



Sunday Worship - Minneapolis Campus

November 9, 2025

**Liturgists: 9am Pastor Freeman, 10am Pastor Cieslik,
11am Pastor Olson Popp**

The Prelude

We Gather Together

Neil Harmon

(please stand when invited)

The Processional Hymn

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

834:1, 4

**Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise!**

**Thou reignest in glory; thou dwellest in light;
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all laud we would render; oh, help us to see
'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!**

The Invocation

**Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.**

Congregation: Amen. (please sing)

The Confession of Sins and Assurance of Forgiveness

Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Congregation: Amen. (please sing)

Pastor: St. John writes, “If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sin, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness” (1 John 1:8-9). And so we gather to confess our sin, not because we fear God thinks us unworthy, but because we trust God’s promise to receive us always in mercy and grace. Let us therefore pray together with confidence...

Congregation: Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen. (please sing)

Pastor: Almighty God, in mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ, God gives the power to become children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. All this is promised in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen. (*please sing*)

The Hymn of Praise

Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven

864:1

**Praise, my soul, the God of heaven;
joyfully your tribute bring.**

**Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
evermore God's praises sing.**

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praises everlasting ring!

The Salutation and Prayer of the Day

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you. (please sing)

Pastor and Congregation: Dear God, remind us that just as you rescued the children of Israel by bringing them across the Red Sea, so also you promise in the waters of Baptism that you will bring us always through death to new life. In Jesus' name, Amen. (please sing)

(please be seated)

The Gradual Hymn

Oh, Worship the King

842:1, 3

Oh, worship the King, all-glorious above.

**Oh, gratefully sing God's power and love;
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,
pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.**

Your bountiful care what tongue can recite?

**It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.**

The Scripture Reading

Crossing the Red Sea

Exodus 14:5-16, 21-22

Glory to you, O Lord. (please stand as you are able and sing)

When the king of Egypt was told that the people had fled, the minds of Pharaoh and his officials were changed towards the people, and they said, “What have we done, letting Israel leave our service?” So he had his chariot made ready, and took his army with him; he took six hundred picked chariots and all the other chariots of Egypt with officers over all of them. The Lord hardened the heart of Pharaoh king of Egypt and he pursued the Israelites, who were going out boldly. The Egyptians pursued them, all Pharaoh’s horses and chariots, his chariot drivers and his army; they overtook them camped by the sea, by Pi-hahiroth, in front of Baal-zephon. As Pharaoh drew near, the Israelites looked back, and there were the Egyptians advancing on them. In great fear the Israelites cried out to the Lord. They said to Moses, “Was it because there were no graves in Egypt that you have taken us away to die in the wilderness? What have you done to us, bringing us out of Egypt? Is this not the very thing we told you in Egypt, ‘Let us alone and let us serve the Egyptians’? For it would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than to die in the wilderness.” But Moses said to the people, “Do not be afraid, stand firm, and see the deliverance that the Lord will accomplish for you

today; for the Egyptians whom you see today you shall never see again. The Lord will fight for you, and you have only to keep still.” Then the Lord said to Moses, “Why do you cry out to me? Tell the Israelites to go forward. But you lift up your staff, and stretch out your hand over the sea and divide it, that the Israelites may go into the sea on dry ground.” Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea. The Lord drove the sea back by a strong east wind all night, and turned the sea into dry land; and the waters were divided. The Israelites went into the sea on dry ground, the waters forming a wall for them on their right and on their left.

Praise to you, O Christ. (please sing)

The Profession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

(please be seated)

The Welcome

Pastor Kalland

The Prayers of Remembrance

The Offertory Anthem

Seek Ye First

Lafferty/Wagner

Cathedral Choir - 9 and 10am

The Music of Living

Dan Forrest

Sanctuary Choir - 11am

(please stand as you are able)

The Offertory Prayer

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

(please be seated)

The Pulpit Hymn

O Master, Let Me Walk With You

818:1, 3

**O Master, let me walk with you
in lowly paths of service true;
tell me your secret; help me bear
the strain of toil, the fret of care.**

**Teach me your patience; share with me
a closer, dearer company,
in work that keeps faith sweet and strong,
in trust that triumphs over wrong.**

The Sermon

Pastor Kalland

Crossing the Red Sea

(please stand as you are able)

The Closing Hymn

Give to Our God Immortal Praise!

848:1

Give to our God immortal praise!

Mercy and truth are all his ways.

Wonders of grace to God belong;

repeat his mercies in your song.

The Lord's 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 this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Sending Prayer

Lord God, you have called your servants to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths untrodden, through perils unknown. Give us faith to go out with good courage, not knowing where we go, but only that your hand is leading us and your love supporting us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Benediction and Threefold Amen

(please pause for a moment of silent prayer)

The Postlude

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Dan Forrest

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November Altar Flower Dedications

In remembrance of the life of Tom Anderson,

by Gwen Anderson Ludwig and family

In loving memory of Stan Carlson, by Rickie and family

**In loving memory of Reverend Timothy Fuzzey on his
birthday, by his wife Pam and family**

**In loving memory of Kathy Hubbard on our 57th wedding
anniversary, by Jack Hubbard**

**In loving memory of Bertil and Vera Johnson on
Thanksgiving, by Dee and Courtney Henderson**

**In loving memory of Richard Calvin Marshall on the
anniversary of his birthday, by Marcia Marshall**

In memory of Rick Moore, by Jan Unstad

**In memory of Forrest and Marion Schoeller,
by Kim, Megan, and Molly Kimball**

In appreciation of the Mount Olivet pastoral staff

In honor of Veterans

**In honor of Tom Gustafson's forty years of ministry
by Chuck and Paula Swanson**

**In thanksgiving for Kyle Johnson, his 40th birthday, and 5th
wedding anniversary, by his loving family**

In celebration of the birthdays of Dawn and Genevieve

**In celebration of the 250th anniversary of the
United States Marine Corps**

**In celebration of the anniversary of Quinn Harper
Anderson's baptism, by her parents,
Pat and Jenna Anderson**

November Altar Flower Dedications

**In celebration of the birth of Nash Parker Bates,
by his grandparents**

**In celebration of Mike and Nancy Cooley's 60th wedding
anniversary, by Erik, Molly, Nora, and Henry with love**

**In loving celebration of Dan Gunderson's birthday,
by his wife Joan, children Derek and Jessica, Stefanie and
Jamie, and grandchildren, Lauren, Samuel, Sebastian,
Oliver, and Louie**

In celebration of Terry Hogan's 88th Birthday, by family

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