

ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 25, 2026

Musical Prelude

Welcome & Church Highlights

Musical Offering "What Grace Is Mine" by K. Getty & L. Larson, Adult Choir

- APPROACHING GOD -

Words of Approach | Psalm 57:9-11

Leader: I will give thanks to you, O LORD, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations.

All: For your steadfast love is great to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

Leader: Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!

All: Let your glory be over all the earth!

Prayer of Approach

Song of Approach | *He is Exalted*

- OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD -

Prayer of Confession | from Ephesians 2:1-5

All: We were dead in the trespasses and sins in which we once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience— among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the flesh and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ.

Silent Confession of Sin

Song of Confession | *Before the Throne of God Above*

Words of Grace | Ephesians 2:8-10

Leader: For it is by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

All: For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Songs of Celebration | *Christ the True and Better*

Prayer for God's Provision & Guidance

Doxology

- RENEWED BY GOD -

Message | Romans 6:1-14, "Dead to Sin, Alive to God"

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Song of Dismissal | *On Jordan's Stormy Banks*

- SENT BY GOD -

Benediction

Musical Postlude

- NOTES -

Passage Next Week | Acts 2:42-47 "The Church", Ben Robertson

Worship Leaders Today

Worship Leader | Bryan Simpers
Music | Isaiah Day
Message | Matt Horne
Congregational Prayer | Nick Bair
Greeters | Justin Stevens Family, John & Sarah Walrath
Deacon of the Day | Peter McHenry, Brad Allen
Video/Sound/Tech | Tim Nargi, Jeff Field

Children's Ministry Today

8:30 Service

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Anne & Leigh Schmidt, Megan Scott
Children's Church: Jamie Field
Beginning Catechism: Josh Rutan
Advanced Catechism: Alli Nuckols

10:00 Education Hour

Nursery: Ellen Rowe, Jeri Field
PreK: Larisa Nargi, Brooke Karaki
K & 1st Gayle & Charles Corson
2nd & 3rd: Audrey & Roy Jester
4th & 5th: Jennifer & Brad Allen

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

Infant/Toddler Nursery | Mary Coyle, Dorothy Simpers, Caroline McHenry



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- 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.