

PRELUDE *In His Presence* Dick & Melodie Tunney

***CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP** *Awesome in This Place* David Billington

*As I come into Your presence, past the gates of praise,
Into Your sanctuary 'til we're standing face to face,
I look upon Your countenance, I see the fullness of Your grace;
And I can only bow down and say,
Your are awesome in this place, Mighty God.
You are awesome in this place, Abba Father.
You are worthy of all praise, to You our lives we raise,
And You are awesome in this place, Mighty God.*

***INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER** Joel Hobby, Deacon

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

***PASSING OF THE PEACE** Joel Hobby

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES Kerry Johnson

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at The Ridge today! If you are visiting, please fill out one of the green cards on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate at the end of the service. We're so glad to have you here, and we're grateful to know of your presence with us.

RESPONSIVE READING *Psalms 100* Kerry Johnson

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise.

Give thanks to him, bless his name.

For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

MORNING PRAYER Trey Davis

***HYMN 624** *Since Jesus Came into My Heart* McDaniel & Gabriel

SCRIPTURE READING *Genesis 17:1-8; Matthew 16:13-18* Joel Hobby

LEADER: These are the scriptures of God for the people of Christ.

PEOPLE: May the Spirit grant us understanding.

ANTHEM *The Savior Is Waiting* Ralph Carmichael

SERMON *What's In a Name?* Trey Davis

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT 501** *O Jesus, I Have Promised* ANGEL'S STORY

During this hymn, we invite you to reflect upon your relationship with God and your commitment to Christian service. If you would like to make a commitment to Christ or to become a member of Ridge Road Baptist Church, we invite you to come forward to speak with a pastor.

***PASTORAL BLESSING** Trey Davis

As we go out into the world, we look for opportunities to share our blessings with others. If you would like to contribute to the ministry here at Ridge Road Baptist Church, offering plates are available on the altar up front for your gifts.

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** *With All My Heart* Bobbie Mason

*With all my heart I want to love You, Lord,
And live my life each day to know You more.
All that is in me is Yours completely;
I'll serve You only, with all my heart.*

POSTLUDE *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian* I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

**please stand as you are able*

THREE SONGS ABOUT HOPE — Sunday, September 10 at 11:00 am

UKRAINIAN CULTURAL CENTER LAUNCH PARTY — Sunday, September 10th from 4:00-7:00. Come join in the fun and learn about the activities happening on our campus serving the Ukrainians in the Triangle.

FALL SENIOR ADULT RALLY — Tuesday, September 19th (10:00 am) at Central Baptist Church, Wendell. \$15 registration due by Sunday, September 10th. You may register by calling the church office or by submitting your registration fee.



Foushee Prayer Requests & Praises:

- We give thanks for an encouraging visit with the three ministers from FBC Dalton, GA and look forward to visiting them in June to discuss more about future mission team visits to Japan.
- Pray for our time in America visiting with congregations and other supporters through late August.

Back to School Donations for Washington Elementary

The requested items are different this year, but very much needed:

- New socks—sizes 5 to 11
- New children's underwear—sizes 6 to 12; any color (please no boxers)
- Shorts with elastic waist (athletic style works well)—sizes 6 to adult small
- Jeans or pants with adjustable or elastic waist—sizes 6 to 12
- Dry erase markers & erasers
- Money to replenish items as needed

Make checks payable to Ridge Road Baptist Church with *Washington Elementary/Sick Room Supplies* in the memo line. Place checks in the offering plate, or you may pay through Easy Tithe.

A red bin will be located in the Narthex to collect supplies.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Church Members:

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| Betty Duke | Patricia Lynn |
| Bob & Jane Edwards | Linda Pleasants |
| Joe Ellen | Helen Prevette |
| Martha Flynn | Vic Rackley |

DEACON OF THE DAY

Today.....Joel Hobby
Next Week (Sept. 3).....Phil Kirk

Family and Friends:

- Linda Creech (mother of Paige Kay)
- Joel & Allison Cresimore
- Linda DeSchreiver (niece of Jane Edwards)
- Virginia Herran (sister of Jo Cresimore)
- John & Jennifer LeMay (daughter and son-in-law of Jo Cresimore)
- Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)
- Marygena Lynn (sister-in-law of Patricia Lynn)
- Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)
- Tommy Jenkins (former member)
- Jimmy Collier (friend of Ray Craver)

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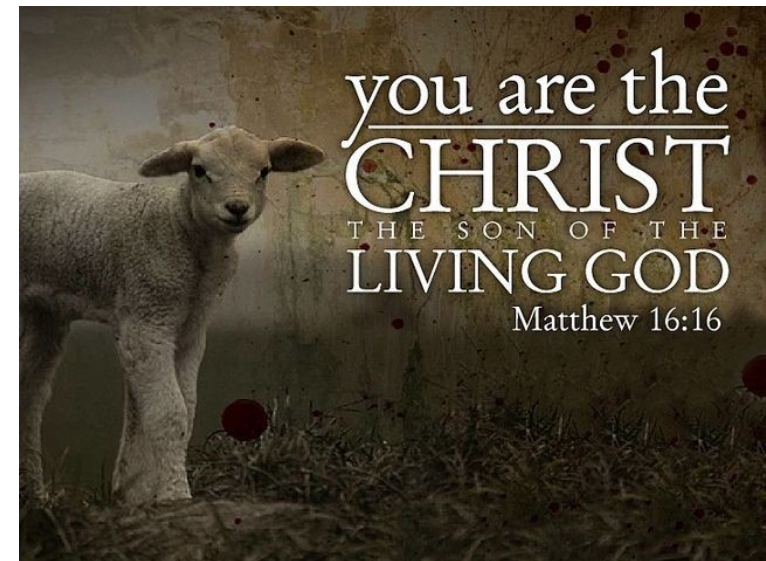
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