

Morning Worship

December 28, A.D. 2025



Welcome & Announcements

Silent Preparation for Worship

“The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise him, my father’s God, and I will exalt him.” (Exodus 15:2)

GOD CALLS HIS OWN FROM OUT OF THE WORLD

- * Call to Worship Psalm 133
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * Hymn TH 642 “Be Thou My Vision”
- * 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
“¹² Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy, as the LORD your God commanded you. ¹³ Six days you shall labor and do all your work, ¹⁴ but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter or your male servant or your female servant, or your ox or your donkey or any of your live-stock, or the sojourner who is within your gates, that your male servant and your female servant may rest as well as you. ¹⁵ You shall remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the Sab-bath day.” (Deuteronomy 5:12-15)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon
“²² The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; ²³ they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.” (Lamentations 3:22-23)

- * Psalm PS 125 “All, Like Mount Zion, Unmoved Shall Endure”

*Please stand if you are able

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GOD GRACIOUSLY SPEAKS

* Prayer of Illumination and Dedication

- Old Testament Reading Jeremiah 4:19-31 (Pew Bible pg. 631)
- New Testament Reading Luke 24:13-35 (Pew Bible pg. 885)

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 25:1b-44 Pastor Gleason (Pew Bible pg. 247)
“God’s Salvation”
- * Hymn TH 670 “If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee”
- * Benediction
- * Threefold Amen Congregation

Postlude



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Evening Worship

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The Church in a Season of Prayer

- * Call to Worship Romans 11:36
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * Psalm PS 122A “I Was Filled with Joy and Gladness”
- Scripture Reading Exodus 38:21-31 (Pew Bible pg. 78)
- * Hymn TH 677 “Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him”

Heidelberg Catechism Q/A #34

Pastor: Why do you call him our Lord?
People: Because he has ransomed us, body and soul, from all our sins, not with silver or gold but with his precious blood, and has freed us from all the power of the devil to make us his own possession.

- * Hymn TH 439 “Christ Shall Have Dominion”

Prayers of the Church

- Preaching of God’s Word Psalm 119:153-176 Pastor Gleason (Pew Bible pg. 516)
“In Praise of God’s Law - Part 6”
- * Psalm PS 119U “My Grief Regard”
- * Benediction

Postlude



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