

**SERVING TODAY:**

*Acolytes* – Avalee Seither  
Bobbi Gafner

*Liturgist* – Tristan Johnson

**9:30 Nursery (0 – 2 yrs.)** – Melissa Zaffino

**11:00 Nursery (0 – 5 yrs.)** – Melissa Zaffino

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*To know Christ and to make Him known!*

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**~ GRACE PRAISE TEAM ~**

**Pastor Bill, Cyril Jedor, Jan Moore, Cindy Price, Chris Ei,  
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**A Service of Worship for the Lord's Day**

**Sunday, May 25, 2025**

**8:30, 9:30, 11:00 AM**

**THE GREETING**

**PRELUDE**

**"In Memoriam"**

**~Wilson**

*Debbie Airgood, organ; Rebecca Miller, bells*

**† CALL TO WORSHIP**

(based on Psalm 121)

I lift my eyes up to the mountains, from where does my help come?

**My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.**  
We look not to the mountains or valleys, even heaven or earth,  
**For God is found among us.**

Wherever two or three are gathered in Christ's name,

**God is here among us.**

Come, let us worship the God of Creation, the God of People,  
the God of Community.

**Let us follow Jesus, for Jesus is The Way. Let  
us worship together in Spirit and in truth.**

†HYMN      “Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart”      vs. 1,3,5 No. 160

#### OPENING PRAYER

(from Augustine of Hippo)

Almighty and everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being, you created us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they find rest in you. Grant to us such piety of heart and strength of purpose that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, and no weakness from doing it. In your light may we see life clearly and in your service find perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

ANTHEM      “Just a Closer Walk With Thee”

*Grace Choir*

*In loving memory of Beverly Petersen by the Saeli Family*

#### PASTORAL PRAYER and 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. Amen.

†HYMN      “Glory Be to the Father”      No. 71

†HYMN      “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”      No. 400

SERIES      Now What?

SCRIPTURE

Romans 12:9-21

MESSAGE      “Love Must Be Sincere”

*Pastor Bill*

†HYMN      “Let There Be Peace on Earth”      No. 431

†BENEDICTION

†POSTLUDE      “Italian Hymn”  
*Debbie Airgood, organ*

~Travis

†GOING FORTH TO SERVE

Today’s altar flowers are given in honor of  
Skip’s birthday, Linda’s birthday, and  
their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 5<sup>th</sup>.

† Denotes stand if able