Welcome to Worship



Sunday, August 3, 2025

MEDITATION

O Almighty God, from whom every good gift comes. You have poured out on us Your Spirit and with Him endless grace. Deliver us from our sins as we draw near to You, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship You in Spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 107:1-2

OPENING PRAYER

CONGREGATIONAL CONFESSION OF SIN

Kind and Merciful God, We Have Sinned Trinity Hymnal #496

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 John 1:9

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

DOXOLOGY

Hymn #731

Praise God from who all blessings flow; praise his, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

DEACON'S OFFERTORY PRAYER

PSALM 24 (THE KING OF GLORY)

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The King of glory reigns over all the world. His mighty hand sustains the heavens and the earth. Who may come to Him and seek His holy face?

He calls the pure in heart - all whose hands are clean. And those who love His name above all other things. Humbly I will bow and Jesus' name confess.

CHORUS

He reigns! He reigns! Jesus the Lord. He reigns! He reigns! Forevermore.

Swing wide, you ancient gates. Let the King come in. His glory never fades. Our hearts delight in Him. Ev'ry knee will bow. Ev'ry tongue confess.

Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty. He bore the cross of shame. Sing Hosanna!

Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty. He rose up from the grave. Sing Hosanna! (Chorus)

ELDER'S PRAYER

ADOPTED

by Fanny Jane Crosby

O what a blessing, how can I express it? Out of the fullness of rapture I sing, Now by the Father received and accepted, I am a child and an heir of the King.

CHORUS

I am adopted, O wonderful love, Heir to a heritage purchased above; Tell it, my soul, and joyfully sing, I am a child and an heir of the King.

O what a Father, how tenderly gracious, O what a Savior to make me His care: Tho' I have slighted, rejected, and grieved Him, Still He permits me His kingdom to share. (Chorus)

O the unsearchable riches He giveth, Riches increasing from day unto day; Treasures exceeding in value all others, Treasures that never will rust nor decay. (Chorus)

When I have finished the work He appoints me, When I have ended my journey below, Then to my Father and Jesus my Savior, Home to a beautiful palace I go. (Chorus)

SERMON

TE Jerry Straight

"God's Patience and Persistence" Romans 11:11-24

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Hymnal, page #845

The Apostles' Creed

LORD'S SUPPER

Bread is gluten-free

ROCK OF AGES

Hymn #500

THE LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal, inside cover

SERMON NOTES

BENEDICTION

"God's Patience and Persistence" Romans 11:11-24

JOIN US FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY AT 11 AM

JOIN US FOR LUNCH WITH THE GRAHAMS AT 12 PM ALL ARE INVITED

KIDS AND YOUTH CLASSES

PRE-K & K – ROOM 101 1ST & 2ND GRADE – ROOM 105 3RD – 5TH GRADE – ROOM 102 MIDDLE SCHOOL – ROOM 104 HIGH SCHOOL – ROOM 112

ADULT CLASSES

MISSIONARY UPDATE WITH THE GRAHAM'S - SANCTUARY ADULT CLASS 'GENESIS' - ROOM 108

MISSIONS SPOTLIGHT

Pray for **Eric and Anna Graham**, serving in Bogota, Columbia with 'Next', a ministry of MTW. Their focus is serving the youth of MTW's missionaries in Latin America.

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WELCOME

If you're new to Grace, we are glad you are here to worship with us! Please complete a **Welcome** or **Prayer Request card** from the back of the pews and place it in the offering or Welcome Center basket. Watch your inbox for the weekly church email, "**This Week at Grace**" or visit the church website 'Events' page

UPCOMING EVENTS

MISSIONS UPDATE WITH ERIC & ANNA GRAHAM | TODAY, 11 AM
MEET THE GRAHAMS IN FELLOWSHIP HALL | TODAY, 12 PM
ELDER AND DEACON NOMINATIONS | THRU AUG 24
CHOIR FELLOWSHIP | SAT AUG 9

JOIN US AT THE BAYSOX BALLGAME! | THU AUG 21, 6:30 PM LADIES SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS RESUMES | SUN, SEP 7

WEEKLY MINISTRIES

GRACE PRES YOUTH GROUP & GRACE KIDS | SUN 6-7:30 PM

JOIN THE GREEN TEAM | WED 9-11 AM

LADIES, JUMP IN TO WOMEN'S 'ISAIAH' BIBLE STUDY | WED 6-8 PM

CHOIR REHEARSAL | THU 7 PM

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY

- **Eli Bedminster** for strength and endurance as he works toward completing bootcamp.
- Payton, Jon and Lois White's granddaughter for treatment and complete healing from Guillain Barre Syndrome and peace for her parents, Aaron and Darienne.
- Jacque' Boock for healing after surgery on Wednesday, July 9th.
- Carl & Donna Gregg for strength as they prepare to proceed with fostering towards an out of state adoption.
- Robbie Johnson for healing from knee replacement surgery.
- Wells, Scott and Lori Van Zanten's grandson, to thrive at home.
- Dan Little's great-niece Kaylin, with traumatic injuries after a severe collision in May, for her recovery, for comfort for her father Chris, and that they will know the Lord's presence.
- Dan Little for complete recovery which is slower than anticipated.
- Marilyn Dean's granddaughter, Ginny, for left ear issue to resolve.
- Dan and Kathy Knight's son, Seth and family, while he is deployed.
- Christopher Holtzman for complete healing with new treatment.
- Steve Sloan, Lori Van Zanten's brother, pray for comfort and peace for Steve and his family after his lung cancer diagnosis.
- Ken Deans for comfort and pain relief.
- Laura Greenbaum's granddaughter, Sophia, with epilepsy.
- Nathaniel, Barbara Bohac's grandson, that seizures would end.
- Jennifer, Joy Schoenbauer's niece, for eradication of any cancer.
- Wali & Xenia Bedminster family for clear direction for Caleb's care.
- Kelly, Vicki Perry's cousin and family, facing cancer progression.
- Tom Alexander for encouragement to accept and work toward his goals for rehabilitation, and for strength for Jenise, Zach, and Max.