



Sunday Morning Worship Celebration

The Superior
Hope of our
Superior Prophet
- Hebrews 1:1-4

November 30, 2025

Advent 2025:
Seeking the
Superior Savior

Gathering

Announcements

Candle Lighting and Advent Reading | Hope – Joel 2:21-27

Readers: Vint & Amy Cox

Prelude | "O Come O Come Emmanuel"

Arranged by Elaine Hagenberg. Presented by the Chancel Choir and Joanna Stanchek, cello

Praise

Call to Worship | Psalm 29:1-4 (responsive)

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.

People: The voice of the LORD is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters. The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.

The Invocation

Hymn of Praise | Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus [Getty]

Trinity hymnal #196 for lyrics. REPEAT [V1] section 3x before going to [V2] (because we're singing all four verses).

Confession & Assurance

Need of Confession | Daniel 9:4-6

O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, we have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from your commandments and rules. We have not listened to your servants the prophets, who spoke in your name to our kings, our princes, and our fathers, and to all the people of the land.

Corporate Confession of Sin

Father, You have spoken your Word by Your prophets and Your Son. Though Scripture is God beathed and profitable, we dismiss its contents, reject its rebuking, resist its correction, and neglect its training. We confess that we often refuse to listen to Your Word. We tune out Your voice, preferring the noise of the world and the lies of our own hearts. Forgive us for ignoring Jesus, our true Prophet, the radiance of Your glory. Thank You that He is not only the Word who speaks, but the Savior who purchased our purification. Open our ears to hear Him above all else this Advent Season.

Amen.

Personal Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon | Colossians 1:13-14

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Gospel Hymn | Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery [Strings Arr.]

Corporate Prayer & Giving

The Lord's Prayer (unison) / Pastoral Prayer

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 the 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.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory | "O Love"

Text by George Matheson; Music by Elaine Hagenberg. Presented by the LOPC Men's Ensemble and Joanna Stancheck, cellist.

Doxology

Trinity Hymnal #731.

Hearing of the Word

Sermon | Hebrews 1:1-4

The Superior Hope of our Superior Prophet

Affirmation of Faith | Nicene Creed

Hymn of Response | Exult In The Savior's Birth [Messenger Hymns: Advent]

End on downbeat of m. 70.

Sending

Benediction

Postlude
