

# MORNING WORSHIP

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**Reflections**

**Greeting**

**Prelude**

**Call to Worship** • Psalm 57:9-11

**Hymn of Adoration** • *Alleluia! Alleluia!* #283

**Invocation**

**Profession of Faith** • The Heidelberg Catechism Q&A #60

**Corporate Confession**

**Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon** • Ephesians 2:4-5

**Doxology** #733

**Commissioning of Stephen Ministry Leaders**

Bill Baber  
Debbie Brandenburg  
Debbie Massot  
Dan Seibert  
Jeff Stillwell  
Amy VanEssendelft

## Prayer of Intercession and The Lord's Prayer

### Offering

*With grateful hearts for God's extravagant mercy and blessing,  
we joyfully present our offerings to the Lord for the ministry of our church and community.*

*You may give your offering by using the "give" button online at [www.cpcstl.org](http://www.cpcstl.org).  
Those worshipping in person may give their gift in the offering box provided by our ushers after the service.*

#### Children's Worship

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

**Hymn of Preparation** • *Fairest Lord Jesus*

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**Scripture Reading** • Romans 15:1-21

**Sermon** • The Welcome of Christ

Romans 15:1-21

Dr. Tom Gibbs

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Key Idea: The welcome of Christ is at the heart of the Gospel that we have received,  
and so it's at the heart of the Gospel we extend.

1. The ambition of our witness (14-21)
2. The stewardship of our strength (1-3)
3. The glory of our God (4-12)

May 22, 2022

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Communion Hymn • *Be Thou My Vision*

#642 (vv.1,3-5)

### Benediction

### Threefold Amen

# The Peace of Christ

## Postlude

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Musicians – Jonathan McGuire, Organ & Piano

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