

Walnut Hills Baptist Church

The Worship of God

July 12, 2026 10:30 AM

PREPARING TO MEET GOD

Chiming of the Hour

Pat Bullock, Church Organist

Gathering Chorus

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet Heavenly Dove,
You're right here with us Filling us with Your love.
And for these blessings We lift our hearts in praise;
Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived,
When we shall leave this place.

Welcome

Rev. John Thompson

Call to Worship

Rev. Graham Cheek

Leader: The Spirit of God has brought us here.

People: *The Lord has sent us here, though our bones are tired.*

Leader: Can these dry bones live?

People: *Yes! The Breath of God will revive us! The Word of God will awaken us!*

Leader: Today, we come together to experience new life.

People: *Let us give thanks to the Life-Giving Spirit of God!*

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 248** *"God, Our Father, We Adore Thee"*

RESPONDING TO GOD

Scripture Lesson Romas 8:5-13

Brenda Bass, Worship Lector

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Brenda Bass, 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.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the
kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

***Faith Hymn 238**

"Breathe on Me"

(Children's Worship Dismissal)

Solo

"Until Then"

David Sisk

Sermon

"Life-Giving God" (Ezekiel 37-1-14)

Rev. Dr. Pete Parks

COMMITTING TO GOD

Invitation

Rev. Parks

***Commitment Hymn 164** *"The Day of Resurrection"*

Prayer of Dedication

Rev. John Thompson

Offertory

"The Solid Rock"

Pat Bullock, Church Organist

WALKING WITH GOD

***Benediction**

Rev. Thompson

Postlude

"The Thanks of God"

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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[From a Rise Against Hunger message.]

Venezuela Earthquake

As search-and-rescue efforts continue in the wake of 7.2 and 7.5 magnitude earthquakes in northern Venezuela, communities are struggling to access food, medical care, clean water and essential supplies. So far, 1,450 people have been reported deceased, with 3,000 injured, 50,000 missing and 12,000 people displaced. Many families have lost everything and are now focused on surviving the days ahead.

Rise Against Hunger is mobilizing alongside our in-country partners to respond. We are preparing a shipping container of 285k Rise Against Hunger meals and other critical aid, including hydration support, baby food and over-the-counter medicines, for distribution to families in need. Through your support, we can provide lifesaving assistance in the aftermath of this disaster.

Every financial gift to our Global Emergency Relief Fund helps us provide relief where it's needed most and support communities as they begin the long road to recovery. Will you join us during this critical time?

Thank you for joining us during this critical time.

Rise Against Hunger: <https://riseagainsthunger.org/?form=FUNZFZGTNVW>

-- Missions & Evangelism Council

This Week's Activities:

Sun		Pastor Jim's vacation (through July 19th)
	9:15 AM	Sunday Bible Study/Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship
	11:30 AM	Cookies & Lemonade Fellowship, Hospitality Center
Mon	- Fri	Vacation Bible School, 9-Noon (Prayer List for more information)
Tue	1:00 PM	Quarterly Business Meeting reports due
	6-9:00 PM	Chinese Church/J1 students Bible Study, Youth Center only
	6:00 PM	Church Council meeting, Choir room
Wed		<u>No</u> Pete Fowler Men's Prayer
	5:30-7 PM	Summer Wednesday Youth Meetings, Youth Center
	6:00 PM	Adult Choir rehearsal (Ensemble, 5:45) - Choir room
Thu	8:30 AM	Online Men's Bible Study, <i>Ezekiel</i>
		<u>No</u> Panera Bread Coffee Connection
	7:00 PM	VBS Family Night, Sanctuary

Week of 7/5/2026: Worship-- 272, Adult Bible Study-- 75; Youth Meeting-- 14



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