

November 16, 2025

Call to Worship (Hymn #387) "The Lord is in His Holy Temple"
Greeting/Announcements/Scripture Reader:
Prelude: (arr: Mark Hayes) "Be Still and Know"

*Hymn: "Sanctuary" (x2) Hymn# 482

*Silent Confession of Sin

*Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 53:10

¹⁰ Yet it was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer, and though the Lord makes his life an offering for sin, he will see his offspring and prolong his days, and the will of the Lord will prosper in his hand.

In the name of the risen Christ, we are forgiven!

*The Gloria Patri
Walks with Jesus
First Scripture: Isaiah 12

Hymnal # 734
Rev. John McCarthy
Pew Bible #674

Anthem: (Hymn #523) “Soon and Very Soon” Choir

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 65:17-25 Pew Bible #728

Sermon: “New Heavens and New Earth” Rev. John McCarthy

Prayer

*Apostles' Creed Hymnal – Inside Front Cover
 *Hymn: “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less” Hymn #405
 *Charge and Blessing
 * Postlude
 *Congregation Standing

Ushers – serving today Kim Wickemeyer at the North Door and Sandi Hughes* at the South Door. Acolyte today is Liam McCarthy. Audio is Robin Hall.

- Hanging the Greens – Thursday, December 4 at 5:30 pm
- Annual Christmas Cantata – Sunday, December 7 during worship
- Annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – December 24 at 5pm

<u>Calendar</u>	
Sunday, November 16	9:45 am - Sunday School 10:30 am - Fellowship 11:00 am – Worship
Wednesday, November 19	10:30 am – Women’s Bible Study 12:00 noon - AA 6:00 pm - Choir 6:00 pm - NA
Thursday, November 20	7:00 pm - AA
Friday, November 21	Office Closed 12 noon – AA

Church Staff
 Rev. John McCarthy - Pastor
 Sherolyn Barnett, Office Manager
 Jim Luedtke, Church Musician
 Sue Wilkins, Church Treasurer

Session
 Rev. John McCarthy – Moderator
 Don Cherry – Clerk of Session

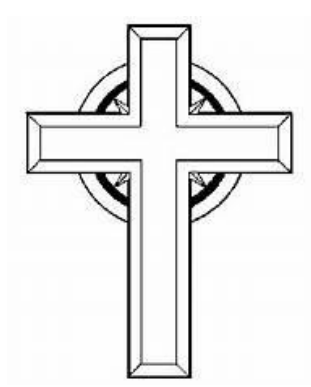
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"Growing God's Presence"
Foundational Principles
Christ Centered~Biblically Based~
Spirit Led~Grounded in Faith and Love
Values
Committed~Servant Heart~
Nurturing~Welcoming~Visioning

No nursery will be provided at this time.
 Children’s Church (Jesus Squad) meets during Sunday School time
 5 cents-a-meal Offering collected the third Sunday of each month.
 Worship every Sunday at 11:00 am; Sunday School is at 9:30 am.
 Fellowship at 10:15 am. **Internet: 1stPres: Romans3:24**

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