DIVINE WORSHIP

Morning Service

August 10, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us into His Presence

*Call to Worship

Psalm 96:9-10

Minister: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth! Say among the nations,

All: "The LORD reigns! Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity."

*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.

*Psalm No. 92A

It's Good to Thank the LORD

God Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading of the Law

Romans 13:8-10

Corporate Confession of Sin

Father in heaven, you are a majestic God who filled the earth with your glory. Who are we that you should be mindful of us? You made human beings a little lower than the angels, you crowned us with glory and honor, and you gave us dominion over the works of your hands. You commanded us to love you and to love others; yet we loved ourselves and used your good gifts to serve our own interests, disobeying your commands and neglecting your call to serve you and others. Forgive us our wrongs, Father God, and by the power of your Spirit, restore us to the purpose for which we were made, grow us in the glorious image of your most beloved Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray and by whose works we are forgiven. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Zechariah 8:11-13

*Psalm No. 1B

How Blest the Man

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. 826 Sermon Matthew 21:18-27 Pastor Drew Pressoir

By What Authority?

God Communes with Us and Puts His Blessing Upon Us

*Hymn No. 281

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

The Lord's Supper**

*Psalm No. 80B

Great Shepherd Who Leadest Thy People

*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.

*Doxology No. 567

*Postlude

*Please stand

**The clear cups are wine, the tinted cups are grape juice. We have gluten-free bread available for those who need it.

DIVINE WORSHIP

Evening Service

August 10, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Psalm 113:1-2

Minister: Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD!

All: Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore!

*Votum and Salutation

*Invocation

*Psalm No. 126B

When in His Might the Lord Arose

Catechesis Pg. 911 Canons of Dort, 3rd & 4th Points, Rejection of Errors VI

Old Testament Reading Pg. 756-757 New Testament Reading Pg. 975 Hosea 10 Galatians 6:7-9

*Hymn No. 506

Weary of Earth, and Laden with My Sin

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer for Illumination

*Sermon Text Pg. 252-253 Sermon 1 Samuel 31
Pastor Drew Pressoir

Saul's End

*Hymn No. 545

The Battle Is the Lord's

*Benediction

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

*Postlude

*Please stand

SERMON NOTES

Morning Sermon: By What Authority?—Matthew 21:18-27

Main Point: Christian Leaders Bear God's Authority Kids' Question: Why Does Jesus Curse the Fig Tree?

Outline:

- I. Authority Wielded by Faith (18-22)
- II. Authority Wasted by Fear (23-27)

Applications:

- I. Having the Faith to Use Authority
- II. Having the Courage to Use Authority

Evening Sermon: Saul's End—1 Samuel 31

Main Point: God Renders to All Their Due

Kids' Question: Why Did the Men of Jabesh-Gilead Take Saul's Body?

Outline:

- I. The Death of Saul (1-7)
- II. The Desecration and Delivery of Saul (8-13)

Applications:

- I. Reaping What You Sow
- II. Reaping What You Have Not Sown