# **Calendar**

Today-Adult Sunday school 10:30 am

10-Men's Bible study 6 am

10-Session Meeting 3 pm

13-Men's group 8 am

14-Worship 9 am

### **Announcements**

Special thank you to Jay Grogan for leading our worship to-day!

# **Prayers**

Our Church everyday at 7:14 am

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September 7, 2025

\*please stand if able

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today... We are glad you are here!

### **Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** All Creatures of Our God and King

## \*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, friends, let's gather in God's presence.

People: We are here to follow Jesus.

Leader: Knowing God isn't just about words.

People: It's about living His way.

Leader: Whoever says they live in Christ **People: Must walk as Jesus walked.** 

Leader: So let's step into His light with open hearts. **People: And worship the One who leads us in love!** 

\*Opening Song Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty #482

## \*Opening Prayer

Gracious God, You have called us to know You and to walk as Jesus walked. We confess we stumble often, but Your love holds us steady. As we gather in worship, shape our hearts, guide our steps, and make us more like Christ so that in all we do, we reflect Your love to the world. In Jesus' name, Amen.

### **Prayer of Confession and Reconciliation**

Merciful God, You call us to keep Your commands and to walk as Jesus walked. But we admit that too often we choose our own way. We speak words of love but fail to live them out. We claim to know You, yet our actions tell another story. Forgive us, Lord. Renew our hearts by Your Spirit. Help us to know You more deeply, to love You more fully, and to follow You more faithfully, so that our lives reflect the life of Christ. Amen.

# \*Congregational Response

"Amazing Grace"

**Scripture** 

1 John 2:3-6

Sermon

"Love for God"

**Quiet time of reflection** 

\*Statement of Faith

<u>Prayers of the people</u> followed by <u>The Lord's Prayer</u>

**Worship Through Giving** 

\*Closing hymn Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine! #341

Blessed Be The Tie That Binds please gather and join hands

#### \*Benediction

Wherever we go from here, let us be aware of why the Holy Spirit has sent us there. Help us to hear the message of what it is we have been called to do in that place. Make us considerate to the needs of all those around us. Guide us to worship in spirit and truth, and teach us to serve faithfully with all our heart. We go in Grace, Love, and Power. Amen.

#### **Postlude**