



To all who are weary and need rest ...
To all who mourn and long for comfort ...
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares ...
To all who struggle and desire strength ...
To all who sin and need a Savior ...
We do, too.

Welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, our great Hope and Joy, the reason we gather to celebrate and worship. Southwood opens wide our doors, our hearts, and our lives as our God has done for us.

July 5, 2020

8:45 AM Prayer Gathering

9:30 AM Worship Service

Worship Service

We contemplate who God is and who we are as we gather to worship.

MEDITATION

“Lord, you alone are my portion and my cup; you make my lot secure. The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance. I will praise the Lord, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. I have set the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.”

Psalm 16:5-8

God welcomes us into his presence and reorients our hearts to Him and each other.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Derrick Harris
Assistant Pastor

LEADER: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places.

PEOPLE: He chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him.

LEADER: In love he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will.

ALL: Praise his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved.

Ephesians 1:3-6

We express the worth of our God and the emotions of our hearts to Him and each other.

SONG

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”
“Be Thou My Vision”

PRAYER

We consider it a joy to have multiple generations worship together.

A Nursing Mothers' Room is at the back of the sanctuary.

Ushers can provide you a hearing assistance device if helpful.

Worship Service

God speaks to us from the Bible about the blessings we have as those connected to Jesus by faith.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

Ephesians 1:7-14

SONG

“Pass Me Not”

We talk honestly with God about our weakness, brokenness, and idolatry.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Our soul is like a house, small for You to enter, but we pray that You will enlarge it. It is in ruins, but we ask You to remake it. It contains much that You will not be pleased to see; this we know and do not hide. But, to whom can we cry except to You? Forgive us, O Lord. Cleanse us from our sins, O Lord, and our secret sins. What wretches we are! In your mercy, Lord our God, tell us what You are to us. Say to my soul, “I am your salvation.” Come, O Lord, and stir our hearts. Call us back to yourself. Kindle your fire in us and carry us away. Be our fire and our sweetness. Let us love You and hasten to your side. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

Adapted from Augustine’s *Confessions*

God reminds us of his grace and forgiveness as the foundation of our relationship.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Colossians 1:13-14

Worship Service

We celebrate how God's grace flows through us in our relationships and community.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY SONG

"Again"

Giving boxes are located in the rear of the Sanctuary and are available before and after service.

God speaks to us through the Bible as it is explained and applied to us.

PREACHING OF THE WORD

Joshua 10:16-21:45

"The God of Our Inheritance"

Will Spink
Senior Pastor

SONG

"On Jordan's Stormy Banks"

God sends us on his mission with his blessing.

BENEDICTION

"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace."
Numbers 6:24-26



Following the Worship Service

Pastor Will will greet people and pray with them outside after worship.

Please go outside through the Narthex doors and take trash with you.

In lieu of prayer cards, email prayer needs to prayer@southwood.org.

Sermon Notes

The God who has graciously given you a glorious inheritance is the ...

1. God of History

2. God of Geography

3. God of Eternity

Announcements

Welcome, Visitors!

We are delighted you have joined us for worship this morning and love the chance to get to know new people. We would love to answer any questions you may have and welcome you to Huntsville and/or Southwood. If you would send any contact information you would like us to use to worship@southwood.org, we will reach out to you this week.

Officer Nominations

Please prayerfully consider nominations for the offices of ruling elder and deacon at Southwood, which are open during the month of July. Forms are available by the offering boxes in the back of the Sanctuary as well as online at southwood.org/officernominations.

This Week @ Southwood

Sunday, July 5

No Connect Hour Today

Monday, July 6

6:00pm — Mission Team Meetings

Tuesday, July 7

1:00pm — Jr/Sr High Cookie Tuesday

Wednesday, July 8

6:00pm — Jr High Color Wars

Thursday, July 9

2:00pm — Jr/Sr High Yogurt Mtn

6:30pm — Women's Bible Study

Deacon/Finance Update

2020 Budget

\$2,448,739

Weekly Budget Need

\$47,091

Last Week's Giving

\$37,020

Year to Date Giving

\$964,936

**Download the Southwood App for more calendar info
and to give electronically.**

Prayer Guide

Core Commitment

Southwood exists to advance the kingdom of God as we experience and express grace.

Pray that God would show us new ways we can fulfill this mission during this challenging season.

Ask that our renewed sense of our constant need for God's grace would remain and even deepen in the days ahead.

Pray with Paul that God would open our eyes to know more of Him, the hope to which He has called us, and our glorious inheritance (Eph 1).

Specific Needs

Pray for William Ly, who recently lost his job and is looking for employment.

Praise God for the birth of Maeve Williams to Travis and Emily on Monday.

Pray for our country and for God to bring revival and renewal to his Church in America as well as to our whole land.

Pray for our church leaders as they wrestle with plans for the rest of this summer and fall and seek God's wisdom for how we can best love Him and each other in this season.

Mission Partner

"Jonah" in Ninevah

Jonah and his wife serve in a country that often experiences religious and political turmoil. As with our other global partners, their work has been made more difficult by the current pandemic. Please join with them in praying for these requests.

Pray that the church staff who are stuck in America and want to resume serving here would find a way to do that (the airport is closed to commercial air travel).

Pray for the church staff and elders who are stuck in lockdown in here, and that our (draconian) restrictions are lifted prudently but soon, so that the church can regather.

Senior Member

Alma Huston

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Expectant Mothers

Grace Crawford — July 2020

Kelly Lewis — July 2020

Nina Cash — August 2020

Taylor Bozeman — September 2020

Veronica Adcock — November 2020

Alaine Moss — November 2020

Anna Brooks — November 2020

Elizabeth Fancher — December 2020

**Email prayer@southwood.org
to be included in this Prayer Guide.**

Southwood's Vision and Mission

Southwood exists to advance the kingdom of God as we experience and express grace.

Southwood's Core Commitments

We are committed to being Christ-centered.

We recognize our deep dependence and need for prayer.

We are driven by relationships.

We strive to love the least, the lost, the littlest, the lonely, and the left-out.

We seek the restoration of all creation in Huntsville and beyond.

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Experience & Express
Grace