

**WEST BEND CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR
SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, 2024, 10 AM**

PRELUDE April Brown
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
***CONGEGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP** #349
“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jessus”
OPENING PRAYER
***HYMN OF PRAISE** “He Leadeth Me” #128
***THE AFFIRMATION OF OUR FAITH** “The Apostles’ Creed” #881 (All)
THE MORNING & LORD’S PRAYER
MORNING TITHES AND OFFERINGS
OFFERTORY Choir
DOXOLOGY “Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow” #95
OFFERTORY PRAYER

SCRIPTURE
Revelation 21:1-7 (NIV)
21 Then I saw “a new heaven and a new earth,”[a] for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. 2 I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. 3 And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Look! God’s dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. 4 ‘He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death’[b] or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.”
5 He who was seated on the throne said, “I am making everything new!” Then he said, “Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.”
6 He said to me: “It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. To the thirsty I will give water without cost from the spring of the water of life. 7 Those who are victorious will inherit all this, and I will be their God and they will be my children.

Hebrews 10:11-14 (NIV)
11 Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. 12 But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right

hand of God, 13 and since that time he waits for his enemies to be made his foot-stool. 14 For by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy.

MESSAGE "Jesus, The Great Pioneer" Rev. Jon Hunter

> **Perfector - A person who completes or makes something perfect.**
> **God - Makes all things new when we follow Him.**
> **Jesus - Gives us peace and life that is abundant.**
> **Kingdom - Available to everyone in this world and the next world - Worth everything that we have.**
> **Basic Law of God's Kingdom - "Love Your Enemies" - John 15:13**

> **Jesus gives us:**
+ **A new way of life.**
+ **Food that will not fade away.**
+ **Joy and Hope**

> **Christianity will always appear to be an exaggeration to the world.**
> **John 3:3 -- "Very truly I tell you, no one can see the Kindgom of God unless they are born again."**

RECOGNITION OF REV. JON HUNTER Hal Johnson

***HYMN OF DEDICATION** “How Great Thou Art” #77
***THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH**
***RECESSIONAL** #672 (vs. 1, no refrain)
“God Be With You till We Meet Again”
*God be with you till we meet again, by his counsels guide, uphold you,
with his sheep securely fold you, God be with you till we meet again.*
**Please stand as you are able.*

Thank you to Jon Hunter for preaching today! We appreciate you so much! You have truly been a blessing to all of us at West Bend Church.

There are hearing devices available to use during worship. Please see an usher for assistance.

Prayer List

Our Church Family

Cecil Branson Harold Hill
Gail Hurley Joretta Holt
Wanda Stout

Our Family & Friends

Ron Coggins (Carol Petty's nephew)
Karen Davis (Doris' daughter)
Joey Hazlewood (Cindy Ingold's cousin)
Jene Inman (Cindy Ingold's friend)
Israel

Our Church & Country

Angela Frye (Donna Robbins' cousin)
Those on their way to our church
Angie Toomes (Dare & Layne's daughter)
Unsaved
Unspoken Requests

Assisted & Skilled Living Residents

*=Church Member

Alpine, Asheboro:

*Juanita Porche

Cross Roads, Asheboro:

Marie Caldwell, William Holloway

Universal, Ramseur: *Lena McMasters

Our Military

Logan Morris, Veterans

Christian Sympathy

Bebe Lewallen Harris (Horace Lewallen's aunt & Judy Stultz's friend)

Prayer Requests will be left for 2 weeks unless notified otherwise.

Thank You Note

Dear West Bend Church Family,
Thanks for all the cards, texts and visits during my healing! You all are the best! You all are my family! I love you all!
Carol Petty

Tithes/Offerings/Attendance for Last Sunday

Budget Offering: \$1,515

Attendance: 23

Thank you for your attendance and your Budget Tithes & Offerings.

Church Calendar

Sunday, August 25

10 am Worship

Tuesday, August 27

11 am Bulletin Deadline

12 pm Table of Grace

Thursday, August 29

Office Closed

Table of Grace fed 105 last week.

Starting next Sunday, September 1, our

worship will be at 11 AM!

We are happy to announce Richard

Routh will be our pastor.

Worship Associates

Musicians: April Brown, Choir

Sound System: Richard Lanier

Ushers: Mike Brown, Bill Burrow

Attendance Takers: Linda Burrow, Kathy McGowan

Communion Preparer: Debra Hill

Thank you for your service!

WinGs (Women in God's service)

Hospice Snacks Collection

Please leave snacks in the box provided.

Ministry Staff

Ministers

Every Member

Office Manager

Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers

Lay Leader

Mrs. Carol S. Petty

Janitor

Mr. Tim Burrow

Ways to Reach Church Staff

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FIXING OUR EYES ON JESUS,

the *pioneer* and *perfecter* of faith.
For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

HEBREWS 12:2

Welcome!

We are so glad you are here today!

If you are a visitor, please fill out a connection card located in the pews.

We would like to get to know you better. If you have a prayer request, please fill out the other side of the connection card.

Completed cards may be placed in the offering plate.