

# Worship Guide

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July 5, 2026



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# The Worship Gathering

**Welcome**

Pastor Lewis Richerson

## **We Worship The Lord Through Faithful Living**

Scripture Reading: Psalm 119:9–11

“Run and Run (Christ Is All My Righteousness)”

## **Scripture Calls Us To Reject Sinful Living**

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“Not In Me”

Pastor Ryan Hess

## **Believers Are Called To Orient Their Lives Around Scripture**

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“Ancient Words”

“Psalm 101 (Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing)”

## **God Speaks Through His Word**

Sermon: Psalm 101

Pastor Lewis Richerson

## **Responding To The Word Of God**

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## **God Sends Us To Serve**

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Benediction: Psalm Colossians 3:16–17

# WE WORSHIP THE LORD THROUGH FAITHFUL LIVING

**Scripture Reading: Psalm 119:9–11 (ESV)**

## Run and Run (Christ Is All My Righteousness)

1. Run and run, the law de-mands, but gives me nei-ther  
 2. Bear-ing shame and all my sin, there in my place he  
 3. My ac-cus-er, he may roar of count-less sins that  
 4. When I stand be-fore the throne, there dressed in beau-ty

feet nor hands. Bet-ter news the gos-pel brings. It bids me  
 stood con-demned. Here I stand now jus-ti-fied. My guilt is  
 I have done. These I know and thou-sands more. Be-hold, my  
 not my own, then, Lord, shall I ful-ly know not till that

fly, it gives me wings. (V.2)  
 his, his grace is mine. Praise the Lord! O my soul,  
 God, he knows not one.  
 day how much I owe.

praise the Lord! Now and for-ev-er-more my heart con-fess

Optional final chorus: For now this sin-ner's heart has found its rest:



# SCRIPTURE CALLS US TO REJECT SINFUL LIVING

## Scripture Reading: Romans 12:2 (ESV)

### Not In Me

1. No list of sins I have not done, no list of vir - tues I pur - sue,  
2. No hum - ble dress, no fer - vent prayer, no lift - ed hands, no tear - ful song,  
3. No sep - a - ra - tion from the world, no work I do, no gift I give

No list of those I am not like can earn my - self a place with You.  
No rec - i - ta - tion of the truth, can jus - ti - fy a sin - gle wrong.  
Can cleanse my con - science, cleanse my hands; I can - not cause my soul to live.

O God! Be mer - ci - ful to me; I am a sin - ner through and through.  
Tag: My right - eous - ness is Je - sus' life; my debt was paid by Je - sus' death.  
But Je - sus died and rose a - gain; the pow'r of death is ov - er - thrown!

My on - ly hope of right - eous - ness is not in me, but on - ly You.  
My wear - y load was borne by Him and He a - lone can give me rest.  
My God is mer - ci - ful to me and mer - ci - ful in Christ a - lone.

# BELIEVERS ARE CALLED TO ORIENT THEIR LIVES AROUND SCRIPTURE

Scripture Reading: James 1:22-25 (ESV)

## Ancient Words

1. Ho-ly words long pre - served for our walk in this world, They re -  
2. Ho-ly words of our faith hand-ed down to this age, Came to

sound with God's own heart; Oh, let the an - cient words im - part.  
us through sac - ri - fice; Oh, heed the faith - ful words of Christ.

Words of life, words of hope give us strength, help us cope;  
Mar - tyr's blood stains each page They have died for this faith

In this world wher - e'er we roam an - cient words will guide us home.  
Hear them cry through the years Heed these words and hold them dear.

Words and Music: Lynn DeShazo

An - cient words ev - er true, chang - ing me and chang - ing you; We have

come with o - pen hearts, Oh, let the an - cient words im - part.

Repeat Last Time

# Psalm 101

1. I will sing Your love and jus - tice; to You, Lord, I will sing praise;  
2. Deeds of faith - less men I hate, their per - verse hearts I do des - pise;  
3. My eyes will be on the faith - ful, they will e - ver dwell with me.  
4. Ev - 'ry morn - ing I will go forth to find wick - ed in the land;

I'll be care - ful to be blame - less. When will You, Lord, fill my days?  
I have naught to do with e - vil; it shall be far from my eyes.  
And all those whose walk is blame - less, they will min - is - ter to me.  
I will si - lence them for - ev - er, they won't be al - lowed to stand.

I will walk with - in my house with blame - less heart, in - te - gri - ty;  
Those who se - cret - ly do slan - der, I will si - lence them for sure;  
No one who acts with de - ceit will dwell with - in my house or land;  
I will cut off e - vil - do - ers from the cit - y of the Lord;

Words: Tim & Julie Tennent

Music: Traditional American melody; John Wyeth's *Repository of Sacred Music*

Set no wrong be - fore my eyes; no e - vil deeds will cling to me.  
All those who have haught - y eyes and proud hearts, I will not en - dure.  
No one who speaks lies or false - hood will with - in my pre - sence stand.  
No in - i - qui - ty must dwell there, where God's pre - sence is a - dored.

### 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 101

Pastor Lewis Richerson





# RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

## Trust and Obey

1. When we walk with the Lord In the light of His Word,  
2. Not a bur - den we bear, Not a sor - row we share,  
3. But we nev - er can prove The de - lights of His love feet,  
4. Then in fel - low - ship sweet We will sit at His feet,

What a glo - ry He sheds on our way! Let us do His good will;  
But our toil He doth rich - ly re - pay; Not a grief or a loss,  
Un - til all on the al - tar we lay; For the fa - vor He shows  
Or we'll walk by His side in the way; What He says we will do,

He a - bides with us still, And with all who will trust and o - bey.  
Not a frown or a cross But is blest if we trust and o - bey.  
And the joy He be - stows Are for them who will trust and o - bey.  
Where He sends we will go; Nev - er fear, on - ly trust and o - bey.

*Chorus*  
Trust and o - bey, For there's no oth - er way To be  
hap - py in Je - sus, But to trust and o - bey.

The musical score is written in a 3/4 time signature with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of a vocal line and a bass line. The lyrics are arranged in four systems, each with a vocal line and a bass line. The first system contains four numbered verses. The second system contains two lines of lyrics. The third system contains two lines of lyrics. The fourth system contains two lines of lyrics, with the first line marked as the start of the chorus. The score ends with a double bar line.

WORDS: John H. Sammis  
MUSIC: Daniel B. Townner

TRUST AND OBEY  
Irregular meter

# Pastoral Prayer

## Pastoral Prayer

Today we will pray for the country of **Afghanistan**.

Population: **43,844,000**

**0 %** Evangelical

**81 %** Unevangelized

The re-conquest of Afghanistan by the Taliban in 2021 came as a shock to many. These events led to the suspension of humanitarian aid to the needy people of Afghanistan, the reintroduction of much harsher Islamic laws, the flight of millions of Afghans from Taliban rule, the intensified persecution (and even manhunt) of Christians, and the emboldening of Islamist movements elsewhere against what they perceive as a weak and failing Western world. The destruction and aftermath of the 2023 earthquake, the gripping poverty and hunger, and the heavy hand of this Islamist regime also intensify the suffering. There is so much to pray for; above all, pray that God preserve the lives of Afghans so that they might hear the good news of Jesus.

## **WBC Homebound Member of the Week**

We will pray for our own **Roland Spano**.

(13252 Legacy Ct.

Baton Rouge, LA 70816)

Cell: (225)270-9357

## **Local Church**

We will also pray for **Redeemer Baptist Church**, and their pastor, **Preston Thompson**.

(14140 S. Harrell's Ferry Rd.

Baton Rouge, LA 70816)

## **Government Leaders**

Additionally, we will pray for Louisiana Attorney General, **Liz Murrill**.

(P.O. Box 94005

Baton Rouge, LA 70804)

## **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)**

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

# 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–April 2026 Budget Giving

Received.....	\$357,209.97
Expenses.....	\$320,362.91

## Building on Faith Giving

Total Collected in January–March.....\$13,355.23

## Attendance

June 28, 2026.....253 people

Online Giving:



# GOD SENDS US TO SERVE

## Bible Reading Plans

There are new Bible Reading Plans available in the foyer that cover July through September.

## Combined Sunday Schools

Sunday, July 5– Parenting and Grandparenting

Sunday, July 12– Parenting and Understanding Technology

Sunday, July 19– Parenting Panel

## Family Camp 2026

**Camp registration is now open!** WBC will be hosting Camp at Dry Creek Baptist Camp for ALL ages on **July 20–23!** We look forward to a fun summer camp together! See Lyn Bailey for details.



## Woodlawn Hymnal Playlist

We have created a playlist filled with songs we sing here at Woodlawn that is now available to you through Apple Music and Spotify.



Apple Music



Spotify

## WBC Children Summer Schedule

Here is our summer schedule for our children's ministry.

### Playdates

July 9– Liberty Lagoon

July 17 – Watts Family Pool

July 30 – Aqua PARDS

### Open Gym & Playground

July 6

July 13

July 27

## **Upcoming Fall Dates and Kickoffs**

SOAC Family Pool Party– August 23

AWANA and Fellowship Meals– Begin on August 26

Preteen Retreat– August 28–29

Life Groups, Preschool, Children's, and Student Choir– September 13

# Benediction

**Scripture Reading: Colossians 3:16–17 (ESV)**

**Prospective Members to be Considered at  
the Upcoming Members' Meeting:**

Gloria Griffin  
Carol Hughes

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Cell: (225) 603–1612

By Baptism:  
Jared Keyes  
Olivia Wilkins

Cell: (225) 939–7674  
Cell: (225) 485–1688

# WEEKLY SCHEDULE

## Sunday, July 5

9:00am	Combined Sunday School	Sanctuary
10:15am	The Worship Gathering	Sanctuary

## Monday, July 6

10:00am	Open Gym & Playground	Gym/Playground
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## Tuesday, July 7

## Wednesday, July 8

6:00am	Men's Bible Study	Frank's Restaurant
6:00pm	Youth Summer Study	Lindsay House

## Thursday, July 9

10:00am	Summer Playdate	Liberty Lagoon
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## Friday, July 10

## Saturday, July 11

## Sunday, July 12

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

## Staff

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