

SOVEREIGN GRACE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Glorifying God. Growing Together. Going to the Nations.



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Morning Worship

May 10, 2026, 10:55am

Preparation for Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Adoration of God

Call to Worship

Rev. Ricky Johnson

Love the LORD, all you his saints! The LORD preserves the faithful but abundantly repays the one who acts in pride. Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the LORD!

Psalm 31:23-24

*Hymn 95

“Though Troubles Assail Us”

*Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Means of Grace

*Confession of Faith

Canons of Dort, Fifth Head, Art. 6, 8

God, who is rich in mercy, according to His unchangeable purpose of election, does not wholly withdraw the Holy Spirit from His own people even in their grievous falls; nor suffers them to proceed so far as to lose the grace of adoption and forfeit the state of justification, or to commit the sin unto death or against the Holy Spirit; nor does He permit them to be totally deserted, and to plunge themselves into everlasting destruction.

It is utterly impossible, since God’s counsel cannot be changed nor His promise fail; neither can the call according to His purpose be revoked, nor the merit, intercession, and preservation of Christ be rendered ineffectual, nor the sealing of the Holy Spirit be frustrated or obliterated.

Scripture Reading

Rev. Dr. Carlton Wynne

1 Corinthians 6:1–20

Confession of Sin

Lord God! Eternal and almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before you that we are poor sinners, born in guilt and corruption, prone to do evil, unable in ourselves to do any good. Having broken your holy commandments, we have said in our alarm, “We are cut off from your sight” and, “The LORD has forsaken us”; as if you would never again be favorable, as if you had forgotten to be gracious. We repent and plead for your mercy through the ever-present, never-failing Savior, our Lord Jesus Christ. Deal bountifully with us in him, O LORD, and we will sing to you and rejoice in your salvation. In Jesus’ name, AMEN.

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Words of Pardon and Assurance

Galatians 1:4

Christ gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father.

***Hymn 689**

“Be Still, My Soul”

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology**

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. A-men.

Prayer of Intercession

***Gloria Patri**

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.

Reading of God's Word

Psalm 13

Sermon

Dr. Wynne

“How Long, O Lord?”

Response and Benediction

***Trinity Psalter, Psalm 13**

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response**

PASSION CHORALE 76.76.D

*But on Thy tender mercy I ever have relied;
With joy in Thy salvation my heart shall still confide.
And I with voice of singing will praise the Lord alone,
Because to me His favor He has so largely shown.*

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Evening Worship

May 10, 2026, 6:00pm

Call to Worship

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits.

Rev. Ricky Johnson

Psalm 103:1-2

***Hymn 76**

“Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven”

Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

Trinity Psalter, Psalm 25 (vv. 1-7)

Hymn of the Month: 323

“Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand”

Requested Hymns

Prayer of Intercession & Thanksgiving

Mr. Homer Nash

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Reading of God’s Word

Rev. Will Keyton
1 Samuel 27:1-28:2

Sermon

Rev. Keyton
“Not the King We’re Looking For”

***Hymn 312**

“O God, Your Judgments Give the King”

***Benediction**

Sovereign Grace Announcements

Visitors Welcome! We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting with us in person or watching online today. If you have any questions or would like more information about getting involved at Sovereign Grace, please fill out our [Connect Card](#).

Join us for dinner, prayer, and children/youth classes on Wednesdays at 5:45pm in the Fellowship Hall. Nursery is provided for children four and under.

Students and young adults ages 18-30 are invited to a fellowship night at the Andersons' house following the evening service tonight, Sunday, May 10! Please RSVP by contacting Eilidh Anderson.

Join a Women's Bible Study this summer! The Thursday morning study, focusing on Kevin DeYoung's book *The Ten Commandments*, will meet from 9:45-11:15am in Calvin Hall from May 7-August 13, with childcare for all ages provided. It's not too late to join, please email Hope Keyton if you're interested in participating in Thursday's study. **The Tuesday evening study**, focusing on Jerry Bridges' book *The Fruitful Life*, will meet from 7:00-8:30pm at Jennifer McArthur's home from June 2-July 28. Please email Catriona Anderson if you'd like to join the Tuesday evening study.

All men are invited to join Tuesday Men's Coffee, a weekly gathering this summer for fellowship, book discussion, and prayer. We will meet each Tuesday at 7:00am at the church, beginning on June 2. To attend, please email Rev. Ricky Johnson.

A Men's Golf Outing will take place this Friday, May 15, at Edgewater Golf Club. If you are interested in participating, please contact Tom Waters as soon as possible.

Members of Sovereign Grace are invited to the wedding ceremony of Kenny Patillo and Pamela. The ceremony will be at Sovereign Grace on May 15th at 1:00pm.

For more information regarding any of these activities, or other ways to be involved at Sovereign Grace, please fill out our [Connect Card](#).

Though Troubles Assail Us

My God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.

Phil. 4:19

G C Am D Em G D⁷ G

1. Though trou - bles as - sail us and dan - gers af - fright,
 2. The birds, with - out gar - ner or store - house, are fed;
 3. When Sa - tan as - sails us to stop up our path,
 4. No strength of our own and no good - ness we claim;

C Am D Em G D⁷ G

though friends should all fail us and foes all u - nite,
 from them let us learn to trust God for our bread.
 and cour - age all fails us, we tri - umph by faith.
 yet, since we have known of the Sav - ior's great name,

G D G Em G D

yet one thing se - cures us, what - ev - er be - tide,
 His saints what is fit - ting shall ne'er be de - nied
 He can - not take from us, though oft he has tried,
 in this our strong tow - er for safe - ty we hide:

C Am D Em G D⁷ G 7

the prom - ise as - sures us, "The Lord will pro - vide."
 so long as 'tis writ - ten, "The Lord will pro - vide."
 this heart - cheer - ing prom - ise, "The Lord will pro - vide."
 the Lord is our pow - er, "The Lord will pro - vide."

Be Still, My Soul

Be patient, then, brothers, until the Lord's coming. Jas. 5:7

1. Be still, my soul: the Lord is on your side;
 2. Be still, my soul: your God will un - der - take
 3. Be still, my soul: when dear - est friends de - part,
 4. Be still, my soul: the hour is has - t'ning on

bear pa - tient - ly the cross of grief or pain; leave to your
 to guide the fu - ture as he has the past. Your hope, your
 and all is dark - ened in the vale of tears, then shall you
 when we shall be for - ev - er with the Lord, when dis - ap -

God to or - der and pro - vide; in ev - 'ry change he
 con - fi - dence let noth - ing shake; all now mys - te - rious
 bet - ter know his love, his heart, who comes to soothe your
 point - ment, grief, and fear are gone, sor - row for - got, love's

faith - ful will re - main. Be still, my soul: your best, your heav'n - ly
 shall be bright at last. Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still
 sor - row and your fears. Be still, my soul: your Je - sus can re -
 pur - est joys re - stored. Be still, my soul: when change and tears are

Friend through thorn - y ways leads to a joy - ful end.
 know his voice who ruled them while he dwelt be - low.
 pay from his own full - ness all he takes a - way.
 past, all safe and bless - ed we shall meet at last.

Psalm 12

- 1 O Thou, Jehovah, grant us help,
Because the godly cease;
And from among the sons of men
The faithful now decrease.
- 2 And to his neighbor every one
Doth utter vanity;
They with a double heart
do speak
And lips of flattery.
- 3 The LORD will cut off all false lips,
Tongues that speak proudly thus:
- 4 "We'll with our tongue prevail;
our lips
Are ours; who's lord o'er us?"
- 5 "Because the poor are
sorely pressed,
Because the needy sighs,
To give the safety they desire,"
The LORD says, "I'll arise."
- 6 Jehovah's words are words
most pure;
They are like silver tried
In earthen furnace, seven times
That has been purified.
- 7 LORD, Thou shalt them
preserve and keep
- 8 Forever from this race.
On ev'ry side the wicked walk,
With vile men high in place.

TUNE: BELMONT CM (12A)
("The Spirit Breathes Upon the Word")
("How Precious Is the Book Divine")

Based on *Scottish Psalter*, 1650

Psalm 13

- 1 How long wilt Thou forget me?
Shall it forever be?
O LORD, how long neglect me,
And hide Thy face from me
- 2 How long my soul take counsel,
Thus sad in heart each day?
How long shall foes exulting,
Subject me to their sway?
- 3 O LORD, my God, consider,
And hear my earnest cries;
Lest I in death should slumber,
Enlighten Thou mine eyes:
- 4 Lest foes be heard exclaiming
Against him we prevailed;
And they that vex my spirit
Rejoice when I have failed.
- 5 But on Thy tender mercy
I ever have relied;
With joy in Thy salvation
My heart shall still confide.
- 6 And I with voice of singing
Will praise the LORD alone,
Because to me His favor
He has so largely shown.

TUNE: PASSION CHORALE 76.76.D
(new *Trinity Hymnal*, p. 247)
("O Sacred Head Now Wounded")

The Book of Psalms, 1871

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

*Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the LORD,
O my soul. Ps. 103:22*

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en, to his feet your trib - ute bring;
 2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor to our fa - thers in dis - tress;
 3. Fa - ther - like, he tends and spares us; well our fee - ble frame he knows;
 4. Frail as sum - mer's flow'r we flour - ish, blows the wind and it is gone;
 5. An - gels, help us to a - dore him; you be - hold him face to face;

ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en, who, like me, his praise should sing?
 praise him, still the same for - ev - er, slow to chide and swift to bless;
 • in his hands he gent - ly bears us, res - cues us from all our foes;
 but while mor - tals rise and per - ish, God en - dures un - chang - ing on.
 sun and moon, bow down be - fore him, dwell - ers all in time and space,

Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
 praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.
 • praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, wide - ly as his mer - cy goes.
 Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the High E - ter - nal One.
 praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.

Psalm 24

- 1 The earth and the riches
with which it is stored,
The world and its dwellers,
belong to the LORD.
- 2 For He on the seas its
foundation has laid,
And firm on the waters
it pillars has stayed.
- 3 O who shall the mount of
Jehovah ascend?
Or who in the place of
His holiness stand?
- 4 The man of pure heart and
of hands without stain,
Who has not sworn falsely
nor loved what is vain.
- 5 He shall from Jehovah
a blessing receive;
The God of salvation
shall righteousness give.
- 6 Thus looking to Him is
a whole bless-ed race,
All those who, like Jacob,
are seeking Your face.
- 7 O gates, lift your heads!
Ageless doors, lift them high!
The great King of glory
to enter draws nigh!
- 8 O who is the King
that in glory draws near?
The LORD, mighty LORD
of the battle is here!
- 9 O gates, lift your heads!
Ageless doors, lift them high!
The great King of glory
to enter draws nigh!
- 10 This great King of glory,
O Who can He be?
Jehovah of hosts,
King of glory is He!

TUNE: GREYFRIARS 11.11.11.11. (24C)

Based on the *Book of Psalms*, 1871 and
The Psalter, 1912

Psalm 25

Verses 1-7

- 1 To Thee I lift my soul,
- 2 O LORD; I trust in Thee,
My God; let me not be ashamed
Nor foes exult o'er me.
- 3 Yea, none that wait on Thee
Shall be ashamed at all;
But those that wantonly
transgress,
Upon them shame shall fall.
- 4 Show me Thy ways, O LORD;
Thy paths, O teach Thou me,
- 5 And do Thou lead me
in Thy truth;
Therein my teacher be.
For Thou art God that dost
To me salvation send,
And I upon Thee all the day
Expecting do attend.
- 6 Thy tender mercies, LORD,
To mind do Thou recall,
And lovingkindnesses, for they
Have been through ages all.
- 7 My sins of youth, my faults,
Do Thou, O LORD, forget;
In lovingkindness think on me
And for Thy goodness great.

Verses 8-15

- 8 The LORD is good and just;
The way He'll sinners show;
- 9 The meek in judgment
He will guide
And make His path to know.
- 10 All pathways of the LORD
Are truth and mercy sure,
To such as keep His covenant
And testimonies pure.
- 11 Now for Thine own name's sake,
O LORD, I Thee entreat
To pardon my iniquity,
For it is very great.

- 12 Who fears the LORD is taught
The way to understand;
13 His soul shall ever dwell at ease,
His seed possess the land.
- 14 The secret of the LORD
Shall all who fear Him know;
The knowledge of His covenant
He unto them will show.
- 15 My eyes upon the LORD
Continually are set;
For He it is that shall bring forth
My feet out of the net.

Verses 16–22

- 16 O turn to me Thy face;
To me Thy mercy show;
For I am very desolate,
And brought exceeding low.
- 17 My griefs of heart abound;
My sore distress relieve.
- 18 See my affliction and my pain,
And all my sins forgive.
- 19 Consider Thou my foes
Because they many are;
And it a cruel hatred is
Which they against me bear.
- 20 O do Thou keep my soul;
Do Thou deliver me;
And let me not be put to shame
Because I trust in Thee.
- 21 Because I wait for Thee
Let truth and right defend;
- 22 Redemption, Lord, to Is-ra-el
From all his troubles send.

TUNE: TRENTAM SM (25D)
("Breathe on Me, Breath of God")

Based on *Scottish Psalter*, 1650

Psalm 26

- 1 Judge me, O LORD,
for I have walked
In my integrity,
And ever with unwav'ring heart
Have trusted, LORD, in Thee.
- 2 Examine me, and prove me, LORD;
Try heart and mind, I pray.
- 3 Thy mercy is before my eyes;
Thy truth has led my way.
- 4 I will not with dissemblers go,
With false men will not wait.
- 5 I will not sit with wicked men;
Their company I hate.
- 6 I'll wash my hands in innocence,
Approach Thine altar, LORD,
- 7 That with a thankful voice I may
Thy wonders all record.
- 8 The habitation of Thy house,
O LORD, is my delight;
The place in which Thy
glory dwells
Is lovely in my sight.
- 9 With sinners gather not my soul;
Spare me from blood they spill.
- 10 In their hand is a wicked scheme;
Their right hand bribes do fill.
- 11 But as for me, I'll humbly walk
In my integrity.
Redeem Thou me, and in
Thy grace
Be merciful to me.
- 12 Because my foot is standing now
Upon a level place;
Within the congregation great
Jehovah I will bless.

TUNE: REST CM (95B)

Based on *Scottish Psalter*, 1650

Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand

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Many angels, numbering ... ten thousand times ten thousand ... sang: "Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power." Rev. 5:11, 12

1. Ten thou - sand times ten thou - sand in spar - kling rai - ment bright,
 2. What rush of al - le - lu - ias fills all the earth and sky!
 3. O then what rap - tured greet - ings on Ca - naan's hap - py shore;
 4. Bring near thy great sal - va - tion, thou Lamb for sin - ners slain;

the ar - mies of the ran - somed saints throng up the steeps of light:
 What ring - ing of a thou - sand harps be - speaks the tri - umph night!
 what knit - ting sev - ered friend - ships up where part - ings are no more!
 fill up the roll of thine e - lect, then take thy pow'r and reign:

'tis fin - ished, all is fin - ished, their fight with death and sin:
 O day, for which cre - a - tion and all its tribes were made;
 Then eyes with joy shall spar - kle, that brimmed with tears of late;
 ap - pear, De - sire of na - tions, thine ex - iles long for home;

fling o - pen wide the gold - en gates, and let the vic - tors in.
 O joy, for all its for - mer woes a thou - sand - fold re - paid!
 or - phans no lon - ger fa - ther - less, nor wid - ows des - o - late.
 show in the heav'n's thy prom - ised sign; thou Prince and Sav - ior, come.

O God, Your Judgments Give the King

Endow the king with your justice, O God, the royal son with your righteousness.

Ps. 72:1

1. O God, your judgments give the King, his son your righteousness;
 2. The people's poor ones he shall judge, the needy's children bless;
 3. His large and great dominion shall from sea to sea extend;
 4. Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel,

with right he shall your people judge, your poor with uprightness.
 and he will break in pieces those who would the poor oppress.
 it from the River shall reach forth to earth's remotest end.
 for he alone does wondrous works in glory that excel.

And then the mountains shall bring forth to all the people peace;
 The just shall flourish in his days, and prosper in his reign;
 Yea, kings shall all before him bow, all nations shall obey;
 And blessed be his glorious name to all eternity.

the hills because of righteousness their blessing shall increase.
 and while the moon endures he shall abundant peace maintain.
 he'll save the needy when they cry, the poor who have no stay.
 The whole earth let his glory fill; amen, so let it be.