

THE LORD'S DAY

MORNING WORSHIP

NOVEMBER 2, 2025 • 10:30 AM

*“God said to Moses, ‘I am who I am.’ And he said, ‘Say this to the people of Israel: ‘I am has sent me to you.’”
God also said to Moses, “Say this to the people of Israel:
‘The Lord, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham,
the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me
to you.’ This is my name forever, and thus I am to be
remembered throughout all generations.”*

~ Exodus 3:14-15

► PRELUDE

► WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

► *CALL TO WORSHIP Exodus 3:14-15



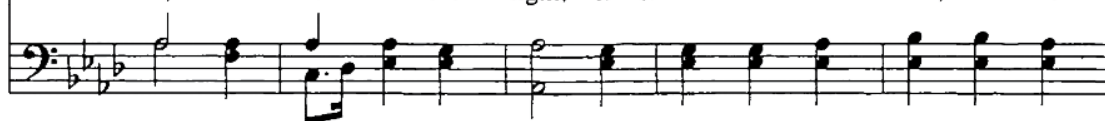
► *THE HYMN OF PRAISE *O Worship The King* (Hymn #2)



1. O wor - ship the King all - glo - rious a - bove, O grate - ful - ly
2. O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, whose robe is the
3. The earth with its store of won - ders un - told, Al - might - y, your
4. Your boun - ti - ful care what tongue can re - cite? It breathes in the



- sing his pow'r and his love; our shield and De - fend - er, the
light, whose can - o - py space. His char - iots of wrath the deep
pow'r has found - ed of old; has 'stab - lished it fast by a
air; it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it de -



- An - cient of Days, pa - vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ed with praise.
thun - der - clouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.
change - less de - cree, and round it has cast, like a man - tle, the sea.
scends to the plain; and sweet - ly dis - tils in the dew and the rain.



5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
in you do we trust, nor find you to fail;
your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!
6. O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!
While angels delight to hymn you above,
the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,
with true adoration shall lisp to your praise.



► *PRAYER OF INVOCATION

► THE PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN

► *THE CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty and most merciful Father; We have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; And we have done those things which we ought not to have done; And there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; According to Your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake; That we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; To the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

► *THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON Exodus 34:6-7

The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, "The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children and the children's children, to the third and the fourth generation."

► *THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE..... *When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*
(Hymn #252 stanza 1)

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died, my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.

► THE PASTORAL PRAYER

► THE LORD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS



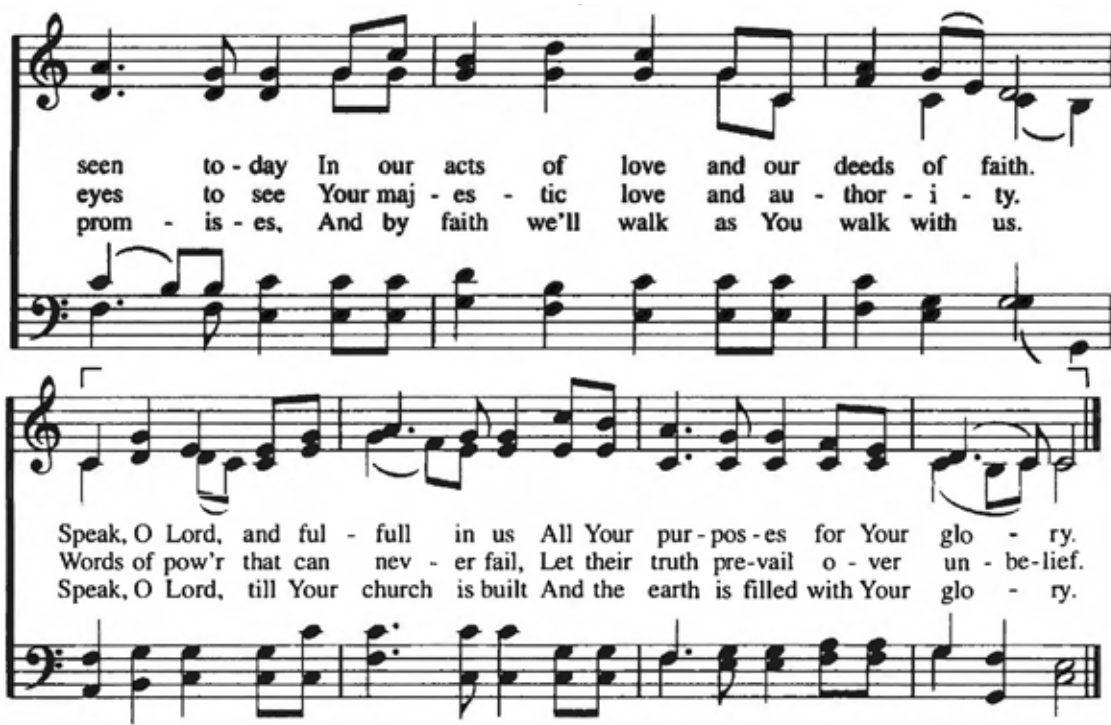
► *THE HYMN OF PREPARATION *Speak O Lord*
 (Children Kindergarten-1st Grades are dismissed to Children's Church during last stanza.)

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To re - ceive the food of Your
 2. Teach us, Lord, full o - be - di - ence, Ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu -
 3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your

Ho - ly Word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and
 mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes In the
 plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time That will

fash - ion us in Your like - ness, That the light of Christ might be
 ra - di - ance of Your pur - i - ty. Cause our faith to rise; cause our
 ech - o down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by grace we'll stand on Your





seen to - day In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
 eyes to see Your maj - es - tic love and au - thor - i - ty.
 prom - is - es, And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.

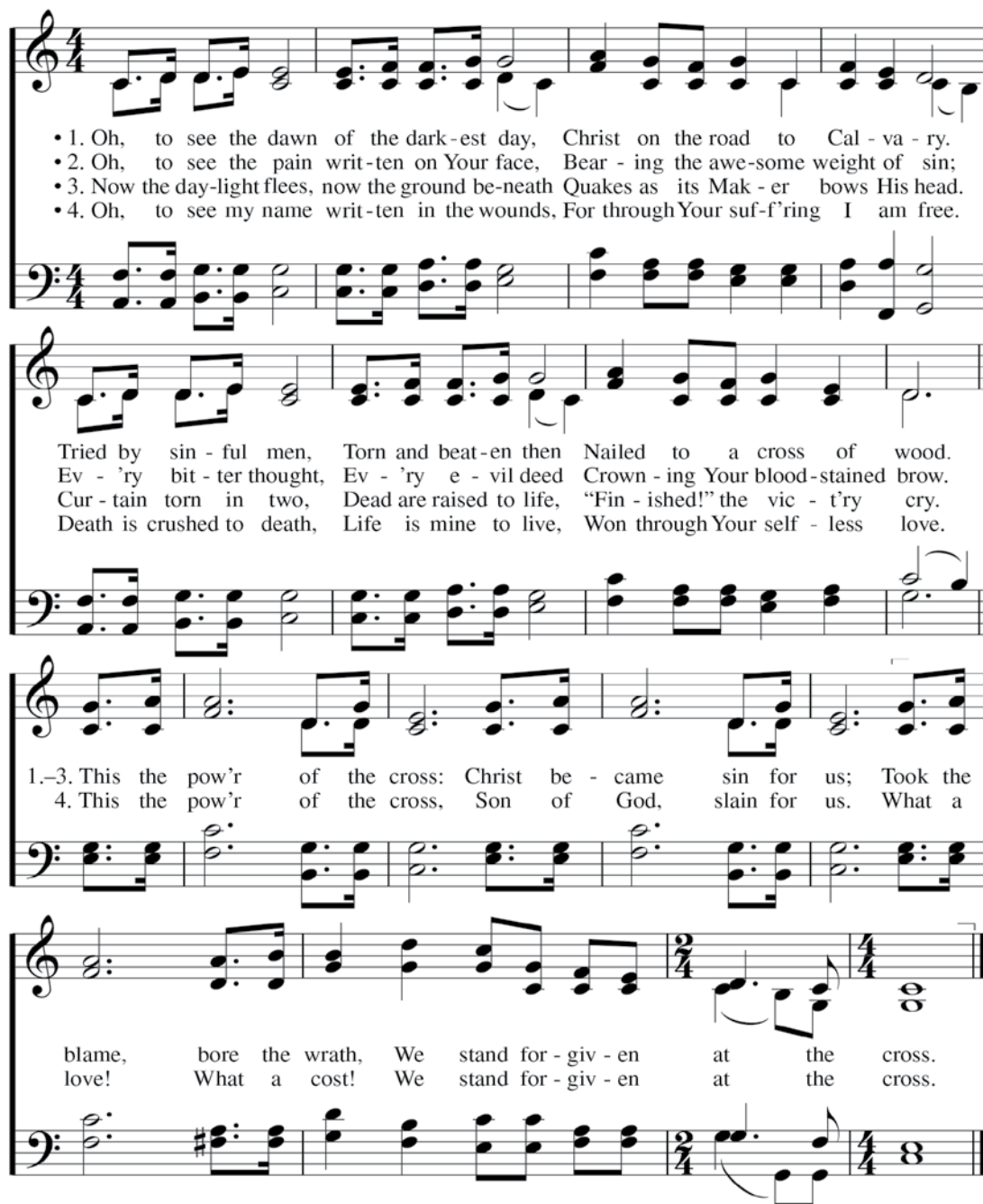
Speak, O Lord, and ful - full in us All Your pur - pos - es for Your glo - ry.
 Words of pow'r that can nev - er fail, Let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.
 Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built And the earth is filled with Your glo - ry.

► *THE SCRIPTURE READING..... 2 Thessalonians 2:7-12 (Pew Bible p. 989)

► THE SERMON A Strong Deluge Of Delusion, Rev. Joel Smit



► *THE HYMN OF PREPARATION *The Power Of The Cross* (Stanzas 1-3)



1. Oh, to see the dawn of the dark-est day, Christ on the road to Cal - va - ry.
 2. Oh, to see the pain writ - ten on Your face, Bear - ing the awe - some weight of sin;
 3. Now the day - light flees, now the ground be - neath Quakes as its Mak - er bows His head.
 4. Oh, to see my name writ - ten in the wounds, For through Your suf - f'ring I am free.

Tried by sin - ful men, Torn and beat - en then Nailed to a cross of wood.
 Ev - 'ry bit - ter thought, Ev - 'ry e - vil deed Crown - ing Your blood - stained brow.
 Cur - tain torn in two, Dead are raised to life, "Fin - ished!" the vic - t'ry cry.
 Death is crushed to death, Life is mine to live, Won through Your self - less love.

1.-3. This the pow'r of the cross: Christ be - came sin for us; Took the
 4. This the pow'r of the cross, Son of God, slain for us. What a

blame, bore the wrath, We stand for - giv - en at the cross.
 love! What a cost! We stand for - giv - en at the cross.



▶ THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

▶ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

▶ *THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING *The Power Of The Cross* (Stanza 4)

▶ *THE BENEDICTION

▶ *CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE..... *Now Thank We All Our God*

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, who wondrous things
hath done, in whom His world rejoices; who, from our mothers' arms, hath blest us
on our way with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

▶ POSTLUDE

New Members

Please join us in welcoming our newest members; Ashton & Helen Farr and daughter Claire.

Deacons' Fund Collection Today

Deacons will be standing by the doors today to collect a freewill offering for the Deacons’
Fund to support families during times of need. Your generosity is appreciated!





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Family of God
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Disciples



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Forth the Love of
Christ as Servants
& Witnesses

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- ▶ ***Sunday Morning Worship** | 10:30 AM | RTS Chapel
- ▶ **Open Your Home Sunday** | in lieu of First Sunday Lunch we encourage you to share a meal with others from the church.
- ▶ **Volunteers Needed** - we need volunteers to set up chairs, and coffee & donuts for worship. Please sign up in the Sunday circle.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9 - 16

- ▶ **Diaper Drive** | Brown, Farr, & Heimbigner families | Join us in showering these families with diapers and wipes as they welcome new little ones! Collection bins will be located at RTS during morning worship Sunday, Nov 9 and 16.
 - **Jeremy & Holly Brown** - requesting Honest or Kirkland brand diapers (variety of sizes) and fragrance-free wipes.
 - **Stephen & Mae Heimbigner** - just welcomed baby Joanna, requesting any brand diapers, sizes 2 and larger and wipes.
 - **Ashton & Helen Farr** - just welcomed baby Claire, requesting any brand diapers, sizes 2 and larger and wipes.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

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

FRIDAY - SUNDAY, JANUARY 23-25

- ▶ **Women's Retreat** | Lakeside Evergreen Resort/Stone Mountain GA | A time away with great teaching, rest, and fellowship. Register now using Events Calendar QR code above.

