

Walnut Hills Baptist Church

The Worship of God

April 19, 2026 10:30 AM

PREPARING TO MEET GOD

Chiming of the Hour Pat Bullock, Church Organist

Gathering “And Can It Be” Handbells & Piano

Welcome Rev. Dr. Jim Hunter

Call to Worship Rev. Graham Cheek

Leader: Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God!

People: *And everyone who loves the Father loves His children as well.*

Leader: This is love for God: to obey His commandments.

People: *And His commandments are not burdensome.*

Leader: For everyone born of God overcomes the world.

All: *This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith!
Let us worship God together.*

PRAISING GOD

***Doxology** “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” Congregation

*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.*

Prayer of Invocation Rev. Graham Cheek

***Praise Hymn 350** “The Church’s One Foundation”

RESPONDING TO GOD

Anthem “Race Day” Children’s Choir

***Hymn 342** “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” (Children’s Worship Dismissal)

Old Testament Scripture Lesson Deuteronomy 6:5-9

Pete Parks, Worship Lector

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer

Pete Parks, Worship Lector

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sermon “Directionally Challenged” (1 John 5:1-6) Dr. Hunter

Anthem “The Old Rugged Cross” Handbells & Piano

COMMITTING TO GOD

Invitation Dr. Hunter

***Commitment Hymn 294** “Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

Prayer of Dedication Rev. John Thompson

Offertory “Come, Sweet Peace of God” Pat Bullock, Church Organist

WALKING WITH GOD

***Benediction** Rev. Thompson

Postlude “Great Is the Lord” Pat Bullock, Church Organist

**Please stand if able.*

Jim Hunter - Senior Pastor / John Thompson - Minister of Music
Graham Cheek - Minister of Youth & Children / Jerry Haywood - Pastor Emeritus
Beverly Holmes - Pianist / Pat Bullock - Organist

Services are broadcast live on Vimeo, Facebook, YouTube & Phone Livestreaming. They are also being recorded for future on demand viewing and listening on all four (4) platforms.

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**1ST QUARTER
BUSINESS
MEETING**

Wednesday, April 22, at 6:00 PM

All Walnut Hills members are encouraged to attend if possible.
Report packages are available on the entrance tables and by email.

2026 Financials:
Operating Receipts - \$178,763, Budget - \$184,274, Expenses - \$201,075

2025 Financials:
Operating Receipts - \$179,389, Budget - \$179,059, Expenses - \$170,196

This Week's Activities:

Sun	9:15 AM	Sunday Bible Study/Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	Coffee Connection, Hospitality Center
	11:45 AM	Stewardship & Finance Committee meeting, Choir room
	1-3:00 PM	GriefShare Support Group meeting, Hospitality Center
	5-7:00 PM	Children's Choir, Hospitality Center
	5-7:00 PM	Youth Connect, Youth Center
Tue		<u>No Women at the Well</u> study
	5:00 PM	Handbell rehearsal
	6:00 PM	Special Adult Choir Rehearsal
	6:55 PM	Women's Bible Study Fellowship, Library & Choir room
Wed	6:55 PM	Men's Bible Study Fellowship, lower level rooms B2 & B3
	9:00 AM	Pete Fowler Men's Prayer meeting, Agape classroom
	10:30 AM	Women's Bible Study, <i>Luke</i> , by Zoom
	4:30-6 PM	TeamKID, Youth Center
	5:30 PM	Wednesday evening supper, <i>see below</i> <u>No Wednesday evening study</u>
	6:00 PM	Quarterly Business Meeting
Thu	9:30-11 AM	Thursday Coffee Connection at Panera Bread, New Town
Fri	12:15 PM	Learning Center Hot Dog Picnic/Art Show

Week of 4/12/2026: Worship— 284 (Kids—10), Adult Bible Study— 82 (Kids— 11), Youth Connect— 9, Children's Choir— 16; Weekly Studies— 56, TeamKID— 16



SUPPER RESERVATION—April 22 @ 5:30pm (\$10 per plate)

Menu: Fried Chicken, Scallop Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Fruit, Salad, Dessert, Coffee, Tea

Supper Reservations: info@whbconline.org / 757-220-5900 by noon each Tuesday

I / We will attend _____ (Tear Off, place in offering plate)