

Lord's Day Service of Divine Worship

Sunday, March 16th 2025

11:00am

God Calls Us Into His Holy Presence

The Prayer of Preparation *(for individual use before worship)*

"Almighty God, pour out Your Spirit upon that as You speak we would listen, and gladly offer You our hearts and voices in grateful praise. Amen."

The Chiming of the Hour, the Words of Welcome, and Passing of the Peace

The peace of our Lord be with you!

And also with you!

The Trinity Chime and the Choral Introit

***The Call to Worship** *from Psalm 100:4*

People of God, lift up your hearts:

We lift them to the Lord!

O come, let us enter His gates with thanksgiving!

Come, let us fill His courts with praise!

***The Opening Hymn** #1 *"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"*

God Convicts, Assures, and Restores Us

The Confession of Our Sins

Almighty and Merciful God, we humble ourselves before You, and we confess our sins. We have fallen short and have missed the mark. We have ignored Your commands and have forsaken Your ways; we have not loved our neighbor or gone the extra mile. O Lord, we are truly sorry and we repent. Have mercy on us according to Your gracious love in Jesus Christ. Blot out our sins and give us new hearts to live in Your light and walk by Your commands...*(continue in silent confession)*

The Gospel Promise of God's Forgiveness *from 1 Timothy 1:15*

"The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners - and I am the chief one." This is God's promise for all who repent and truly believe: in Jesus Christ, you are forgiven, and you are made new! **Alleluia! Thanks be to God!**

***The Sung Response** *The Gloria Patri (located on Pew Card)*

***The Affirmation of Our Christian Faith** *The Apostles Creed (located on Pew Card)*

The Offering of Our Gifts and Tithes

***The Sung Response of Gratitude and Praise** *The Doxology (located on Pew Card)*

***The Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication**

God Speaks and Seals His Promises in His Word

The Scripture Lessons *Luke 10:21-24*

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Luke 10:25-37

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The Sermon *"The Cadence of the Christian Life"*

Rev. Rick Baggett

***The Hymn of Response** #321 *"The Church's One Foundation"*

The Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

God Sends Us Forth to Live in Christ

***The Closing Hymn** #542 *"God Be with You Till We Meet Again"*

***The Benediction**

***The Congregational Benediction** #748 *"Go with Us, Lord"*

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and ev-ery com-ing day, that in Your Spir-it strong and true our lives may be our gift to You.