

**Sermon:**

**Faith Alone: How God Righteously Righteouses the Unrighteous**

Romans 1:16–17

Brent Fischer

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*Christ alone • Scripture alone • Grace alone • **Faith alone** • Glory to God alone*

# The Heights Church

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*“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

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Sunday, November 19, 2017

**Gathering**

*Lift High the Name of Jesus*

*Cash/deBarra/Getty*

**Welcome**

**Praise & Adoration**

*Rejoice the Lord Is King  
Come Praise and Glorify*

*Wesley/Darwall  
Chester/Kauflin*

**Confession**

*Scripture Reading  
Rock of Ages*

*Psalm 86:8–13  
Toplady/Hastings*

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Worship in Giving**

*He Will Hold Me Fast*

*Habershon/Merker*

**Response**

*Scripture Reading  
How Great Thou Art*

*Psalm 40:16  
Stuart Hine*

**Word**

*Faith Alone: How God Righteously Righteouses the Unrighteous*  
Romans 1:16–17 *page 939 in the pew Bible*  
Brent Fischer

**Closing Song**

*Not What My Hands*

*Bonar/Keyes*

**Benediction**

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## Welcome!

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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 or would like to know more about our church **please fill out our Connection Card** located in the pews. 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 still be heard. We also have a **Nursing Mom's Room** across the hall from the sanctuary where you can listen to the worship service.

### This Week

#### Sunday, November 19

9:00am Sunday School (all ages)  
10:15am Worship Service  
5:00pm Thanksgiving Feast

#### Wednesday, November 22

7:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal

#### Thursday, November 23

##### Happy Thanksgiving

Church office closed

#### Sunday, November 26

9:00am No Sunday School  
10:15am Worship Service

### Attendance / Offering

Attendance last Sunday: 140

#### General Budget

Offering Given Last Sunday: \$4,306.00  
Weekly Gen. Budget Need: \$5,682.12

#### First Quarter to Date Giving

(November 1, 2017–January 31, 2018)

Offering Given QTD: \$10,766.19  
Offering Need QTD: \$11,364.24

### Preaching Schedule

Nov 19 Brent Fischer  
Nov 26 Pastor Weyland Leach  
Dec 3 Pastor Weyland Leach

### Prayer Requests

Do you have a prayer request?

It is our joy to pray for you. Please share your request via our prayer link at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) or by contacting the church office at 651.776.0519.

### Baptism / Membership

Do you have questions about baptism or church membership? Please contact us at 651.776.0519 or [theheightschurch1@gmail.com](mailto:theheightschurch1@gmail.com).

### Sermon Audio

Audio of today's sermon will be available for streaming/download at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) by this Tuesday. You can also request an audio CD of any sermon by contacting our church office.

### Mobile Giving

You can use your phone to give to The Heights Church. **Text "HEIGHTSMN" to 77977** to get a link to give a one-time or recurring offering.

When you send your text you will receive a one-time reply containing a link to give to The Heights Church (1msg/request). Please be aware that Msg & Data rates may apply. For full Terms & Conditions, please visit <https://pushpay.com/terms>. For the Privacy Policy, please visit <https://pushpay.com/privacy>. For help, reply HELP or STOP to cancel.

## Announcements

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visit us at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org)

### All-Church Thanksgiving Feast Today - November 19

Join us this evening at 5pm for a special all-church dinner at The Heights Church as we give thanks to God for His goodness and faithfulness! **There are still ways you can volunteer to help with this event.** Please see the VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP SHEET on the bulletin board in the foyer.

### Operation Christmas Child Deadline - Monday, November 20

We are delighted to be partnering with Operation Christmas Child again this year. The deadline to drop off your filled shoe boxes at The Heights Church is tomorrow, Monday, November 20, before 11am.

### No Men's Bible Study - Wednesday, November 22

### Helping With Christmas Decorations - Saturday, November 25

Many hands are needed to help set up Christmas decorations in our sanctuary and throughout the church building on Saturday morning, November 25, from 9–11:30am. To volunteer, please contact Ron Holm at 651.770.1160.

### No Sunday School Classes (All Ages) - November 26

### Children's Christmas Pageant - Sunday, December 10

Join us Sunday evening, December 10, at 6:30pm for our children's Christmas pageant. This short play walks us through the coming of Jesus Christ as a baby through songs and scripture. Snacks and fellowship to follow. All are welcome!

### View Sunday Bulletin Online

Did you know that you can view our weekly Sunday bulletin online? Visit us at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) and **click worship** at the top of our homepage.

### Serving One Another

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#### Today

Ushers: Don Nelson, Ron Conklin, Joe Groppoli  
Greeters: Dick & Nancey Johnson, Russ Johnson  
Coffee: Keith & DeAnne Robertson

#### Next Sunday

Dick Johnson, Cory Mastel, Brian Kendall  
Guy Somers, Loren Johnson  
Russ & Judy Johnson

### Communion for December 3

Walt Acosta, Karl Kanowitz, Doug Berfeldt, Ron Holm  
Set up: Alice Rogan