

# The Church Gathers for Worship

Sunday, March 8, 2026, 10:30 am

~ *3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent* ~

\*Please stand, as you are able

Gathering Music: *Give Thanks, What a Beautiful Name*

Welcome

A Celebration of Our Life and Work Together Lic. Luke Steeves

\*Responsive Call to Worship:

Leader: In this Lenten season, God calls us to journey together.

**People: We come seeking God's presence and one another.**

Leader: From many places and many stories, God gathers us as one people.

**People: We come, carrying both hope and longing.**

Leader: How good and pleasant it is when God's people live in unity.

**People: God's blessing flows where love is shared.**

Leader: In a world marked by division and fear,

**People: God calls us toward reconciliation and peace.**

Leader: When the way feels hard and our spirits grow weary,

**People: God draws us together and gives us life.**

Leader: Come, let us worship the God who gathers and renews us.

**All: We come to worship, to be shaped as one body.  
Amen.**

\*Gathering Hymn: *In Christ We Live*

Opening Prayer

Lic. Vipin Joseph

Music for the

Lenten Journey: *The God of Second Chances*

Children's Moment

Darren Booth

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 130

Welton Tome

Solo:

*Footsteps Walking with Me* Murray Shaw

Scripture Reading:

Mark 10:35-45

Rachel McLeod Moore

Sermon:

**The Solidarity of the Cross**

Rev. Dr. Matthew Walsh

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dr. Helen Chan

Offering of our Gifts.

Lic. Margaret Mensah

\*Offertory:

*Grant Now Your Blessing*

Prayer for the Offering

\*Closing Hymn:

*Will You Come and Follow Me*

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\*Benediction

Rev. Dr. Matthew Walsh

Postlude

Eunhoun Kim

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**We would like to thank the Rev. Dr. Matthew Walsh  
for participating in our Worship Service today.**

## Sunday Worship Services

Date	Preacher
March 15	Lic. Margaret Mensah
March 22	Rev. Dr. Melody Maxwell
March 29	Rev. Andrea Anderson

### At Wolfville Baptist, Mar 8–14, 2026

#### Time Springs Forward: Sunday, Mar 8, 2am

**Lenten Journey with Barry Whatley:** Sundays, 9:30am, Parlour

**Sunday Worship:** In-person & online services at 10:30am. Go to [www.wolfvillebaptist.ca](http://www.wolfvillebaptist.ca) for the weekly YouTube link

**Valley of Hope Ministry:** Sundays, 1pm, Sanctuary

**Valley Mission Church (in Korean):** Sundays, 3pm, Sanctuary

**College & Career Group:** Sundays, 6pm, Room 23

**Monday Song Worship:** Mondays, 6pm, Sanctuary

**Alcoholics Anonymous:** Tuesdays, 10am, Parlour

**Friendly Fellowship:** Thursdays, 10am, Parlour

**Sanctuary Choir:** Thursdays, 7pm, Sanctuary

**Men's Ensemble:** Friday, Mar 13, 2pm, Sanctuary

**kidzQuire:** Fridays, 3:30pm, Sanctuary

**EDGE Unlimited Youth:** Fridays, 6:30pm, Room 22

**Conversational English:** Saturdays, 2pm, Room 23

**Praise & Worship Team Rehearsal:** Saturday, 3:30pm, Sanctuary

**Confidential Prayer Chain:** To request a regular prayer for yourself or someone you know, email [shonwhitney@hotmail.com](mailto:shonwhitney@hotmail.com). Names may be omitted, if desired.

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