

The Divine Service of Covenant Renewal

on the Lord’s Day
November 2, 2025

Prelude Acts 1:8
But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

Welcome God Calls Us to Worship Him

† Call to Worship Psalm 37:3-6
Pastor: Trust in the Lord, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.
People: Delight yourself in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.
Pastor: Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act.
People: He will bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your justice as the noonday.

Δ† Hymn of Adoration
103 Holy God, We Praise Your Name

† Salutation and Responsive Scriptures
Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!
People: Amen!
Pastor: The Lord be with you!
People: And also with you!
Pastor: Our help is in the Name of the Lord!
People: Who made heaven and earth!
Pastor: The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit;
People: A broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

† Prayer of Thanksgiving and Praise

† The Lord’s Prayer Together as God’s People
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. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

God Graciously Renews Us in Christ

We Confess Our Sin and Affirm Our Faith Elder Steve Campbell
Leader: God spake these words, and said: I am the Lord thy God who brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.
All: Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.
Thou shalt not make to thee any graven image.
Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain.
Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.
Honor thy father and thy mother.
Thou shalt do no murder.
Thou shalt not commit adultery.
Thou shalt not steal.
Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
Thou shalt not covet.
Leader: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write these Thy laws in our hearts, we beseech Thee.

Individual Silent Confession of Sin
God Forgives Us in Christ John 3:16
For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. In Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven!

Interlude for Meditation
Sacrament of Covenant Baptism Tessa Nicole Van Till
Covenant child of Brian and Allison Van Till

Δ† Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs
716 Sing to the Lord of Harvest

† The Passing of the Peace
Pastor: May the peace of Christ be with you!
People: And also with you!
Pastor: Let us offer one another a sign of peace!
(Members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of friendship such as the ancient words which the church has used over the centuries, “The peace of Christ be with you,” and the response, “And also with you.”)

Morning Prayer Rev. Billy Hastings
We Give Our Tithes and Offerings
Offertory

† 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.

God Instructs Us With His Word

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture Reading Rev. Jason Wegener
Acts 1:12–26
Preaching of the Word
Exposition from The Book of Acts
“Patient Preparation”
† Hymn of Response (as the Elders prepare the Table)
469 How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place (1–3)

God Meets and Feeds Us at His Table

Invitation and the Words of Institution Rev. Jason Wegener
Prayer of Consecration
Distribution of the Elements The Elders
(Partake of the Bread individually and the Cup together. Wine is used for communion with a limited amount of grape juice in the center rings. Please note the bread in the center of the plate is gluten free.)

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out

† Hymn of Dedication — Deacons’ Fund Offering
469 How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place (4–6)
† Benediction Rev. Jason Wegener
† Hymn of Dismissal
442 Arise, O God (4)
To God, the only wise, the one immortal King, let hallelujahs rise from every living thing: let all that breathe, on every coast, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Postlude
The Order of Divine Worship
concludes with your silent prayer of praise and thanksgiving.

† Indicates the congregation standing
Δ Ushers may seat latecomers