



GRACE

PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH

Sunday, October 18, 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:

And you were dead in the trespasses and sins in which you once walked, following the course of this world, following the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work in the sons of disobedience — among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the flesh and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind. But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ— by grace you have been saved— and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the coming ages he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Songs of Worship:**Let Us Love And Sing And Wonder**

Let us love and sing and wonder, Let us praise the Savior's Name!
He has hushed the law's loud thunder, He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame.

Let us love the Lord Who bought us, Pitied us when enemies,
Called us by His grace, and taught us, Gave us ears and gave us eyes:
He has washed us with His blood (x3),
He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing, though fierce temptation Threaten hard to bear us down!
For the Lord, our strong Salvation, Holds in view the conqueror's crown:
He Who washed us with His blood (x3),
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder; grace and justice Join and point to mercy's store;
When through grace in Christ our trust is, Justice smiles and asks no more:
He Who washed us with His blood (x3)
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise, and join the chorus Of the saints enthroned on high;
Here they trusted Him before us, Now their praises fill the sky:
“You have washed us with Your blood (x3);
You are worthy, Lamb of God!”

My Worth Is Not in What I Own

My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love
At the cross

My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose, in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed
At the cross

I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest Treasure,
Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him, no other.
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

As summer flow'rs we fade and die
Fame, youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us
At the cross

I will not boast in wealth or might
Or human wisdom's fleeting light
But I will boast in knowing Christ
At the cross

I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest Treasure,
Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him, no other.
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

Two wonders here that I confess
My worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed - my ransom paid
At the cross

I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest Treasure,
Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him, no other.
My soul is satisfied in Him alone. *(Repeat)*

He is Worthy

Holy, holy is the Son of God
None can stand before His majesty
Beautiful beyond our highest thought
Worthy! He is worthy!

Holy, holy is the Word made flesh
King who bore our pain and poverty
Come to claim the rebel and the wretch
Worthy! He is worthy!

All glory and honor, all power and praise
Be to Your Name, be to Your Name
For no one could rival Your glory and fame
We lift high the Name of Jesus

Holy, holy is the Lamb who died
Canceling our debt at Calvary
Rising from the grave to reign on high
Worthy! He is worthy!

All glory and honor, all power and praise
Be to Your Name, be to Your Name
For no one could rival Your glory and fame
We lift high the Name of Jesus

Holy, holy, Lord Almighty
Worthy is Your Name
Holy, holy, none beside Thee
Greatly to be praised (*Repeat*)

All glory and honor, all power and praise
Be to Your Name, be to Your Name
For no one could rival Your glory and fame
We lift high the Name of Jesus

Holy, holy, Lord Almighty
Worthy is Your Name
Holy, holy, none beside Thee
Greatly to be praised

Children's Dismissal & Announcements: Fill out our [Connection Card. www.gracehamptons.org/connect](http://www.gracehamptons.org/connect)

- **NO Membership Class Today or Next Week.** We will resume after the worship service on Sunday, November 1st.
- **Sunday Afternoon Hike.** TODAY, 1PM at Emma Rose Elliston Memorial Park (40 Millstone Brook Road in Southampton). Join Grace church for a two part hike led by Tim Corwin. Part one will be an hour-long hike where leashed dogs are permitted. Part two is a little more challenging and will last another hour or so. Contact Tim for more information at 631-204-7821.
- **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 Gatherings.** Wednesdays, 6:30PM-8PM. Middle and high school years matter and so do the students living them. 6th–12th graders are invited to head to the church for fun times, meaningful Bible conversations, and a deeper connection to the hope we have in Christ. For more information, contact Lesley Middlekauff (lesleym@gracehamptons.org).
- **Re-envisioning Grace Church Meeting 5.** Sunday, October 25th, after the worship service. We will continue to discuss our Grace Church's strengths and the community we love and serve.
- **SecondSaturdaysOut!** Saturday, November 14th, 5:30PM-9:15PM. To register your child(ren), visit gracehamptons.org/seCONDSATURDAYSOUT or on the Grace Church app. To volunteer, email Eva Golinski-Klein (eva.golinski.klein@gmail.com) or sign up on the Grace Church app.
- **Maureen's Haven Homeless Shelter Dinners.** The dates for this season's homeless shelter dinner services have been set: all Wednesdays, at the Bridgehampton Child Care and Rec Center, 551

Bridgehampton-Sag Harbor Tpke, 5-8pm: Nov 18, Dec 2, Jan 6 and Feb 3. For more information, contact Sally Spanburgh (sally@gracehamptons.org).

- **We Need a Nursery Worker!** We are looking for a warm and responsible nursery worker who genuinely loves working with children! For more information, contact kids@gracehamptons.org
- **Help Our Kids Grow in Faith!** Our Sunday School needs more teachers and helpers to make Sunday mornings meaningful and fun for our children. Members are invited to teach, and everyone is welcome to serve as a helper! If you're interested, please contact Lisa Shaw (lshaw1285@gmail.com).
- **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. 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: Dianne Henderson

Sermon Text: Luke 10:25-37

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²⁵ And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" ²⁷ And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." ²⁸ And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live."

²⁹ But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and

departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' ³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" ³⁷ He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

Sermon:

The True Good Samaritan

Rev. David Richter

The Lord's Supper:

Hymn of Response:

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*)

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

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Holy forever

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!

David Richter is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church in America and is currently planting a new PCA church in Stony Brook, Long Island. He previously served as a senior pastor in Nashville, TN, a church planter and lead pastor in Somerville, Massachusetts, a worker at L'Abri Fellowship in Rochester, MN, an associate pastor in Rochester, MN, a missionary in Edinburgh Scotland, and an RUF intern at Vanderbilt University. David is married to Kelly, and they have two children, Sam and Luci. The Richters moved to Long Island this summer and are enjoying getting to know Stony Brook and the surrounding community.