Order of Worship

8:00 AM:

Song Leader: Lester de Caires

881 Mansion Over the Hilltop

Call to Worship: Steve Jones

484 You are My All in All 344 Low in the Grave He Lav

> Bread: Zane Huckabey Fruit of the Vine: Reggie Oliver Giving: Palmer Young

590 Jesus is All the World to Me

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2:1-10 Byron Vaughan

Medley:

535 The Glory-Land Way 878 Sweet By and By 895 I'll Live in Glory 851 I'll Fly Away

Sermon: Ricky Cook

753 Farther Along

Song Leader:

Scripture

Reader:

Call to Worship:

Lord's Supper:

Closing Prayer:

Projectionist:

Prayer Requests/Announcements

1016 This Little Light of Mine

Closing Prayer: Palmer Young

Usher 1: LeRoy Bell Usher 2: Shaun Holt Projectionist: Carl Wamble

Our songs today are from Songs of Faith and Praise.

Sunday Evening Worship

Aaron Springer

Alan Bobo

Joe Ford

Bruce Robins

Alan Bobo

Allen Pratt

10:30 AM:

Song Leader: Allen Pratt

296 We Have Come into His House • Wonderful Merciful Savior

Call to Worship: Alan Bobo

- Great are You Lord
- Open the Eyes of My Heart
- Lamb of God

Bread: Kerry Clark Fruit of the Vine: Rodney Philyaw Giving: John Jones

692 Change My Heart, O God

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2:1-10 John Birus

Sermon: Ricky Cook

691 Make Me New

Prayer Requests/Announcements

All to Us

Closing Prayer: John Jones

Usher 1: Neal Wilkins Usher 2: Henry Jenkins Projectionist: Bruce Robins

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

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 ser-

	vice.		
	Wednesday, July 23rd		
	Song Leader	Antoine Johnson	
	Devotional Leader	Alan Bobo	
	Closing Prayer	John Jones	



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 fover. The cups will Be picked up by the ushers after communion.

Serving Next Week: July 27th

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8:00 Service		
Brother of the Month	Palmer Young	
Song Leader	Kevin Caldwell	
Call To Worship	Vaughn Harvey	
Bread	Shaun Holt	
Fruit of the Vine	Kevin Taylor	
Giving	Chris Forand	
Scripture Reader	Bill Roberts	
Closing Prayer	Chris Forand	
Usher 1	Bob Ozomah	
Usher 2	Kevin Hogg	
Projectionist	Carl Wamble	
10:30 Service		
Brother of the Month	Neal Wilkins	
Song Leader	Aaron Springer	
Call to Worship	Bernard Foster	
Bread	Mark Williamson	
Fruit of the Vine	Jerry Prestridge	
Giving	Emagii Graves	
Scripture Reader	Bruce Robins	
Closing Prayer	Emagii Graves	
Usher 1	Elijah Prestridge	
Usher 2	John Birus	
Projectionist	Chuck Morris	



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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Is There Something More?

"I have seen all the works that are done under the sun; and indeed, all is vanity and grasping for the wind." Ecclesiastes 1:14

The search for fulfillment and satisfaction in life has exhausted many an intrepid soul. The contingent that sympathizes with the lament of Solomon (Ecclesiastes 1:2 "Vanity of vanities," says the Preacher; "Vanity of vanities, all is vanity.") is large indeed. However, a look at our present world indicates that we are still consumed with "busyness." For many jobs, possessions and other secular concerns dominate the landscape of life. Yet, Jesus has plainly warned us, Luke 12:15 "And He said to them, "Take heed and beware of covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of the things he possesses."

There is no wonder then that man is unable to find ultimate fulfillment and lasting satisfaction in the "busyness" of life. This stark realization leads one to question, "Is there something more?" Is there something more to life than the accumulation of material possessions which must ultimately be left behind? Is there something more to life than the temporal gratification of secular achievements? Is there something more to life than a brief existence in the flesh?

The great comfort and joy of belonging to Jesus is that this question has been answered and an abundant provision has been made. Every child of God is but a traveler in a strange land on his way home - 1 Peter 1:17 And if you call on the Father, who without partiality judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves throughout the time of your stay here in fear;" The child of God who walks by faith is not fazed by the uncertain and ever changing world in which we currently live for as the old song declares, "This world is not my home, I'm just a passing through..." And when we reach that heavenly home, God will certainly provide something more – *John 14:1-3*. To God be the glory! Amen!

> Because He lives, Ricky Cook