

Worship Guide 10/19/2025

Call to Worship

O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you; I will praise your name,
for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful
and sure.

Isaiah 25:1

Worshiping God by Singing

Glorious and Mighty

Majesty, Your glory is shining
brighter than the moon and the stars
Marveling, we honor and fear You
above all gods

Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty.
Joyful songs we raise
Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty,
greatly to be praised

Majesty, You fashioned the heavens.
Your decrees can never be changed
Over all the plans of the nations
Your judgments reign

Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty.
Joyful songs we raise
Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty,
greatly to be praised

Majesty, we'll sing with creation
when You come again in the clouds
Every knee will bow down and worship
the one true God

Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty.
Joyful songs we raise
Glorious and mighty,
You're awesome in beauty,
greatly to be praised!

Greatly to be praised!
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Worshiping God by Confessing Our Sins

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Forgive and restore us according to Your great and precious promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord. Grant that we may live a godly life to the glory of your holy name.

Amen.

Worshiping God by Confessing Our Hope

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according

to the purpose of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Ephesians 1:3-10

Worshiping God by Singing

There Is Hope

There is hope in grace unceasing
You withhold your wrath from me
Poured it out upon my Savior
On the cross of Calvary

There is hope now for the hopeless
There is victory all can know
For the tomb lies bare and broken
And death's pow'r is overthrown

Jesus Christ, my hope forever
Hope unlike the world can bring
Your steadfast love beyond all measure
There is hope in Christ my King

There is hope for sons and daughters
Who have wandered on their own
Hear the songs of joy from heaven
As the lost are welcomed home

Jesus Christ, my hope forever
Hope unlike the world can bring
Your steadfast love beyond all measure
There is hope in Christ my King

Hallelujah! Hope of heaven
Precious treasure of my life
All my joy is in your presence
I am yours and you are mine

I will wait until I see him
Though the twilight turns to night
For my hope is not defeated
It will greet His dawning light

Jesus Christ, my hope forever
Hope unlike the world can bring
Your steadfast love beyond all measure
There is hope in Christ my King
There is hope in Christ my King

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Prayer

Missionary of the Week:	Sumter Pregnancy Center Kristin Hallal
Community Church of the Week:	Salt and Light Church Rev. Rodney Howard
Presbytery Church of the Week:	Faith Presbyterian Church Rev. John Irwin

Worshiping God by Singing

Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
to receive the food of Your holy word
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us,
shape and fashion us in Your likeness

That the light of Christ might be seen today
in our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us
all Your purposes for Your glory

Teach us, Lord, full obedience,
holy reverence, true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
in the radiance of Your purity

Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see
Your majestic love and authority
Words of power that can never fail,
let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds,
help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
that will echo down through eternity

And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,
and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built,
and the earth is filled with Your glory

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Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Series: *High Hopes*
Sermon: *Plans Full of Hope*

⁴ “Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: ⁵ Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat their produce. ⁶ Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. ⁷ But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

⁸ For thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Do not let your prophets and your diviners who are among you deceive you, and do not listen to the dreams that they dream, ⁹ for it is a lie that they are prophesying to you in my name; I did not send them, declares the LORD. ¹⁰ For thus says the LORD: When seventy years are completed for Babylon, I will visit you, and I will fulfill to you my promise and bring you back to this place. ¹¹ For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. ¹² Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. ¹³ You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart. ¹⁴ I will be found by you, declares the LORD, and I will restore your fortunes and gather you from all the nations and all the places where I have driven you, declares the LORD, and I will bring you back to the place from which I sent you into exile.”

Jeremiah 29:4-14

God's _____ for his children give us _____ for the _____.

_____ plans are _____ plans.

God's plans have an _____ in mind.

God's plans for _____ is
found in _____.

So let's _____ as we wait in exile
_____ to the hope found in Christ.

Worshiping God by Singing

Sovereign Over Us

There is strength within the sorrow,
there is beauty in our tears
and You meet us in our mourning
with a love that casts out fear

You are working in our waiting,
sanctifying us
When beyond our understanding
you're teaching us to trust

Your plans are still to prosper,
you've not forgotten us
You're with us in the fire and the flood,
faithful forever perfect in love
You are sov'reign over us

You are wisdom unimagined,
who could understand Your ways
Reigning high above the heavens,
reaching down in endless grace

You're the lifter of the lowly,
compassionate and kind
You surround and You uphold me,
and Your promises are my delight

Your plans are still to prosper,
you've not forgotten us
You're with us in the fire and the flood,
faithful forever perfect in love
You are sov'reign over us

Even what the enemy means for evil,
you turn it for our good
You turn it for our good,
and for Your glory

Even in the valley You are faithful,
You're working for our good
You're working for our good
And for Your glory

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You turn it for our good,
and for Your glory

Even in the valley You are faithful,
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Benediction

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so
that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

Romans 15:13