

THE 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 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**

Invitation to Christian Discipleship Rockford Johnson

***Hymn # 75** All People That on Earth Do Dwell

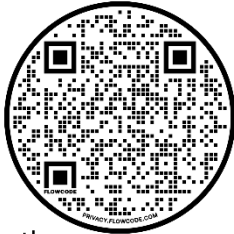
***Sending Forth** Rockford Johnson

*** Benediction #95** Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Postlude Power of Life - Mons Takle Stephen Wurst, organist

Dr. Stephen Wurst, Dir. of Music Ministries and Organist
Dr. Giovanni Corrodus, Assoc. Dir. of Music Ministries and Director of Choirs

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McFarlin UMC Sanctuary Worship: October 5, 2025

Call to Worship Coronation March - Kristina Rizzoto Stephen Wurst, organist

Welcome Rockford Johnson

***Hymn # 2126 (TFWS)** All Who Hunger Gather Gladly

***World Communion Opening Litany**
Leader: Today we are invited to a joyful feast, hosted by Jesus Christ. Wendi Neal

Spanish: Todos que tienen sed encontrarán una fuente de gracia aquí.
All: All who are thirsty will find a fountain of grace here. Darcy Pippins

Ukrainian: Усі голодні знайдуть тут хліб життя.
All: All who are hungry will find the bread of life here. Galina Brauer

Nigerian Pidgin English: Anybody way miss road, if them reach this place,
nobody fit touch them for here.
All: All who are lost will find safety here. Ehi Oikeh

Jamaican Patois: Aal a unu we naa no fren ago fain wan rait ya so.
All: All who are lonely will find a friend here. Giovanni Corrodus

ASL: All who have been wandering will find a home here.
All: All who have been wandering will find a home here. Emily Pitchford

Leader: For this is a heavenly banquet, and you are welcome here!
All: Let us worship God! Wendi Neal
- Rick Neale, 2013, Church of the New Covenant, Doraville GA

***Invitation to Our Offering** Scott Meier

Anthem Baba Yetu (The Lord's Prayer in Swahili) – Christopher Tin, arr. Kevin McChesney
Children's and Chancel Choir, Casey Shapiro, soloist
TJ Mason & Baxter Fry, percussion; Megan Corey & Maddie Fitter, bell tree
Carillon Handbell Choir; Kimberly Jensen, piano; Reagan Rasmussen, flute

***Doxology # 94** **Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**
 Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
 Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Children's Time Zach James
 This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
 This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Children's worship for grades K-5 will dismiss following the children's message at the 11:00 service.
Parents, please pick your children up in the 3rd floor children's area following the service.

Congregational Prayer Wendi Neal

***Hymn # 428** For the Healing of the Nations

Sermon Rockford Johnson
 Wrestling with Doubt, Walking with Jesus - Conversing about Prayer Answering
 Matthew 15:21-28

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Unison Prayer of Confession — by Michael J. O'Donnell, USA, 20th century

Almighty and all-loving God,
through your Son Jesus Christ
you have reconciled the world to yourself.
Help us now to be reconciled with one another,
that again we might dwell in the warmth of your love.
Inspire us with your Holy Spirit
to put aside the cloak of pride and put on Christ,
that we might forgive and be forgiven;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Words of Assurance (based on Psalm 66:16-20)

God listens. God hears us when we cry out,
when we speak honestly about where we have failed.
Praise God, who does not ignore our prayers
or withdraw faithful love from us!

Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

All: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Glory to God. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving:

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

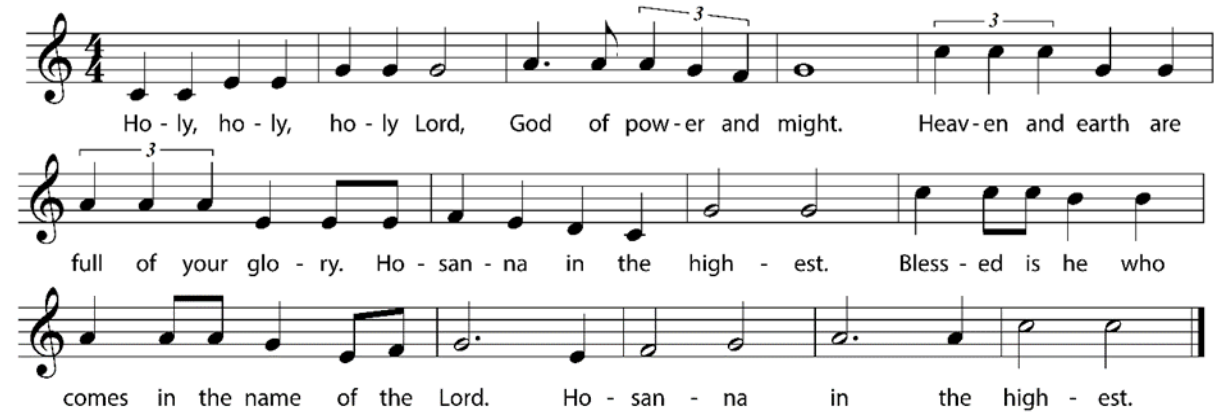
Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...And so...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



...And so, we proclaim the mystery of faith:



...All honor and glory is yours, almighty, loving God, now and forever:

