

**Welcome to the Worship Gathering
at FBC Cordele**

Worship is the right, fitting, and delightful response of moral beings — angelic and human— to God the Creator, Redeemer, and Consummator, for who he is as one eternal God in three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—and for what he has done in creation and redemption, and for what he will do in the coming consummation, to whom be all praise and glory, now and forever, world without end. Amen.

And so, as we gather each Lord's Day, between the now and not yet of God's kingdom, let us worship God for who he is, as one eternal God in three persons – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – and for what he has done in creation and redemption, and for what he will do in the coming consummation. Let us worship God on earth as he is worshipped in heaven.¹

In our worship service we aim to be Christ-centered, Holy Spirit-led, and glorify God in all things. The Scriptures guide all that we do as we sing the Word (Eph 5:19; Heb 13:15) in congregational singing, read the Word (1 Tim 4:13; Col 4:15-16), pray the Word (Col 4:2-4; 1 Tim 2:1), preach the Word (Acts 4:24; 1 Tim 4:13), and see the Word (Matt 28:19; 1 Cor 11:24-25) through the ordinances of baptism and the Lord's Supper. We pray that through all of this that you will be edified (1 Cor 14:26) as we focus wholly on our Triune God and His inspired Word.

We believe that every part of the service should be participatory. By this we mean, we encourage you to sing every song, open your Bibles, read along, and take notes during the sermon, engage in responsive reading, and pray with us. We hope that through this you will grow in the Word and will behold the glory of Christ.

Soli Deo Gloria
To God Alone be the Glory

¹Jonathan Gibson, "Worship On Earth as It Is in Heaven," in Reformation Worship: Liturgies from the Past for the Present, ed. Jonathan Gibson and Mark Earngey (Greensboro, NC: New Growth Press, 2018), 2, 21.

Worship Liturgy

Call to Worship

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Forever

Pastoral Prayer (Daniel Stewart)

I Stand Amazed (Hymn 187)

Christ Our Hope In Life And Death (Hymn 183)

Sermon: Psalm 107

The Lord's Supper

We Give Thanks (Psalm 107)

Doxology (Hymn 384)

Call to Worship

Recieve the Word of the Lord from John 15:5:

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

Confession of Sin

Let us confess our sin to God:

We pray that you would look upon us with mercy, as you did with the thief who hung beside you on the cross. You opened his heart so that he confessed his sins and was forgiven. We pray that you would open our hearts as well, so that we may confess our sin and rest in your forgiveness.

Assurance of Pardon

Receive these words of comfort from Philippians 4:4-7:

I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Forever

Chris Tomlin

Verse 1

Give thanks to the Lord
Our God and King
His love endures forever
For He is good
He is above all things
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Verse 2

With a mighty hand
And an outstretched arm
His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Pre-Chorus

Sing praise sing praise
Chorus
Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever forever

Verse 3

From the rising to the setting sun
His love endures forever
And by the grace of God
We will carry on
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Pre-Chorus

Sing praise sing praise
Chorus
Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever forever

**I Stand Amazed
(Hymn 187)**

Norton Hall Band

Verse 1

I stand amazed in the presence
of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how
He could love me
A sinner condemned unclean

Chorus

How marvelous how wonderful
And my song shall ever be
How marvelous how wonderful
is my Saviour's love for me

Verse 2

For me it was in the garden
He prayed not My will but Thine
He had no tears for His own griefs
But sweat drops of blood for mine

Chorus

How marvelous how wonderful
And my song shall ever be
How marvelous how wonderful
is my Saviour's love for me

Verse 3

He took my sins and my sorrows
He made them His very own
He bore the burden to Calvary
And suffered and died alone

Chorus

How marvelous how wonderful
And my song shall ever be
How marvelous how wonderful
is my Saviour's love for me

Verse 4

When with the ransomed in glory
His face I at last shall see
Will be my joy through the ages
to sing of His love for me

(Chorus 2x)

**Christ Our Hope
In Life And Death
(Hymn 183)**

Matt Papa and Matt Boswell

Verse 1

What is our hope
in life and death
Christ alone, Christ alone
What is our only confidence
That our souls to Him belong
Who holds our days
within His hand
What comes apart
from His command
And what will keep
us to the end
The love of Christ
in which we stand

Chorus

O sing hallelujah
Our hope springs eternal
O sing hallelujah
Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death

Verse 2

What truth can calm
the troubled soul
God is good, God is good
Where is His grace
and goodness known
In our great Redeemer's blood
Who holds our faith
when fears arise
Who stands above
the stormy trial
Who sends the waves
that bring us nigh
Unto the shore
the rock of Christ

Verse 3

Unto the grave
what will we sing
Christ He lives, Christ He lives
And what reward will heaven
bring everlasting life with Him
There we will rise
to meet the Lord
Then sin and death
will be destroyed
And we will feast in endless joy
When Christ is ours
forevermore

**We Give Thanks
(Psalm 107)**

Sovereign Grace

Verse 1

Once in the wilderness
of our sin
We wandered
lost and without hope
Into our desert waste
God in grace
Came to restore
and bring us home
Let the redeemed
of God rise up and sing
Chorus 1
We give thanks O God
for Your steadfast love
We give thanks O God
for You are good
Lord You are good we give thanks

Verse 2

Through every pain and trial
You provide
Light in the dark of our distress
Lifting us from on high
when we cry
Turning our grief to gratefulness
Let the redeemed of God
rise up and sing

Chorus 2

We give thanks O God
for Your steadfast love
We give thanks O God
for You are good
Lord You are good
We give thanks O God
for Your steadfast love
We give thanks O God
for You are good
Lord You are good
we give thanks

Bridge

You take the darkness and
make it as light
Hearts that were dead in sin
You raise to life
You take a barren place
and make it a spring
Let the redeemed of God
rise up and sing
Let the redeemed of God
rise up and sing

AUGUST 5 @ 6PM



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Sunday School	We desire to help you grow in knowledge of the Word of God by applying it to daily life. Quad: Evangelism Classroom A: Systematic Theology
Worship Gathering	We desire to fellowship, learn through corporate singing, learn through exposition of the Word (conviction, edification, beholding Christ's glory, call to respond), encourage, and console.
Life Groups	Community, fellowship, life-on-life, accountability, service opportunities. During the summer, all Life Groups are meeting together at the church at 5pm. Not in a Life Group yet? You still have a chance to jump in, get connected, and see what it's all about! This Sunday, July 26 at 5PM we will have a time of fellowship and have a Member's Meeting to continue working through our membership role.
Midweek Bible Study	No Midweek Activities until the Fall.
FBC Students	On Sundays, we are continuing a series through the Apostles' Creed and seeing how its ancient truths change our heads, hearts, and hands.
FBC Kids	Each Sunday School class is led by wonderful teachers who love the Lord. Nursery and childcare is available for kids birth-Pre-K during the 10am Worship Gathering. Our AWANA Kick-off will be on August 5 @ 6PM.



NOTES FOR REFLECTION

Read Psalm 107 (Thanksgiving)

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**THIS WEEK
@ FBC CORDELE**

SUNDAY

9AM: SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10AM: WORSHIP GATHERING

5PM: FELLOWSHIP/MEMBER'S MEETING

WEDNESDAY

NO MIDWEEK ACTIVITIES



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Lord's Day Gathering

July 26, 2026

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Glory
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