

Chimes

Welcome to Worship Rev. Zach Bay

The Gathering for the Worship of God

Preparation for Worship Jon Brannon

Call to Worship Ginny Adkins

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known upon earth, your saving power among all nations.

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, has blessed us.

May God continue to bless us; let all the ends of the earth revere him. Amen.

~ from Psalm 67

*Hymn of Praise No. 581

“’Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

*Invocation & Lord’s Prayer Marla Tolley

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Praise & Worship “Praise”
Cornerstone

**Our Future Rachael Gibson

The Offering of Our Lives & Labors to God

Stewardship Prayer Suzana Gibson

Offertory Music Jon Brannon

****Doxology***

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

The Service of Scripture & Sermon

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Zach Bay

First Lesson Isaiah 56:1, 6-8
Rickie Sizemore

Choral Duet “Bist Du Bei Mir”
(Be Thou With Me)
Dr. Alexander Lee & Kristy Bay

Translation

Be thou with me and I’ll go gladly to death and on to my repose.

Ah, how my end would bring contentment, if, pressing with thy hands so lovely, thou wouldst my faithful eyes then close.

Gospel Lesson Matthew 15:10-28

Sermon “Great Faith”
Rev. Zach Bay

Discipline of Silence

*Hymn of Commission No. 139
“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

*Benediction Rev. Zach Bay

**All who are able are invited to stand.*

*** After our future, Pre-K children may leave to worship together upstairs. Pick up in the Children’s Worship Room on the 3rd floor of the education building. A nursery is provided for infants-3 years.*

Worship Elements

The flowers on the communion table are given to the glory of God and provided by the Ovie Goble & Jesse Cline Flower Endowment Fund.

Ministerial Staff

Rev. Zachary L. Bay – Pastor

Rachael Gibson – Associate Children's Pastor

Myciah Pemberton – Director of Youth & Young Adults

Dr. Alexander Lee – Director of Music Ministries

Jon Brannon – Organist

Church Staff

Jim Isaac – Director of Administration & Properties

Lisa Dudley – Financial Secretary

Kyla Nelson – Communications Director

G. Scott Ballard – Pastoral Care Coordinator

Joe Hughes – Building Supervisor

Kyle Hughes – Office Manager

Vision Statements:

Worship God wholeheartedly

Love one another unconditionally

Help people meet Jesus

Help each other become more like Jesus

Love our hurting world

Pastor's Combined Sunday School

Rev. Zach Bay will be teaching FAB's combined Sunday School class thru September 6. All are invited to join during the regular Sunday School hour 9:30-10:30 am in the chapel. Plan to attend and invite a friend!

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CALENDAR | Aug. 16 – 22

Sunday, August 16

9:30 Pastor's Combined SS (Chapel)

12:15 How to Read Music (Chapel)
CMC Meeting (Worship Room)

5:00 Church Picnic (GBA Camp Ona)

Monday, August 17

10:00 Staff Meeting

Tuesday, August 18

6:00 Church Council Kickoff (SH)

Wednesday, August 19

5:00 Dinner: tacos, corn, beans, dessert

6:00 Pastor's Bible Study
Youth Worship (FAB Lab)

7:15 Choir Rehearsal

Sermon Notes

1135 Fifth Avenue | 304-523-0115 | Office Hours: M-F 9a-3p



August 16, 2026

10:45 am

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost



“You have heard it was said... But I say to you...”

~ Jesus