

Today

9 AM - **Elders' Prayer time.** Everyone welcome.

9:30 AM - **Church School**

* Adults - Study of *1st John* located in the fellowship hall.

* Middle & High School - Study on *The Masculine Mandate* by Richard Phillips taught by Pastor Josh.

* Preschool and Younger Elementary - *Pleasing God*, located above the fellowship hall.

10:45 AM - **Worship Service & Fellowship Meal** following the service

This Week

Sunday, Corporate Prayer Meeting, 5:30 PM

Tuesday, Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 AM

Monthly

1st Sunday, Communion Service

3rd Sunday, Communion Service, followed by a fellowship meal

Announcements

Saturday, October 5th | Pastor Josh will begin a men's study discussing Sinclair Ferguson's book, *Maturity: Growing Up and Going On in the Christian Life*. This study will be held at Panera Bread in Roosevelt Square from 7:30-9:00 on Saturday mornings. Books will be available at discount soon.

Please join us for our **Fellowship Meal** after the worship service.

Sermon Title: *Servants and Saints*

Text: Philippians 1:1-2

Main Point: Our Lord has given his saints gracious and merciful instruction through His commissioned servants.

1) The Lord Gives through His Servants (v.1)

2) The Lord Gives to His Saints (v.2)

Welcome Visitors!

We are delighted to have you worship with us. May we heartily worship and praise God together in a manner both pleasing to Him and edifying to you. If you would like more information about our church or have another need, please speak with our pastor or an elder.

We Affirm The "Solas" Of The Protestant Reformation

Sola Scriptura: The Bible is the sole written divine revelation and alone can bind the conscience of believers absolutely.

Sola Fide: Justification is by faith alone. The merit of Christ imputed to us by faith is the sole ground of our acceptance by God, by which our sins are remitted.

Solus Christus: Christ is the only mediator through Whose work we are redeemed.

Sola Gratia: Our salvation rests solely on the work of God's grace for us.

Soli Deo Gloria: To God alone belongs the glory.

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For the word of God and the testimony of Jesus Christ...
Revelation 1:9



God Prepares Us to Worship Him

Meditation and Preparation: *Almighty and everlasting God, give to us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which you promise, make us to love that which you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Welcome and Announcements

Musical Prelude

God Calls Us to Adore Him

***Call To Worship:** (responsively) Psalm 89:5–7

Let the heavens praise your wonders, O LORD,

your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!

For who in the skies can be compared to the LORD?

Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD,

a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones,

and awesome above all who are around him?

***Salutation:** from 1 Corinthians 1:2–3

To the church of God..., to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

***Hymn of Praise:** *When Morning Guilds the Skies*, st. 1-6 #167

***Prayer of Invocation:** (followed by the Lord's Prayer)

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, forever.

Amen.

***Confessing the Faith:** (responsively): 1 Timothy 3:16

Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness:

He was manifested in the flesh,

vindicated by the Spirit,

seen by angels,

proclaimed among the nations,

believed on in the world,

taken up in glory.

***Praise to the Triune God:**

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.

God Reveals His Holy Will

Reading of the Law: Ephesians 5:1–5

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

But sexual immorality and all impurity or covetousness must not even be named among you, as is proper among saints. Let there be no filthiness nor foolish talk nor crude joking, which are out of place, but instead let there be thanksgiving. For you may be sure of this, that everyone who is sexually immoral or impure, or who is covetous (that is, an idolater), has no inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God.

Silent Confession of Sin

God Cleanses Us In Christ

Assurance of Pardon: Galatians 3:13–14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree"—so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving:** *And Can It Be That I Should Gain*, st. 1-5

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Giving of Tithes and Offerings: 2 Corinthians 9:6–7

The point is this: whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

God Consecrates Us Through His Word

Psalm of the Month: Psalm 67, O God, Show Mercy to Us,

st. 1-2 67C

The Word of God: Acts 16:11-40

(Pew Bible, pg. 925)

Pastoral Prayer

***Scripture:** Philippians 1:1-2

(Pew Bible, pg. 980)

Sermon: *Servants and Saints*,

Rev. Josh Hinson

God Blesses and Commissions Us

***Hymn of Application:** *For All the Saints*, st. 1-6

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***Benediction**

***Musical Postlude**

Psalm 67

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O God, Show Mercy to Us

Tune: THAXTED ("O God Beyond All Praising")

O God, show mercy to us, and bless us with your grace;
And cause to shine upon us the brightness of your face;
So that the whole world over may truly know your way,

And so that your salvation all nations see displayed.
O God, let peoples praise you; Let all the peoples praise.
Let nations come rejoicing and songs of gladness raise.

For you will judge the peoples with perfect equity;

To nations of the whole earth a governor you'll be.

O God, let peoples praise you; Let all the peoples praise.
The earth has brought its bounty throughout its harvest days.
Since God, our God, will bless us. Yes, God will blessing send,
That all the earth may fear him to its remotest end.

