

Welcome, church family and friends,

As we worship together, we thank God for his unfailing love and pray today's time brings encouragement and hope. Whether visiting or part of our church family, we're glad you're here.

Announcements

- **Quarterly Church Food Pantry Drive:** Thank you for your generous support of our quarterly food drive! Please continue bringing non-perishable food items through our final collection Sabbath to help our neighbors in need. Your generosity is a meaningful way to share God's love.
-  **Miramonte Christian School Fall Festival:** Join us **Sunday, November 1, from 12–3 PM** for an afternoon of games, prizes, food, and drinks with friends and neighbors! Free admission. Everyone is welcome!
- **Speaking Schedule:** Please note our speakers for November: David Fraser on the 7th, Mountain View Academy on the 14th, Edwin Perla on the 21st, and Bert Williams on the 28th. May God bless each of them as they prepare to share His Word, and may their messages inspire, encourage, and strengthen our fellowship in faith.
- **Midweek Prayer Meeting (*New Time*):** Join us every Wednesday at **7:00 p.m.** for a meaningful time of worship, reflection on God's Word, and prayer as we grow together in faith and fellowship.
- **Monthly Church Board Meeting:** Church Board members are warmly invited to our monthly meeting on **Tuesday, November 10, at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom**. Your participation is greatly appreciated.

Prelude

Toccata in e minor | Johann Pachelbel (1653-1706)

Welcome & Announcements

Steve Bandy

Call to Worship *

Glory Be to the Father | Hymn #660

Invocation *

Alex Clerk

Hymn of Praise *

Fairest Lord Jesus | Hymn #240

Pastoral Prayer

Steve Bandy

Offertory

Steve Bandy

Hymn of Meditation

Open My Eyes that I May See | Hymn #326

Scripture Reading

Psalms 87:2 NKJV

Sermon

"Where God Joyfully Dwells"

Hymn of Consecration

Faith Is the Victory | Hymn #608

Benediction **

Alex Clerk

Postlude

Toccata in d minor | J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

Today's Worship Leaders

Speaker: Alex Clerk

Organist: Lynda Alexander

Platform Elder: Steve Bandy

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Next Week's Sabbath School Lesson 6
October 31, 2026 - November 6, 2026

"The Gift of Prophecy: The Prophetic Writings"

Study this lesson to prepare for Sabbath, November 7, 2026

Memory Text: "For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope" (Romans 15:4, NKJV).

How would you like to be taught a song that God Himself composed? In Deuteronomy 32, the lyrics were written down by Moses at God's direction (Deuteronomy 31:19–22). We don't usually think of songs when we think of prophetic writings, though many of the psalms are, indeed, inspired songs, even if the lyrics themselves were not dictated directly by the Lord Himself.

The Bible describes three major ways that prophets communicated God's messages: (1) orally, (2) through writing, and (3) through symbolic actions or dramatizations. This week we will focus on the writings in the Scriptures. The Bible records the Word of God, as expressed through the words of His messengers, including sermons and speeches of the prophets.

Think of the variety of writing styles and genres in the prophetic writings: narrative, history, poetry, lament, and letters, just to name a few. Chosen men and women put into human language what they were led by the Holy Spirit to communicate. This week we will look at their writing, the use of literary assistants (secretaries), and at things to keep in mind when studying challenging passages.



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*"I rejoiced with those who said to me,
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PSALM 122:1 (NIV)

