



September 20, 2026

WE GATHER IN GOD’S PRESENCE

GATHERING MUSIC

“You Are My All in All”

Merideth Sanders
Dennis Jernigan

You are my strength when I am weak;
You are the treasure that I seek;
You are my all in all.
When I fall down, you pick me up;
When I am dry, you fill my cup;
You are my all in all.

Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is your name!
Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is your name. 2X

“God is Calling through the Whisper” Wilbur Lee/M. L. Bringle

God is calling through the whisper
of the Spirit’s deepest sighs.
Through the thrill of sudden beauties
That can catch us by surprise.
Flash of lightning, crash of thunder;
Hush of stillness, rush of wonder.
God is calling can you hear? God is calling can you hear?

God is calling through the music
of sublime and human arts,
Through the hymns of earth and angels,
and carols of our hearts.
Life of joy and gift of singing;
Days and nights our praises bringing:
God is calling —and we hear! God is calling — and we hear!

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Ron Tingle

CHIMING THE TRINITY

PRELUDE “Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken”
Diane Combs arr. Joel Raney

CALL TO WORSHIP, *responsive*
Leader: God calls us to service.
People: rather than honor,
Leader: God calls us to love the unknown,
People: rather than the familiar.
Leader: We come to this time of worship,
People: trusting in the grace of Jesus Christ,
Leader: who is the same yesterday, today and forever.

- We bring forward our 'Daily Change' Offering -

*OPENING HYMN “The Lord Is God” #63

- 1. The Lord is God, the Lord alone!**
Give honor, thanks, and praise
to God, the maker of all things and giver of our days.
- 2. With all your heart, with all your soul;**
With all your mind and might ,
O people, love the Lord your God, the source of truth and light.
- 3. At night or day, at home, away,**
Together and apart,
O children, take these holy words and keep them in your heart.
- 4. The Lord of God, the Lord alone!**
Give honor, thanks, and praise
to God, the maker of all things and giver of our days.

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION, *in unison*
Merciful God, forgive us for we exalt ourselves and mock the
humble. We choose to believe we are self-sufficient rather than
trust in your strength.
Open us to your spirit, that we might serve all people without
regard to the outcome, devoting ourselves to your honor alone.
We pray in Jesus’ name. Amen.

:: A MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION & PRAYER ::

***GLORIA PATRI**
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**, *responsive*
Leader: We testify that God is faithful.
People: Even when we are faithless,
God remains faithful.
Leader: The Lord still brings from oppressed and uprooted
peoples riches of insight and daring visions that can judge
and bless the world.
ALL: We can have confidence in God’s coming kingdom,
even in the darkest times.

:: PASSING THE PEACE ::
And now, as people who are loved and forgiven by the grace of God,
we pass the peace of Christ, remembering God’s command to love
and forgive one another.

WE LISTEN TO GOD’S WORD

ANTHEM: “God Heard My Voice” Tom Shelton
Sanctuary Choir
Sarah Cifani, flute

FIRST SCRIPTURE: Psalm 81:10-16 Lee Hutchison
SECOND SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 20:7-10

SERMON: “Jeremiah’s Heartbreak”
Rev. Jim Moseley

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

HYMN OF RESPONSE, *seated*
“If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee” #816

- 1. If thou but trust in God to guide thee,**
With hopeful heart through all thy ways,
God will give strength, whate’er betide thee,
To bear thee through the evil days.
Who trusts in God’s unchanging love
builds on the rock that nought can move.
- 2. Only be still, and wait God’s leisure**
In cheerful hope, with heart content
To take whate’er thy Keeper’s pleasure
And all discerning love hath sent.
No doubt our inmost wants are clear
To One who holds us always dear.
- 3. Sing, pray, and swerve not from God’s ways,**
But do thine own part faithfully.
Trust the rich promises of grace;
So shall they be fulfilled in thee.
God never yet forsook at need
the soul secured by trust indeed.



:: Prayers of the People ::

Leader: God in your mercy, **People:** Hear our prayer.

THE LORD’S PRAYER (sung)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. *Amen.*

**GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS
OFFERTORY**

“Be Still and Know”
Diane Combs arr. Anthony Giamanco

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. **Amen.**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION, in unison**

God of grace, we give thanks for your faithfulness to us,
we give thanks for your hope in us, we rejoice in the
knowledge of your unending grace.
In the light of your mercy, and confident in your love,
we dedicate these offerings, and ourselves, to you.
Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN**

“Lead On, O King Eternal” **#269**

1. Lead on, O King eternal! The day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest
Your tents shall be our home.
Through days of preparation
Your grace has made us strong,
And now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.

2. Lead on, O King eternal, till sin’s fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace;
For not with swords’ loud clashing,
Nor roll of stirring drums;
With deeds of love and mercy
the heavenly kingdom comes.

3. Lead on, O King eternal: we follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning,
Where’er your face appears;
Your cross is lifted o’er us; we journey in its light.
The crown awaits the conquest;
Lead on, O God of might!



***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:**

“Go In the Grace of the Lord” James Barnard

**Go in the Grace of the Lord.
Walk in the way of His Word.
Stand in the strength of His promises,
And believe in your heart they are true.**

**Sit at the feet of the Savior.
Pray in the power of the Spirit.
Rise and run the race with patience,
And go in the Grace of the Lord.**

***POSTLUDE**

“Jubilate Deo”
Diane Combs Douglas E. Wagner

** Please stand as you are able for these portions of the service.*

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If you are visiting today, we’re delighted to have you!
Please stay on after worship for
coffee and conversation in the Fellowship Hall.

