

# Lord's Day Morning Worship Service

December 7, 2025; 11:00 a.m.

*When the music begins, please refrain from conversation and prepare for the worship service.*

*Greeting and Welcome; Announcements*

## Approaching God

▲ Call to Worship & Response                      **1 Chronicles 16:8–9**

Leader    Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name;  
              make known his deeds among the peoples!

People    **Sing to him, sing praises to him;  
              tell of all his wondrous works!**

▲ Salutation

▲ Doxology    **Trinity Hymnal 103 (vs. 4)**

**Holy Father, Holy Son,  
Holy Spirit, Three we name you;  
while in essence only One,  
undivided God we claim you,  
and adoring bend the knee,  
while we sing this mystery.**

▲ Prayer of Invocation

▲ *Sing to the Lord of Harvest*                      **Trinity Hymnal 716**

Reading of God's Law    (*Responsive*)

**Trinity Hymnal** (inside front cover)

Prayer of Confession  
Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Old Testament Scripture    **Esther 3:12–4:4**

Pastoral Prayer

## Giving Attention to God's Word

▲ *O Give the LORD Wholehearted...*    **Psalter Hymnal 111B**

New Testament Scripture    **Philippians 4:4–7**

Sermon    **PRAYING WITH THANKSGIVING    Phil. 4:4–7**

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1. The sin of worry pulls one away from Jesus
2. The nearness of God slays the sin of anxiety
3. The practice of thankful prayer brings peace

## Responding to God's Word

▲ *Wholehearted Thanksgiving*                      **Psalter Hymnal 9B**

▲ Confession of Faith    **Shorter Catechism, Q/A 98**

Leader: What is prayer?

**People: Prayer is an offering up  
of our desires unto God,  
for things agreeable to his will,  
in the name of Christ,  
with confession of our sins, and  
thankful acknowledgment of his mercies.**

▲ *Gloria Patri*    **Trinity Hymnal 735**

Giving & Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

▲ Benediction    **Numbers 6:24–26**

▲ Doxology    **Trinity Hymnal 218 (vs. 5)**

**All creation, join in praising,  
God the Father, Spirit, Son;  
evermore your voices raising  
To th'eternal Three in One:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
worship Christ, the newborn King.**

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## Next Lord's Day (AM Pastor Mitch; PM Pastor Tom)

Morning Sermon    THE FULLNESS OF TIME    (Matthew 1:18–25)

Evening Sermon    AN ACCEPTABLE SACRIFICE    (Leviticus 7:1–10)

▲ *Indicates standing, as able.*

*Scripture quotations are from the English Standard Version (ESV)*