

The Order for the Worship of the Risen Christ

September 13, 2026

11:00 a.m.

“To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.” (Revelation 1:5b-6)

Welcome and Announcements **(Please turn your cell phone to “silent” mode. Thank you!)**

Prelude udy Bailey

Call to Worship Psalm 113:1-4

PASTOR: ¹Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD!

ALL: ²Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore! ³From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised! ⁴The LORD is high above all nations, and his glory above the heavens!

*Hymn #111 *This Is My Father’s World* words printed on the back

*Congregational Prayer (to be prayed in unison) from The Valley of Vision

Creator and Redeemer God, I adore thee for making me capable of knowing thee, for giving me reason and conscience, for leading me to desire thee;

I praise thee for the revelation of thyself in the gospel. Thou hast moved my conscience to know how the guilty can be pardoned, the unholy sanctified, the poor enriched.

May I always be amongst those who not only hear but know thee, who walk with and rejoice in thee, who take thee at thy word and find life there.

Keep me always longing for a present salvation in Holy Spirit comforts and rejoicings, for spiritual graces and blessings, for help to value my duties as well as my privileges.

O God, make me worthy of this calling, that the name of Jesus may be glorified in me and I in Him. Amen.

*Hymn #499 *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me* words printed on the back

Morning Prayers for Christ’s Church and the World Joe Holman

Scripture Lesson Habakkuk 3:1-19

Sermon Sam Hodge, Pastoral Intern

Silent Reflection and Prayer

The author of Habakkuk is not described in great detail other than his description of a prophet from the LORD (1:1). He brings his prophecy to the people of Israel in the time leading up to the invasion of Babylon in 605BC. Habakkuk relates a back-and-forth conversation with God where he wrestles with the injustice that he sees in the world around him. Much like Job, Habakkuk honestly cries out to the LORD as he sees the turmoil and corruption in the world around him. Habakkuk displays how the LORD listens to the cries of his people yet also guides them towards Himself – often through discipline. One of the focal messages of Habakkuk’s prophecy is “the righteous shall live by His faith” (Hab. 2:4b). In his despair, Habakkuk cries out to the LORD to protect His righteous children. By His grace, God calls Habakkuk to live a life of faith – trusting not in himself but putting his entire trust in the God of his salvation. Overall, this prophecy answers Habakkuk’s honest questions by pointing him to the fact that God loves His people enough to discipline them and sustain their faith – even through great trials. Ultimately, this prophecy points the people of God to a future Messiah who has come to endure God’s judgement and fulfill the righteousness that we could never earn. Today we have the privilege of worshipping our savior Jesus who has brought fulfillment to God’s promise to Habakkuk.

*Hymn #565 *All for Jesus!* words printed on the back

Benediction Habakkuk 3:17-19

Postlude Judy Bailey

*Congregation Stands. (Please feel free to be seated at any time.)

WELCOME TO ALL who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whoever will come this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. **PLEASE SIGN, PASS THE FRIENDSHIP REGISTRATION BOOKS DOWN THE AISLE AND THEN PASS IT BACK. USE IT TO GREET ONE ANOTHER BY NAME!**

POT PROVIDENCE LUNCHEON: September 27th after the worship service. Please sign-up and bring an entrée and side dish/salad or dessert.

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY will be held on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. through thru October 27th on “Knowing Christ” by R.C. Sproul.

CHURCH DIRECTORY - It is the time of the year to update or to be added to Cornerstone Directory. You do not have to be a member to be added to the directory. Please send information to Rebecca Hagedorn by text 828-508-3516. Photo, address, cell numbers, emails and birth dates (not year). Deadline: September 28th.

SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING will meet tonight September 13th at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

NURSERY SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER – TODAY: September 13th Nancy Davis, Kathleen George; 20th Denise Sawyer, Amy Holman; 27th Marsha Elliott, Rebecca Hagedorn

This Is My Father's World

This is my Father's world, and to my list'ning ears, all nature sings and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise, the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair; in the rustling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forge that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.
This is my Father's world: the battle is not done; Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav'n be one.

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee; let the water and the blood, from thy riven side which flowed,
be of sin the double cure, cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r

Not the labors of my hands can fulfil thy law's demands; could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow,
all for sin could not atone; thou must save, and thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling; naked, come to thee for dress; helpless, look to thee for grace;
foul, I to the Fountain fly; wash me, Savior, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids close in death, when I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgement throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.

All for Jesus!

All for Jesus! All for Jesus! All my being's ransomed pow'rs, all my thoughts and words and doings, all my days and all my hours.

Let my hands perform his bidding, let my feet run in his ways; let my eyes see Jesus only, let my lips speak forth his praise.

Worldlings prize their gems of beauty, cling to gilded toys of dust, boast of wealth and fame and pleasure; only Jesus will I trust.

Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I've lost sight of all beside; so enchained my spirit's vision, looking at the Crucified.

O what wonder! How amazing! Jesus, glorious King of kings, deigns to call me his beloved, lets me rest beneath his wings.

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*...built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets,
Christ Jesus Himself being the chief cornerstone. Ephesians 2:20*



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OUR VISION

Cornerstone Presbyterian Church is a vibrant and unified community of Christians and their covenant children whose sole desire is to glorify God in everything. Because God's grace has won our affections we are wholeheartedly committed to the following: the absolute authority of the Bible because it is the very Word of God; enthusiastic and biblical worship; deeds of mercy and sacrificial service; earnest prayer; deepening relationships with one another; and joyful, intentional proclamation of salvation by grace through faith in Jesus Christ to all the world beginning in Brevard. We warmly welcome as members all who trust in Jesus Christ alone for salvation and fully share our vision.

OUR MISSION

The mission of Cornerstone Presbyterian Church is to glorify the triune God by exalting Him and by edifying and equipping our members to share the gospel with everyone in both word and deed beginning in Brevard and to the ends of the earth.