



REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
March 2, 2025
9:30 am Worship Service

Reformed Presbyterian Church exists to be a stream of God's refreshing grace for people from all walks of life.

Today's Speaker: Rev. David Vos

Worship Leader: Jason Rutter, Ruling Elder

Organist: Courtney Brooke

Choir Director: Rachel Klein

PRELUDE

◇ A time of quiet preparation

WORDS OF GREETING

WE APPROACH GOD

IN WORD

Psalm 62:5-8 (ESV)

Leader: For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence,
for my hope is from him.

People: He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress, I shall not be shaken. On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

All: *Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us.*

IN PRAYER

***WE PRAISE OUR GOD**

HYMN OF PRAISE 700

Come, We That Love the Lord

***WE CONFESS OUR FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

Leader: Christian, what do you believe?

People: I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son,
our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the
dead. He ascended into heaven and is
seated at the right hand of God the
Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life
everlasting. Amen

***WE EXALT OUR LORD**

WORSHIP SONGS

*May the Peoples Praise You
God So Loved
For the Glory of Your Name*

WELCOME TO ALL

CONGREGATIONAL GREETING
WELCOME TO VISITORS

WE SEEK GOD’S FACE

Prayers of God's People

WE OFFER OUR GIFTS

OFFERING/ OFFERTORY

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing/ arr. C. Yannerella

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 20:1-3 (ESV)

And God spoke all these words, saying, ²“I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. ³“You shall have no other gods before me.

Romans 8:12-13 (ESV)

¹² So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.

John 15:5 (ESV)

⁵ I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

SERMON

Walking with God: A Study in the Doctrine of Sanctification
Rev. David Vos

WE COME TO THE LORD’S TABLE

PREPARATION

THE INVITATION

THE BREAD AND THE CUP

The Old Rugged Cross

Please Note: Both wine and juice are offered. Clear cups in the outer rim of the communion tray contain grape juice, all other (pink) cups contain wine.

An elder is available in the rear of the sanctuary during communion to pray with you regarding any needs or issues in your life.

WE REMEMBER THOSE IN NEED

THE LOVE OFFERING/ SONG OF RESPONSE

Rock of Ages

*WORDS OF PEACE

Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face
shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face
toward you and give you peace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

Song Lyrics

700 Come, We That Love the Lord

Come, we that love the Lord,
And let our joys be known.
Join in a song with sweet accord,
And thus surround the throne.

Let those refuse to sing
That never knew our God,
But children of the heav'nly King
May speak their joys abroad.

The men of grace have found
glory begun below:
celestial fruits on earthly ground
from faith and hope may grow.

The hill of Zion yields
a thousand sacred sweets,
before we reach the heav'nly fields
or walk the golden streets.

Then let our songs abound,
and ev'ry tear be dry;
we're marching through Immanuel's ground
to fairer worlds on high.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674–1748

Music: Aaron Williams, 1731–1776

May the Peoples Praise You

You have called us out of darkest night Into Your glorious light
That we may sing the wonders of The risen Christ

May our every breath retell the grace That broke into our strife
With boundless love and deepest joy With endless life

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad
All Your blessing comes That we may praise
May praise the Name of Jesus

All the earth is Yours and all within Each harvest is Your own
And from Your hand we give to You To make Christ known

May the seeds of mercy grow in us For those who have not heard
May songs of praise build lives of grace To spread Your Word

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad
All Your blessing comes That we may praise
May praise the Name of Jesus

This our holy privilege to declare Your praises and Your name
To every nation, tribe and tongue, Your church proclaims

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad
All Your blessing comes That we may praise
May praise the Name of Jesus

Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty
Worthy, worthy is the Lamb Who was slain
Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty
All creation praise Your glorious Name

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad
All Your blessing comes That we may praise
May praise the Name of Jesus

God So Loved

Come all you weary, Come all you thirsty
Come to the well that never runs dry
Drink of the water, Come and thirst no more

Come all you sinners, Come find His mercy
Come to the table, He will satisfy
Taste of His goodness, Find what you're looking for

For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him will live forever

Bring all your failures, Bring your addictions
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross
Jesus is waiting there with open arms

For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him will live forever
The power of hell forever defeated
Now it is well, I'm walking in freedom
For God so loved, God so loved the world

Praise God, praise God From whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, praise Him For the wonders of His love (repeat bridge)

For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us-

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For the Glory of Your Name

God You keep us without failing
As You watch us from above
In our comings and our goings
Sheltered by Your precious love
In the pouring rain of mercy
Comes the grace by which we're saved
For the glory of Your Name
For the glory of Your Name

You have touched our lives forever
Can we be the same again
May our hearts be ever faithful
Ever faithful as a friend
Let us live that we may serve You
Overflowing with Your praise
For the glory of Your Name
For the glory of Your Name

We behold the man of sorrows
Hanging there upon a cross
Where we wounded One so holy
Yet these wounds are life to us
For the blood You shed was perfect
And Your finished work remains
For the glory of Your Name
For the glory of Your Name

Now we lift our eyes to heaven
See You seated on the throne
Still rejoicing in Your promise
This is where our hope is found
For we know that You are coming
Every tongue will sing Your fame
For the glory of Your Name
For the glory of Your Name

The Old Rugged Cross

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross
The emblem of suff'ring and shame
And I love that old cross where the dearest and best
For a world of lost sinners was slain

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a crown

O the old rugged cross so despised by the world
Has a wondrous attraction for me
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above
to bear it to dark Calvary

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a crown

In the old rugged cross stained with blood so divine
A wondrous beauty I see
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died
To pardon and sanctify me

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a crown

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true
It's shame and reproach gladly bear
Then he'll call me some day to my home far away
Where his glory forever I'll share

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a crown

Rock of Ages

Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
let me hide myself in thee;
let the water and the blood,
from thy wounded side which flowed,
be of sin the double cure;
cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.

Not the labors of my hands
can fulfill thy law's demands;
could my zeal no respite know,
could my tears forever flow,
all for sin could not atone;
thou must save, and thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring,
simply to thy cross I cling;
naked, come to thee for dress;
helpless, look to thee for grace;
foul, I to the Fountain fly;
wash me, Savior, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath,
when mine eyelids close in death,
when I soar to worlds unknown,
see thee on thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
let me hide myself in thee.