



**SEPTEMBER 8, 2024**  
**B.L.E.S.S.: LISTEN**  
**11 A.M.**

*You are invited to join the pastors on the right side of the altar to pray before the beginning of worship.*

**PRELUDE**

Jesus is All the World to Me  
Thompson/Hayes

Judi Wilkinson

**WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Let us know that you worshipped with us today: [www.westernhillsep.org/attendance/](http://www.westernhillsep.org/attendance/)  
See our full list of announcements here: [www.westernhillsep.org/happening-now/](http://www.westernhillsep.org/happening-now/)

**OPENING PRAYER**

**Almighty God,  
to you all hearts are open, all desires known,  
and from you no secrets are hidden.  
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,**

that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

We come to this place of prayer,  
**for here we can bring our hopes and dreams,  
our hidden fears and the doubts we dare wear on our sleeves.**  
We come to this place of grace,  
**for here we learn compassion and joy,  
and discover how deeply we are loved.**  
We come with these people called the church,  
**to be blessed by the variety of gifts,  
to live as one for our God.**

### **SONGS**

I Thank God

The Gathering Praise Band

Aaron Moses and Chuck Butler (7169680)

Cornerstone

The Gathering Praise Band

Jonas Myrin Reuben Morgan (6158927)

### **TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES**

### **BE LOVE HIGHLIGHT**

### **HYMN**

Stand Up and Bless the Lord

No. 662

### **SCRIPTURE**

Luke 18:35-43  
Proverbs 18:13

The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks Be To God**

### **DOXOLOGY**

### **MESSAGE**

### **PASTORAL PRAYER and LORD'S PRAYER**

### **GIVING TALK and OFFERING**

**ANTHEM**

"In Your Presence"  
by Ken Medema

Chancel Choir

**HYMN**

Jesus, Thine All-Victorious Love

No. 422

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

Fantasia in G Major, BWV 572  
By J.S. Bach

Esequiel Mesa

Lay Reader: Mary Bell Haney