

Temple Baptist Church

1801 Market Street
Wilmington, NC 28403

March 23, 2025



**To Know Christ . . .
and to Make Him Known**

Morning Worship

Sunday, March 23rd

*Please silence all cell phones and other electronic devices.
When the music begins, please meditate quietly to prepare for worship.
To use the hearing loop, set hearing aids to the "T" setting.*

We Gather to Worship

Fellowship and Hospitality

Music for Meditation

Welcome & Invocation

Chuck Dail

Opening Remarks

Dr. Rudy Ramphal

*Call to Worship 23

"Thou Art Worthy"

Mills

Responsive Reading

Matthew 6:16-18

Leader: Oh God, we are reminded this day of the temporality of our lives here on the earth.

Congregation: We are dust and to dust we will return.

Leader: It is by your Spirit and your power that we are given life.

Congregation: You are the source of all hope and life.

Leader: We enter now a season of repentance, so that we may turn from selfishness.

Congregation: We set aside some comforts, so that we may turn our attention to Your holiness.

*Hymn 68

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

NICEA

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Dwarka Ramphal

(The Pastoral Prayer will end with the Lord's Prayer. The words are printed on the screen.)

*Worship Song

"Yet Not I but Through Christ"

Various

*Offertory Prayer

Logan Cartwright

Offertory

*Response 668

"Doxology"

OLD HUNDRETH

Children's Sermon

Marlena Guyton

Worship Anthem

"Order My Steps"

Glenn Burleigh

Sermon & Sermon

Dr. Rudy Ramphal

"Why Fasting?"

Matthew 6:16-18

*Invitation 234

"When I Survey"

HAMBURG

The Gospel of Jesus Christ is a call to faith and obedience.

We invite those who desire to declare their faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, or to express new or renewed commitments to Christ, or to join Temple Baptist Church to come forward during this hymn to share your response with the Pastor, or to contact him after today's service or during the week.

Communion

*Hymn 400

"Jesus at Your Holy Table"

BEACHSPRING

*Benediction

Dr. Rudy Ramphal

Postlude

* Please stand as you are able

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*Engaging Our Community
with the Presence of Christ and the Power of His Gospel . . .*

