

Announcements

9:30 AM - Sunday School
*Adults- “Crisis of Confidence” by Carl Trueman - meeting in fellowship hall.
*Younger Girls- “Loving Jesus” - meeting above the fellowship hall.
*Younger Boys - “Catechism Club” - meeting in the nursery.
* Youth - “Proverbs” - meeting in RE Morris’ office
10:45 AM - **Worship & Communion Service.**
5:00pm - **Prayer Meeting** (fellowship hall)
5:30pm - **Evening Worship**
Carols & Cocoa- Following Evening Worship
Christmas Eve Service of Lessons & Carols - December 24th at 5:30pm

Morning Sermon Title: *The King Is Born*
Text: Luke 2:1-21

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.

The Pastor, Elders and Deacons

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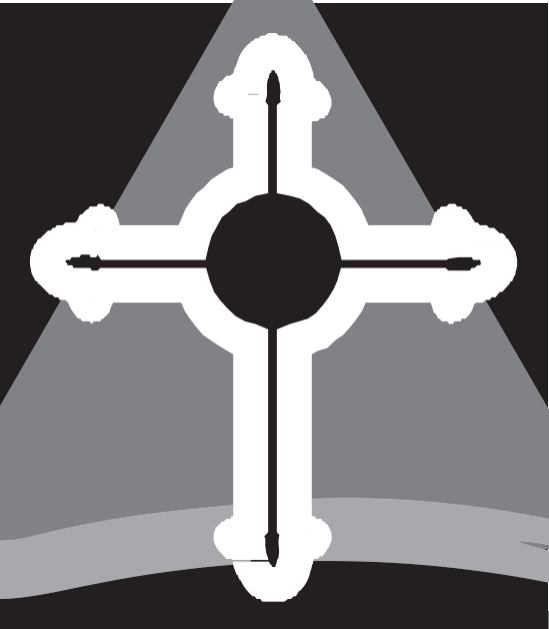
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Revelation 1:9



Lord’s Day Morning Worship

God Prepares Us to Worship Him

Meditation and Preparation:

O Lord, who has given us cause for perpetual joy by the coming of your Son our Savior among us; Raise up your power, we pray, and possess us with a mighty sense of your wonderful love; that whereas through the cares of this life we are sorely impeded and hindered in running the race that is set before us, we may be anxious for nothing, but thankfully commending ourselves in everything to your bountiful grace and mercy, the peace of you our God, which passes all understanding, may keep our hearts and minds; through the satisfaction of your Son our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Musical Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us to Adore Him

* **Call To Worship** (responsive): Luke 1:32-33 (ESV)
He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High.
And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David,
and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever,
and of his kingdom there will be no end.

* **Salutation:** Philippians 1:2
Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

* **Hymn of Praise:** *O Come, All Ye Faithful*, st. 1-4, #319

* **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** (unison): The Apostles’ Creed, pg. 851 TPH

* **Praise to the Triune God:**
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below:
 alleluia, alleluia!
Praise him above, ye heav’nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

God Reveals His Holy Will

Reading of the Law: Matthew 22:35-40

Corporate Confession of Sin:

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; according to your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful Father, for his sake; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of your holy name. Amen. (Book of Common Prayer, 1552).

Silent Confession of Sin

God Cleanses Us In Christ

Assurance of Pardon: 1 Timothy 1:15
The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost.

* **Hymn of Thanksgiving:** *Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come*, st. 1-4, #299

Giving of Tithes and Offerings: Proverbs 3:9-10
*Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce;
then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.*

God Consecrates Us Through His Word

Psalm of the Month: Psalm 98, *Sing a New Song to Jehovah*, st. 1-3, #98C

The Word of God: Micah 5:1-5a (Pew Bible, pg. 778)

Pastoral Prayer

* **Scripture:** Luke 2:1-21 (Pew Bible, pg. 857)

Sermon: *The King Is Born*, Pastor Josh Hinson

God Communes with Us in the Sacrament

* **Communion Hymn:** *All Praise to You, Eternal Lord*, st. 1-3, #303

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

God Blesses and Commissions Us

* **Hymn of Application:** *All Praise to You Eternal Lord*, st. 4-5, #303

*Benediction

*Musical Postlude

Evening Worship

Musical Prelude

Meditation and Preparation:

Almighty and everlasting God, who hates nothing that you have made, and forgives the sins of all those that are penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts; that we, truly lamenting our sins, with unfeigned sorrow and abhorrence, and acknowledging our wretchedness with sincere resolution of amendment of life, may obtain from you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* **Call to Worship:** Zephaniah 2:3 (ESV)
*Seek the LORD, all you humble of the land, who do his just commands;
seek righteousness; seek humility; perhaps you may be hidden on the day of the anger of the LORD.*

*Prayer of Invocation

* **Hymn:** *O Word of God Incarnate*, (st. 1-4), #171

The Word of God: 2 Peter 3:1-13 (Pew Bible, pg. 1,019)

Prayer for Illumination

* **Scripture:** Zephaniah 3:1-8 (Pew Bible, pg. 789)

Sermon: *Wait*, RE Kevin Morris

Prayer of Application

* **Evening Psalm:** *For God Alone My Soul Awaits*, st. 1-4, #62B
(Tune: ALL SAINTS NEW)

*Benediction

*Musical Postlude



* Congregation standing, all who are able