

Weekly announcements are a great way to stay involved at Shallowford!  
To receive weekly communication, email [info@shallowford.org](mailto:info@shallowford.org),  
visit [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org), or call the church office (404-321-1844).

## Churchwide

### **Shally Eats Yumbii Food Truck – Friday, August 2 (5-7pm)**

Meet us in the parking lot for tacos, treats, and get to know your church neighbors.  
Lawn games provided, BYO chair. *Contact: Landon Dillard*

### **Fall Kick-Off Sunday – Sunday, August 4**

Begin the school year with 8:30am & 11:00am worship, Sunday School classes of all ages (9:30am), and a special [blessing of the backpacks](#) for children and teachers. Following worship, we will welcome Pastor Jumper with a special King of Pops treat outside the narthex. All are invited!

### **Listening Session – August 11 (9:30am & 12pm)**

Join the Capital Campaign Steering Team (Heritage Hall) to learn about the proposed projects for Shallowford's future. The campaign will focus on accessibility, infrastructure, worship, and technology. Learn more at [shallowford.org/ripple-effects](http://shallowford.org/ripple-effects).

### **Visitor Classes – August 18 & 25 (9:30am)**

Learn more about the church's mission and vision during this two-part Discovering Shallowford class (Conference Room). *Contact: Anna Traynham*

### **All Church Retreat – September 13-15, 2024**

Meet us in Amicalola Falls for a weekend of worship, recreation, and deeper discipleship with speaker Dr. Ryan Bonfiglio. Registration closes SOON. More info at [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org). *Contact: Landon Dillard*

## Adults

### **Combined Adult Sunday School – Sundays in August (9:30am)**

All adult classes will gather (Heritage Hall) for a series led by Pastor Jumper, Lucas Gray, Laura Jernigan, Bobbi Patterson, and the Capital Campaign Steering Committee. Learn more at [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org).

### **Chancel Choir Retreat – Saturday, August 3 (9:30am-2:45pm)**

Whether you're curious about singing or have been in the choir for years, make music with us in a relaxed environment. Register at [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org).

### **Shallowford Men's Event – Sunday, August 4 (2:45pm)**

Men of all ages are headed to Mercedes-Benz Stadium for the Atlanta United vs. Santos Laguna match! Carpool from the SPC parking lot. Cost is \$35, RSVP required at [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org).

### **Older Adult Ministry – Wednesday, August 14 (10am)**

Join us for a special Hymn Sing hosted by Lucas Gray and Jinhee Kim. They'll lead us in song (Sanctuary) with a cookie reception to follow (Atrium). RSVP at [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org). *Contact: Bradley Kibler Bond*

### **Faith & Grief Retreat – August 23-25**

Join us for this workshop to explore sacred grief-related stories in a supportive environment. Participants are introduced to spiritual practices designed to promote comfort in grief. Cost is \$99, scholarships available. Visit [shallowford.org](http://shallowford.org) to register. *Contact: Carolyn Shaffer (shafferdawgs@yahoo.com)*

## Mission

### **Habitat for Humanity – Saturday, August 17 (9am to 3pm)**

All adults and youth ages 12-17 are invited to participate in a one-day build with Habitat Dekalb. Visit [shallowford.org/h4h-2](http://shallowford.org/h4h-2) to sign up or volunteer to cater lunch! *Contact: Joseph Jumper*

## Shallowford Center for Mindful Living

### **A Mindful Living Retreat – August 16-18**

Explore ancient practices for renewal including mindfulness meditation and yoga, poetic inquiry, and self-reflective practices to settle the mind and open the heart. Register at [shallowfordmindfulliving.org](http://shallowfordmindfulliving.org)

## Worship Staff

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## How to Give

You are welcome to make a gift using your cell phone. Text the word "Shallowford365" to 73256 followed by the amount you wish to give. You may also give through the Realm Connect App or by visiting the website at [shallowford.org/give](http://shallowford.org/give).



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## SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 28, 2024 | 11:00 a.m. | Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

## WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

### **OPENING VOLUNTARY**

*How Great Thou Art*

Jinhee Kim, organ

arr. Dan Miller

### **GATHERING WORDS & GREETING**

Rev. Landon Dillard

### **\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Come, rest your spirits in the Lord.

**We come, hungering and thirsting for God's word.**

This is a place of peace and hope, where all may be fed and healed.

**Bring us to the time of healing.**

Come, place your trust in God who is always near you.

**Open our hearts, Lord, to hear your word and feel your presence.**

### **\*HYMN No. 305**

*Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!*

Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble

DARWALL'S 148TH

### **\*CALL TO CONFESSION**

Rev. Bradley Kibler Bond

### **\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

You know how we are, Lord.

**We say that we will take time to refresh our spirits and our souls  
and then we quickly crowd our lives with activities  
to the point of exhaustion.**

**We turn to you for feeding and nurture,  
asking you to give us something  
to sustain us through our times.**

**We are willing to tell you what we have,  
but when we look closely,**

\* Those who are able, please stand.

we discover that we bring so little to you.  
 Take what we have, our gifts and our needs.  
 Shape us as your people, and restore us to faithful living,  
 as we seek to follow Jesus in service to everyone we meet.

*Silence for personal prayers of confession*

**\*RESPONSE HYMN NO. 108**

*Of the Father's Love Begotten*

DIVINUM MYSTERIUM

Lucas Gray, solo

*Christ, to thee with God the Father, and, O Holy Ghost, to thee,  
 Hymn and chant and high thanksgiving and unwearied praises be.  
 Honor, glory, and dominion, and eternal victory, evermore and evermore!  
 Amen.*

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.  
**Thanks be to God!**

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

The Peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you!**

**ANTHEM**

*Great is Thy Faithfulness*

arr. Joel Mott/James Olcott

Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble

**TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES**

*Following the children's moment, children ages 3-Kindergarten  
 are invited to remain in worship. Ages 2 and under are welcome in the Nursery.*

**WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

Erin Thornton

**FIRST SCRIPTURE READING**

Psalms 145:10-18

**SECOND SCRIPTURE READING**

John 6:1-21

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

**SERMON**

Rev. Landon Dillard

*Nothing Too Small*

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

**\*HYMN No. 525**

*Let Us Break Bread Together*

LET US BREAK BREAD

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

*The Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
 Maker of heaven and earth,  
 and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
 who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,**

suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
 was crucified, dead, and buried;  
 he descended into hell;  
 the third day he rose again from the dead;  
 he ascended into heaven,  
 and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
 from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church;  
 the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
 the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;**

**and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**INVITATION TO OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY**

*Blessed Are They That Hunger and Thirst*

Roberta Rowland-Raybold

**\*DOXOLOGY Hymn No. 606**

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise God, all creatures here below.**

**Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**WE ARE SENT TO SERVE**

**\*HYMN No. 268**

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

DIADEMATA

Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble

**\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

"Offertoire sur les Grands Jeux"

from *Mass for the Parishes*

Nicolas de Grigny

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You are welcome to remain seated for the Closing Voluntary  
 or exit to the Atrium for Fellowship.

**This Week @ Shallowford  
 July 28 - August 4, 2024**

**Sunday, July 28**

11:00 a.m. Worship as One (Sanctuary)

**Monday, July 29**

No Scheduled Events

**Tuesday, July 30**

10:00 a.m. Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group (Zoom)

**Wednesday, July 31**

11:00 a.m. Book Club with Anna (Library)

1:00 p.m. SCML Weekly Practice Circle (Zoom)

6:30 p.m. NAMI Connection (Youth Center + Zoom)

**Thursday, August 1**

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast

10:30 a.m. Fitness, Fun & Fellowship (Heritage Hall)

7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

**Friday, August 2**

Church Office Closed

**Saturday, August 3**

Church Office Closed

9:30 a.m. Flower Guild

**Sunday, August 4 - Kickoff Sunday**

8:30 a.m. Early Worship (Chapel)

9:30 a.m. Combined Adult Sunday School (Heritage Hall)

9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School (2nd Floor - Education Building)

11:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)

**Welcome to Shallowford!** During your visit we hope you feel the presence of the Spirit and the love of Christ as we worship God together. Please complete a **Connection Card** (found in the pew rack) if you are visiting or wish to submit prayer concerns and life updates.

The **cradle cross** at the baptismal font celebrates the birth of Matteo Jericho Jiménez, born July 1st to parents Brianne Parsons and Pedro Jr. Jiménez. Proud grandparents are Mark and Kristine Parsons. Prayers of peace and faith for his life journey.

We are honored to have **The Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble** join us in leading worship today. The Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble was founded in 2004 and features some of the top high school and college trumpet players in the metropolitan Atlanta area. The Atlanta Trumpet Ensemble has performed for the opening of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, the Western Carolina Trumpet Festival, and the Georgia Music Educators Association In-Service Conference.

**Childcare** is available in the nursery. **Worship clipboards** for children are available in the Atrium.

## 305 Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

1 Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song!  
 2 Long years have come and gone, and still God reigns su - preme,  
 3 Let cour - age be our friend; let wis - dom be our guide,  
 4 Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song!

For Christ the Lord has led us through the a - ges long!  
 em - power - ing us to catch the vi - sion, dream the dream!  
 as we in mis - sion mag - ni - fy the Cru - ci - fied!  
 For Christ the Lord has tri - umphed o'er the a - ges long!

In bold ac - cord, come cel - e - brate the jour - ney now and praise the Lord!

This text was the winner in a hymn competition sponsored by the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Bicentennial Committee for the 1988–1989 observance, which had the theme “Celebrate the Journey.” The late 18th-century tune (first used with Psalm 148) is appropriately celebratory.

## Let Us Break Bread Together 525

1 Let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)  
 2 Let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)  
 3 Let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)

let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)  
 let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)  
 let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)

## Refrain

When I fall on my knees, with my face to the ris - ing sun,

O Lord, have mer - cy on me. (on me)

This African American spiritual quite possibly reflects the circumstances of slaves attending early morning communion services in colonial Anglican churches, but its combination of hope ("rising sun") and supplication ("Lord, have mercy") speaks to many worshippers' experience.

## Crown Him with Many Crowns 268

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
 2 Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,  
 3 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scep - ter sways  
 4 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time;

hark, how the heaven-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own!  
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied:  
 from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise.  
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fa - bly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
 no an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
 His reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet  
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;

and hail him as thy match-less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
 but down-ward bends his burn-ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
 fair flowers of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra - grance ev - er sweet.  
 thy praise shall nev - er, nev - er fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

This text is so familiar that it is easy to miss all its paradox, mystery, suffering, and beauty; it rewards careful reading and meditation outside corporate worship. The tune's composer, chapel organist at Windsor Castle, had much experience in creating a royal sound.