



ORDER OF WORSHIP | MARCH 29, 2026

*Indicates times when those who are able may stand.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS: Carrie McCormick | Dale Phillips

MUSIC FOR GATHERING | Playlist by Tech Team

WELCOME | Bob Rambo

***OPENING SONG** | "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

***WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH: THE APOSTLES' CREED** | Carrie McCormick

People of Starkville GMC: In whom do you trust and in whom do you believe?

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.*

*The third day He rose from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty,
from which He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

***GLORIA PATRI**

CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRESENTATION | Gaye Lindsay and Dale Phillips, Directors

COMMUNITY NEWS & GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS | Carrie McCormick

SONG OF PRAISE | “How Great Is Our God”

WE LISTEN FOR GOD’S WORD | Mark 11:1-11 | Bob Rambo

*As Jesus and his disciples approached Jerusalem, they came to the towns of Bethphage and Bethany on the Mount of Olives. Jesus sent two of them on ahead. **2** “Go into that village over there,” he told them. “As soon as you enter it, you will see a young donkey tied there that no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. **3** If anyone asks, ‘What are you doing?’ just say, ‘The Lord needs it and will return it soon.’”*

***4** The two disciples left and found the colt standing in the street, tied outside the front door. **5** As they were untying it, some bystanders demanded, “What are you doing, untying that colt?” **6** They said what Jesus had told them to say, and they were permitted to take it. **7** Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their garments over it, and he sat on it.*

***8** Many in the crowd spread their garments on the road ahead of him, and others spread leafy branches they had cut in the fields. **9** Jesus was in the center of the procession, and the people all around him were shouting, “Praise God! Blessings on the one who comes in the name of the Lord! **10** Blessings on the coming Kingdom of our ancestor David! Praise God in highest heaven!*

***11** So Jesus came to Jerusalem and went into the Temple. (But) After looking around carefully at everything, he left because it was late in the afternoon. Then he returned to Bethany with the twelve disciples.*

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

THANKS BE TO GOD!

WE SEEK GOD IN PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER | Bob Rambo

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY & PRAYER OF THANKS | Dale Phillips

OFFERTORY | “Let the Rocks Cry Out” | Adult Choir

***THE SPOKEN WORD | SERIES – “Close Encounters of the Jesus Kind”**

TEXT | John 11 (selected verses) (Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead.)

***CLOSING SONG & THE INVITATION TO FOLLOW JESUS** | “Power of the Cross”

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** | “Grace Love and Fellowship”

***SENDING FORTH** | Pastor

Members of our Prayer Ministry Team will be at the rear of the church for a few moments, and are available to pray with you and for you.

***MUSIC FOR DEPARTING** | Playlist from Tech Team

