

Morning Worship

January 4, A.D. 2026



Welcome & Announcements

Silent Preparation for Worship

¹ Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. ² Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.” (Psalm 111:1-2)

GOD CALLS HIS OWN FROM OUT OF THE WORLD

* Call to Worship Psalm 68:32-34

* Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn TH 32 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

* 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

“Honor your father and your mother, as the LORD your God commanded you, that your days may be long, and that it may go well with you in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.”
(Deuteronomy 5:16)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

“² Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. ² Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD’S hand double for all her sins.” (Isaiah 40:1-2)

* Psalm PS 27C “O Hear My Voice, Lord”

GOD GRACIOUSLY SPEAKS

* Prayer of Illumination and Dedication

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 5:1-14
(Pew Bible pg. 632)

*Please stand if you are able

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New Testament Reading

Luke 24:36-53
(Pew Bible pg. 885)

Response

St. Thomas

To the Eternal Three, in will and essence one; to Father, Son, and Spirit be co-equal honors done.

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 26:1-25
“Hated by the World”

Pastor Gleason
(Pew Bible pg. 249)

* Hymn TH 257 v. 1-2 “Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted”

The Ministry of the Lord’s Table

Words of Institution

Fencing of the Table

Prayer of Dedication

Serving the Bread and the Cup

Closing Prayer

* Hymn TH 257 v. 3-4 “Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted”

* 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 Psalm 42:1-4

* Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn TH 98 “Now Thank We All Our God”

Scripture Reading Exodus 39:1-26
(Pew Bible pg. 79)

* Hymn TH 305 “Arise, My Soul, Arise”

Heidelberg Catechism Q/A #35

Pastor: What do you confess when you say: *He was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary?*

People: The eternal Son of God, who is and remains true and eternal God, took upon himself true human nature from the flesh and blood of the virgin Mary, through the working of the Holy Spirit.

Thus he is also the true seed of David, and like his brothers in every respect, yet without sin.

* Hymn TH 203 “Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”

Prayers of the Church

Preaching of God’s Word

Psalm 120:1-7
“Peace in the Truth”

Pastor Gleason
(Pew Bible pg. 516)

* Psalm PS 120B “I Cried in Trouble to the Lord”

* Benediction

Postlude



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