gaines, Jennifer Gaines, Liam Howard, Jacqueline Welsh

Prayer for God's Provision & Guidance

Doxology

- RENEWED BY GOD -

Message | Mark 7:14-23 Parable of the Defiled Heart: Part 4

Song of Dismissal | *I Set My Hope on Jesus*

- SENT BY GOD -

Benediction

Musical Postlude

Passage Next Week | Ben Robertson Genesis 15

Worship Leaders Today

Worship Leader | Bryan Simperts
Music | Isaiah Day
Message | Mike Sharrett
Congregational Prayer | Bob Smole
Greeters | Harlon & Judy Reihing/Ben & Alice Jacobs
Deacon of the Day | Jim Becraft, Tim Cleary
Video/Sound/Tech | Tim Nargi, Jeff Field

Children's Ministry Today

8:30 Service

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Mark & Ramona Mortier, Grace Mortier
Children's Church | Sarah Walrath
Beginning Catechism | Ben Smole
Advanced Catechism | Amy Simperts

10:00 Education Hour

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

11:00 Service - No educational offerings at this time.

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Joe & Lynn Howard



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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.