

## **SPEAK, O LORD**

(Keith Getty, Stuart Townend; arr. John Ferguson)

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your Holy Word.  
Take Your truth; plant it deep in us;  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.  
Speak, O Lord, and fulfil in us  
All Your purposes for Your glory.
2. Teach us, Lord, full obedience,  
Holy reverence, true humility;  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity.  
Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of pow'r that can never fail  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.
3. Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;  
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.  
Speak, O Lord, 'til Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with your glory.

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LORD'S DAY | April 16, 2023

Morning Worship Service – 9:30 AM

Sunday School – 11:25 AM

No Evening Service

Assisted Listening Devices Available - If you are having trouble hearing parts of the worship service, you can request an Assisted Listening Device from a Deacon. We have three small receivers with either earbuds or a hearing-aid lanyard that sends the message into compatible hearing aids.

# A Service Of Covenant Renewal

## PRELUDE

*Habakkuk 2:20: But the LORD is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. We encourage you to use the Prelude as a time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.*

## GREETING

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## THE LORD CALLS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 136:1-3

*Lift up your hearts!*

***We lift them up to the Lord!***

*Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

***It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

*Let us worship the Triune God.*

**\*HYMN OF ADORATION:** No. 102, "All Glory Be to Thee, Most High"

## \*OPENING PRAYER

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## THE LORD CLEANSSES US IN HIS SON

**CALL TO REPENTANCE:** 1 John 4:7-12

**CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN:** *Merciful Father, we openly acknowledge and confess our sin to You. Our transgressions are many. We have been slow to do good and quick to do evil. We have allowed our hearts to grow cold in love for You. At times we have loved the things of this world more than You, our Creator and Redeemer. We have not loved You as we ought, and we have not grieved over our sins as we ought. In Your mercy, forgive us and renew our hearts. Blot out our transgressions for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ. By Your Spirit, enliven us to love You more and to walk in Your ways. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.*

**\*PROMISE OF COMFORT AND FORGIVENESS:** John 3:16

**\*HYMN OF THANKSGIVING:** No. 524, "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ"

**\*PROFESSION OF FAITH:** The Apostles' Creed (page 845 in red Trinity Hymnal)

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## THE LORD CONSECRATES US WITH HIS WORD

**\*THE GRACE OF GOD'S LAW:** Matthew 7:15-27

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE:** No. 734, "Gloria Patri"

**COLLECTION OF GOD'S TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS**

**CONGREGATIONAL PETITIONS**

**CHORAL ENSEMBLE:** *Speak, O Lord* (words on back)

**OLD TESTAMENT:** Zechariah 14:5

**NEW TESTAMENT:** 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

**SERMON:** *Thanksgiving*

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## THE LORD COMMUNES WITH US AT HIS TABLE†

**MEANING AND FENCING OF THE TABLE**

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**INSTITUTION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**BREAD:** No. 140, "O Word of God Incarnate"

**WINE:** No. 424, "Shepherd of Souls, Refresh and Bless"

**\*CLOSING HYMN:** No. 295, "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

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## THE LORD COMMISSIONS US WITH HIS BLESSING

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*DOXOLOGY:** No. 732

**POSTLUDE**

\*Congregation stands (as you are able)

†You are welcome to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a follower of Jesus Christ, baptized, and a member in good standing at any Bible believing church. If this does not describe you, we are glad you are here and commend to you prayer and reflection during the time of the Lord's Supper.

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