

Order of Worship

8:00 AM:

Song Leader: Kevin Caldwell

488 O Praise the Lord

Call to Worship: Carl Wamble

200 Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah
290 I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord
645 The Old Rugged Cross

Bread: Charles Hamilton
Fruit of the Vine: Shaun Holt
Giving: Chris Forand

434 More Holiness Give Me

Scripture Reading: Judges 6:11-16
Kellen Gibson

738 We Will Glorify

Sermon: Calvin Mitchell

667 There is Power in the Blood

Prayer Requests/Announcements

824 I'll Fly Away

Closing Prayer: Chris Forand

Usher 1: Kevin Hogg
Usher 2: Rutherford Wilson
Projectionist: Lester de Caires

Our songs today are from Praise for the Lord.

10:30 AM:

Song Leader: Bruce Robins

103 He Has Made Me Glad

Call to Worship: Michael Wilkins

569 Sweeter Than All
116 Consider the Lillies (PFL)
513 I Will Sing of My Redeemer

Bread: Kerry Clark
Fruit of the Vine: Henry Jenkins
Giving: Emagii Graves

601 My God and I

Scripture Reading: Ephesians 2:1-7
Adrian Williams

112 The Love of God

Sermon: Antoine Johnson

— Refiner's Fire

Prayer Requests/Announcements

286 Wonderful Story of Love

Closing Prayer: Emagii Graves

Usher 1: Neal Wilkins
Usher 2: Ethan Graves
Projectionist: Chuck Morris

Our songs today are from Songs of Faith and Praise, Praise for the Lord and the Supplement.



Guest Guide:

- Nursery and Training room are upstairs.
- Children's classes are downstairs.
- Looking for a church home? We'd love to tell you about this congregation.
- Please fill out a guest card and give it to one of the ushers.
- Communion cups are available in the foyer. The cups will be picked up by the ushers after communion.

In Christ we have:

A love that can never be fathomed;
A life that can never die;
A righteousness that can never be tarnished;
A peace that can never be understood;
A rest that can never be disturbed;
A joy that can never be diminished;
A hope that can never be disappointed;
A glory that can never be clouded;
A light that can never be darkened;
A happiness that can never be interrupted;
A strength that can never be enfeebled;
A purity that can never be defiled;
A beauty that can never be marred;
A wisdom that can never be baffled;
Resources that can never be exhausted;
And heaven that can never be ended.

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via Bulletin Digest

We would like the men scheduled to serve in the worship service meet in the copier room at 7:45 and 10:15 to prepare for the service.

Wednesday, April 29th

Song Leader Antoine Johnson

Devotional Leader Michael Wilkins

Closing Prayer Shaun Holt

Projectionist Kevin Caldwell



Where Faith Meets Life!

Life Groups Meet Today

Laurel church of Christ

April 26, 2026

Sunday:

Worship: 8:00 am, 10:30 am,
Spanish service 12:15 pm
Bible Classes: 9:30 am
Spanish Bible Classes: 11:00

Wednesday:

Bible Classes: 7 pm

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Reflecting His Light

“You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all *who are* in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.” *Matthew 5:14-16*

“Do all things without complaining and disputing, that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world,” *Philippians 2:14-15*

In *John 8:12* Jesus declares Himself to be the light of the world. He is the true and only light. It is clear from the two passages of scripture referenced above that we are to be reflections of His light. Observe from the above referenced passages that we reflect the light of Christ by the way we live. Numerous observations can be made from this fact. One observation to be made is that light is conspicuous in its activity.

To say that light is conspicuous in its activity is to note that the effects of light are readily observed. Light stands out in darkness and even dispels it. This is the Lord's will for us in this present world. While we do not do things to be seen, as did the Pharisees (*Matthew 6:1-8*), the nature of our living is different from that of the world. So much so that we will be noticed even when there is no overt intent to be seen. It is the grace and mercy of God that allows and enables us to walk in the light of Christ Jesus. To God be the glory! Amen!

Because He lives,
Ricky Cook