



Sunday Morning Worship Celebration

Luke 14:25–35

September 21, 2025

The Gospel of
Luke: Love Came
Down

Gathering

Announcements

Missionary Stanley Hotay to share.

Prelude

Praise

Call to Worship | From Psalm 63

Leader: O God, you are my God; earnestly I seek you.

People: My soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you.

Leader: Because your steadfast love is better than life,

People: Our lips will praise you.

Leader: In the shadow of your wings we will sing for joy.

People: Our souls cling to you; your right hand upholds us.

The Invocation

Praise | Holy, Holy, Holy [Karl Digerness (2008)]

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Praise | Great Are You Lord [All Sons & Daughters]

Confession & Assurance

Need of Confession | Isaiah 53:6

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus, our Lord. And grant, O merciful God, for his sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Personal Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon | John 11:25-26

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

Gospel Hymn | O Love That Will Not Let Me Go [Indelible Grace]

Corporate Prayer & Giving

Elder Installation

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 | "Before the Throne of God Above"

Lyrics by Charitie Lees Bancroft. Alt. lyrics and Music by Vikki Cook. *Phil & Carrie Friedrich, vocalists.*

Doxology

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Hearing of the Word

Sermon | Luke 14:25-35

"The Cost of Discipleship"

Hymn of Response | Jesus I My Cross Have Taken [Indelible Grace]

Sending

Benediction

Postlude
