

October 11, 2026

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We gather in this place as God's beloved children,
People: Called to praise, and to bless, and to show mercy.

Leader: We gather in this place as citizens of a nation,
People: Called to care, and to respond, and to share our freedom.

Leader: We gather in this place as members of a community,
People: Called to know each other, and to love each other, and to welcome all.

Leader: We belong to God, and through God, we belong to one another.

People: So may our hearts be as one; let us worship our God.

*OPENING PRAYER

*SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*HYMN #720 Jesus Calls Us

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, you call us again and again to seek your kingdom first, to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with you. Still, we make our excuses and justify in our own hearts why we go our own way. Lord, forgive our sin. Turn us from our preoccupation with our own lives and turn us to your ways of grace, mercy, love, and service. May we heed your invitation to be part of your kingdom and strive, through the power of your Holy Spirit, to live as faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

Leader: Let us continue our confession together in silence.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Hear the good news: Jesus calls us to follow him, and he will not lead us astray. His path is one of forgiveness and renewal. Know that you are forgiven, and so you are ready to go out and serve. Let us rejoice in God's mercy!

People: Thanks be to God! Amen!

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

First Reading

Genesis 12:1-3

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God

ANTHEM

O God of Life

Praise Band

Second Reading

Matthew 4:18-22 & 9:9-13

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God

SERMON

Answering the Call

SILENT REFLECTION

RESPONDING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

*HYMN #726 The Summons (v. 1, 2, 5)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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OFFERING

To give online: Click: [Giving](#)

*DOXOLOGY

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

*CHARGE AND SENDING

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The Christmas Wreath Fundraiser runs through November 1.
Order forms are in the Narthex. Contact: sharmco@gmail.com;
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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

Anyone interested in reading during our 9:30 am Sunday Service?
Seeking readers for Nov. & Dec.

Contact Shirley 850-499-0659; shirley.petersmeyer@gmail.com

Trunk or Treat - Sun. Oct. 25, 10:30-12:00
Church parking lot. Sign up in the narthex.
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