Worship Guide

August 10, 2025



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THE WORSHIP GATHERING

Welcome

Pastor Ryan Hess

God Is The Righteous Judge Over All

Scripture Reading: Psalm 50:1–6 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

When Evil Seems To Prosper, Our Hearts Are Tempted To Despair

Scripture Reading: Psalm 13:1–6 "How Firm A Foundation"

Scripture Reminds Us That God Does Not Forsake His Own

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:38–39 "My Faith Has Found A Resting Place" "Psalm 94 (Doxology)"

(Pre-K – 1st Grade Dismissed to Children's Church)

God Speaks Through His Word

Psalm 94 Dr. Ted Williams

Responding to the Word of God

"Holy Spirit, Living Breath Of God" Pastoral Prayer Offering

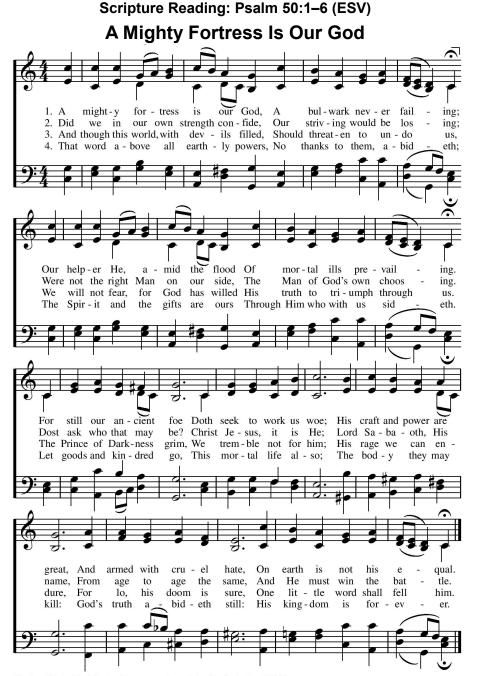
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God Sends Us to Serve

Opportunities for Service

Benediction: Hebrews 10:22–23

GOD IS THE RIGHTEOUS JUDGE OVER ALL



WHEN EVIL SEEMS TO PROSPER, OUR HEARTS ARE TEMPTED TO DESPAIR

Scripture Reading: Psalm 13:1-6 (ESV)

How Firm A Foundation



Words: John Rippon's Selection of Hymns

Music: Joseph Funk's Genuine Church Music; Last stanza setting by Dave Williamson

SCRIPTURE REMINDS US THAT GOD DOES NOT FORSAKE HIS OWN

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:38–39 (ESV) My Faith Has Found A Resting Place



Words: Lidie H. Edmunds

Music: Andre Gretry; arr. William J. Kirkpatrick

Psalm 94 (Doxology)

- Verse 1: Can guilty man, indeed, believe
 That he, who made and knows the heart,
 Shall not the oppressor's crimes perceive,
 Nor take His injured servants' part?
- Verse 2: Shall He who, with transcendent skill, Fashioned the eye and formed the ear, Who modelled nature to His will, Shall He not see? Shall He not hear?
- Verse 3: Shall He, who framed the human mind And bade its kindling spark to glow, Who all its varied powers combined, Oh mortal, say—shall He not know?
- Verse 4: Vain hope! His eyes at once surveys
 Whatever fills creation's space;
 He sees our thoughts and marks our ways;
 He knows no bounds of time and place.
- Verse 5: Surrounded by His saints, the Lord
 Shall armed with holy vengeance come,
 To each his final lot award,
 And seal the sinner's fearful doom.

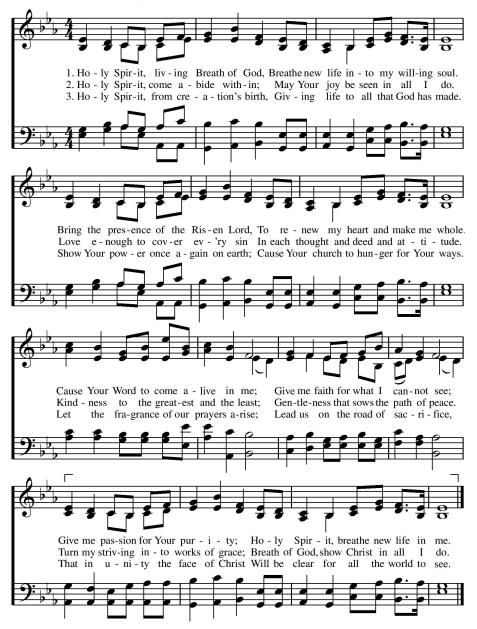
Children's Church At this time, children ages Pre-K through 1st Grade are welcome to transition to the Assembly Room located in the Education Building. Parents are asked to pick up their children as soon as the worship gathering is dismissed.

GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD

Psalm 94 Dr. Ted Williams

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

Holy Spirit, Living Breath Of God



Words and Music: Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

Pastoral Prayer

Country

Today we will pray for the country of **San Marino**.

Population: **33,573 0** % Evangelical

1 % Unevangelized

San Marino has been an independent republic since AD 301 with ties to Italy. The Sammarinese are Catholic by tradition and culture, but few practice their faith. Some reject their religious heritage, and there are small groups of other faiths here. San Marino calls itself the "Ancient Land of Liberty", and people have freedom to worship. But evangelism hardly exists. Past outreach by evangelicals resulted in jail or expulsion from the country, so no churches or ministries currently evangelize here. Pray for a new season of true spiritual liberty.

WBC Homebound Member of the Week

We will pray for our own **McDonald Volentine**. (Old Jefferson Community Care Center 8340 Barringer Foreman Rd.

Baton Rouge, LA 70817) Cell: (225) 326-9032

Local Church

We will also pray for **Trinity Baptist Church**, and their pastor, **Dale Crawford**.

(7125 Goodwood Blvd.

Baton Rouge, LA 70806)

Government Leaders

Additionally, we will pray for Supreme Court Associate Justice Clarence Thomas.

(Supreme Court of the United States 1 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543)

Woodlawn Baptist Church

For matters related to our own local body, see weekly prayer guide distributed via email during the week.

1 Timothy 2:1-2 (ESV)

¹First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, ² for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.

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Offering

"It is more blessed to give than to receive" (Acts 20:35). One of the greatest joys for Christians is being able to give cheerfully, generously, and sacrificially. There is tremendous satisfaction that comes from seeing the fruits of our labor multiplied many times over in the lives of others. Money is a powerful thing, and when we use it well, it has potential to do incredible good. We hope that we're able to excel in the grace of giving.

January - July 2025 Budget Giving

Received	\$559,849.16
Expenses	\$516,671.91
Building on Faith Giving	
Total Collected in January–July.	\$19,154.57

GOD SENDS US TO SERVE

Back to School Parent's Night Out

Friday, August 22, from 6pm–9pm, we will host your children in the FLC and Education Building for a time of fun and games. There is a \$5 fee per child for pizza and snacks. Please note on the sign up how many children will be eating. Sign up on the Church App by scanning the QR code by August 17.



Ladies' Tea Outing

Saturday, August 23, at **10am**, our ladies will be going to have High Tea at The English Tea Room in Covington. The cost is \$35/adult and \$22/children (12 years old and younger). We will leave WBC at **8:45**. We can only bring **55** ladies, so don't wait to register! Sign up through the Church App or scan the QR code.



Awana Leader Luncheon & Training

Sunday, August 24, following the service, we will host a luncheon and training for our Awana leaders in the **FLC**. Please RSVP to Lyn Bailey, (504) 512-0075. We are also in need of Listeners for this upcoming year in Awana! If you are interested in serving in this way, please contact the Baileys or the Kieffers.

WBC Family Pool Party

Join us **Sunday, August 24**, at **5:30pm**, at the Southern Oaks Athletic Club on Shenandoah Avenue. The entry fee is \$5 per person and covers admission and dinner. **Pizza** will be served at the church from **5:00-5:30**, and swimming will take place at SOAC from **5:30-8:30**. Concessions will be available for purchase. Sign up through the Church App before Wednesday, August 20.



Cooking Teams Needed

We are in need of cooking teams for Wednesday night meals this school year. Wednesday night meals start back up on **Wednesday**, **August 27** at **5:30pm**. If you are interested in serving, please contact Leslie Talley, (225) 975-5351.

Baby Shower

On **Saturday, August 30**, at **10am**, in the Assembly Room, the family and friends of Jaina Brewer will hold a baby shower in her honor. She is registered on Babylist.com. RSVP to Lyn Bailey, (504) 512-0075.

Children's Ministry Appreciation Lunch

Sunday, September 7, following the service, we will host an appreciation lunch for all who have served in Children's Ministry this past year in the **FLC**. Please RSVP to Lyn Bailey, (504) 512-0075.

WBC Life Groups

Life Groups begin again starting on September 7. You can register via this QR code or contact the church office.



175 Years of Woodlawn Baptist Church

We will celebrate our 175th anniversary of WBC this upcoming September. To help prepare for our celebration, we would love for you to be a part by uploading your pictures from WBC throughout the years (mission trips, weddings, church activities, etc.) by scanning the QR code.



Benediction

Scripture Reading: 1 John 1:9 (ESV)

Prospective Members to be Considered at the Upcoming Members' Meeting

Kathy New Cell: (225) 931-9142

Sanjay Palle Cell: (225) 573-7636

Sheba Madhuri Darivemula-Palle Cell: (225) 284-4343

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 10

9:00am Sunday School WBC Campus

10:15am The Worship Gathering Sanctuary

Monday, August 11

Tuesday, August 12

Wednesday, August 13

6:00am Men's Bible Study Frank's Restaurant
6:00pm Kids on Mission Seafarers' Center
6:15pm Converge Student Ministry Youth Room
7:00pm Worship Choir Rehearsal Choir Suite

Thursday, August 14

Friday, August 15

Saturday, August 16

Sunday, August 17

9:00am Sunday School WBC Campus 10:15am The Worship Gathering & Lord's Supper Sanctuary

Staff

Lewis Richerson, PhD — Lead Pastor Lewis@wbcbr.org

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Terri Davis — Preschool Director

Rick Stanford — Maintenance Director

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Visitors

Use this QR code to fill out a guest card.



Prayer Requests

Use this QR code to submit your prayer requests.

