ORDER OF WORSHIP
November 8, 2026

Song: **270** – *Fairest Lord Jesus*
Song: **141** – *Blessed Assurance*
First prayer: **Jeff Hendrix**
Song: **341** – *In Gethsemane Alone*
Communion servers: **Brian Zumalt** & **Mark Brandt**
Prayer for giving: **Adam Bentley**
Song: **230** – *Heaven Holds All to Me*
Sermon: *"The Promises of God"* – **David Ray**
Invitation song: **420** – *Come to the Feast*
Closing song: **562** – *Stepping in the Light*
Closing prayer: **Mernie Ray**

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:
- Janna & Debbie – traveling
- Shane – deployment
- Gloria Hendrix – health
- Mimi, Ashley, Monica – studying with Lucinda
- Talisa Thompson (Chrishawn's mom) – surgery recovery
- Ralph Ashley (Alyssa's uncle) – cancer
- Pattie Hutchinson & Bruce Shive (Sue's siblings) – health concerns
- Starlyn Cooper, Carmen Lawson, Kim Nguyen – cancer
- Fannie Ray (Mernie's sister-in-law)
- Kim's cousin's son (Isaac Wood)–hole in heart caused by stroke (upcoming surgery)
- Our members with health issues: Kim, David, Mattie & baby

Please continue to remember: Connie Townsend, Lucinda, Vipin & India work, Aruna Kavali, Marinda Breeding, Holley Brewer, Kevin Brewer, Dylan Walker

ANNOUNCEMENTS:
-"Precept Upon Precept" is a YouTube channel with many sermons/articles (www.youtube.com/@preceptuponprecept8495); www.youtube.com/@churchofChrist-

RECORD FOR WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1, 2026

ATTENDANCE:
Bible Class – 10 AM Worship – 11 Sun PM – 9 DBR – 6 Wed (11/4) – 13

Contribution – $1501

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Matthew 9:37-38 *"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth laborers into his harvest."*

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THE GREAT COMMISSION
(PART 1)

Before His ascension (Luke 24:36-52; Acts 1:1-11), Jesus gave His apostles the Great Commission.

Matthew's account:
Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age" (Mat. 28:19-20).

Luke's account:
Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem" (Luke 24:46-47).

Mark's account:
And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned. And these signs will follow those who believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new

tongues; they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover." So then, after the Lord had spoken to them, He was received up into heaven, and sat down at the right hand of God. And they went out and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them and confirming the word through the accompanying signs. Amen (Mark 16:15-20).

John's account:

So Jesus said to them again, "Peace to you! As the Father has sent Me, I also send you." And when He had said this, He breathed on them, and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained" (John 20:21-23).

Those who would follow Christ were to be instructed to observe all that the Lord commanded. But how critical was this? Could they deviate from these instructions if they deemed it necessary due to changes in opinions, cultural norms, or preferred religious practices? No. The basis for the commission was this: "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth" (Mat. 28:18). Because Jesus has **"all authority,"** His followers must take care to do His will in **all** things. No one has the authority to alter, amend, or annul any of His instructions.

When it comes to our service to God, we need to look to what He has authorized in His Word. Rather than modeling our efforts after the world, or even after other religious groups, we are to strive faithfully to follow the pattern found in His Word.

Jesus has all authority. Everything we do must be done in His name. If we want to be His disciples, let us follow Him, not our opinions or the ideas of anyone else.

Doug Post

God's Great Power

In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, on the seventeenth day of the month, on the same day were all the fountains of the great deep broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened. And the rain was upon the earth forty days and forty nights (Gen. 7:11-12).

The account of the worldwide floodwaters of Noah's day is one of the earliest Bible stories that I can recall. I still marvel at the majesty of God's power. In one day, the fountains of the great deep (oceans and seas) were broken up by God. The windows of heaven opened up with non-stop rain for forty days and nights!

In the past few years we have beheld the incredible power of volcanoes. The lava from erupting volcanoes can move slowly. However, the pyroclastic flow travels rapidly. The temperature can easily exceed 800 degrees! That flow can destroy everything in its path. The volcanic eruption of Mount Saint Helen's affected the weather of our planet for an entire year.

Geologists who believe the Bible to be inspired are convinced that the flood was a combination of volcanoes erupting in the great deep and volcanoes erupting on land. Erupting volcanoes can produce or destroy mountain ranges. The rains coming from the heavens, the destructive damage done by volcanoes, and God's power coming over the earth resulted in a worldwide cataclysm. The power of God was made known to a corrupt people (6:5-6).

"The Lord is not slack concerning his promise,...the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall be dissolved with fervent heat, and the earth and the works that are therein shall be burned up....by reason of which the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat?" (2 Pet. 3:9-10,12).

The first time God destroyed the entire earth was with water. The final time that He destroys the earth it will be done with fire and will include the entire universe! Should we not fear and respect such an awesome God? Should we not prepare for such a time? God will once again show forth His majesty and His power! Noah obeyed God (Gen. 6:22). We must do the same today (Heb. 5:8-9).

Jess Whitlock

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. HEAR THE WORD **Romans 10:17**
2. BELIEVE IN JESUS **John 3:16; 8:24**

3. REPENT OF YOUR SINS **Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30; 2 Corinthians 7:10**
4. CONFESS THAT JESUS IS LORD **Romans 10:9-10 (cf. Acts 8:37)**
5. BE BAPTIZED FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF YOUR SINS **Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16; 1 Peter 3:21**
6. REMAIN FAITHFUL **1 Corinthians 15:58; Colossians 1:23; Revelation 2:10**