



Sunday Morning Worship Celebration

Mark 1:1-3 | Bill
Douglas

February 8, 2026

The Gospel of
Luke: Love Came
Down

Gathering

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Praise

Call to Worship | Isaiah 40:9-11

Go on up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!" Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

The Invocation

Praise | Come Thou Fount [Shane&Shane: No Bridge Arr.]

Confession & Assurance

Need of Confession | Psalm 32:1-2, 5

[1] Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. [2] Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. [5] I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Corporate Confession of Sin

Merciful God, you made us in your image, with a mind to know you, a heart to love you, and a will to serve you. But our knowledge is imperfect, our love inconstant, our obedience incomplete. Day by day, we fail to grow into your likeness. In your tender love, forgive us through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Personal Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon | Isaiah 40:1-2

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins.

Gospel Hymn | His Mercy Is More [Matt Boswell & Matt Papa]

Corporate Prayer & Giving

The Lord's Prayer & 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 | "For the Beauty of the Earth"

Arranged by Mark Hayes.

Doxology

Trinity Hymnal #731

Hearing of the Word

Sermon | Mark 1:1-3

Preacher: Bill Douglas

Affirmation of Faith | The Apostles' Creed

Communion Hymn | We Will Feast In The House Of Zion [Sandra McCracken]

C, V1, C, V2, C

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Words of Instruction; Prayer for the Supper

The Bread

Instrumental music to be played.

The Cup

Instrumental music to be played.

Communion Hymn | We Will Feast In The House Of Zion [Sandra McCracken]

V3, C, C

Sending

Benediction

Postlude
