

# Morning Worship

August 31, A.D. 2025



Welcome & Announcements

Silent Preparation for Worship

“Worthy are You, our Lord and our God, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things, and because of Your will they existed, and were created.”  
(Revelation 4:11)

## GOD CALLS HIS OWN FROM OUT OF THE WORLD

\* Call to Worship Psalm 133

\* Prayer of Invocation

\* Hymn TH 283 “Alleluia! Alleluia!”

\* 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

“For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles in one point, he has become guilty of all.” (James 2:10)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

“<sup>6</sup> Blessed be the LORD, because He has heard the voice of my supplication. <sup>7</sup> The LORD is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and I am helped; therefore my heart exults, and with my song I shall thank Him.” (Psalm 28:6-7)

\* Psalm PS 121C “Unto the Hills I Lift My Longing Eyes”

## GOD GRACIOUSLY SPEAKS

\* Prayer of Illumination and Dedication

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 58:1-14  
(Pew Bible pg. 617)

New Testament Reading

Luke 19:11-27  
(Pew Bible pg. 878)

Response

Trinity

To the great One in Three eternal praises be, hence evermore. His sovereign majesty may we in glory see, and to eternity love and adore.

## 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 16:1-13 Pastor Gleason  
“A New Kind of King” (Pew Bible pg. 238)

\* Hymn TH 5 “God, My King, Thy Might Confessing”

\* Benediction

\* Threefold Amen Congregation

Postlude



# Evening Worship

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The Church in a Season of Prayer

\* Call to Worship Hebrews 12:28-29

\* Prayer of Invocation

\* Hymn TH 498 “Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners!”

Scripture Reading Exodus 29:29-46  
(Pew Bible pg. 70)

\* Hymn TH 257 “Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted”

Heidelberg Catechism Q/A #21

**Pastor: What is true faith?**

People: True faith is a sure knowledge whereby I accept as true all that God has revealed to us in his Word.

At the same time it is a firm confidence that not only to others, but also to me, God has granted forgiveness of sins, everlasting righteousness, and salvation, out of mere grace, only for the sake of Christ’s merits.

This faith the Holy Spirit works in my heart by the gospel.

\* Hymn TH 32 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Prayer of Illumination

Preaching of God’s Word Psalm 108:1-13 Pastor Gleason  
“The Power of God Unto Salvation” (Pew Bible pg. 507)

\* Psalm PS 108A “God My Heart Is Steadfast”

\* Benediction

Postlude

