Fall 2025



Sounds of Worship

October 26, 2025

Welcome to those who are visiting with us this day - may you know the blessing of God's love surrounding you.

Welcome

Opening Hymn - CP # 388 Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken The Gathering of the Community

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Creator and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

How beautiful are the places where you dwell, O Lord! This house cannot contain your glory; even the heavens are bursting with the goodness of your presence!

Happy are those who find their strength in you. Hear our prayers this day, Holy God, as we proclaim your praises to all the earth!

Collect Prayer

Infinite God, impatient with your otherness we make you into an idol to serve our own needs: humble our arrogance by the strangeness of your coming and the wonder of your mercy; through Jesus Christ, the friend of Pharisees and tax collectors. Amen

The Proclamation of the Word

The Readings - 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18; Psalm 84:1-7 (After the reading: Hear what the Spirit is

saying to the church. Thanks be to God.)

The Gospel - Luke 18:9-14

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to ... Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After the Gospel is read: The Gospel of Christ. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily (followed by a moment of silence for reflection) Affirmation of Faith

Hear O Israel, the Lord our God is One and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength. This is the first and greatest commandment. The second is like it: you shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Prayers of the People

Offertory Hymn - CP #345 King of Glory, King of Peace

Prayer for the Offering

God of overflowing abundance - you water the earth with life-giving rain; you cloth the meadows with glorious flowers; you deck the prairies with bountiful grain; you make the gateways of the evening and the morning shout for joy. How can we repay you for your grace and mercy? Receive the fruit of our labour; receive the gift of our humble thanks, and keep our hearts safe in your Spirit. Amen

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

The Sending

May the peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. **Amen**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace, God's seal on our prayers.

Announcements

Closing Hymn - CP #31 Saviour, Again to They Dear Name We Raise

<u>Dismissal</u>

Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.