

WEST BEND CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2025, 11 AM

PRELUDE	“Along the Road”	Kathryn Griffith
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		
*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP	“Be Still My Soul”	#534
PASTOR’S WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER		Rev. Richard Routh
THE LORD’S PRAYER	(In Unison)	
<i>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.</i>		
SCRIPTURE INTRODUCTION/CHILDREN’S TIME		
“A Prayer for the People”		
*HYMN OF PRAISE	“I Need Thee Every Hour”	#396
MORNING TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY	“When the Church of Jesus” #592	Choir
DOXOLOGY	“Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow”	#95
OFFERTORY PRAYER		
MESSAGE		Rev. Richard Routh
“A Personal Prayer for a Nation”		
SCRIPTURE		Hosea 14:1-9 NLT
A Plea to Return to the Lord		
14 Return, O Israel, to the Lord your God, for your sins have brought you down.		
2 Bring your confessions, and return to the Lord. Say to him, “Forgive all our sins and graciously receive us, so that we may offer you our praises.		

3 Assyria cannot save us,
nor can our warhorses.
Never again will we say to the idols we have made,
‘You are our gods.’
No, in you alone
do the orphans find mercy.”

4 The Lord says,
“Then I will heal you of your faithlessness;
my love will know no bounds,
for my anger will be gone forever.

CONSIDER THIS:
Key Elements of a Repentant Prayer:
Acknowledgement: That He is the Lord of your life.
Confession: Of your sins.
Petition: God for forgiveness.
Commitment: To praise God continually.
Recognition: That you cannot live the Christian life in your own strength.
Commit yourself to turn to him in your times of trouble and temptation.
God promises healing and love for us that will “know no bounds”

*HYMN OF DEDICATION “Rescue the Perishing” #591
*THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH
*RECESSONAL #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.*

*Please stand as you are able.

Special thanks to Kathryn Griffith for playing the piano today.

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

Upper Room Devotional books are available to pick up from the bookcase to the right of the carport doors as you are leaving. Pick up one to use in your daily devotions.

Flyers for West Bend are in the back. Pick one up to mail or take to a neighbor, friend, family member and you can also post at the library, a restaurant, etc.

Table of Grace fed 90 last week.

Prayer List

Our Church Family

Paul Foust
Harold Hill
Gail Hurley
Dave McGowan
Billie Nance
Sandra Paisley
Susan Reid
Mary Anne Routh
Judy Stultz
Vivian Morgan

Our Family & Friends

John Bernhard
Diann Davis (Rita Lanier's sister)
Karen Davis (Doris Davidson's daughter)
Angela Frye (Donna Robbins' cousin)
Andrea Sykes (Carol Petty's sister-in-law)
Angie Toomes (Campbell's daughter)
Channing Welch (Chuck & Toni's granddaughter)

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.

Charge Conference November 16 at 3 pm at West Chapel

1739 West Chapel Rd., Asheboro.
Joint worship service & presentations with New Hope, West Chapel, Tabernacle & West Bend.

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

Church Calendar

Sunday, October 26
11 am Worship

Tuesday, October 28
11 am Bulletin Deadline
12 pm Table of Grace

Wednesday, October 29
No Bible Study



*This Saturday, November 1, turn your clocks back
one hour before bed!*

*We are so happy you are here and would like to
welcome you!*

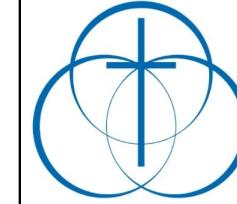
*We hope you find our worship encouraging and will
attend again. If you are a first time visitor, please fill
out a connection card located in the pews. If you have a
prayer request, even if you announce it, please take
time to fill out a prayer request card so we can note
them properly. Completed cards may be placed in the
offering plate. Thank you.*

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**“The paths of the Lord are
true and right, and righteous
people live by walking in
them.”**

Hosea 14:9b NLT