

~ *ORDINARY TIME* ~
MORNING WORSHIP ~ October 18, 2020 ~ 9:30 AM
First Christian Reformed Church, Sioux Center, Iowa

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

Prelude: "Let All Things Now Living"
"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

Christine Schulz
Robert Hobby

Welcome

*Hymn of Preparation: "**God, You Call Us to This Place**" LUYH #531:1,3

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*Call to Worship

Pastor: Let us worship God.

People: "He is our refuge and our fortress, our God, in whom we trust."

Pastor: Let us confess with our mouths, "Jesus is Lord,"
and believe in our hearts that God raised him from the dead.

People: "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Pastor: Let us call upon our true God, believing him in our hearts,
confessing him with our mouths, worshiping him in spirit and in truth.

Based on Psalm 91:2; Romans 10:9,13

*God's Greeting

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Grace, mercy, and peace are yours, from God the Father Almighty,
from the Lord Jesus, and from the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen!

*Hymn of Praise: "**A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**" LUYH #776:1-4

GOD RECONCILES US TO HIMSELF

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

God's Will for Our Lives

*Hymn of Dedication: "**Take My Life and Let It Be**" LUYH #863:1,2,5,6

GOD COMES TO US THROUGH THE SACRAMENT

Reading the Form

The Baptism of Aubrey Hope Raih

Ministry of Music: "*Child of God*"

Layton De Vries / Dale Grotenhuis

(Young children are invited to Children and Worship)

GOD COMES TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Reading of Scripture: 1 Peter 5:6-14 (New Testament p. 286)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: *EXILES LONGING FOR HOME: HOME—ETERNAL GLORY IN CHRIST*

WE RESPOND IN PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

Prayers of the People

*Hymn of Dedication: "**O Splendor of God's Glory Bright**" LUYH #374:1-4

GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD

*Sending and Benediction

*Postlude: "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

Wayne Wold

*indicates that those who are able are invited to stand

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in the plates by the doors as you exit, or give online at <https://www.firstcrc.com/give-online/>
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Worship Leader: Rev. Kurt Monroe | Organist: Emily Sybesma
Vocalists: Kim, Cody, Shannon & Cheney Vander Berg | Accompanist: Lael Bervig

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EVENING WORSHIP ~ October 18, 2020 ~ 6:00 PM
First Christian Reformed Church, Sioux Center, Iowa

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude: "A Mighty Fortress" Jordan / Hustad
"How Firm a Foundation" Wood
"Song of the Sea (Be Still My Soul)" Dino

Welcome

*Hymn of Preparation: **"Sing Praise to the Lord, You People of Grace" LUYH #7:1-4 (PFAS #150A)**

*Call to Worship

Pastor: Sing to the Lord a new song;

People: sing to the LORD, all the earth.

Pastor: Sing to the Lord, praise his name;

People: proclaim his salvation day after day.

Psalm 96:1-2

*God's Greeting

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Grace, mercy, and peace are yours, from God the Father Almighty,
from the Lord Jesus, and from the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen!

WE SING GOD'S PRAISE

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 96

Singing the Psalm: **"Sing, Sing, Sing to the Lord" PFAS #96D:1-4**

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer of Illumination

Reading of Scripture: Ephesians 2 (New Testament p. 235)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: *GOD'S WORKMANSHIP*

Prayer of Application

*Sung Sermon Response: **"Speak, O Lord" LUYH #755:1-3**

WE LIFT OUR VOICES TO GOD

Ministry of Music: "Give Me Jesus" Mark Hayes

Oh, when I come to die, oh, when I come to die, oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus.

Refrain:

*Give me Jesus, give me Jesus;
you may have all this world; give me Jesus.*

Dark midnight was my cry, dark midnight was my cry, dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus.

Refrain:

*Give me Jesus, give me Jesus;
you may have all this world; give me Jesus.
Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.
You may have all this world,
with its troubles and cares,
for of this I am sure, give me Jesus.*

Congregational Prayer

*Statement of Faith: **Nicene Creed**

WE ARE SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*Hymn of Dedication: **"By Faith" vs. 1-5**

*Sending and Benediction

*Postlude: "Gigue" Corelli

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Worship Leader: Dr. Wayne Kobes | Organist: Carla Nibbelink | Pianist: Kim Vander Berg

Vocalists: Trent & Julie Geleyne; Cheney Vander Berg

Elder of Service & Prayer Leader: Tim Klein

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