

WEST BEND CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR
SUNDAY, MAY 18, 2025, 11 AM

PRELUDE “Morning Has Broken” April Brown
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Carol Petty

(If you have a prayer request, even if you announce it, please take time to fill out a card located in the pews so we can keep up with the requests. If you are a visitor, please fill out the other side of the card with your information. Completed cards may be placed in the offering plate. We would like to welcome you to our church & hope you find our worship encouraging and will attend again.)

*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP #349

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”
PASTOR’S WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER Rev. Richard Routh
THE LORD’S PRAYER (In Unison)

*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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

SCRIPTURE INTRODUCTION/CHILDREN’S TIME “Consequences”

*HYMN OF PRAISE “This is My Father’s World” #144

MORNING TITHES AND OFFERINGS
OFFERTORY “He’s Only A Prayer Away” Choir
DOXOLOGY “Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow” #95
OFFERTORY PRAYER

MESSAGE Rev. Richard Routh
“All to the Glory of God”

SCRIPTURE I Corinthians 10:12-14, 23-24, 31-33 (ESV:
12 Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall. 13 No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it. 14 Therefore, my beloved, flee from idolatry. 23 “All things are lawful,” but not all things are helpful. “All things are lawful,” but not all things build up. 24 Let no one seek

his own good, but the good of his neighbor.
31 So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God. 32 Give no offense to Jews or to Greeks or to the church of God, 33 just as I try to please everyone in everything I do, not seeking my own advantage, but that of many, that they may be saved.

Consider This:
Victory in Christ over Temptation:
Jesus knows our situation - (Hebrews 4:15).
God gives us strength to overcome temptation. (Philippians 4:13)
Things Lawful verses helpful and spiritually beneficial. (1 Cor 10:23)
Is it more appealing than the things of God?
Will it keep me from prayer?
Will it diminish my hunger for God’s Word?
Will it pull me away from other Christian believers?
Are the Consequences worth the Action?

SERMON WRAP-UP

*HYMN OF DEDICATION “O, How I Love Jesus” #170

*THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

*RECESSIONAL “God Be With You Till We Meet Again” #672 (no refrain)
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.*
There are hearing devices available to use during worship. Please see an usher for assistance.

Prayer List

Our Church Family
Doris Davidson Paul Foust
Harold Hill Laurie Hunt
Gail Hurley Tom Morgan
Judy Stultz Brenda Welch

Our Family & Friends
Karen Davis (Doris Davidson’s daughter)
Angela Frye (Donna Robbins’ cousin)
Charles Lewis
Milton Redding
Amber Southard (April Brown’s friend)
Andrea Sykes (Carol’s sister-in-law)
Angie Toomes (Campbell’s daughter)
Jeff Trogdon (Cindy Shepard’s cousin)
Brenda Sykes Varner (Carol Petty’s niece)
James Varner

Assisted & Skilled Living Residents
*=Church Member
Cross Roads, Asheboro: Marie Caldwell
Ramseur Rehab: *Carolyn Dotson
*Lena Mae McMasters

Our Military
Logan Morris, Veterans

Prayer Requests will be listed for 2 weeks unless notified otherwise. Thank you.

Worship Associates
Musicians: April Brown, Choir
Sound System: Richard Lanier
Ushers: Mike Brown, Bill Burrow
Attendance Takers:
Linda Burrow, Kathy McGowan
Power Point: Mary Anne Routh
Communion Preparer: Debra Hill
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!

Church Calendar

Sunday, May 18
11 am Worship

Tuesday, May 19
12 pm Table of Grace

Wednesday, May 20
1 pm Bible Study

Attendance &
Tithes & Offering Updates

May 11

Budget Offering; \$1536

Attendance; 21

Ministry Staff
Ministers Every Member
Pastor Rev. Richard Routh
Office Manager Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers
Lay Leader Mrs. Carol S. Petty
Janitor Mr. Tim Burrow

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