

The Lord's Day Worship

May 17, 2026

Let us offer to God acceptable worship,
with reverence and awe (Hebrews 12:28).

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rod Walls

SILENCE FOR PREPARATION

CALL TO WORSHIP *

Psalm 24:9-10

Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory?
The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!

INVOCATION *

HYMN # 23 *

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Elias Perricone Ocegüera

Father, by the power of your Holy Spirit, **open our eyes, that we may see wonderful things in your law**; through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 16 (page 535 in the pew Bible)
New Testament Reading: John 20:1-29 (pew Bible p. 1078)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Don Shoemaker

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Jeremiah 31:33-34

For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people. And no longer shall each one teach his neighbor and each his brother, saying, 'Know the LORD,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the LORD. For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.

* *Congregation please stand.*

CONFESSION OF FAITH

The Nicene Creed

WE BELIEVE in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

WE BELIEVE in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father; God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God; begotten, not made, of the same essence as the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

WE BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life; who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN # 307

Christ Arose!

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

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HYMN # 212 *

Glorious Day

OFFERTORY PRAYER *

Zack Brandenburg

SERMON

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That You May Believe
John 20:30-31 (pew Bible p. 1078)

THE LORD'S SUPPER (see bulletin insert)

HYMN # 438 *

Benediction

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