

THE LORD'S DAY

August 17, 2025

10 O'clock A.M.

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

Serve the LORD with gladness!

Know that the LORD, He is God!

Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise!

Give thanks to Him, bless His name!

For the LORD is good; His steadfast love endures forever.

*HYMN OF ADORATION

All Creatures of Our God and King

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*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Christian, why do you need Jesus?

1 Timothy 1:15

Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; I am the worst!

Christian, why do you confess Jesus?

Romans 10:9-11

If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart, one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

CONFESSION OF SIN

based on Psalm 51

Have mercy on me, O God my Father, according to your steadfast love. According to your abundant mercy in Christ, blot out all my transgressions. Father, wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! I acknowledge I was born a sinner in Adam, even conceived in sin. I deserve to die in my sins. But I beg You to forgive me on the basis of Jesus and His sacrifice. Every day I sin against my neighbor, but most of all I sin against You and Your holiness, and

do what is evil in Your sight. Father, pardon all my sins as I confess them to you through Jesus Christ my Lord and Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

1 John 1:7-2:1

If we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus cleanses us from all sins. If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous one.

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN OF DEVOTION

*More Love to Thee, O Christ
Ushers come forward at this time*

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TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

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*READING OF GOD'S WORD

Luke 14:7-24
Pew Bible Pg, 1038,1039
Aaron Gregas

PREACHING OF THE WORD

“The Wedding Feast and the Great Banquet”

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place

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*BENEDICTION

*GLORIA PATRI

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