

ORDER OF WORSHIP
SUNDAY, MAY 25, 2025

Meditation Verses: Matthew 16:21-23

From that time Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. ²² And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "Far be it from you, Lord! This shall never happen to you." ²³ But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a hindrance to me. For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man."

Welcome and Announcements

The Lord Calls Us to Worship

*Apostolic Greeting
*Call to Worship..... Psalm 28:6-9

Our Response to God’s Call

*Hymn of Praise..... #380 Crown Him with Many Crowns
Invocation and Lord’s Prayer
Confession of Faith..... Shorter Catechism 57-59, opposite page
Silent Prayer of Confession and Repentance
Assurance of Pardon 1 Corinthians 6:11
Hymn of Thanksgiving #277 Before the Throne of God Above
Congregational Prayer
Presentation of Offerings

The Lord Feeds Us from His Word

Hymn of Preparation..... #457 Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness
Scripture Reading Nehemiah 6:1-14
Sermon Title Focused Attack
*Hymn of Response..... #244 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Benediction

*Please stand if you are able.....Please silence cell phones

WELCOME!

As a church family, we’re delighted that you’ve joined us for worship today. Be sure to visit the information table, where a variety of pamphlets and publications can be found that will help you get to know us better.

Shorter Catechism 53-56

Q. 57. Which is the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment is, “Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.”

Q. 58. What is required in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment requires keeping holy to God such set times as he has appointed in his Word, in particular one whole day in seven to be a holy Sabbath to himself.

Q. 59. Which day of the seven has God appointed to be the weekly Sabbath?

A. From the beginning of the world to the resurrection of Christ, God appointed the seventh day of the week to be the weekly Sabbath; ever since it has been the first day of the week, which is the Christian Sabbath, so to continue to the end of the world.

A nursery is available, if needed, for children 3 years old and younger.