



GRACE
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

Sunday, May 17, 2026

Welcome & Preparation:

Mark Dodd

Song of Worship:

The Solid Rock

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

On Christ, the solid Rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness veils His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.

On Christ, the solid Rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood.
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay.

On Christ, the solid Rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
Oh may I then in Him be found.
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne.

On Christ, the solid Rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand. (*Repeat*)

Call to Worship:

Psalm 68

Leader: Sing to God, sing praise to his name, extol him who rides on the clouds—his name is the Lord—and rejoice before him.

All: When you ascended on high, you led captives in your train; you received gifts from men, even the rebellious—that you, O Lord God, might dwell there.

Leader: Praise be to the Lord, to God our Savior, who daily bears our burdens. Our God is a God who saves; from the sovereign Lord comes escape from death.

All: Summon your power, O God; show us your strength, O God, as you have done before.

Prayer of Adoration:

Silent Praise & Thanksgiving:

Scripture Reading:

Matthew 5:43-48

Eva Golinski-Klein

“You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven. For he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust. For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? And if you greet only your brothers, what more are you doing than others? Do not even the Gentiles do the same? You therefore must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

Songs of Worship:

All Creatures Of Our God And King

All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and let us sing,
O Praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
Thou silver moon with softer gleam!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong
Ye clouds that sail in heav’n along,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou rising moon, in praise rejoice,
Ye lights of evening, find a voice!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Come, everyone of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part,
O sing ye! Alleluia!

Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
Praise God and on Him cast your care!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

He shall return in pow'r to reign
Heaven and earth will join to say
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Here Is Love

Here is love vast as the ocean Lovingkindness as the flood
When the Prince of Life, our Ransom Shed for us His precious blood (*Repeat*)

Who His love will not remember Who can cease to sing His praise
He will never be forgotten Throughout Heav'n's eternal days

On the mount of crucifixion Fountains opened deep and wide
Through the floodgates of God's mercy Flowed a vast and gracious tide
Grace and love like mighty rivers Poured incessant from above
Heav'n's peace and perfect justice Kissed a guilty world in love

Who His love will not remember Who can cease to sing His praise
He will never be forgotten Throughout Heav'n's eternal days

No love is higher, no love is wider
No love is deeper, no love is truer
No love is higher, no love is wider
No love is like Your love, O Lord (*Repeat*)

Who His love will not remember Who can cease to sing His praise
He will never be forgotten Throughout Heav'n's eternal days (*Repeat*)

Here is love vast as the ocean Lovingkindness as the flood
When the Prince of Life, our Ransom Shed for us His precious blood

Holy Forever

A thousand generations falling down in worship
To sing the song of ages to the Lamb
And all who've gone before us
And all who will believe
Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

Your name is the highest
Your name is the greatest
Your name stands above them all

All thrones and dominions
All powers and positions
Your name stands above them all

And the angels cry Holy
All creation cries Holy
You are lifted high Holy
Holy forever

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed
Sing the song forever to the Lamb
If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name
Sing the song forever to the Lamb
We'll sing the song forever and amen

And the angels cry Holy
All creation cries Holy
You are lifted high Holy
Holy forever
Hear Your people sing Holy
To the King of Kings Holy
You will always be Holy
Holy forever

Your name is the highest
Your name is the greatest
Your name stands above them all
All thrones and dominions
All powers and positions
Your name stands above them all (*Repeat*)

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To the king of kings Holy
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Children's Dismissal & Announcements: Fill out our [Connection Card](http://www.gracehamptons.org/connect). www.gracehamptons.org/connect

- **Combined Ladies/Guys Night Out! Southampton Golf Range.** Join us out for a fun night at the Southampton Golf Range (668 County Road 39, Southampton). At night, they even have LED targets to make things more interesting! They also have great burgers, drinks, and a great atmosphere. So, come join us for a fun night out! Contact Adriana with any questions: adriana@gracehamptons.org or 631-726-6100.

- **Ladies Bible Study.** Tuesdays, 9-11AM. Our women’s Bible studies are a warm and welcoming place to dig into God’s Word together, whether we’re studying a book of the Bible or exploring how it speaks into everyday life. Come build meaningful friendships, pray together, and grow in faith alongside other women in our church community. For more information, contact Lesley Middlekauff (lesleym@gracehamptons.org).
- **GraceYouth Group Gathering.** Wednesdays, 6:30PM-8PM. Middle and high school years matter—and so do the students living them. At GPC Youth, 6th–12th graders are invited to head to the church for fun times, meaningful Bible conversations, strong friendships, and a deeper connection to the hope we have in Christ. For more information, contact Lesley Middlekauff (lesleym@gracehamptons.org).
- **Save the Date: Re-Envisioning Grace Church - Meeting Number 1.** Sunday, May 31st, after the worship service. Lunch will be served!
- **Little Free Pantry.** Our LFP has become essential to our community and gets regular, consistent use and so our supplies are once again severely depleted. Please consider donating items to help us regularly re-stock the pantry. Visit gracehamptons.org/LFP to find our [Amazon link](#) to order supplies and have them shipped straight to Grace Church!
- **Prayer Requests!** To submit a praise or prayer request or to join the Grace Presbyterian Church Prayer Chain Email, go to the Grace Church app or email prayer@gracehamptons.org.
- **BUILD Team Care.** If a need for care arises within our church body, email BUILDTeam@gracehamptons.org.

Offertory: *To give via text, text the word “GIVE” to [833-892-6212](tel:833-892-6212). First time givers will have to fill out a short form with billing information. After the initial setup, giving is as easy as sending a text message.*

Prayer of Confession:

Leader: Heavenly Father, we come before you confessing our sins: thoughts that are not like your thoughts, selfish desires and evil passions, and their wicked fruit—cruel words and unjust acts.

All: **Keep us, Lord, from pride and arrogance, and from scornful judgment of others. Keep us, Lord, from worshipping the blessings that you have given us. Keep us, Lord, from trusting in anything except your grace.**

Lord, you know our temptations and struggles. Show mercy on us, that we may seek the righteousness of faith, that we may be forgiven, and that we may be strengthened each day by your Holy Spirit, to serve you in the joy of liberty.

Private Confession:

Words of Encouragement: Isaiah 43:25

I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins.

Prayer of the People: Silvia Mendez

⁸ Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. ⁹ For the commandments, “You shall not commit adultery, You shall not murder, You shall not steal, You shall not covet,” and any other commandment, are summed up in this word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁰ Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

Sermon:

Law and Love

Twaambo Moyo

Hymn of Response:

How Deep The Father's Love For Us

How deep the Father's love for us How vast beyond all measure
That He would give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the chosen One Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon the cross My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything No gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart His wounds have paid my ransom

Benediction:

Hebrews 13:20-21

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Dismissal:

Minister: Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

All: **Hallelujah, Amen!**

Twaambo Moyo is the Pastor Connection and Mission responsible for equipping the community for God's mission in the community. He mobilizes volunteers and coordinates with ministry partners like Bowery Mission and Safe Families for Children to serve friends and neighbors in the city. In addition to leading Central's College Ministry, Twaambo also supports Sunday Service Teams in fostering a welcoming atmosphere for newcomers. Originally from Zambia, he moved to the US in 2008 and holds a BA in Graphic Design from the City University of New York. Currently, he's in City to City's urban ministry training program and pursuing an MA in Biblical Studies at Reformed Theological Seminary. Twaambo and his wife, Candice, reside in Queens with their 2 sons.