

September 27, 2026

This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Psalm 118:24

Prelude

Jesus Paid it All

No. 276

Announcements

Introit

Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ

No. 460

***Call to Worship**

Revelation 14:6–7

Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. And he said with a loud voice, “Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water.”

***Hymn of Praise**

Arise, My Soul, Arise

No. 275

***Prayer of Invocation & Adoration**

Reading of the Law

Ex. 20:3

(Pew pg. 61/LP pg. 76)

Prayer of Confession

O our God, we are ashamed and blush to lift up our faces before you for our iniquities are higher than our heads, and our guilt has reached unto the heavens. We were sinful at birth, even from the time our mothers conceived us. We are by nature children of wrath. We have corrupted our way and turned aside from your holy laws. You are not in all our thoughts. We have often forgotten you, the God who formed us, and have lived for ourselves, indulging the lusts of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life. But now we repent. We grieve over ourselves and turn from our sins, calling on you to forgive us and renew a clean heart and mind within us. As we approach your table, may we truly be partakers of the new and everlasting covenant of grace, through the merit and mediation of your sinless Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 103:11–12

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving**

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness No. 457
Hymn of the Month

Scripture Reading

Ex. 11:1-10

(Pew pg. 53/LP pg. 66)

Lord's Day 5

12 Q. According to God's righteous judgment we deserve punishment both now and in eternity: how then can we escape this punishment and return to God's favor?

A. God requires that his justice be satisfied. Therefore the claims of this justice must be paid in full, either by ourselves or by another.

13 Q. Can we make this payment ourselves?

A. Certainly not. Actually, we increase our debt every day.

14 Q. Can another creature—any at all— pay this debt for us?

A .No. To begin with, God will not punish any other creature for what a human is guilty of. Furthermore, no mere creature can bear the weight of God's eternal wrath against sin and deliver others from it.

15 Q. What kind of mediator and deliverer should we look for then?

A. One who is a true and righteous man, yet more powerful than all creatures, that is, one who is also true God.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

I Surrender All

No. 410 SH

***Doxology**

No. 567

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

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***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***Hymn of Preparation**

Psalm 23 B

Sermon

Romans 5:1-11 (Pew pg. 942/LP pg. 1176)

1. Peace With God
2. Hope for the Future
3. Certainty for Today

Questions:

1. Paul says we have peace with God. That's a settled fact, not a feeling. Why does it matter that peace with God is a verdict God declares rather than an emotion we work up? How might this change the way you respond on days when you don't feel at peace with him?
2. Like Hiroo Onoda, many believers keep "fighting" a war that has already ended. Which of these do you recognize in yourself: walking on eggshells with God, reading hardships as punishment, or pulling away from God and his people after you sin? What would it look like this week to "lay down your arms"?
3. Paul says suffering produces endurance, endurance produces character, and character produces hope. Think of a hard season God used to deepen your hope. According to verse 5, why won't this hope ever put us to shame?
4. Christ died for us "while we were still sinners," and even while we were God's enemies. Why is the cross a surer proof of God's love than our feelings or circumstances? How does the "much more" of verses 9–10 give you confidence about your future?

*** Hymn of Response** *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less* No. 459

***Benediction**

***Gloria Patri** No. 572

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.

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Postlude *God Be With You Till We Meet Again* No. 207

*** Congregation: Please stand as able.**

Musician AM & PM
Intercessory Prayer

Cathy Reed
Andrew Gretzinger

Songs for Next Week

Psalm 51 C
O Worship the King
Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

No. 219

Weekly Calendar

SUN 9/27	9:30 AM 10:30 AM 5 PM	SS (Refreshments before) Worship AM Service Worship PM Service
FRI 10/2	6 PM	Youth Event
SUN 10/4	9:30 AM 10:30 AM 5 PM	SS (Refreshments before) Worship AM Service Worship PM Service

Serving the Lord

	9/27/26	10/4/26	10/11/26
Nursery During Sunday School	Curtis Family	Calla Bailey	Calla Bailey
Nursery During AM Service	Isaiah Martin & Andrea Tummond	Kathleen Gretzinger & Nick Bako	Curtis & Grace Martin
Nursery During PM Service	Grace Martin	Craig Curtis	N/A
Greeters	Judy Rogers	Robbin Kern	Martha Lietchy
Treats/ Clean	Welcome Desk	Welcome Desk	Welcome Desk
Audio	Ben Armstrong	Grayden Lash	Elijah Tummond
Elder	Andrew Gretzinger	Ben Armstrong	Jim Martin
Deacon	Jason Lash	Joel Tummond	Ed Ross
Communion Prep	N/A	Jim Martin	N/A

Announcements

*** Men's Bible Study:** The Men's Bible Study will begin again on Saturday, October 3 @ 8:30am at the church. We will be continuing going through *The Redeemed Man*, edited by Beeke, Phillips, and Smalley. Sign up in the foyer. Books are available for \$17. Please come, young and old as our desire is to grow together in the grace of God!

***Shepherding Group Shuffle:** Please see insert for details of your new group and talk to the leader of the group for details of where you will meet.

***Bi-annual Mission Conference:** We are excited to announce this year's conference where we will dive into reformation history with Dr. Peter Wallace from Mid-America Reformed Seminary. It will be held on November 14-15. See details on insert. Please sign-up at the welcome desk if you plan to attend the dinner included with the event.

***Denomination Wide Fasting & Prayer:** Please join our denomination in praying for revival and renewal of the church on October 7th. See details on the insert and sign up at the welcome desk.

***Hayride Change:** The date for the hayride has changed to Friday October 16th from 4:30pm to 6pm.

***September Officer Nominations:** September is the designated month for elder and deacon nominations, please see insert for details.

EVENING WORSHIP

5:00 p.m.

Prelude “ Give Me Jesus”

Call to Worship

+Hymn 159 “ Abide with Me”

+Prayer of Invocation

Scripture Reading Psalm 73

+Hymn “Psalm 73 C”

Prayer of Intercession Elder led

Reading of God’s Word Rev. 14:1-13

Preaching of God’s Word Andrew Gretzinger

+Hymn 471 “ The Sands of Time Are Sinking ”

+Benediction

***Doxology** No. 567

Postlude “ Like a River Glorious ”

+The congregation will stand at these time