

Announcements

10:45 AM: Morning Worship Service.
5:00 PM. No Evening Prayer Meeting or Worship tonight.
Sunday School Kickoff Breakfast: Sunday August 30th at 9:30 AM.
Sunday School Classes: will begin on September 6th at 9:30 AM.
Men's Study: August 29th at 7:30 AM.
Jumbo Shrimp Game: September 12th at 6:30 PM.
Congregational Nominations for the Offices of Elder and Deacon are open for the next several weeks.

Musician: Carlos Rivera
Nursery Provided

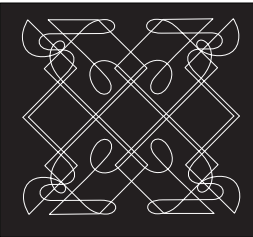
Sermon Title: Taste and See
Text: Psalm 34:1-22

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.
We'd love the opportunity to get to know you.
Please use the QR code to fill out a Connect Card as a record of your visit with us. Thank you!



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At Ortega, we believe the Bible calls us to prioritize the *ordinary means* whereby God communicates His *grace* to us, empowering us to love Him and equipping us to live for His glory. These means are ordinary and simple, but they have an extraordinary and profound impact on our lives. God communicates His grace to us in a variety of ways, but especially in the following three as we gather for worship:

- The Preaching of the Word of God
- Corporate Prayer
- The Sacraments: Baptism & the Lord's Supper

The Pastor, Elders and Deacons

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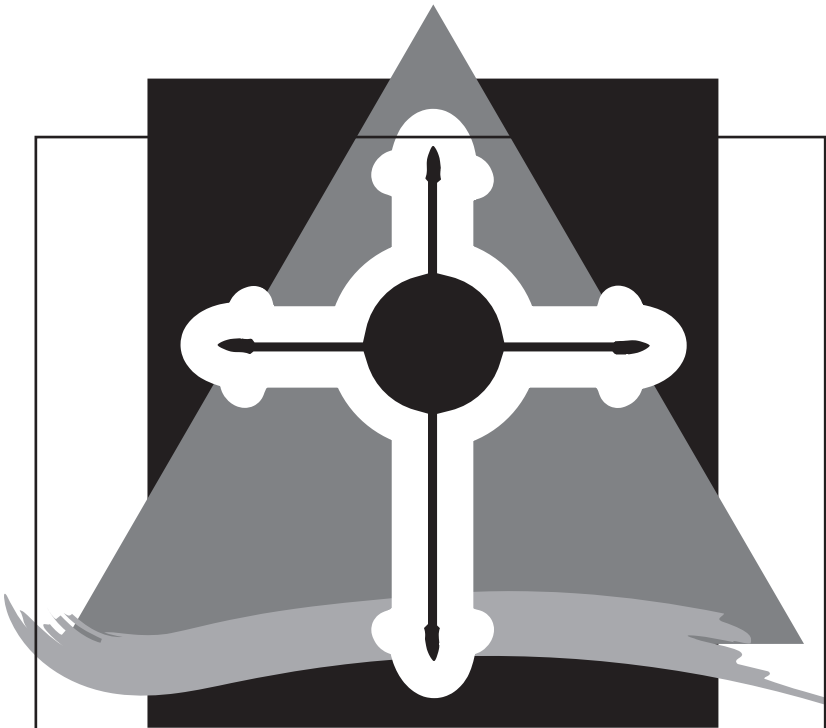
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Lord's Day Worship
August 23, 2026
For the word of God and the testimony of Jesus Christ...
Revelation 1:9



Meditation and Preparation: Almighty and merciful God, of whose gift alone it comes that Your faithful people do unto You true and laudable service; Grant, we beseech You, that we may so faithfully serve You in this life, that we do not fail finally to attain Your heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

God Calls Us to Adore Him

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

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

***Confessing the Faith:** (responsive): Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1,
Trinity Psalter Hymnal, pg. 872



Call to Confess Our Sins: Psalm 25:7, 11, 18

Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of your goodness, O LORD!; For your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great; Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

Silent Confession of Sin

God Cleanses Us In Christ

Assurance of Pardon: 1 John 1:8-9 (ESV)

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Exhortation to New Obedience: 1 Corinthians 15:58 (ESV)

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving:** *Fairest Lord Jesus*, st. 1-4 #283

Giving of Tithes and Offerings: 2 Corinthians 9:6-7 (ESV)

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

Hymn of Preparation: *Be Still, My Soul*, st. 1-4 #532

The Word of God: Mark 11:20-33 (Pew Bible, pg. 847)

Pastoral Prayer

***Scripture:** Psalm 34:1-22 (Pew Bible, pg. 463)
Sermon: *Taste and See* Pastor Josh Hinson

God Blesses and Commissions Us

***Psalm of Application:** *The LORD I Will at All Times Bless*, st. 1-6, #34B
(Tune: FINLANDIA)

*Benediction

***Doxology:**

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.

*Musical Postlude



I will bless the LORD at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
2 My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
let the humble hear and be glad.
3 Oh, magnify the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his name together!
4 I sought the LORD, and he answered me
and delivered me from all my fears.
5 Those who look to him are radiant,
and their faces shall never be ashamed.
6 This poor man cried, and the LORD heard him
and saved him out of all his troubles.
7 The angel of the LORD encamps
around those who fear him, and delivers them.
8 Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!
Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!
9 Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,
for those who fear him have no lack!
10 The young lions suffer want and hunger;
but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.
11 Come, O children, listen to me;
I will teach you the fear of the LORD.
12 What man is there who desires life
and loves many days, that he may see good?
13 Keep your tongue from evil
and your lips from speaking deceit.
14 Turn away from evil and do good;
seek peace and pursue it.
15 The eyes of the LORD are toward the righteous
and his ears toward their cry.
16 The face of the LORD is against those who do evil,
to cut off the memory of them from the earth.
17 When the righteous cry for help, the LORD hears
and delivers them out of all their troubles.
18 The LORD is near to the brokenhearted
and saves the crushed in spirit.
19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous,
but the LORD delivers him out of them all.
20 He keeps all his bones;
not one of them is broken.
21 Affliction will slay the wicked,
and those who hate the righteous will be condemned.
22 The LORD redeems the life of his servants;
none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

Psalm 34