

DIVINE WORSHIP

Morning Service
May 18, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us into His Presence

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 100:1-3

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

All: Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

***Votum and Salutation**

***Invocation and Lord's Prayer**

Our Father which 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. 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 No. 248**

All Creatures of Our God and King

God Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading of the Law

Mark 12:29-31

Corporate Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father, do not let us be led astray. Remind us anew that the one who does what is right is righteous, just as our Lord Jesus is righteous. And remind us also that the one who continues in sin is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. Yet Christ came to destroy the works of the devil, and all who are born of God will not continue in sin, for your seed abides in them. Forgive us, O Lord, for the times we have resisted your Spirit and aligned ourselves with what is evil. Renew us in the power of the new life we have in Christ. By your Spirit, grant us true and living faith, and strengthen our wills to walk as children of your household. May your name be glorified in us for the marvelous transformation you work by grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 8:15-17

***Hymn No. 277**

Before the Throne of God Above

God Consecrates Us to His Service

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come 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.

***Gloria Patri No. 572**

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

***Sermon Text Pg. 894-895**

John 8:39-47

Sermon

Dr. Steven G. Simmons

He Said and They Said

God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

***Hymn No. 477**

By Grace I Am an Heir of Heaven

The Lord's Supper**

***Hymn No. 242**

Father, Long before Creation

***Benediction**

Ephesians 6:23-24

Peace be to the brothers, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.

***Doxology No. 567**

***Postlude**

**Please stand*

***The clear cups are wine, the tinted cups are grape juice*

DIVINE WORSHIP

Evening Service
May 18, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 105:1-4

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples! Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!

All: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice! Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!

***Votum and Salutation**

***Invocation**

***Psalm No. 81A**

Sing Aloud to God Our Strength

Catechesis Pg. 908 **Canons of Dort**, Third and Fourth Points, Article 11

Old Testament Reading Pg. 162

Deuteronomy 20:1-4

New Testament Reading Pg. 833

Matthew 26:47-56

***Hymn No. 176**

O Thou That Hear'st When Sinners Cry

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

***Sermon Text** Pg. 234-237

1 Samuel 13-14

Sermon

Pastor Drew Pressoir

Saul and Jonathan Call Upon God

***Psalm No. 20B**

The LORD in Your Distress Attend

***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.

***Postlude**

**Please stand*

SERMON NOTES

Morning Sermon: He Said and They Said—John 8:39-47

- I. They Said, They Were Abraham's Children. 39-40**
 - A. He Said Abrahams Children do His Works.
 - B. He Said Abrahams Children do His Works.
- II. They Said, We were not Born of immorality. 41-42**
 - A. He Said you were working for the Devil which proves you were born of the devil.
 - B. He Said you were born of this World and into the service of Satan.
- III. He Said, Why Don't you Understand what I have said. 43-44**
 - A. They Said, Because they could not bear to hear God's Word.
 - B. They Said, Because they loved to be just like their dad.
- IV. He Said, Your problem is that you are not of God. 45-47**
 - A. They Said, we find truth hateful and intolerable so we will not believe.
 - B. They Said, We will not hear God speak and we will not believe.

Evening Sermon: Saul and Jonathan Call Upon God—1 Sam. 13-14

Main Point: Christians Must Rightly Call Upon God

Kids Question: What was the Problem with Saul's Sacrifice?

Outline:

- I. Calling Upon God by Sinful Sacrifice (13:1-15)
- II. Calling Upon God in Battle (13:16-14:35)
- III. Calling Upon God for Judgment (14:36-52)

Applications:

- I. Calling Upon God in the Right Way
- II. Calling Upon God with the Right Attitude
- III. Calling Upon God for the Right Purpose