

# Our Offering of Worship

The Wakefield Baptist Church

September 13, 2026

*We gather in the Spirit of the Lord*

**Prelude**

Julie Wardwell

**Greetings & Announcements**

Gayle Laurent-Reposa

**The sanctuary candles are lit**

**Introit: *Surely the Presence***

**The Call to Worship**

*(Please add your voices where the bold type appears)*

The Spirit of the Lord has gathered us in faith  
to unite us in song and brighten our praise.

**Rejoice in the Lord, for the Lord is good!**

The Spirit of the Lord is among us  
to crown us with steadfast love.

**Praise the Lord, whose mercy is forever sure!**

The Spirit of the Lord is within us  
to renew our souls and set our spirits free.

**Worship the Lord, whose presence is our peace!**

**\*A Hymn of Worship #7 *Worthy of Worship***

**\*Prayers of Approach**

Clay Berry

***The Invocation & Lord's Prayer:*** 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us  
from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***The Gloria Patri:*** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.



## *The Word of the Lord*

**The Psalm** *Psalms 145:1-10* (attached)

**The Gospel** *Luke 5:33-39* (p. 837)

*After each reading:*

**Leader:** The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God!

**The Anthem** *Come and Worship*

**The Good News of the Gospel**

# *We pray to the Lord*

**\*A Song of Celebration #355** *We Praise Thee, O God*

**The Prayers of All God's People**

*After each person prays, we all respond:  
"O Lord, hear our prayer."*

**A Song of Adoration #360** *We Will Glorify*



# *We go to love and serve the Lord*

**\*The Blessing & Recessional (#342)**

He is exalted the King is exalted on high;  
I will praise Him.  
He is exalted forever exalted  
and I will praise His name!  
He is the Lord, forever His truth shall reign;  
Heaven and earth rejoice in His Holy name.  
He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.

**\*The Postlude**

**\*Please stand if you are comfortably able to do so**

*Please join us for refreshments  
in our fellowship hall following our service.*



**This Church lives**  
to introduce Jesus Christ to those  
who do not know and love him,  
to deepen the faith and commitment  
of those who already know and love him,  
and to demonstrate Christ's way of love  
in service to the world.

**Surely the Presence:** Lanny Wolfe, 1977 Lanny Wolfe Music.

**Worthy of Worship:** Terry W. York / Mark Blankenship, 1988 Van Ness Press, Inc.

**Come and Worship:** Arranged by Patti Drennan, 2019 Lorenz Publ.

**We Praise Thee, O God:** William P. Mackay, 1863 / John J. Husband, 1815.

**We Will Glorify:** Twila Paris, 1982 New Spring, Inc.

**He is Exalted:** Twila Paris 1985 Straitway Music

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# Psalm 145:1-10



## ***Refrain:***

**I will praise you, O Lord, my God and King  
And bless your name forever.  
Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;  
Let all your saints adore you.**

I will praise you, my God and King,  
and bless your name forever and ever.  
Every day I will bless you  
and praise your name forever and ever.  
Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised;  
his greatness is unsearchable. ***Refrain.***

One generation shall commend your works to another  
and declare your mighty acts.  
They will recount the glorious splendor of your majesty,  
and on your wondrous works I will meditate.  
They will proclaim the might of your awesome deeds,  
and I will declare your greatness.  
They shall celebrate your abundant goodness  
and shall sing aloud of your righteousness. ***Refrain.***

The LORD is gracious and merciful,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.  
The LORD is good to all,  
and his compassion is over all that he has made.  
All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,  
and all your faithful shall bless you. ***Refrain.***

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

*Adapted from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible*