

Today in Worship

All of the liturgy for today's worship was written by Highland's youth, offering us prayer, praise, confession, and hope in their own faithful words.

Listening Assist Devices are available. Please see our sound technician or an usher for assistance. Large print hymn sheets are also available upon request for visually impaired persons. An usher can provide a copy for you.

Worship care is available for infants, toddlers and preschoolers during worship. Our greeters are available to help you navigate our building. A Worship Cart with activities to engage children in the pew is located in the Commons.

Nearly 65% of people at Highland use online giving to make financial gifts to the church. We invite you to be one of them! Scan the QR code to the right to be directed to our online giving page.

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Youth
SUNDAY

Notes and News for the Community of Faith

- **Highlights Classes Continue Today:** Interested in learning more about Highland? Join us today and on May 17 for the Highlights class—a time to learn more about our congregation and its ministries while meeting other visitors and new members. We'll gather in the Commons, just outside the sanctuary, at 10:00 AM each week.
- **Orchestra Concert:** You are invited to Highland Orchestra's spring concert on Sunday, May 17, at 6:00 PM. The theme of the program is "A Classical Feast." We'll be presenting classics from a variety of times and places, including some of your favorites! So invite your friends and family and join us for a wonderful evening!
- **Racing Louisville FC Pride Night:** Don't miss Highland's night at Racing Louisville FC! It is coming up on Friday, May 29 at 8:00 PM at Lynn Family Stadium. This is one of the best nights of the season, and it's even better when we show up together. Check your newsletter for ticket information.
- **Looking Ahead:**
 - Today & May 17: Highlights classes for visitors and new members during Bible study at 10:00 AM, Commons
 - Tuesday, May 12: Senior Adult Potluck (meat provided) in Fellowship Hall at noon: "Name That Tune"
 - Sunday, May 17: Highland Orchestra Spring Concert—"A Classical Feast" at 6:00 PM in the Sanctuary
 - Friday, May 29: Racing Louisville FC Pride Night, Lynn Family Stadium, 8:00 PM



HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
A thinking, feeling, healing community of faith

Our Mission... God's Love compels us to cultivate a safe, welcoming community of faith where all are challenged to discover, grow, and serve, as together we boldly live out the worship that is our very lives.

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HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 10, 2026
8:45 AND 11:15 A.M.

Invitation to Worship

WHEN WE SING TO GOD IN HEAVEN, WE SHALL FIND SUCH HARMONY

Prelude

Hymn Medley
Youth Brass Ensemble

Call to Worship

God calls us together, young and old, and all in between.
We come as one body.
We come to worship God.
Joyful, joyful, we adore God.
So let our worship begin.
Amen.



Processional Hymn (310) †

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

Prayer of Praise †

Glory to the Creator †

Glory to the Creator, and to the Christ, and to the Spirit, One.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

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PRAY THAT I MAY HAVE THE GRACE TO LET YOU BE MY SERVANT, TOO

A Lesson from the Psalms

Psalm 139: 1-12 (Pew Bible page 566 – OT)

Prayer of Confession

God, we confess that we struggle sometimes. We struggle with siblings and parents. We do things we probably should not. We say things we probably should not. We spend time staring at screens instead of enjoying time with other people and your creation. Forgive us. Remind us to love one another more.

Words of Assurance

Exchange of Peace †

I WILL HOLD THE CHRIST-LIGHT FOR YOU
IN THE NIGHT-TIME OF YOUR FEAR

Hymn (278) †

We Are Travelers on a Journey

BEACH SPRING

Reflection

Ainsley Braun

The Epistle Lesson

I Corinthians 12: 12-27 (Pew Bible pages 170 – NT)

John Kupar

Reflection

John Kupar

I WILL SHARE YOUR JOY AND SORROW
TIL WE'VE SEEN THIS JOURNEY THROUGH

Hymn of Response †

My Lighthouse

Llewellyn/Gilkeson

*In my wrestling and in my doubts, In my failures You won't walk out
Your great love will lead me through, You are the peace in my troubled sea, oh oh
You are the peace in my troubled sea
In the silence, You won't let go, In the questions, Your truth will hold
Your great love will lead me through, You are the peace in my troubled sea, oh oh
You are the peace in my troubled sea*

Refrain:

*My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse
Shining in the darkness, I will follow You
My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse (oh oh)
I will trust the promise,
You will carry me safe to shore (Oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)
Safe to shore (Oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)
Safe to shore (Oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)
Safe to shore*



*I won't fear what tomorrow brings, With each morning I'll rise and sing
My God's love will lead me through
You are the peace in my troubled sea, oh oh, You are the peace in my troubled sea, oh oh
You are my light
(Refrain)*

*Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms
Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms
Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms
Fire before us, You're the brightest, You will lead us through the storms
(Refrain)*

Offertory Prayer †

Offertory

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need
Youth Brass Ensemble

arr. Bruce Maples

News for the Community

Doxology †

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One, Amen.**

Benediction †

Postlude

Improvisation on ODE TO JOY

Joseph Parr

