



*July 27, 2025*  
**At Home Bulletin**

## **WELCOME**

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD?  
And who shall stand in his holy place?

**He who has clean hands and a pure heart,  
who does not lift up his soul to what is false  
and does not swear deceitfully.**

He will receive blessing from the LORD  
and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

**Such is the generation of those who seek him,  
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.**

O magnify the LORD with me.

**Let us exalt God's name together!**

*Psalm 24:3-6 & 34:3*

## **INVOCATION**

### **SONGS OF PRAISE**

#### ***Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing***

Come Thou fount of ev'ry blessing tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer hither by Thy help I'm come  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure safely to arrive at home  
Jesus sought me when a stranger wand'ring from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be  
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter bind my wand'ring heart to Thee  
Prone to wander Lord I feel it prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it seal it for Thy courts above.

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#### ***Great is Thy Faithfulness***

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;  
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Chorus:

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided –  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Pardon for sin and peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

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#### ***Psalm 117***

Tune: All Creatures of Our God and King

## **GOD'S LAW AND OUR CONFESSION**

And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets." *Matthew 22:37-40*

## **SILENT CONFESSION**

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*Galatians 3:13-14*

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree"—so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

Forgive us our sins, O Lord.

**Forgive us the sins of our youth and the sins of our age,  
the sins of our soul and the sins of our body,  
our secret and our whispering sins,  
our presumptuous and our careless sins,  
the sins we have done to please ourselves,  
and the sins we have done to please others.**

Forgive us the sins that we know, and the sins that we know not.

**Forgive them, O Lord,  
forgive them all because of your great goodness  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

*-from Worship sourcebook*

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

Christians, what do we believe?

**We believe in one God the Father Almighty;  
Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.  
And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God, begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made;  
who, for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven,  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;  
He suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again,  
according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again,  
with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead;  
whose kingdom shall have no end. And in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceedeth from the Father and the Son;  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;  
who spake by the Prophets. And one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;  
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen**

## RECEPTION OF OFFERINGS

## PRAYER

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this 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 yours is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## SONG OF PREPARATION

*Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah*

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy pow'rful hand;  
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,  
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;  
let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through;  
strong Deliv'rer, strong Deliv'rer, be thou still my strength and shield,  
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell's Destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side;  
songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to thee,  
I will ever give to thee.

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## SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 22:1-5

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## SERMON

“Eternity Meets the Present: Living Now in God’s Reign and Presence”  
Rev. James Pavlic

## HYMN OF RESPONSE

*Gloria Patri*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
And to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
Is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen. Public Domain

## CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

*If you are following along at home, please refrain from taking Communion  
as it is a form of worship meant to be celebrated in the physical presence  
of the body of Christ*

## HYMN OF SENDING

### *He Will Hold Me Fast*

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast  
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast  
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path  
For my love is often cold, He must hold me fast

Chorus

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast  
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast  
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast  
He'll not let my soul be lost, His Promises shall last  
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. (*chorus*)

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast  
Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast  
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast  
Till our faith is turned to sight when He comes at last. (*chorus*)

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## BENEDICTION

### **Sermon NOTES:**

Eternity Meets the Present: Living Now in God's Reign and Presence