THE LORD'S DAY

All Souls' Day, November 2, 2025

THE RESURRECTION GREETING AND RESPONSE

Pastor: Peace be with you.

People: And also with you.

GOD CALLS US

† THE CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 18:4-6, 46-49

Pastor: The cords of death entangled me;

People: The torrents of destruction overwhelmed me.

Pastor: The cords of the grave coiled around me; **People: The snares of death confronted me.** Pastor: In my distress I called to the LORD;

People: I cried to my God for help.

Pastor: He reached down from on high and took hold of me;

People: He drew me out of deep waters.
Pastor: The LORD lives! Praise be to my Rock!

People: Exalted be God my Savior!

Pastor: Therefore I will praise you among the nations, O LORD;

People: I will sing praises to your name.

† Invocation

† THE SONG OF PRAISE

LORD OF ETERNITY

Blessed is the man, who walks in your favor
Who loves all Your words and hides them like treasure
And in the darkest place of his desperate heart; They are a strong sure light

*Chorus: Lord of eternity, Father of mercy; Look on my fainting soul Keeper of all the stars, Friend of the poorest heart Touch me and make me whole

I call Your name but I cannot find you
I look for your face but You are not there
But all my sorrows Lord they lift me to You; Lift me up to your side

You are my defense, so who is against me?
For I am not harmed, if you are my strength
All that I ask You for and all my desire; Is to live with my God

† The Hymn of Praise #521

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

GOD CLEANSES US

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Psalm 90:2-14

Gracious Father, before the mountains were born or you brought forth the earth, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. A thousand years in your sight are like a day that has just gone by. We are like the new grass of the morning—though in the morning it springs up new, by evening it is dry and withered. You have set our iniquities before you, our secret sins in the light of your presence. Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain a heart of wisdom. Satisfy us in the morning with your unfailing love, that we may sing for joy and be glad all our days.

THE PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS

1 Corinthians 15:55-58

"Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.

GOD CONSECRATES US

THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS¹
THE SONG OF PRAISE

SING TO JESUS

Come and see, look on this mystery; Lord of the Universe, nailed to a tree.

Christ our God, spilling His Holy blood,

Bowing in anguish, His sacred head.

*Chorus 1: Sing to Jesus! Lord of our shame! Lord of our sinful hearts, He is our great Redeemer! Sing to Jesus! Honor His name! Sing of His faithfulness, pouring His life out unto death.

Come you weary and He will give you rest Come you who mourn, lay on His breast. Christ who died, risen in Paradise, Giver of mercy; Giver of Life!

Chorus 2: Sing to Jesus! His is the throne
Now and forever, He is the King of Heaven
Sing to Jesus, we are His own.
Now and forever, sing for the love our God has shown.*

† THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

THE PASTORAL PRAYER²
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. Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 THESSALONIANS 4:13-18

Reader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

THE PREACHING OF SCRIPTURE

Pastor Jeff Hamling

GRIEVING WITH HOPE

GOD COMMUNES WITH US

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER³
THE SONG OF MEDITATION

GOD COMMISSIONS US

† THE SONG OF PRAISE

CHRIST OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH
What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone
What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong

Who holds our days within His hand?

What comes apart from His command?

And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ in which we stand!

*Chorus: O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal O sing hallelujah!Now and ever we confess Christ, our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good God is good Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood Who holds our faith when fears arise?

Who stands above the stormy trial?

Who sends the waves that bring us nigh unto the shore the rock of Christ?*

Unto the grave what will we sing, "Christ, He lives, Christ, He lives!" And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him.

There we will rise to meet the Lord; Then sin and death will be destroyed And we will feast in endless joy when Christ is ours forevermore*

† The Benediction

† Denotes congregation stands.