
CHURCH *of the* COVENANT

SAMPLE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Order of Worship • Morning Service

“Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy. Blessed is the one who fears the LORD always, but whoever hardens his heart will fall into calamity.”

— Proverbs 28:13, 14, ESV

Prelude to Worship

For meditation: Luke 15:1–32 (*page 874*)

Matters for Prayer and Praise

OUR GOD CALLS US TO HIS WORSHIP

Confession of sin, preparing our hearts to worship

* Call to Worship

“I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High. . . . The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble. And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you. Sing praises to the LORD, who sits enthroned in Zion! Tell among the peoples His deeds!”

— Psalm. 9:1–2, 9–10, ESV

WE RESPOND IN JOYFUL ADORATION OF OUR LORD

* **Hymn 168**

Father, Again in Jesus’ Name We Meet

* Invocation

OUR GOD ADDRESSES US IN HIS WORD

* Scripture Reading

Luke 15:1–32 (*page 874*)

WE RESPOND IN FAITH AND PRAISE

* **Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below:
alleluia, alleluia!
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,
allelia, alleluia!

SONG OF PRAISE

Psalm 23A

The Lord's My Shepherd

WE OFFER OUR FIRSTFRUITS

Receiving the Lord's Tithes and Offerings

WE OFFER OUR PETITIONS AND THANKSGIVING

Pastoral Prayer

WE SEEK GOD'S BLESSING

* **Hymn 441**

Jesus Sinners Doth Receive

OUR GOD TEACHES US FROM HIS WORD

"Lost Sheep. Lost Coin. Lost Sons"

Luke 15:1–32 (*page 874*)

WE RESPOND IN COMMITMENT

* **Hymn 433**

Amazing Grace

OUR GOD GIVES US HIS BLESSING

* Benediction

** Congregation please stand if able*

Order of Worship • Evening Service

Prelude to Worship For meditation: 1 John 2:29–3:10 (*page 1022*)

Welcome

Matters for Prayer and Praise

OUR GOD CALLS US TO HIS WORSHIP

* Call to worship

WE RESPOND IN JOYFUL ADORATION OF OUR LORD

* **Psalm 144B**

O Blest Be the LORD God

* Invocation and Lord's Prayer

OUR GOD ADDRESSES US IN HIS WORD

* Scripture Reading

John 8:39–59 (*page 894*)

WE RESPOND WITH PRAISE

Hymn 466

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

WE RESPOND WITH GIVING OUR FIRSTFRUITS

Receiving the Lord's Tithes and Offerings

WE PRESENT OUR HEARTS IN PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

WE SEEK GOD'S BLESSING

* **Hymn 461**

Blessed Are the Sons of God

OUR GOD TEACHES US FROM HIS WORD

"Children of God!"

1 John 2:29–3:10 (*page 1022*)

OUR GOD DISPLAYS HIS SIGN AND SEAL

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Apostle's Creed

(*page 851 in the Trinity Psalter Hymnal*)
in unison

OUR GOD GIVES US HIS BLESSING

* Benediction

Postlude to Worship

* *Congregation please stand if able*