

# **The Lord's Day, January 25, 2026**

## **10:30 AM Morning Service**

*He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you  
but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?*  
*Micah 6:8*

### **Prelude**

### **Welcome and Announcements**

### **The Voluntary for Silent Prayer**

### **\*Call to Worship: Psalm 95:1-6**

Minister: Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**People: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!**

Minister: For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

**People: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.**

**Unison: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!**

### **\*Hymn of Adoration: "Come, Thou Almighty King" (No. 101)**

1 Come, thou Almighty King,  
help us thy name to sing,  
help us to praise.  
Father, all glorious,  
o'er all victorious,  
come and reign over us,  
Ancient of Days.

2 Come, thou Incarnate Word,  
gird on thy mighty sword,  
our prayer attend.  
Come, and thy people bless,  
and give thy Word success;  
Spirit of holiness,  
on us descend.

3 Come, Holy Comforter,  
thy sacred witness bear  
in this glad hour.  
Thou who almighty art,  
now rule in every heart,  
and ne'er from us depart,  
Spirit of pow'r.

4 To the great One in Three  
eternal praises be,  
hence evermore.  
His sovereign majesty  
may we in glory see,  
and to eternity  
love and adore.

**\*Prayer of Adoration and Congregational Invocation**

O Fountain of All Good, nothing exceeds your power. Nothing is too great for you to do. Nothing is too good for you to give. Infinite is your might, boundless your love, limitless your grace, glorious your saving name. We praise you for sinners repenting, prodigals restored, backsliders reclaimed, Satan's captives released, blind eyes opened, broken hearts healed, the despondent cheered, the self-righteous stripped, the ignorant enlightened, and saints built up in their holy faith. We ask great things of a great God. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

Adapted from "The Great God" in *The Valley of Vision*

**\*Affirmation of Faith (Heidelberg Catechism 99)**

Minister: What is required in the third commandment, "You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain?"

People: We are not to blaspheme or to abuse the name of God by cursing, perjury, or unnecessary oaths, nor to share in such horrible sins by being silent bystanders. Rather, we must use the holy name of God only with fear and reverence, so that we may rightly confess him, call upon him, and praise him in all our words and works.

**\*Gloria (Tune: "Gloria Patri, Creatorex")**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen, amen.

**Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 10:12-21**

**Hymn of Preparation: "O Jehovah, Hear My Words" (No. 51)**

1 O Jehovah, hear my words,  
to my thoughts attentive be;  
hear my cry, my King, my God,  
I will make my prayer to thee.  
With the morning light, O Lord,  
thou shalt hear my voice arise,  
and expectant I will bring  
prayer as morning sacrifice.

2 Thou, Jehovah, art a God  
who delightest not in sin;  
evil shall not dwell with thee,  
nor the proud thy favor win.  
Evil-doers thou dost hate,  
lying tongues thou wilt defeat;  
God abhors the man who loves  
violence and base deceit.

3 In the fulness of thy grace  
to thy house I will repair;  
bowing toward thy holy place,  
in thy fear to worship there.  
Lead me in thy righteousness,  
let my foes assail in vain;  
lest my feet be turned aside,  
make thy way before me plain.

4 False and faithless are my foes,  
in their mouth no truth is found;  
deadly are the words they speak,  
all their thoughts with sin abound.  
Bring, O God, their plans to naught,  
hold them guilty in thy sight,  
for against thee and thy law  
they have set themselves to fight.

5 O let all that trust thy care  
ever glad and joyful be;  
let them joy who love thy name,  
safely guarded, Lord, by thee.  
For a blessing from thy store  
to the righteous thou wilt yield;  
thou wilt compass him about  
with thy favor as a shield.

#### **The Prayers of Intercession**

**Unison:** Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.

**Minister:** Father, we pray for your people throughout the world; for our denomination; for this church; and for all ministers and missionaries. We pray especially for the staff of The Women's Refuge and of Care Net; and for Amjad and Sarah in England, the Lees with RUF, Mike Osborne with Standing Stone Ministries, and the Mugaris in Zimbabwe.

**People:** We pray for the leaders of our nation and all who hold authority, that they would govern according to your truth, and especially that they would resolve to protect the lives of the unborn and defenseless.

**Minister:** We pray for the world, especially that you would bring peace and justice and deliverance to nations and peoples oppressed by war, by disaster, by tyranny, and by evil. We pray for our brothers and sisters in these places as they offer the hope of the gospel of Jesus Christ amid great danger and opposition.

**Unison** Lord, hear our prayer.

#### **Silent Prayer**

#### **Pastoral Prayer**

## **Words of Assurance**

Minister: I love the Lord, because he has heard my voice and my pleas for mercy. Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

**People: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!**

### **\*Hymn of Response: "Searcher of Hearts, from Mine Erase" (No. 536, Tune: "Dundee")**

1 Searcher of hearts, from mine erase,  
all thoughts that should not be,  
and in its deep recesses trace  
my gratitude to thee.

2 Hearer of prayer, O guide aright  
each word and deed of mine;  
life's battle teach me how to fight,  
and be the vict'ry thine.

3 Giver of all - for ev'ry good  
in the Redeemer came -  
for raiment, shelter, and for food,  
I thank thee in his name.

4 Father and Son and Holy Ghost,  
thou glorious Three in One,  
thou knowest best what I need most,  
and let thy will be done.

## **Worship of God through Tithes and Offerings**

### **\*Doxology (Tune: "Old Hundredth")**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### **\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication**

### **\*Reading of The Holy Scriptures: Matthew 23:13-24**

Minister: This is the Word of God.

**Unison: Thanks be to God for his Word!**

### **\*The Prayer for Illumination**

### **Sermon: "The Seven Woes: Part One" (Rev. Seth Wallace)**

### **\*Hymn of Response: "Take My Life" (No. 585)**

1 Take my life, and let it be  
consecrated, Lord, to thee.  
Take my moments and my days;  
let them flow in ceaseless praise,  
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

2 Take my hands, and let them move  
at the impulse of thy love.  
Take my feet, and let them be  
swift and beautiful for thee,  
swift and beautiful for thee.

3 Take my voice, and let me sing,  
always, only, for my King.  
Take my lips, and let them be  
filled with messages from thee,  
filled with messages from thee.

4 Take my silver and my gold;  
not a mite would I withhold.  
Take my intellect, and use  
ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose,  
ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will, and make it thine;  
it shall be no longer mine.  
Take my heart, it is thine own;  
it shall be thy royal throne,  
it shall be thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour  
at thy feet its treasure store.  
Take my self, and I will be  
ever, only, all for thee,  
ever, only, all for thee.

#### **\*The Benediction**

#### **Postlude**

*\*Denotes congregation standing, if able.*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Carpet Installation**

This week new carpet will be installed in the sanctuary. Please consider staying after the morning service today to remove all the chairs. We will also need help on Saturday, January 31, to put the chairs back.

#### **Women's Bible Study Canceled this Week**

Women's Bible Study, scheduled for Thursday, January 29, is canceled due to the carpet installation in the classroom. We will resume meeting on February 5 and will discuss lesson three, "The Tests of Righteousness and Love."

#### **Men's Fellowship Time**

Men's Fellowship Time is every Wednesday at 7:00 AM at Nettie's Roadside Restaurant, (2555 27th Ave Suite G-6 in Vero Beach).

#### **Supporting Care Net**

January is Sanctity of Life month. We invite you to support the work of Care Net by donating diapers (size 3, 4, & 5) and wipes. You may place donations in the pack-n-play in the narthex. Your donations are a true blessing to the clients. Thank you!