

Morning Worship

August 24, A.D. 2025



Welcome & Announcements

Silent Preparation for Worship

¹⁹ *If in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied.*
²⁰ *But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.” (1 Corinthians 15:19-20)*

GOD CALLS HIS OWN FROM OUT OF THE WORLD

* *Call to Worship* Psalm 42:1-4

* *Prayer of Invocation*

* *Psalms* PS 7A “O Lord, My God, I Take Refuge”

* *Testimony of the Church* The Apostles’ Creed
(The Apostles’ Creed can be found printed on the inside cover of the hymnal and psalter)

GOD’S PEOPLE PREPARE

Call to Confession

²⁸ And one of the scribes came up and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, asked him, ‘Which commandment is the most important of all?’ ²⁹ Jesus answered, ‘The most important is, ‘Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. ³⁰ And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.’ ³¹ The second is this: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no other commandment greater than these.” (Mark 12:28-31)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

³ If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?
⁴ But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.”
(Psalm 130:3-4)

* *Hymn* TH 535 “O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!”

GOD GRACIOUSLY SPEAKS

* *Prayer of Illumination and Dedication*

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 57:1-21
(Pew Bible pg. 616)

New Testament Reading

Luke 19:1-10
(Pew Bible pg. 878)

Response

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

THE THANKFUL RESPONSE OF GOD’S PEOPLE

Offertory

Doxology

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayers of the Church & 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.

GOD INSTRUCTS AND FEEDS HIS PEOPLE

Preaching of God’s Word

1 Samuel 15:1-35
“Saul Rejected as King”

Pastor Gleason
(Pew Bible pg. 237)

* *Hymn* TH 295 “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

* *Benediction*

* *Threefold Amen*

Congregation

Postlude



Evening Worship

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The Church in a Season of Prayer

* *Call to Worship* Romans 11:36

* *Prayer of Invocation*

* *Hymn* TH 165 “Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”

Scripture Reading Exodus 29:1-28
(Pew Bible pg. 69)

* *Hymn* TH 307 “Nothing but the Blood”

Heidelberg Catechism Q/A #20

Pastor: Are all men, then, saved by Christ just as they perished through Adam?
People: No. Only those are saved who by a true faith are grafted into Christ and accept all his benefits.

* *Hymn* TH 449 “We Rest on Thee”

Prayer of Illumination

Preaching of God’s Word Psalm 107:1-43 Pastor Gleason
“Consider the Steadfast Love of God” (Pew Bible pg. 506)

* *Psalms* PS 107D “To Those Who Sail the Seas”

* *Benediction*

Postlude

