



Proclaim Jesus Christ, Live in Christ, Serve!

PRELUDES

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God Is Our Refuge and Strength

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North Shore Brass

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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

ELW #504

1 A might - y for - tress is our God, a sword and shield vic -
2 No strength of ours can match his might! We would be lost, re -
3 Though hordes of dev - ils fill the land all threat - 'ning to de -
4 God's Word for - ev - er shall a - bide, no thanks to foes, who
to - rious; he breaks the cruel op - pres - sor's rod and
ject - ed. But now a cham - pion comes to fight, whom
vour us, we trem - ble not, un - moved we stand; they
fear it; for God him - self fights by our side with
wins sal - va - tion glo - rious. The old sa - tan - ic foe
God him - self e - lect - ed. You ask who this may be?
can - not o - ver - pow'r us. Let this world's ty - rant rage;
weap - ons of the Spir - it. Were they to take our house,
has sworn to work us woe! With craft and dread - ful might
The Lord of hosts is he! Christ Je - sus, might - y Lord,
in bat - tle we'll en - gage! His might is doomed to fail;
goods, hon - or, child, or spouse, though life be wrenched a - way,
he arms him - self to fight. On earth he has no e - qual.
God's on - ly Son, a - dored. He holds the field vic - to - rious.
God's judg - ment must pre - vail! One lit - tle word sub - dues him.
they can - not win the day. The king - dom's ours for - ev - er!

Text: Martin Luther, 1483–1546; tr. *Lutheran Book of Worship*, 1978
Music: EIN FESTE BURG, Martin Luther, 1483–1546

INVOCATION

Leader: As people of the Reformation, we gather in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

PROCLAMATION OF PRAISE

Leader: In the waters of baptism, God calls us, claims us, and sets us free.

All: **We are holy, precious, beloved children of God.**

Leader: The Living Word continues to speak into our culture and context.

All: **You make all things new.**

Leader: The Spirit reminds us again and again that:

All: **We are saved by grace alone.**

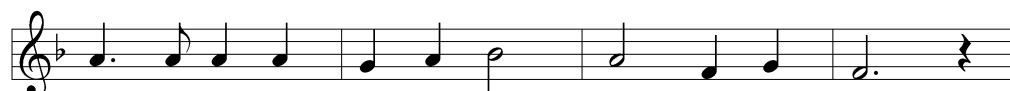
Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the unity of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

HYMN OF PRAISE Spirit of the Living God



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me,



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me.



Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.



Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall fresh on me.

Text: Daniel Iverson, 1890–1977

Music: IVERSON, Daniel Iverson, 1890–1977

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: Reforming God, you are always recreating the Church and the world in new ways. Transform our lives by your Holy Spirit. Renew our passion for your Good News and help us grow in community so that all people experience the joy of your love. We ask this in the blessed and saving grace of Jesus the Christ.

All: **Amen.**

PSALM 46:1-3;7-11 (Read responsively)

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Leader: God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.

**All: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change,
though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;**

Leader: though its waters roar and foam,
though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

**All: The Lord of hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob is our refuge.**

Leader: Come, behold the works of the Lord;
see what desolations he has brought on the earth.

**All: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;
he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear;
he burns the shields with fire.**

Leader: 'Be still, and know that I am God!
I am exalted among the nations,
I am exalted in the earth.'

**All: The Lord of hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob is our refuge.**

ANTHEM Praise to the Lord, The Almighty
St. Andrew's Choir & North Shore Brass
Andy Haase, Director
Bill Chouinard, Organist
2002 Oxford University Music Press

arr. Mack Wilberg

*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!
Join the great throng, psaltery, organ and song,
Sounding with glad adoration.*

*Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is gloriously reigneth,
borne as on eagle's wings, safely His saints He sustaineth,
Hast thou not seen, howe all thou needest hath been,
Granted in what He ordaineth.*

*Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do
if with his love he befriend you.*

*Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him!
Let the amen sound from his people again.
Gladly forever adore him!*

READING Romans 3:19-28**Pew Bible Page 915**

Now we know that, whatever the law says, it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced and the whole world may be held accountable to God. For no human will be justified before him by deeds prescribed by the law, for through the law comes the knowledge of sin.

But now, apart from the law, the righteousness of God has been disclosed and is attested by the Law and the Prophets, the righteousness of God through the faith of Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction, since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as a sacrifice of atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to demonstrate his righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over the sins previously committed; it was to demonstrate at the present time his own righteousness, so that he is righteous and he justifies the one who has the faith of Jesus.

Then what becomes of boasting? It is excluded. Through what kind of law? That of works? No, rather through the law of faith. For we hold that a person is justified by faith apart from works prescribed by the law.

APOSTLES' CREED 9am service only

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.**

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

HYMN My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less**ELW #597**

1 My hope is built on noth - ing less than
2 When he shall come with trum - pet sound, oh,
Je - sus' blood and righ - teous - ness; no mer - it of my
may I then in him be found, clothed in his righ - teous -



own I claim, but whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
ness a - lone, re - deemed to stand be - fore the throne!

Refrain



On Christ, the sol - id rock, I stand; all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

Text: Edward Mote, 1797–1874, alt.

Music: MELITA, John B. Dykes, 1823–1876

THE HOLY GOSPEL according to St. John the 8th Chapter

All Sing: “Glory to you, O Lord.”

GOSPEL: John 8:31-36

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Then Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, ‘If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.’ They answered him, ‘We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, “You will be made free”?’

Jesus answered them, ‘Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.

The Gospel of our Lord.

All Sing: “Praise to you, O Christ.”

SERMON

Pastor Mike Carlson

OFFERING

Fanfare on “A Mighty Fortress”

Gordon Young

North Shore Brass and Bill Chouinard, Organist

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OFFERTORY God's Word Is Our Great Heritage

ELW #509



God's word is our great her - i - tage and shall be ours for - ev - er;



to spread its light from age to age shall be our chief en - deav - or.



Through life it guides our way; in death it is our stay. Lord, grant while



time shall last your church may hold it fast through - out all gen - er - a - tions.

Text: Nikolai F. S. Grundtvig, 1783–1872; tr. Ole G. Belsheim, 1861–1925, alt.
Music: EIN FESTE BURG, Martin Luther, 1483–1546

9:00am - Go to Prayers of the People

10:30am - Rite of Affirmation of Baptism

SONG

Go Light Your World

Sara Renner, soloist

Bill Chouinard, piano

CCLI Song # 1829337

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Chris Rice

AFFIRMATION IN THE PRESENCE OF THE ASSEMBLY

Sarah:

You have made public profession of your faith. Do you intend to:

Continue in the covenant God made with you in Holy Baptism:

To live among God's faithful people

To hear God's Word and share in the Lord's Supper,

to proclaim the good news of God in Christ

through word and deed

To serve all people, following the example of our Lord Jesus

To strive for justice and peace in all the earth?

If so, answer "I do, and I ask God to help and guide me."

Confirmands: I do, and I ask God to help and guide me.

Sarah: (Congregation, please rise.) Families and those gathered here and online, do you promise to support these confirmands and pray for them in their life in Christ? If so, answer, "WE DO!"

Congregation: "We Do!"

Sarah: Family and supporters, you can move to a place where you can lay hands on your confirmand or on the shoulders of those around them. It is okay to move into the aisles. Congregation please raise your hands as a sign of blessing.

Pastor Sarah: Creator in Heaven, for Jesus' sake, stir up in these servants the gift of your Holy Spirit; confirm their faith, guide their life, empower them in their serving, give them patience in suffering, and bring them to everlasting life. Amen!

Let us rejoice with these siblings in Christ with applause and blow out your candles.
Congregation, you may be seated.

SONG **My Lighthouse**
Sara Renner & Gathering Band
Words and Music by Gareth Gilkeson and Chris Llewellyn
CCLI Song # 7002032
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE - Amy

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.
Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
 and forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

LAMB OF GOD (All Sing)

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace. Grant us peace.

COMMUNION MUSIC

9:00	Pie Jesu North Shore Brass Unpublished manuscript	Gabriel Faure / trans. Kevin McLaughlin
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10:30	Pie Jesu North Shore Brass Unpublished manuscript	Gabriel Faure / trans. Kevin McLaughlin
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POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

Leader: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace.

All: **Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Leader: God of the abundant table, you have refreshed our hearts in this meal with bread for the journey. Give us your grace on the road that we might serve our neighbors with joy; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

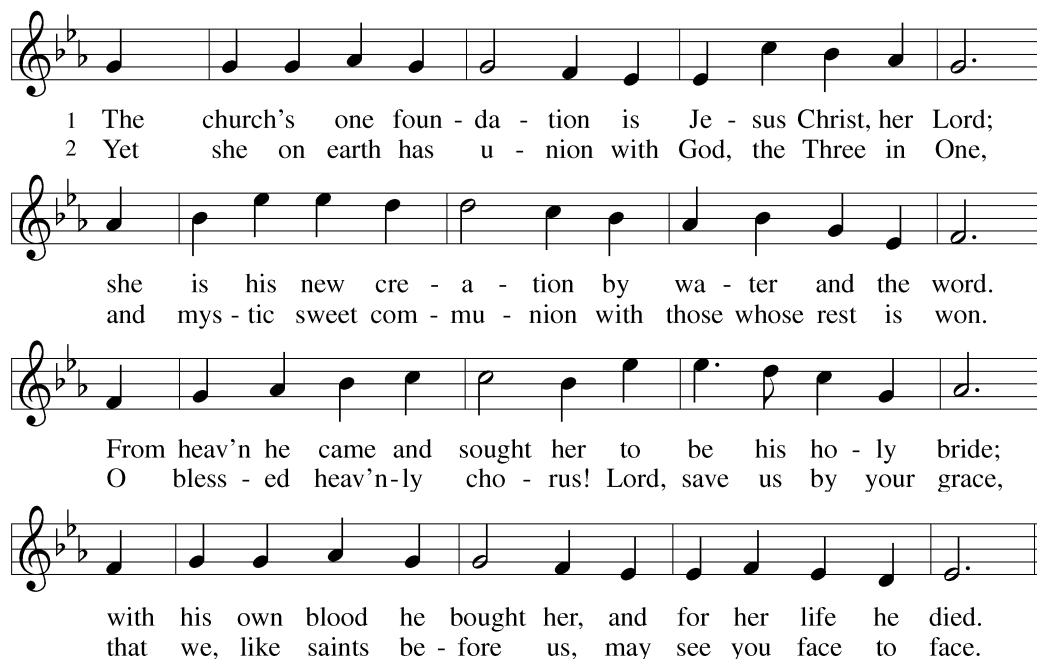
BENEDICTION

Leader: May the courage of the reformer inspire you,
May Christ's boundless love hold you,
And may the Spirit's wisdom guide you
So you may be a witness to justice, mercy, and hope in all the world.
In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

All Sing: **Amen.**

HYMN The Church's One Foundation

ELW #654



1 The church's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;
2 Yet she on earth has u - nion with God, the Three in One,
she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the word.
and mys - tic sweet com - mu - nion with those whose rest is won.
From heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;
O bless - ed heav'n-ly cho - rus! Lord, save us by your grace,
with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.
that we, like saints be - fore us, may see you face to face.

Text: Samuel J. Stone, 1839–1900

Music: AURELIA, Samuel S. Wesley, 1810–1876

DISMISSAL

Leader: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary

John Stanley / arr. Joshua Hauser

North Shore Brass: Graham Taylor, Lynn Erickson,
Chuck Hodgson, Peter Enblom, & Greg Sackreiter

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LEADING TODAY'S WORSHIP

Preacher: Pastor Mike Carlson
Assisting: Pastor Sarah Breckenridge
Pastor Amy Mihelich Smith

Music

North Shore Brass:
Graham Taylor, Lynn Erickson, Chuck Hodgson,
Peter Enblom, & Greg Sackreiter

Sara Renner and The Gathering Band (10:30am)
St. Andrew's Choir
Andy Haase, Music Director
Bill Chouinard, Organist

NEXT SUNDAY

Pastor Amy Mihelich Smith

God Speaks to Elijah
Scripture

1 Kings 19:1-18
Gospel: Matthew 28:20b

Music

Celebration Singers (9am)
Choristers (10:30am)
St. Andrew's Choir

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