

# MORNING WORSHIP

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## Greeting

*As we enter into worship, please silence your cell phones.*

## Prelude

**Call to Worship** • Psalm 103: 1-5

**Hymn of Adoration** • *10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)*

## Invocation

**Profession of Faith** • Nicene Creed

**Corporate Confession of Sin**

**Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon** • 1 Peter 1:3

**Hymn of Assurance** • *Jesus Shall Reign*

#441 (vv.1,3-5)

**Women's Ministry Committee Commissioning**

## Prayer of Intercession and The Lord's Prayer

*Please take a moment to sign the attendance register.*

### Children's Worship

*Parents, please bring participating children age 4–1st grade downstairs to the Heartland Room during the following hymn.*

## Offertory Hymn • *Jesus Draw Me Ever Nearer (May This Journey)*

## Scripture Reading • Matthew 9:18-26

*18 While he was saying these things to them, behold, a ruler came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died, but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." 19 And Jesus rose and followed him, with his disciples. 20 And behold, a woman who had suffered from a discharge of blood for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his garment, 21 for she said to herself, "If I only touch his garment, I will be made well." 22 Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." And instantly the woman was made well. 23 And when Jesus came to the ruler's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, 24 he said, "Go away, for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. 25 But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl arose. 26 And the report of this went through all that district.*

## Sermon • Hope in the Healing Power of Jesus

Mark 5:21-43, p.840

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1. A time for hope and celebration
2. Hope even in death
3. Hope for the chronically ill
4. Hope for the hopeless
  - a. A cure for the isolation caused by sin
  - b. A cure for spiritual and physical death
  - c. Hope before skeptics, mockers
5. Spreading the message of hope

October 1, 2023

## Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*Gluten-free bread is located on the communion table at the front of the sanctuary.*

Communion Hymn • *We Will Feast in the House of Zion*

## Benediction

## Doxology

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## The Peace of Christ

## Postlude

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### Guest Preacher

Dr. Daniel Doriani is Professor of Theology at Covenant Theological Seminary, where he also served as Dean of Faculty and Professor of New Testament. He also has fifteen years of pastoral experience, principally as Senior Pastor of Central Presbyterian Church. Dr. Doriani earned graduate degrees from Westminster Theological Seminary and Yale University, where he was also a research fellow. Dr. Doriani is a board member and regular blogger for The Gospel Coalition. He has written eighteen books on Scripture, hermeneutics, and gender and family issues. He and his wife Debbie have three adult children and three grandchildren.

Musicians – Brent Johnson, Piano; Dan Fager, Guitar & Vocal; Bekah Marsh, Vocals

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