Announcements and Duty List

Children of all ages are welcome and wanted in worship! Nursery (ages 0–3) & nursing mothers' room are downstairs. Restrooms are located near the back door & downstairs.

Tonight — Join us for worship, prayer, studying 2 Samuel 2, and a shared supper.
Wednesday, 1:15 pm — Video series 'The New Testament Canon'
November 6, 7:00 pm — Chapel Show & Tell Night
November 8 — Congregational Meeting.

Duty	October 25	November 1	November 8	November 15	November 22	November 29
Morning Pianist	Karen S.	Ruth D.	Rachel N.	Bethany H.	Ruth D.	Karen S.
Greeter & Usher	Hoelle Hans T.	Matheis	Siebring, A & R	Gibson, N	Iverson	Miedema
Sound Crew	Jack L.	Ethan	Craig & Abram	Mac	Jack L.	Ethan
Nursery	Mili B.	Ruth S.	Elizabeth C.	Karen M.	Kelsey C.	Emily G
Nursery Helper	Abram M.	Faye T.	Sylvia N.	Faye T.	Christian L.	Lucille M.
Snacks & Coffee Clean-up	Lovegren, H. Laninga	Perez Matheis, K.	Van Rooyen Wonder	Siebring, R. Olthuis	Gibson, E. Gibson, T.	Chambers Drury
Eve. Leader	Ben M.	Nate L.	John D.	Nate G.	Emily G.	Austin M.
Eve. Pianist	Emily G.	Jack L.	Emily G.	Ruth D.	Ruth D.	Ruth D.
Eve. Meal Host	Austin & Sara	Joel & Ruth	Perez Family	Dan & Emily	**Thanksgiving Potluck**	Tamminga

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Wiser Lake Chapel

October 25, 2026
Ordinary Time

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship — *Psalm* 1

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
nor stands in the way of sinners,
nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
But his delight is in the law of the LORD,
and on his law he meditates day and night.
He is like a tree planted by streams of water
that yields its fruit in its season,
and its leaf does not wither.
In all that he does, he prospers.
The wicked are not so,
but are like chaff that the wind drives away.
Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,
nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;
for the LORD knows the way of the righteous,
but the way of the wicked will perish.

Hymn 5 — God, My King, Thy Might Confessing
Hymn 166 — Wondrous King, All-Glorious

Prayer of Invocation

Old Testament Reading — *Isaiah* 2:1–5 (p. 948)

Confession of Sin — (*adapted from Psalm 79*)

GOD DEALS WITH OUR SIN



How long, O LORD?
Will you be angry forever?
Will your jealousy burn like fire?
Do not remember against us our former iniquities;
let your compassion come speedily to meet us,
for we are brought low.
Help us, O God of our salvation,
for the glory of your name;
deliver us, and atone for our sins,
for your name's sake!
Why should the nations say,
"Where is their God?"
But we your people, the sheep of your pasture,
will give thanks to you forever;
from generation to generation we will recount your praise.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon — *Ephesians* 1:7–10

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, which He lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of His will, according to His purpose, which He set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Hymn 300 — Blessing and Honor and Glory and Power

Prayer of Intercession
(*we conclude by praying the Lord's Prayer together, found in the back of the hymnal*)

GOD HEARS OUR PRAYERS



Offering — *Matthew* 6:3–4

When you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

Sermon — *John* 12:20–36 (p. 1068)
(*we respond to God's Word with joy, saying together 'Thanks be to God!'*)

GOD SPEAKS TO US



* Something to discuss:

* Something to share:

Confession of Faith — *The Apostles' Creed* (*p.* 845)

The Lord's Supper

Hymn 235 — All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Benediction — *Numbers* 6:24–26

The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make His face to shine upon you
and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up His countenance upon you
and give you peace.

GOD SENDS US OUT



Doxology (words at Hymn 731)

Prayer for Those Searching for Truth: Lord Jesus, you claim to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent and convincing, and that leads to the life you promise.

Prayer of Belief: Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. *(prayers adapted from Timothy Keller)*