



Sunday, October 26, 2025

Reformation Sunday

10:00 a.m.



“Pulpit Clock”

Pastor Erik Allen

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

“A Mighty Fortress”

John Behnke

Announcements

Gathering Song

Show Us the Ancient Paths

Call to Worship

P: They shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord, for I will forgive their iniquity and remember their sin no more.

C: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

P: There is no distinction, since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; they are now justified by grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus.

C: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

P: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

C: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always!

C: And also with you.

(pass the peace as you feel comfortable)

Song

Speak O Lord

Call to Confession

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, our maker, our helper, and our keeper.

C: Amen.

P: Trusting in God's mercy, let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(Silence is kept for reflection.)

P: God of overflowing grace,

C: We come to you with repentant hearts. Forgive us for shallow thankfulness. Forgive us for passing by the ones in need. Forgive us for setting our hopes on fleeting treasures. Forgive us our neglect and thoughtlessness. Bring us home from the wilderness of sin, and strengthen us to serve you in all that we do and say; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: There is joy in heaven over every Sinner who repents. By the grace of God in ✠ Christ Jesus, Who gave himself up for us all, your sins are forgiven and you are made free. Rejoice and let your light shine now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

Prayer of the Day

P: Almighty God, we pray for your holy catholic church. Fill it with all truth and peace. Where it is corrupt, purify it; where it is in error, direct it; where in anything it is amiss, reform it; where it is right, strengthen it; where it is in need, provide for it; where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

please be seated

Lesson Romans 3:19-28

Gospel John 8:31-36

Children's Message Pastor Erik

Sermon "Pulpit Clock" Pastor Erik

Hymn A Mighty Fortress Is Our God ELW 504

The Apostles' Creed

please be seated

The Offering

Offering Music We Are and Offering

Offertory Prayer

P: Lord of the harvest, we return to you a portion of what you have given to us. Turn us to set our hope not on the uncertainty of riches, but on you, who richly provides for us. Multiply what we have gathered to bless all who are suffering and in need, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

Prayers of the Church *(the congregation joins in speaking the first names of those for whom we pray.)*

Members: Robin, Marion, Kelly, Jeff, Lee, John & Marj, Vickie

Family & Friends: Ken, Dana, Marie, Debbie, Diane, Brenda, Kate, Wendy,
Kathy, Mary, Carol, Susan, Bob

Communion

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours, now and forever. Amen!

please be seated

Distribution

All baptized Christians who seek the blessings of Christ's true body and blood in the bread and wine of Holy Communion are welcome. Those who do not wish to receive may come forward for a blessing. Please let your server know if you desire a gluten-free wafer.

Benediction

P: God Almighty send you light and truth to keep you all the days of your life. The hand of God protect you; And the blessing of Almighty God, The Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy Spirit, be with you now and forever.

C: Amen!

Song

Hear the Call of the Kingdom

Sending

P: Go in peace. Christ is with you!

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

"Toccata on A Mighty Fortress"

John Leavitt

*Make sure to stop by the large bulletin board
in the Gathering Place to sign up for Trunk & Treat. It's this Wednesday!
There are several ways to participate!!*