



Mint Hill Presbyterian Church

"...that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ."

- 1 Peter 4:11

Preparing our hearts for worship...

"To trust God in the light is nothing, but to trust him in the dark—that is faith."

~ Charles Spurgeon

September 20, 2026

Sunday Morning Worship

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Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

There Is A Redeemer

There is a Redeemer, Jesus God's own Son
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One

(Chorus)

Thank you O my Father for giving us Your Son
And leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done

Jesus, my Redeemer, Name above all names
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, hope for sinners slain (chorus)

When I stand in glory, I will see His face
There I'll serve my King forever in that holy place (chorus x 2)

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jeff Morrison

*Call to Worship

Psalms 111:1-3

Rev. Pedro Pollorena

Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them. Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

Invocation

*Opening Song of Praise

I Stand Amazed

I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how He could love me—a sinner condemned, unclean

(Chorus)

How marvelous, how wonderful, and my song shall ever be
How marvelous, how wonderful is my Savior's love for me

He took my sins and my sorrows; He made them his very own
He bore the burden to Calvary; He suffered and died alone (chorus)

When with ransomed in glory His face I at last shall see
It will be my joy through the ages to sing of His love for me (chorus x2)

*Confession of Sin

Donn DeHart

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; and there is nothing good in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; according to Your promises declared unto men in Christ Jesus our Lord. Grant that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of His name. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Henry Greathart

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.

Worship Through Giving

*Prayer of Dedication for Tithes and Offerings

Rev. Jeff Morrison

* Please stand if you are able.

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Offertory

Run To Jesus

(We invite you to sing along and worship with us!)

Has your grief brought you low, has your faith lost its hold? Your Deliverer knows what your need is
He endured every test, He has felt your distress. As you weep He has wept—run to Jesus!

Is your shame all you see, are your sins dark and deep? Your High Priest lives to plead your forgiveness
What you owed He has paid, what was dead He has raised. All your guilt for His grace—Run to Jesus!

(Chorus 1)

He will lift your head, He will be your rest. What you owed He has paid, what was dead He has raised
All your guilt for His grace—run to Jesus!

Though the journey is long, though the night tarries on. Your Redeemer is strong in your weakness
He will carry you through, He is faithful and true. He will make all things new—run to Jesus!

(Chorus 2)

He will lift your head, He will be your rest—He will lift your head, He will be your rest
He will carry you through, He is faithful and true—He will make all things new—run to Jesus!

*Doxology

**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.**

Pastoral Prayer

Steve Smith

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.**

New Testament Scripture

1 Peter 2:18-25

Rev. Jeff Morrison

Proclamation of the Word

"Riding Out the Storms"

Rev. Jeff Morrison

*Song of Response

Blessed Be Your Name

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful, where Your streams of abundance flow—blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place, though I walk through the wilderness—blessed be Your name

Chorus:

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise—when the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say—
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name. Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name!

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me, when the world's all as it should be—blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering. Though there's pain in the offering—blessed be Your name! (chorus)

Bridge:

You give and take away, You give and take away. My heart will choose to say, Lord, blessed be Your name !(chorus x 2)

*Benediction

** Please stand if you are able.*

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*If you would like to know Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, we invite you to speak to the pastors or one of our elders after the worship service. If you are in need of prayer, please don't hesitate to speak with the pastor.
We are happy to pray with you.*

Announcements

Welcome to Mint Hill Presbyterian! As our guest, if you have any needs or questions, please feel free to ask, and we will be happy to help. We also invite you to fill out a guest card in the lobby and give it to one of the greeters at the back or drop it in the offering plate.

This morning Pastor Pedro brings us the Proclamation of the Word from 1 Peter 2:13-17. We look forward to the word the Lord has given him!

Sunday School: The Adult Sunday School Class (led by Pastor Jeff and Pastor Pedro) has resumed. We are studying the book of Judges. Everyone is welcome!

The next Men's Breakfast will be on Saturday, October 3 at 8:00 a.m. Come and be fed physically and spiritually! All men are welcome!

Our next Meal and Movie night will be on Saturday, October 10. We will continue watching *Drive Thru History*® – *Acts to Revelation*. Our menu is TBA.

The WOC Bible Study group resumed this past Tuesday! We are continuing our study of the Gospel of Mark, led by Dr. Michael Kruger via video study. We meet at 10:15 a.m. All ladies are welcome!

Please see Cathy Morrison if you would be willing to serve as a backup with the children on Sunday mornings. Your help is greatly appreciated!

A reminder that Pastor Jeff is available on Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. If you need to see him, please let him know so he can schedule a time to meet with you. His phone number is 704-804-1921.

*Mint Hill Presbyterian Church exists to glorify God
by seeking the lost, making disciples,
and worshipping the Savior.*

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