

The Lord's Day, September 27, 2026
10:30 AM Morning Service

*"Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory!"*
Isaiah 6:3

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

The Voluntary for Silent Prayer

*We worship you Almighty God ;
in you alone is our delight.
We worship you, O holy God,
and lift our voice to sing your praise.
Hallelujah!*

***Call to Worship: Psalm 77:11-14**

Minister: I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I will remember your wonders of old. I will ponder all your work, and meditate on your mighty deeds.

People: Your way, O God, is holy. What god is great like our God?

Minister: You are the God who works wonders; you have made known your might among the peoples.

Unison: Come, let us praise our God!

***Hymn of Adoration: "Holy, Holy, Holy" (TH No. 100, verse 4 a cappella)**

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
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***Prayer of Adoration and Congregational Prayer**

Lord God, we praise you and give you thanks, for your word is right and true, and you are faithful and just in all you do. By your word the heavens were made. You spoke, and all things came to be. You foil the plans of the nations and thwart the purposes of the wicked, but your plans stand firm forever and the purposes of your heart through all generations. Therefore, we trust in you alone and hope in your unfailing love. You are our help and our shield. In you our hearts rejoice, and we trust in your holy name. Amen.

From Psalm 33

***Confession of Faith (Heidelberg Catechism 122)**

Minister: What is the first petition of the Lord's Prayer?

People: *Hallowed be your name.* That is: Grant us first of all that we may rightly know you, and sanctify, glorify, and praise you in all your works, in which shine forth your almighty power, wisdom, goodness, righteousness, mercy, and truth. Grant us also that we may so direct our whole life—our thoughts, words, and actions—that your name is not blasphemed because of us but always honored and praised.

All: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all this is within me, bless his holy name!

***Gloria Patri (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: Exodus 33:18-34:10, 27-35

Hymn of Preparation: "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" (TH No. 508)

1 Jesus, lover of my soul,
let me to thy bosom fly,
while the nearer waters roll,
while the tempest still is high:
hide me, O my Savior, hide,
till the storm of life is past;
safe into the haven guide,
O receive my soul at last!

2 Other refuge have I none,
hangs my helpless soul on thee;
leave, ah! leave me not alone,
still support and comfort me!
All my trust on thee is stayed,
all my help from thee I bring;
cover my defenseless head
with the shadow of thy wing.

3 Thou, O Christ, art all I want;
more than all in thee I find:
raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is thy name;
I am all unrighteousness;
false and full of sin I am,
thou art full of truth and grace.

4 Plenteous grace with thee is found,
grace to cover all my sin;
let the healing streams abound;
make and keep me pure within:
thou of life the fountain art,
freely let me take of thee;
spring thou up within my heart,
rise to all eternity.

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 ministries we support financially: the staff of The Women's Refuge and of Care Net; and for Amjad and Sarah in England, the Mugaris in Zimbabwe, the Bersachs in Colombia, the Lees and Slaters with RUF, and Mike Osborne with Standing Stone Ministries.

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 the 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.

People: We pray for our children and future generations which will be born to them. May the knowledge of you, Lord, fill the earth through them.

Minister: May we have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Unison: Lord, hear our prayer.

Pastoral Prayer

Words of Encouragement

Minister: The Lord upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are bowed down. The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing. The Lord is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works. The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfills the desire of those who fear him; he also hears their cry and saves them.

(Psalm 145:14-19)

People: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving: "The Lord Has Heard and Answered Prayer" (TH No. 29)**

1 The Lord has heard and answered prayer
and saved his people in distress;
this to the coming age declare,
that they his holy name may bless.

2 The Lord, exalted on his throne,
looked down from heav'n with pitying eye
to still the lowly captive's moan
and save his people doomed to die.

3 All men in Zion shall declare
his gracious name with one accord,
when kings and nations gather there
to serve and worship God the Lord.

4 The earth and heav'ns shall pass away,
like vesture worn and laid aside,
but changeless you shall live alway,
your years forever shall abide.

5 You, O Jehovah, shall endure,
your throne forever is the same;
and to all generations sure
shall be your great memorial name.

Worship of God through Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology (Tune: "Lasst Uns Erfreuen")**

Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, three in one.
O praise him, O praise him,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

***Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication**

Reading of The Holy Scriptures: 2 Corinthians 3:1-18

Minister: This is the Word of God.

Unison: Thanks be to God for his Word!

The Prayer for Illumination

Sermon: "With Unveiled Face" (Dr. Ben Shaw)

***Hymn of Response: "From All That Dwell below the Skies" (TH No. 7)"**

1 From all that dwell below the skies
let the Creator's praise arise;
let the Redeemer's name be sung
through every land, by every tongue.

2 In every land begin the song;
to every land the strains belong.
In cheerful sound all voices raise
and fill the world with joyful praise.

3 Eternal are your mercies, Lord;
eternal truth attends your word.
Your praise shall sound from shore to shore
till suns rise and set no more.

***The Benediction**

Postlude

**Denotes congregational standing, if able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Men's Sausage & Pancake Breakfast

Hey Guys, mark your calendars for **October 3 at 8:00 AM** for the CTK Sausage and Pancake breakfast. Dads, invite your fathers and bring your boys. Guests are welcome! Come and enjoy the fellowship and hear a testimonial. Hope to see you there!

Congregational Meeting

On **October 4** after the morning service, we will hold a congregational meeting to vote on the Session's recommendation to elect deacons: Roger Cocking, Glen Deal, Sonny Long, Victor Ramos, and Owen Viersma.

Prayer for the Persecuted Church

You are invited to join in a time of prayer for our persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ around the world. We will meet on Friday, **October 9, at 10:00 AM** at the church.

Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study meets on **Thursdays at 10:00 AM** at the church. We are studying *The Wisdom of God: Seeing Jesus in the Psalms and Wisdom Books*, by Nancy Guthrie.

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.

Online Giving Available

If you would like to give online, please scan the QR Code below. You will have the option to give to the general fund or the benevolence fund. In addition, you can make a one-time donation or set up a recurring donation.



Operation Christmas Child

You are invited, once again, to participate in Samaritan's Purse Shoebox Drive. Be a part of bringing great Christmas joy to children throughout the world. Information about suggested gifts, prohibited items, packing options, and shipping cost is available in the narthex. Our goal this year is 160 boxes, an increase of 8 over last year. The last day to return the shoeboxes is November 15. If you prefer to have someone else shop for you, please see Audrey Blanzole. She will add your donation to those made by the women in Bible study and will order items in bulk. Last year the women generously contributed and filled 42 boxes. If you have a particular age group you would like her to shop for, please complete the form that may be found on the shoebox table in the narthex and attach the amount you wish to spend to the form.

Thank you, in advance, for participating. Many of these boys and girls have never received a gift and have never heard of the true meaning of Christmas until they open their shoeboxes.