

Order of Worship

January 25, 2026

WELCOME AND CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of unity and truth, make us one in heart, one in mind, and one in Spirit. Help us remember that we belong not to ourselves but to Jesus Christ, who has claimed us in love. Shape us into a community that reflects your grace for the sake of the world you so love. Amen.

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Michael Snoddy

Bless the Lord, my soul and bless His holy name.
Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads us into life.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, you have called us to be one body in Christ, yet we confess that we often live divided lives. Forgive us for the walls we build, for the grudges we carry, and for the ways we turn from one another and from you. By your Spirit, make us one: united in mind and purpose, not through uniformity, but through the shared love of Jesus Christ. Let the message of the cross reshape us for service, humility, and joy.

Silent Confession

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 1:10-18

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Divisions

Eddie Bellis

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Michael Snoddy

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art;
thou, my best thought, be day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

BENEDICTION

LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Eddie Bellis, Interim Pastor
Anne Keener, Commissioned Pastor
Michael Snoddy, Director of Music & Organist
Sam Belcher, Director of Youth Ministries, as Video Editor

PRAYER LIST

New:

Elise Lasseter
Jane Stafford
Benny Williams
Eric Lache
Ruthie Moulton
Diane Fender's mother, Sherry Edwards

Deaths:

Jean Acklin's brother, Dale Prouty, 12/26/25

Members:

Ted Bechtel
Ann Brown
Barbara Crunk
Jeff Doering
Carolyn Hayes
Caleb Lillard
Anne Osborne
Tom Wilson

In Memory:

Anne Rutherford	January 26, 2025
Lucinda Sandlin	January 29, 2001