

An Order for the Worship of God

March 1, 2026

Ring of the Bells

Welcome & Announcements - Candle Lighting and Prelude

*Please stand, if able

Call to Worship: based on John 3 (Liturgist – **Congregation**)

No one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and spirit.

Truly I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen.

Everyone who believes in the Son of God may not perish but have eternal life.

God sent not the Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him.
Let us worship God!

*Opening Hymn: #383, If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee

Opening Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

You keep your eye on us, O God; you protect us as a shield. You give us hope in spite of the disquiet that lingers within us. You lift our spirits and make us glad. All creation sings your praise; we your people laud your name. Hear us as we worship, and speak to us as we gather. For we seek to be filled with your Spirit and made alive by your abiding Word. For we ask this in the name of our beloved Savior, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray: "Our Father ... (debts/debtors)"

New Testament Reading: Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri: #558 (PILGRIM)

Gospel Reading: John 3:1-17

Liturgist: This is the gospel message of our Lord and Savior.

All: May the reading and the hearing of Your word inform our minds, comfort our souls, and guide our feet.

Sermon: Hush, Hush

*Responsive Hymn: #359, Blessed Assurance

Congregational Prayer

L: Lord, in your mercy

C: **Hear our prayer**

Call for the Offering

Let us share God's blessings, as we collect our tithes, gifts, and offerings.

*Doxology #562 (Pilgrim)

Offering Prayer:

We walk by faith, we live by faith, we give by faith. God of great gifts, you have given us so much, accept these gifts from our hands, our faithful response to your abundant grace. Amen.

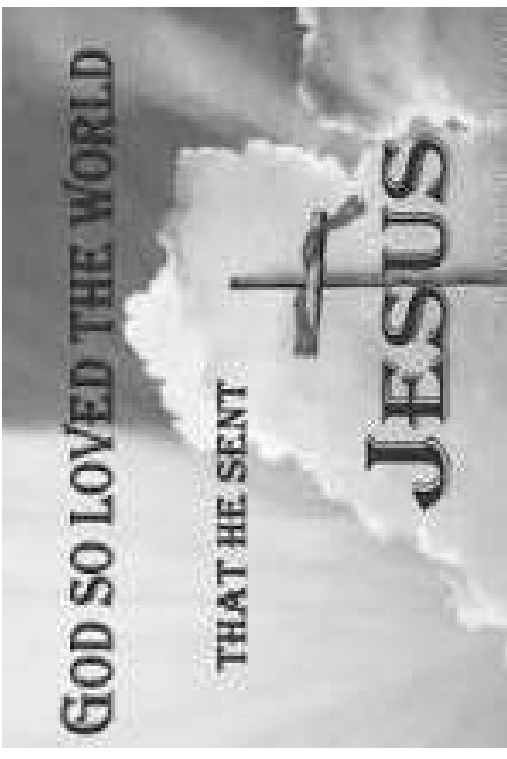
*Closing Hymn: #347, Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross, v. 1-3

Benediction

We go in peace to love and serve the Lord in the name of Christ. Amen.

*Extinguishing the Candles
Postlude

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH



Worship Leaders

Pastor

Liturgist

Director of Music

Jerry Eisner

Julie Kluck

Sue Laubenheimer

Welcome Visitors! Thank you for joining this congregation for worship this morning. You are welcome and encouraged to participate in all functions of the church including communion and fellowship. Please pick up a *Welcome!* Folder as you exit the church to learn more about the offerings of

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We are happy you are here!

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