

## BELONG + GROW

God is doing extraordinary things through our Sunday worship, Christian education, children, youth, and family ministries, and mission efforts locally and around the world.

Fill out a connect card (below), chat with a pastor, or stop by the Welcome Center in the Narthex for more information.

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Include me in email communication

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I am a:

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## Prayer + Care

We are a prayerful people. Through prayer, we grow in our relationship with God. Prayer concerns and needs are very important to the Highland community.

Regardless of the situation, we would like the opportunity to pray for you. If you have a request, please fill out the space below and place it in the offering basket or to a Worship Leader before you leave today.

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## Worship Sunday, October 21st

### \*Gathering Song

*Light of the World*

### Welcome & Greeting

### Ministry Highlights

### Scripture

Ephesians 5:8-11, 15-16 (NIV)

### Message

“The Practice of Growth”

6th in 6-Part Series: Soul Keeping

### \*Song

*Oceans*

### Offering

### Prayer

### \*Closing Song

*Ever Be*

### \*Sending Blessing

**Musicians:** Kristina Ackerman, Tim Riley, Jamie Strange,  
Chris Vandenberg, Chris Walker  
Josh Witmer, Contemporary Music Leader  
**Audio/Video:** Jonathan Lefever, Mark Anderson

## Sending Blessing

As this worship service ends,

your Christian service begins:

Inhaling grace,

as keepers of your souls,

Exhaling grace,

telling others what Jesus Christ has done &  
is doing in your life!

claimed by the grace of God

saved by the cross of Christ

and empowered by the presence of the  
Holy Spirit. Amen.

## We're Glad You're Here

Welcome to Highland. We are excited to have you here and hope you experience the love of Jesus Christ as we worship side by side today. If you are a newcomer looking for a place to belong and grow in your relationship with Jesus, consider yourself invited to Highland.

## Who We Are

Highland is a diverse community of men, women, youth and children seeking spiritual growth, caring nurture and fellowship. We aim to equip and empower all members to live out their faith in service to God's word.

## Prayground

Welcome to our Prayground! This is a space located at the back of Fellowship Hall where children can listen to the sermon in a more child-friendly environment. Children between the ages of newborn and pre-k may go to nursery or stay in the service. If they stay in the service (whether at your seat or the Prayground) we ask that you accompany them. Thank you!



“For you were once darkness,  
but now you are light in the Lord.

Live as children of light

(for the fruit of the light consists in all  
goodness, righteousness and truth)

and find out what pleases the Lord.

Have nothing to do with the fruitless deeds of  
darkness,

but rather expose them...

Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but  
as wise,

making the most of every opportunity,

because the days are evil.”

**- Ephesians 5:8-11, 15-16 (NIV)**

