

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

November 18, 2018 ✕ 11:00 am

✕ *The Season of the Church Year: The Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost*

GREETING TO WORSHIPERS

Rev. Dr. Trey Gilliam

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PASTORAL SENTENCES

Dr. Gilliam

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES AND OPENING OF THE BIBLE

Miss Gracie Boswell & Miss Camille Pierce, Acolytes

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

Mrs. Nancy Freeman

Shout for joy to the Lord all the earth, worship the Lord with gladness,  
come before Him with joyful songs:

**Give thanks to God and praise His name.**

Know that the Lord is God, it is He who made us, and we are His;  
we are His people, the sheep of His pasture:

**Give thanks to God and praise His name.**

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise:

**Give thanks to God and praise His name.**

For the Lord is good and His love endures forever.

His faithfulness continues through all generations:

**Give thanks to God and praise His name.**

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Mrs. Freeman

+HYMN OF PRAISE 372 *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Stanza 1: Congregation & Choir

Stanza 2: Choir Only

Stanza 3: Skip

Stanza 4: Congregation & Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME & BLESSING

Rev. Anita Thompson

People of God, what is your prayer for these children?

**Our prayer is that they grow up to be like Jesus—strong and brave,  
full of grace and truth, and that we will help them.**

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NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Philippians 4:4-7

Mr. Walt Pierce

In Pew Bible, page 242 of New Testament

This is the word of God for the people of God;

**Thanks be to God.**

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Thompson

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Rev. Thompson

Sisters and brothers in Christ: God is abundant in love and plenteous in mercy.

**With thanksgiving, we delight in God's faithfulness, for we are a forgiven people!**

+HYMN 374

*I Thank You, Lord*

GRATUS

Hymn of the Month for November

The Sanctuary Choir will sing stanza one;  
the congregation is invited to join in singing stanzas 2 & 3.

+OFFERTORY PRAYER

Mr. Pierce

OFFERTORY

+DOXOLOGY

OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 16

Dr. Gilliam

In Pew Bible, page 610 of Old Testament

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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

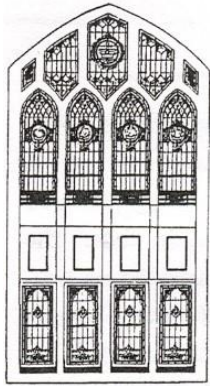
Dr. Gilliam

SERMON

*Beware*

Dr. Gilliam





# A Window on the Weeks Ahead

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First Baptist Church of Ahoskie, NC

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## ✘ This Afternoon's Schedule

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5:00 pm All Youth (Grades 6-12) in Youth Building; Trey Gilliam, Leader

5:00 pm Christmas Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room

6:00 pm Youth Snack Supper (Grades 6-12) in Fellowship Hall

## ✘ Christmas Shoeboxes

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## ✘ Meetings this Week

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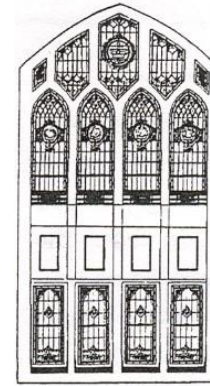
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*... during the Christmas Cantata on the evening of December 16. With the cantata also being held on the morning of December 23, perhaps you might volunteer to provide childcare on the 16th and attend the Christmas cantata on the 23rd. Contact Debbie Magette if you'd like to volunteer.*

## ✘ Christian Women's Job Corps Angel Tree

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