

THE LORD'S DAY

MORNING WORSHIP

OCTOBER 26, 2025 • 10:30 AM

“Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.”

~ Psalm 100

► PRELUDE

► WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

► *CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 100



► *THE HYMN OF PRAISE *God Of Our Fathers* (Hymn #710)

*Organ or trumpets
before each stanza*

1. God of our fa - thers, whose al - might - y
2. Thy love di - vine hath led us in the
3. From war's a - larms, from dead - ly pes - ti -
4. Re - fresh thy peo - ple on their toil - some

hand leads forth in beau - ty all the star - ry
past; in this free land by thee our lot is
lence, be thy strong arm our ev - er - sure de -
way, lead us from night to nev - er - end - ing

band of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the
cast; be thou our rul - er, guard - ian, guide, and
fense; thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in -
day; fill all our lives with love and grace di -

skies, our grate - ful songs be - fore thy throne a - rise.
stay; thy Word our law, thy paths our cho - sen way.
crease, thy boun - teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.
vine, and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er thine.



► *THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION

► *THE CONFESSION OF FAITH Solas Of The Reformation

Sola Scriptura (Scripture Alone) The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of our God endures forever. (Isaiah 40:8)

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:16-17)

Sola Fide (Faith Alone) I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes... for in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed – a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.” (Romans 1:16-17)

Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 5:1)

Sola Gratia (Grace Alone) In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of trespasses, according to the riches of His grace which He lavished on us. (Ephesians 1:7-8)

By grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.” (Ephesians 2:8-9)

Solus Christus (Christ Alone) There is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself as a ransom for all people. (1 Timothy 2:5-6)

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved. (Acts 4:12)

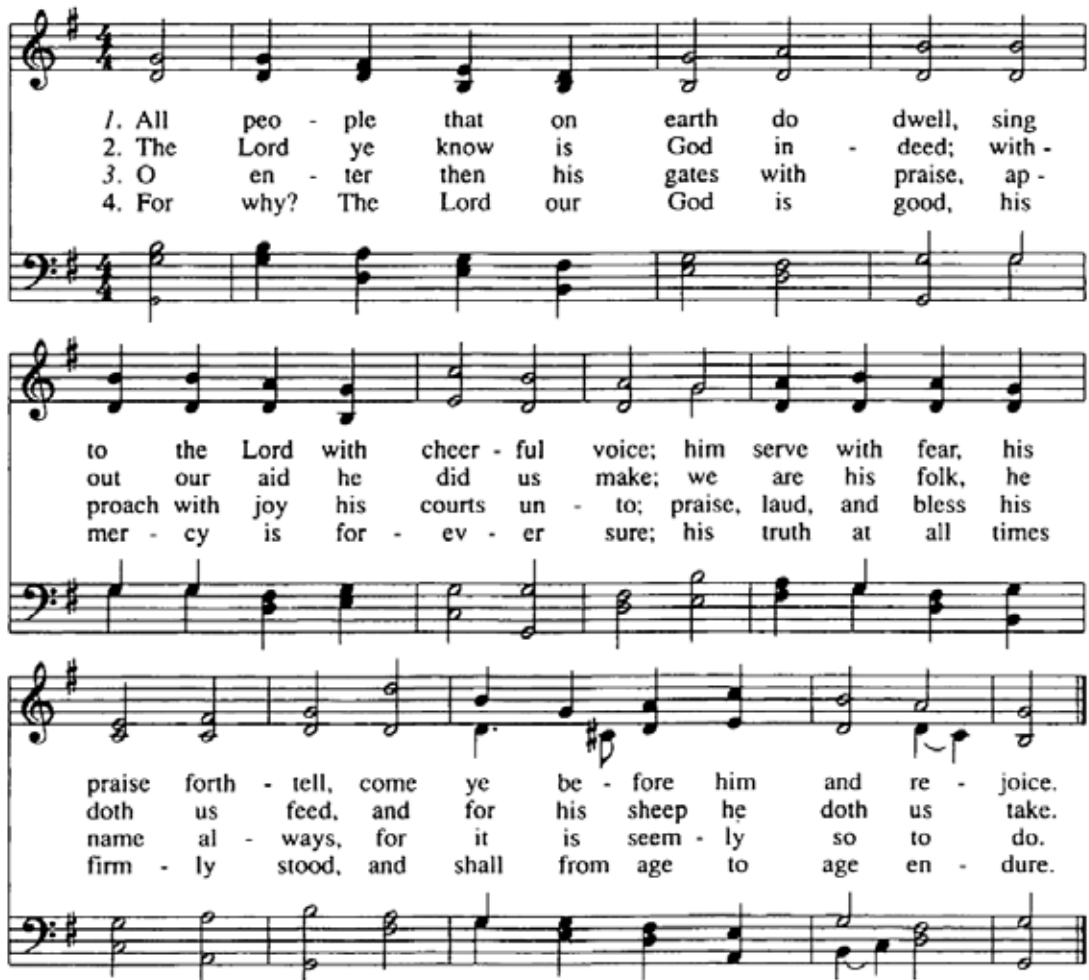
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Soli Deo Gloria (Glory to God Alone) As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God... so that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belongs the glory and dominion forever and ever.” (1 Peter 4:10-11)

To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. (Revelation 5:1)

► THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE..... *All People That On Earth Do Dwell* (Hymn #1)



1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, sing
 2. The Lord ye know is God in - deed; with -
 3. O en - ter then his gates with praise, ap -
 4. For why? The Lord our God is good, his

to the Lord with cheer - ful voice; him serve with fear, his
 out our aid he did us make; we are his folk, he
 proach with joy his courts un - to; praise, laud, and bless his
 mer - cy is for - ev - er sure; his truth at all times

praise forth - tell, come ye be - fore him and re - joice.
 doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.
 name al - ways, for it is seem - ly so to do.
 firm - ly stood, and shall from age to age en - dure.



► THE PASTORAL PRAYER

► THE LORD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

(The giving QR code can be found on the inside back cover.)

► THE ANTHEM*The Promise Of Grace*

Sleepless nights and sorrow, my hope a broken song. Weary are the struggle the road that takes too long, longing for His mercy to set me free and then, I heard His whispered promised, "You will never thirst again"!

Come see a man who knows all that we have done, is He not the Christ, the chosen one? His name is Jesus, look upon His face. This is the promise of amazing grace!

I'll worship Him in spirit, His living water mine, I'll worship Him in truth, God incarnate, love divine! Come and see this Jesus who set us free and then, reminds us of His promise "You will never thirst again"!

Come see a man who knows all that we have done, is He not the Christ, the chosen one? His name is Jesus, look upon His face. This is the promise of amazing grace!

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but now I'm found, was blind but now I see! Amazing grace! God's amazing grace!



*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION..... *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* (Hymn #92)
(Children Kindergarten-1st Grades are dismissed to Children's Church during last stanza.)



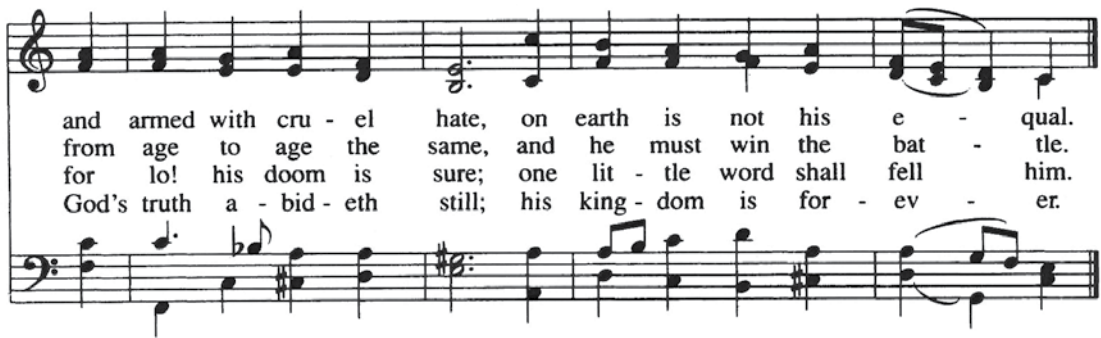
1. A might - y for - tress is our God, a bul - wark nev - er
 2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, our striv - ing would be
 3. And though this world, with dev - ils filled, should threat - en to un -
 4. That Word a - bove all earth - ly pow'rs, no thanks to them, a -

fail - ing; our help - er he a - mid the flood of
 los - ing; were not the right man on our side, the
 do us, we will not fear, for God hath willed his
 bid - eth; the Spir - it and the gifts are ours through

mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an - cient foe
 man of God's own choos - ing. Dost ask who that may be?
 truth to tri - umph through us. The prince of dark - ness grim,
 him who with us sid - eth. Let goods and kin - dred go,

doth seek to work us woe; his craft and pow'r are great;
 Christ Je - sus, it is he, Lord Sa - ba - oth his name,
 we trem - ble not for him; his rage we can en - dure,
 this mor - tal life al - so; the bod - y they may kill:



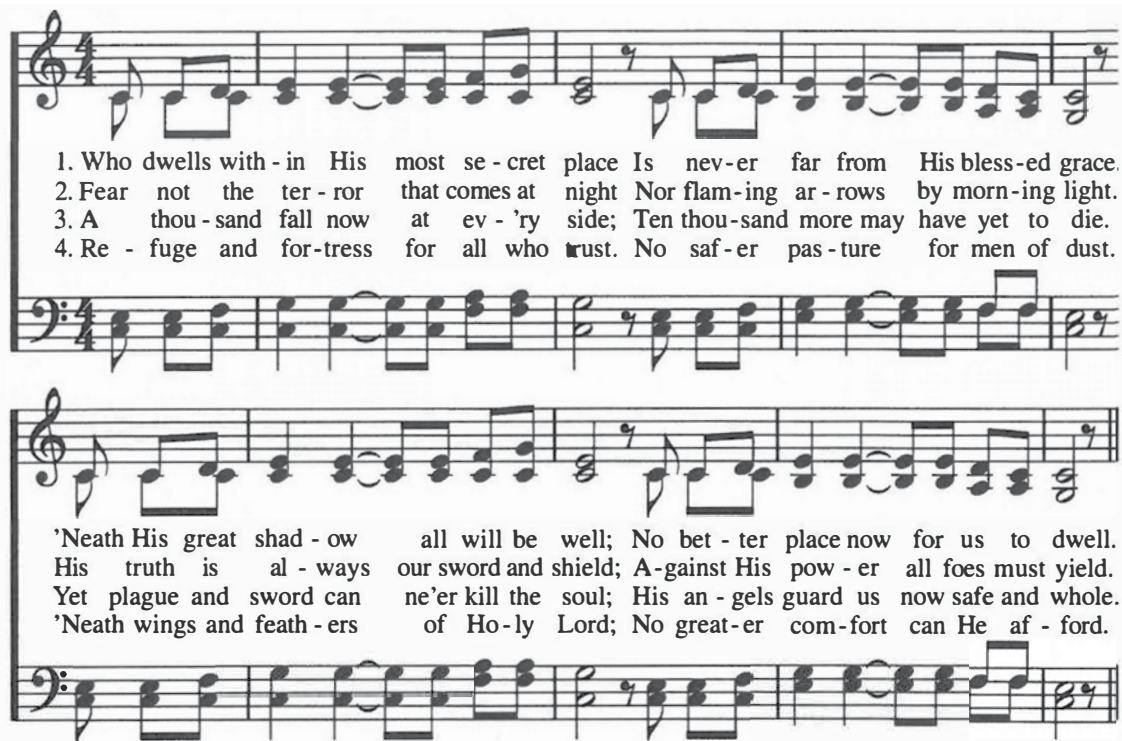


and armed with cru - el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.
 from age to age the same, and he must win the bat - tle.
 for lo! his doom is sure; one lit - tle word shall fell him.
 God's truth a - bid - eth still; his king - dom is for - ev - er.

► *THE SCRIPTURE READING..... Hebrews 4:14-5:10 (Pew Bible p. 1003)

► THE SERMON Solus Christus: Christ Alone, Rev. Dr. Guy Richard

► *THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING *The Secret Place*



1. Who dwells with - in His most se - cret place Is nev - er far from His bless - ed grace.
 2. Fear not the ter - ror that comes at night Nor flam - ing ar - rows by morn - ing light.
 3. A thou - sand fall now at ev - 'ry side; Ten thou - sand more may have yet to die.
 4. Re - fuge and for - tress for all who trust. No saf - er pas - ture for men of dust.

'Neath His great shad - ow all will be well; No bet - ter place now for us to dwell.
 His truth is al - ways our sword and shield; A - gainst His pow - er all foes must yield.
 Yet plague and sword can ne'er kill the soul; His an - gels guard us now safe and whole.
 'Neath wings and feath - ers of Ho - ly Lord; No great - er com - fort can He af - ford.

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► *THE BENEDICTION

► *CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*
(Hymn #252 Stanza 4)

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small; love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life my all.

► POSTLUDE

Guest Preacher - Dr. Guy M. Richard is President and Associate Professor of Systematic Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary in Atlanta. Prior to his arrival in Atlanta, Dr. Richard served as the Senior Minister of the First Presbyterian Church in Gulfport, Mississippi (PCA) for almost 12 years. He and his wife Jennifer have three children.



THE LORD'S DAY

EVENING WORSHIP

OCTOBER 26, 2025 • 5:00 PM

► PRELUDE

► WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

► CALL TO WORSHIP

► *THE HYMN OF PRAISE *Lead On, O King Eternal* (Hymn #580)

► PRAYER OF INVOCATION

► *VERSE OF THE MONTH..... Psalm 100:4-5

“Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.”

► THE EVENING PRAYER



► *THE HYMN OF THE MONTH..... *O God Beyond All Praising* (Hymn #660)



1. O God be - yond all prais - ing, we wor - ship you to - day
 2. Then hear, O gra - cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we bring,

and sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re - pay;
 that we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;

for we can on - ly won - der at ev - ery gift you send,
 and wheth - er our to - mor - rows at be filled with good or ill,

at bless - ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end:
 we'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still:



we lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word,
to mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways,

we hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord.
and make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.

- ▶ *THE SCRIPTURE READING..... 2 Samuel 19:8-40 (Pew Bible p. 260)
- ▶ THE SERMON Gifts Of The Returning King, Rev. Joel Smit
- ▶ *THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING *Rock of Ages, Cleft For Me* (Hymn #500)
- ▶ *THE BENEDICTION
- ▶ POSTLUDE





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as Reformed
Disciples



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Christ as Servants
& Witnesses

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

- ▶ **Reformation Celebration** | 10:30 AM | RTS Chapel | we celebrate the Protestant Reformation, as well as the 111 year anniversary of Smyrna Pres. Dr. Guy Richard, president of RTS Atlanta will be our guest preacher in the morning service.
- ▶ ***Sunday Morning Worship** | 10:30 AM | RTS Chapel
- ▶ ***Sunday Evening Worship** | 5:00 PM | RTS Classroom
- ▶ **Volunteers Needed** - each week we need volunteers to set up chairs, and coffee & donuts for Sunday worship. Please sign up in the Sunday circle.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

- ▶ **Savanna Milberger Baby Shower** | 2:00 - 4:00 PM | John & Ellen Milberger's Home | Join us in celebrating the coming of the Milberger's baby! RSVP and sign-up using Events Calendar QR code above.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- ▶ **Open Your Home Sunday** | in lieu of First Sunday Lunch we encourage you to open your homes and share a meal with others from the church whether for lunch, dinner, or even dessert in order to connect with each other.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

- ▶ **Larissa Kock Baby Shower** | 2:00 PM | Come celebrate the arrival of Eder and Larissa's newest baby due in December, at the home of Gabi Passos. RSVP and sign-up using Events Calendar QR code above.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

- ▶ **Keenagers Luncheon** | 11:00 AM | Piccadilly Cafeteria | Cobb Pkwy., Marietta, GA | info and registration contact RadneySPCsimpson@gmail.com

* Nursery is available for ages 3 and under

