

Worship in the Word

Gratitude to God for an Everlasting and Unshakeable Kingdom

2 Samuel 7:18–29

Pastor Weyland Leach

November 30, 2025

The Heights Church

“We exist to joyfully surrender our lives to Jesus Christ through God’s Word, together proclaiming the gospel to all peoples, for the glory of God.”

Worship

First Sunday of Advent – November 30, 2025

Gathering

Prepare Him Room

Elliot/Fournier

Welcome

Fighter Verse

Psalm 84:10-11

Praise & Adoration

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Wesley/Prichard

Angels We Have Heard on High

Chadwick/Barnes/Trad. French Carol, #753

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 8:9

Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendor

Houghton/Campbell, #761

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Matt Groschel

Worship in Giving

Lamb of God

Hansen/Kauflin/LaChance

Advent Reading

Isaiah 42:1–10

Andrew & Janelle Tieman

Lighting of the First Candle of Advent

Response

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Boswell/Papa/Bleecker, #180

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page 259 in the pew Bible

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Closing Song

What Wondrous Love Is This

Appalachian Folk Hymn/Southern Harmony, #817

Benediction

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Welcome!

Welcome to The Heights Church! We are grateful that you are with us today as we gather together to make much of Jesus Christ. If you have any questions about our church, please contact us at 651.776.0519 or theheightschurch1@gmail.com. It is our joy to serve you!

We love having families worship together in our service. We also understand that a child may become restless during a service. If needed, you are welcome to use our **restless child room** directly behind the sanctuary where the worship service can be viewed. We also have a **nursing moms' room** across the hall from the sanctuary where you can listen to the worship service.

This Week

Sunday, November 30

9:00am Sunday School (Adult only)
9:00am Worship Team Rehearsal
10:15am Worship Service

Wednesday, December 3

6:45pm Youth Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal

Thursday, December 4

9:30am Moms & Toddlers Playgroup

Sunday, December 7

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)
9:00am Worship Team Rehearsal
10:15am Worship Service

Attendance / Offering

Attendance Last Sunday: 116

General Budget:

Offering Given Last Sunday: \$9,452
Offering Given Nov. to Date: \$25,247
Offering Needed Monthly: \$28,571

Giving vs. Budget

Fiscal YTD through Oct.: -\$18,400
(Fiscal year is May '25–April '26)

Preaching Schedule

Dec. 7 Pastor Weyland Leach
Dec. 14 Pastor Weyland Leach
Dec. 21 Pastor Weyland Leach

Nursery

Our nursery (newborn-age 4) is available during our Sunday morning worship service (10:15am). For more information, please visit theheightschurchmn.org/nursery.

Baptism / Membership

Do you have questions about baptism or church membership? Please contact our church office.

Prayer Requests

Do you have a prayer request? It is our joy to pray for you. Please contact our church office at 651.776.0519 or theheightschurch1@gmail.com.

Livestream

A livestream of our worship service is available on Sunday mornings at 10:15am at theheightschurchmn.org.

Giving

As part of our worship service, we pass the offering plate. You can also **give online** at theheightschurchmn.org/give. If you are visiting, please feel no obligation to give.

Announcements

visit us at theheightschurchmn.org

Thank You!

Thank you to Carl Rogan and the many volunteers who helped serve and prepare for our Thanksgiving lunch this past Sunday!

Operation Christmas Child Update

Thank you to everyone who donated shoeboxes in person or online for Operation Christmas Child. This year we had 45 boxes collected at The Heights Church, a record high! Thank you also to Duane and Peggy Roub for organizing this event again this year.

Youth Choir (Grades 1-8) Rehearsal - Wed., December 3, 6:45pm

Sunday School (All Ages) Resumes - December 7, 9AM

Classes for children, youth, and adults meet weekly on Sunday mornings from 9–10am before our corporate worship service. All are welcome! For detailed information about all of our Sunday school classes, visit us at theheightschurchmn.org.

Youth Sup 'N' Stuff - Saturday, December 13, 11AM

All youth (grades 8-12) are invited to join us at The Heights Church for our youth Christmas party from 11am–2:30pm. For more information, contact Karl or Gerrilyn Kanowitz (651.245.7991).

All Church Prayer Meeting - Wednesday, December 17, 6:30pm

Using the Lord's Prayer as our guide, we meet once a month for an hour of corporate prayer from 6:30–7:30pm. Join us as we seek to hallow God's name, pray for our missionaries, and pray for one another. All are welcome.

Christmas Eve Service - Wednesday, December 24, 4pm

Join us for this special worship service on Christmas Eve as we celebrate Christ's birth together!

Next Week's Fighter Verse: 1 John 4:4 (ESV)

(to memorize the week of November 30–December 7)

"...he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world."

For more **Fighter Verse resources** and to download the **mobile app**, go to fighterverses.com.