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SUNDAY, OCT. 5, 2025, 9 A.M.

World Communion Sunday

*This worship experience will be livestreamed and recorded.*

Prelude

The Church's One Foundation      William Phemister, piano  
Samuel S. Wesley, arr. William Phemister

In Christ Alone  
Stuart Townend, Keith Getty, arr. William Phemister

Welcome

Carey Williams Bebar

\*Call to Worship

\*Opening Hymn

The Church's One Foundation

Hymnal 545

Scripture Readings

Galatians 3:26-29

Korean (Dan Lee), French (Bobbi Wheatley), English (Cheryll Kelly)

\*John 10:14-16

Tagalog (Romir Esguerra), Italian (Tony Venezia), English (Melinda Keske)

\*The Gloria Patri

Hymnal 70

Reflection

Pastor Daniel Cochran

Reflection Hymn

I Dream of a Church

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Prayer of St. Francis

The Lord's Prayer

Melinda Keske, American Sign Language

Offertory

Olam Chesed Yibaneh  
Rabbi Menachem Creditor,  
trilingual version Jerusalem Youth Chorus  
Arabic transl. Amer Abu Arqub, arr. Micah Hendler

Chancel Choir and  
Collective Joy  
Eli Ouba, percussion

*Gifts can also be made at [garychurch.org/give](http://garychurch.org/give) or by texting "give" to 630-320-0668.*

\*You are invited to stand in body or spirit.

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\*Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

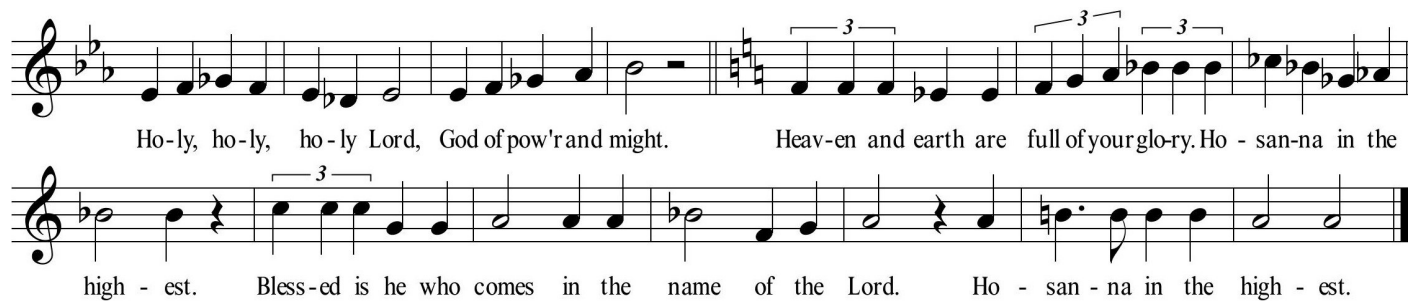
Hymnal 94

Dedication of Our Tithes and Offerings

The Sacrament of Holy Communion in Spanish and English

Pastor Gene Green

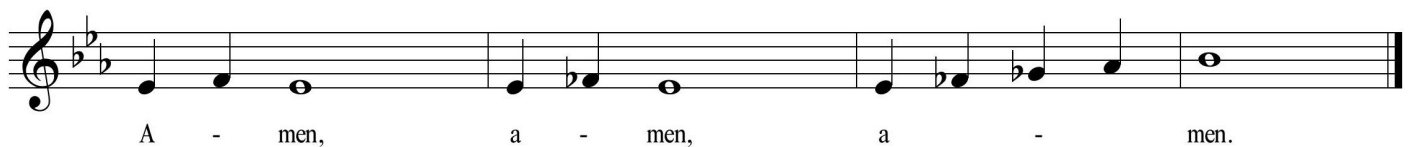
Pastor Daniel Cochran



Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, God of pow'r and might. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san-na in the  
high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a - gain!



A - men, a - men, a - men.

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Communion Hymns

Steve Novy, cantor

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us, Hymnal 381

One Bread, One Body, Hymnal 620

Draw Us In the Spirit's Tether, Hymnal 632

Fill My Cup, Lord, Hymnal 641

\*Sending Hymn

Siyahamba

The Faith We Sing 2235-b

\*Benediction

Postlude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Emma Lou Diemer

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# Announcements

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**Our sympathy to:** Rick Conrad and Mirna Conrad on the death of their wife and mother, Renee. Arrangements pending.

## **This morning, Sun., Oct. 5, at Gary Church:**

- **In-Person Worship:** 9 and 11:11 a.m. Assisted listening devices and large print hymnals are available by asking an usher. Livestream and recorded worship are available at [garychurch.org](http://garychurch.org).
- **Sunday School:** 10 a.m. for all ages.
- **Special Blend Fellowship:** 10 a.m. Commons.
- **Why I Am Protestant:** 10:10 a.m. Anderson Room. Led by Dr. Beth Felker Jones.
- **Input sessions:** 10:10 a.m. Commons A. Led by Staff Parish Relations Committee.
- **Redbird Mission craft sale:** Commons. Grab whatever you want; pay whatever you can. You can also donate online at [garychurch.org/give](http://garychurch.org/give).

**Pet Blessing:** Today, Oct. 5, 3 p.m. Courtyard. After a time of prayer, Scripture and a reflection, Pastor Daniel Cochran will offer individual blessings for each pet until 4 p.m. (weather permitting).

**Medicare 101:** Wed., Oct. 8, 7 p.m. Anderson Room. Led by Brian Felker Jones. This class will help you understand how it works, how it's organized, if you're eligible and more.

**Recycle Styrofoam:** Sun., Oct. 12, 8:45-10:30 a.m. South Driveway. If you miss the date, feel free to drop off Styrofoam at Dart Container Corporation, 310 Evergreen Dr., North Aurora.

**Christian Nationalism:** Sundays, Oct. 12-Nov. 2, 10:10 a.m. Anderson Room. Led by Dr. Gene Green and Dr. Michael Graves. Explore the contours of Christian Nationalism in the light of Scripture, theology, Christian history and current events.

**College care gifts:** Share the address of your college student at [garychurch.org](http://garychurch.org) by Fri., Oct. 10. To donate towards the cost of goodies and postage, go to [garychurch.org/give](http://garychurch.org/give).

**Trunk or Treat:** Sat., Oct. 25, 10-12 p.m. Parking Lot. Donate candy in the Commons. Register to decorate a trunk or volunteer at [garychurch.org](http://garychurch.org).

**Habitat for Humanity:** Tues., Oct. 28-Fri. Oct. 31, Lafayette, IN. Contact Lois Davisson through the Church Office ([office@garychurch.org](mailto:office@garychurch.org)). You can also donate at [garychurch.org/give](http://garychurch.org/give).

**Seeking organist:** If you know of someone who would love to play the organ at Gary Church, please have them read the job description and fill out the employment application at [garychurch.org](http://garychurch.org).

**Technical difficulties:** The monitor on the left side of the Chancel has stopped working. Thanks for your patience until we can get it replaced.

**Wreaths from Troop 35:** Purchase Christmas greenery at [wheatontroop35.org](http://wheatontroop35.org) by Mon., Oct. 20. To support Gary Troop 35 scouts, select Riley Hicks, Drew Oswald or Luke Oswald at checkout.

**Birthday bags:** Make birthdays special for People's Resource Center families. Susanna Wesley Circle is collecting disposable cake pans, cake mixes, frosting and candles. or donate at [garychurch.org/give](http://garychurch.org/give).

## **Lectionary readings:**

- **This week:** [Lamentations 1:1-6](#); [Psalm 137](#); [2 Timothy 1:1-14](#) and [Luke 17:5-10](#)
- **Next week:** [Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7](#); [Psalm 66:1-12](#); [2 Timothy 2:8-15](#) and [Luke 17:11-19](#)

## I Dream of a Church



1. I dream of a church where ev - 'ry - one is wel - come, I dream of a  
2. O God, fill our hearts to reach out in wel - come, make us to

place we all can call home. I dream of a world where jus - tice is  
see your vi - sion once more. Let's dream of a world where our hands are

flow - ing with hope and peace grow - ing, where God's will is done.  
your hands, we of - fer our - selves, O God, make it so.

*Refrain:* Make it so, make it so! We pray for that day, make it

so. We dream of a world where Love reigns a - mong us and

your will is done, O God, make it so!

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