

# The Worship of The Lord

January 11, 2026

## THE PEOPLE GATHER

### GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS and  
JOYS/CONCERNS OF THE COMMUNITY (10:25 a.m.)

Mike Page

### CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*Worship begins with the Prelude. Please use this time to enjoy the sacred music and to prepare your heart and mind for an encounter with God.*

### PRELUDE

#### To Sing to the Lord a New Song

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Blaine Pittman

LEADER: O sing to the Lord a new song;

PEOPLE: Sing to the Lord, all the earth!

LEADER: Sing to the Lord, bless his name;

PEOPLE: Tell of his salvation from day to day.

LEADER: Declare his glory among the nations,

PEOPLE: His marvelous works among all the people!

ALL: For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised!

(Psalm 96:1-4)

#### \*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 350

*The Church's One Foundation*..... AURELIA

### INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Randy Frazier

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

## To Speak as God Listens

### REPORT FROM THE PASTOR SEARCH TEAM

### GUIDED PRAYER

### MORNING PRAYER

#### To Offer Self and Substance

#### \*OFFERTORY HYMN NO. 210

*My Jesus, I Love Thee*..... GORDON

#### \*OFFERTORY PRAYER

Linda Cooper

#### \*DOXOLOGY NO. 253 .....

OLD 100TH

### A TIME WITH CHILDREN

*(children preschool through 3rd grade are invited to Children's Church)*

#### CONGREGATIONAL CHORUS NO. 244

*Spirit of the Living God*..... IVERSON

#### To Listen as God Speaks

### THROUGH SPECIAL MUSIC

*It Is Well with My Soul*..... Horatio G. Spafford and Philip P. Bliss

Susan Frazier and Blaine Pittman

### THROUGH READING OF THE WORD

Portions of Luke 15 and Luke 19:1-10

### THROUGH THE MESSAGE: "Why Christ Came"

(Second in a three-part series)

## To Respond to God's Call

#### \*HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 486

*Lord, Here Am I*..... BECK

#### \*COMMISSION and BLESSING

#### \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE NO. 252

*Glory Be to the Father*..... GLORIA PATRI

#### \*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

### THE PEOPLE DEPART

#### Rejoicing in God's Goodness

### POSTLUDE

*Power in the Blood*..... arr. Lauren Gadd

Clyde Patterson

*\*Congregation stands, who are able*

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### The Ministry of Worship Participants

Dr. Clay Warf, Transitional Pastor

Blaine Pittman, Director of Music & Education

Clyde Patterson, Church Organist

Karen Sawyer, Church Musician

## Today

Deacons: Randy Frazier & Linda Cooper  
Children's Church: Brenda Griffin  
Nursery & Toddlers: Paula Strickland

Meet in the Fellowship Hall  
\$5 payable at the door

# Family Night Meal & Bible Study

January 14, 2026 @ 5:30 PM

Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall.

## 2026 Financial Summary for 1 Weeks

Family Night Meal  
January 28, 2026 @ 5:30 PM  
\$5 payable at the door

Quarterly Business Meeting  
January 28, 2025  
after the Family Night Meal

## Member Prayer Request

Patsy Carty	Weedie Hayes	Sandra Mayo
Kathy Davis	Sue Jenkins	Claudia Mull
Judy Edwards	Angie Jeffreys	Cheryl Rice

## Prayer on Behalf of Members

Harrison Barnett	Family of Erica Lowery	Johnathan Sawyer
Dexter Denton	Paul Patterson	Charlee Skinner
Rudy Frazier	Tracy Radican	Edith Skinner
Carolyn Jernigan		Janice Smith
		Wanda Surles

## Card Ministry to the Homebound

*An Opportunity to Give*

The Bereavement Team is a team of ladies at NBC who come together to provide a special meal to families at the loss of a loved one. This meal is a time of family gathering and sharing Jesus's love with those in our church family who are grieving. This special time around a table has been a source of support and love for many of our families over the years. If you feel led to give to this special ministry, please do so by indicating "Bereavement Meals" on your check memo and writing "Bereavement Meals" on your church envelope. Thank you in advance for your love and support.

NBC Bereavement Teams

# Bible Study

Led by Dr. Warf  
6 p.m. January 14 & 21



Communion Sunday & Benevolence Fund Offering  
Sunday, January 25, 2026

The benevolence offering aids in the important task of helping those in our community facing crisis situations.

Welcome

We are glad you are here!  
If you are new to NBC, please fill out a "New Here" card in the back of the pew and turn it in at the end of the service.  
You can also use the QR code to learn more about NBC.



Use this QR Code to connect with NBC

Items of the Month

# January

• Laundry Detergent

