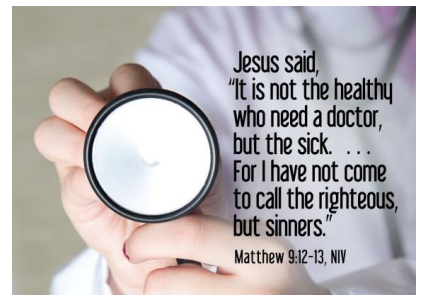




**June 11, 2023 9:15AM**

“The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord” (Psalm 33:5, ESV).  
Welcome to worship. Let us praise God together!



### **Song – Come, Now Is the Time to Worship**

Come, now is the time to worship. Come, now is the time to give your heart.  
Come, just as you are to worship. Come, just as you are before your God, come.

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One day ev'ry tongue will confess You are God. One day ev'ry knee will bow.  
Still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose You now.

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Come. Come. Come.

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### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### **Children's Message**

#### **Prayer Time & Lord's Prayer**

*(Prayer cards are available to share your joys and concerns and may be placed in the prayer box by the door, or you may email them to [prayerrequests@stjamesraleigh.org](mailto:prayerrequests@stjamesraleigh.org), where they will then be shared with our Prayer Chain.)*

**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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

#### **Song – God of Wonders**

Lord of all creation, of water, earth and sky, the heavens are your tabernacle; glory to the Lord on high.  
God of Wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy; the universe declares Your majesty.  
You are holy, holy; Lord of heaven and earth. Lord of heaven and earth.

Early in the morning I will celebrate the light, when I stumble in the darkness, I will call Your name by night.  
God of Wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy; the universe declares Your majesty.  
You are holy, holy; Lord of heaven and earth. Lord of heaven and earth.

**Men:** Hallelujah

**Women:** to the Lord of heaven and earth.

**Men:** Hallelujah

**Women:** to the Lord of heaven and earth.

**Men:** Hallelujah

**Women:** to the Lord of heaven and earth.

God of Wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy; the universe declares Your majesty.  
You are holy, holy; Lord of heaven and earth. Lord of heaven and earth. Lord of heaven and earth.

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### **Scripture Reading – Matthew 9: 9-13**

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax-collection station, and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him. And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with Jesus and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have not come to call the righteous but sinners."

### **Message – Get Used to Different**

Pastor Dan Baer

### **Song – You Are My King (Amazing Love)**

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken. I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
And I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me because You died and rose again.

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken. I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me because You died and rose again.

Amazing love, how can it be that You, my King, should die for me?  
Amazing love, I know it's true and it's my joy to honor You.  
In all I do, to honor You.

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken. I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me because You died and rose again.  
Amazing love, how can it be that You, my King, should die for me?  
Amazing love, I know it's true, it's my joy to honor You.  
In all I do, to honor You. In all I do, to honor You.

You are my King. You are my King. Jesus, You are my King. You are my King.  
Amazing love, how can it be that You, my King, should die for me?  
(Amazing love) Amazing love, I know it's true. It's my joy to honor You.  
Amazing love, how can it be that You, my King, should die for me?  
(Amazing love) Amazing love, I know it's true and it's my joy to honor You.  
In all I do, to honor You. In all I do, to honor You. In all I do, let me honor You.

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### **Benediction**

### **Sharing Offerings**

### **Out to Discipleship, and Into the World to Serve**

Today's Sound Operator: Matoka Snuggs  
Today's PowerPoint Operator: Tucker Thorpe

Next Week's Greeters: Jane Fields & Matoka Snuggs  
Next Week's Sound / PowerPoint Operator: Paulo DeOliveira

We have a nursery available for infants through age 4. An usher will be glad to direct you. We always welcome children of all ages to join us in worship, and Worship Activity Bags are available at the entrance if your child would like one.

If you are visiting us today, welcome! Please take a moment to fill out a visitor card, (found on the worship table), and return it to the offering basket or one of the greeters.

Thank you for worshipping with us at St. James today!

Today's Greeters: Peggy Biggers & Lou Gibbs-Anwar

### What to know this week...

#### Calendar this week:

**TODAY, 6/11** Common Thread contemporary worship, 9:15AM in Carson Hall  
Discipleship Hour, 10AM throughout campus  
Sanctuary traditional worship, 11AM in the Sanctuary  
Congregational Care, 4PM in Room 12  
Kids Club/Youth End-of-Year Bash, 4PM in Carson Hall  
Finance Committee, 5PM in Room 12  
NA, 7PM in Saints Hall

**Mon, 6/12** GS Troop 4331, 6:30PM in Montague Hall

**Tues, 6/13** Library Committee, 9AM in the Library  
GS Troop 733, 6:15PM in Montague Hall

**Wed, 6/14** Choir Rehearsal, 6PM in Music Room & Sanctuary

**Thurs, 6/15** Annual Conference in Greenville, NC  
New Hope Strummers, 6:15PM in Music Room  
Common Thread Band Practice, 7PM in Carson Hall

**Friday, 6/16** Annual Conference in Greenville, NC

**Sat, 6/17** Annual Conference in Greenville, NC  
GS Troop 1082, 10AM in Montague Hall  
Susan Barbour Life Celebration (private), 2PM in Carson Hall

**Sun, 6/18** **Father's Day**  
Common Thread contemporary worship, 9:15AM in Carson Hall  
Discipleship Hour, 10AM throughout campus  
Sanctuary traditional worship, 11AM in the Sanctuary  
NA, 7PM in Saints Hall



**Coffee & Conversation** will be meeting for lunch at 11:30am on Wednesday, June 21 at Chili's Grill & Bar, 6605 Knightdale Blvd., Knightdale 27545. All widowed women of St. James are invited to come join us for a good time!



#### **Participants & Volunteers are needed "fur" our Pets Unleashed VBS!**

St. James will celebrate the return of VBS with a TWO-DAY event:

Friday, June 23rd 5:15pm-8:30pm & Saturday, June 24th 10am-3pm

Register PreK-rising 6<sup>th</sup> graders NOW at <https://tinyurl.com/SJvbs2023>

Join us as a volunteer and watch kids experience the joy & love of Jesus!

Sign up on the clipboard in the church lobby, on the "Join Us" bulletin board in the main hallway, or email Lori Bradley ([lfbradley12@gmail.com](mailto:lfbradley12@gmail.com)) or Sara Lynn Miller ([saralynn@stjamesraleigh.org](mailto:saralynn@stjamesraleigh.org)). We need crew leaders and assistants, and help with registration, drama/Bible time, music, games, crafts, decorating, safety and first aid.

**Special Offering Alert:** Our second quarter special offering will be on Sunday, June 25, and will benefit Appalachian Service Project (ASP). Please indicate "ASP" on your offering envelope or on the memo line of your check to donate on June 25.