



Announcements and Duty List



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

Tonight — Join us for worship, prayer, studying 1 Samuel 25, and a shared supper.

Next Sunday — Project Hope donations

September 13 — Chapel Picnic @ Hovander Park

September 20 — Informational Meeting

Duty	August 23	August 30	September 6	September 13	September 20	September 27
Morning Pianist	Karen S.	Ruth D.	Bethany H.	Ruth D.	Karen S.	Bethany H.
Greeter & Usher	Tamminga, J.	Unrein	Wonder	Blok	Dickson	Doesburg
Sound Crew	Blaise	Jack L.	Ethan	Mac	Craig & Abram	Jack L.
Nursery	Alexa O.	Elizabeth C.	Karen M.	Kelsey C.	Emily G	Danyale T.
Nursery Helper	Eva C.	Christian L.	Lucille M.	Abram M.	Faye T.	Eva C.
Snacks & Coffee Clean-up	Gibson, E. Gibson, T.	Chambers Drury	Blok Johnson	Valle Vander Haak	Iverson Hilt	Tamminga Miedema
Eve. Leader	Ben M.	Nate L.	Dan G.	Nate G.	John D.	Emily G.
Eve. Pianist	Emily G.	Jack L.	Emily G.	Ruth D.	Emily G.	Ruth D.
Eve. Meal Host	Joel & Ruth	Perez Family	Dan & Emily	Austin & Sara	May P.	Nathan & Kelsey

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August 23, 2026
Ordinary Time

Call to Worship — *Psalms* 138

*I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart;
before the gods I sing your praise;*

I bow down toward your holy temple

and give thanks to your name

for your steadfast love and your faithfulness,

for you have exalted above all things your name and your word.

On the day I called, you answered me; my strength of soul you increased.

All the kings of the earth shall give you thanks, O LORD,

for they have heard the words of your mouth,

and they shall sing the ways of the LORD,

for great is the glory of the LORD.

For though the LORD is high, He regards the lowly,

but the haughty He knows from afar.

Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life;

you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies,

and your right hand delivers me.

The LORD will fulfill His purpose for me;

your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever.

Do not forsake the work of your hands.

Hymn 382 — God Himself Is with Us

Hymn 501 — Just As I Am, without One Plea

Prayer of Invocation

Old Testament Reading — *Isaiah* 6 (p. 678)

GOD CALLS
US TO WORSHIP



Confession of Sin — *(adapted from Psalm 51)*

Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin!
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with a willing spirit.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon — *Romans 11:33–36*

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways! “For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been His counselor? Or who has given a gift to Him that He might be repaid?” For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be glory forever. Amen.

Hymn 466 — I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew

Prayer of Intercession

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

Offering — *2 Corinthians 9:3–5*

But I am sending the brothers so that our boasting about you may not prove empty in this matter, so that you may be ready, as I said you would be. Otherwise, if some Macedonians come with me and find that you are not ready, we would be humiliated — to say nothing of you — for being so confident. So I thought it necessary to urge the brothers to go on ahead to you and arrange in advance for the gift you have promised, so that it may be ready as a willing gift, not as an exaction.

GOD DEALS
WITH OUR SIN



Sermon — *John 9:8–41* (p. 1064)
(we respond to God’s Word with joy, saying together ‘Thank be to God!’)

GOD SPEAKS
TO US



* Something to discuss:

* Something to share:

Hymn 460 — Amazing Grace!

Confession of Faith — *Westminster Shorter Catechism, 2.31*

Q. What is effectual calling?

A. Effectual calling is the work of God’s Spirit, whereby, convincing us of our sin and misery, enlightening our minds in the knowledge of Christ, and renewing our wills, He doth persuade and enable us to embrace Jesus Christ, freely offered in the gospel.

Benediction — *2 Corinthians 13:14*

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ
and the love of God
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit
be with you all.
Amen.

Doxology (words at Hymn 731)

GOD HEARS
OUR PRAYERS



GOD SENDS
US OUT

