

A Service of the Word, Prayer, and Sacrament

Welcome

Song of Ascent 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.

Refrain: 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.

Refrain: 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.

Bridge: Praise God, praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, praise Him for the wonders of His love.

Ending: Bring all your failures. Bring your addictions.
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross.
Jesus is waiting. God so loved the world.

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Call to Worship Psalm 99:1-5 Adam Shields, Director of Community

Leader: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble!
He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

People: The LORD is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples.
Let them praise Your great and awesome name! Holy is He!

Leader: The King in His might loves justice. You have established equity;
You have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

All: Exalt the LORD our God; worship at His footstool!
Holy is He!

Song of Praise Holy, Holy, Holy Trinity Hymnal No. 100

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea.
Cherubim and seraphim, falling down before Thee,
Who was and is and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name, in earth, and sky, and sea;
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Call to Confession 1 John 1:6-7

If we say we have fellowship with Him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

Prayer of Confession

Father, You have been holy from all eternity, while we have been sinful from our birth. You dwell in the light, yet we have walked in the darkness. Forgive us for claiming to have fellowship with You while pursuing the sinful desires of our hearts. We repent and plead for Your mercy. Deliver us and restore our fellowship with You and with one another. Remind us of the abundant grace we have in Christ, whose blood covers all our sin. By Your Spirit, help us to hate what is evil and cling to what is good. Conform us more and more to the image of Your Son, that our lives may bring glory to Your name. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Offer of Forgiveness Romans 5:9-10

Leader: Since, therefore, we have now been justified by His blood, much more shall we be saved by Him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by His life.

All: We receive Your great mercy, O God!

Hymn of Rejoicing Man of Sorrows

Man of sorrows, Lamb of God, by His own betrayed;
The sin of man and wrath of God have been on Jesus laid.
Silent as He stood accused, beaten, mocked, and scorned,
Bowing to the Father's will, He took a crown of thorns.

Refrain: O that rugged cross, my salvation, where Your love poured out over me,
Now my soul cries out, "Hallelujah! Praise and honor unto Thee!"

Sent of heaven, God's own Son, to purchase and redeem
And reconcile the very ones who nailed Him to that tree.

Bridge: Now my debt is paid; it is paid in full by the precious blood that my Jesus spilled.
Now the curse of sin has no hold on me. Whom the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.

See the stone is rolled away: behold the empty tomb!
Hallelujah! God be praised! He's risen from the grave!
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Prayers of the People Scotty Stanford, elder

Worship: that we will forgive, as Christ has forgiven us (Colossians 3:13)
Community: for our FSM mission trip to Yakama
Mission: for Davis Sweatt, RUF minister, University of Alabama
All Generations: that God would provide for every financial need

Reading of the Scripture Psalm 11:1-7

¹ In the LORD I take refuge; how can you say to my soul,
Flee like a bird to your mountain,
² for behold, the wicked bend the bow; they have fitted their arrow to the string
to shoot in the dark at the upright in heart;
³ if the foundations are destroyed, what can the righteous do?
⁴ The LORD is in His holy temple; the LORD's throne is in heaven;
His eyes see, His eyelids test the children of man.
⁵ The LORD tests the righteous, but His soul hates the wicked
and the one who loves violence.
⁶ Let Him rain coals on the wicked; fire and sulfur and a scorching wind
shall be the portion of their cup.
⁷ For the LORD is righteous; He loves righteous deeds; the upright shall behold His face.

Preaching of God's Word Honest with God: Jason Sterling, Senior Pastor
A Psalm for the Unsettled

Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism

Question 27. What did Christ's humiliation consist of?
Answer. Christ's humiliation consisted of His being born in a low condition, living under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, undergoing the wrath of God and the cursed death of the cross, and in being buried and continuing under the power of death for a time.

Question 28. What does Christ's exaltation consist of?
Answer. Christ's exaltation consists of His rising again from the dead on the third day, ascending to heaven, sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and coming to judge the world on the last day.

Invitation: Words, Welcome, Warning Matthew 26:26-29

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Distribution of the Elements

Communion Hymn Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee arr. Cindy Berry
with O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus arr. V. Halberg

Closing Hymns All Ye Weary and Distressed

Welcome, welcome, sinner, here! Hang not back through shame or fear;
Doubt not, nor distrust the call; mercy is proclaimed to all.

Welcome to the offered peace; welcome, prisoner, to release —
Burst thy bonds; be saved; be free; "Rise and come — He calleth thee."

Welcome, weeping penitent; grace has made thy heart relent;
Welcome, long estranged child; God in Christ is reconciled.

Bridge: All ye weary and distressed, welcome to relief and rest!
All is ready: hear the call. There is ample room for all.

O the virtue of that price, that redeeming sacrifice!
Come, ye bought, but not with gold; welcome to the sacred fold!

Welcome to the cleansing fount, springing from the sacred mount;
Welcome to the feast divine, Bread of life and living wine.
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He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path,
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

Refrain: He will hold me fast; He will hold me fast.
For my Savior loves me so. He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight; Christ will hold me fast.
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast.
He'll not let my soul be lost; His promises shall last;
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. *Refrain*

For my life He bled and died. Christ will hold me fast;
Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight when He comes at last. *Refrain*

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Doxology

Benediction

Sending

Partaking of the Lord's Supper at Faith

If you know and love the Lord Jesus Christ, are earnestly repentant of your sins, are willing to renew your commitment to Christ, and are a member in good standing with a branch of Christ's church that preaches Jesus Christ as the only way to God the Father, we welcome you to partake of this sacrament with us.

An usher will dismiss your row, and you will exit to the side. We encourage families to come together. Please take a piece of bread and a cup as the elements are passed. Cups with wine and cups with juice are marked on the trays. You will consume the elements while you are at the table. Return to your seat by way of the center aisle. If you cannot come forward, please ask someone near you to alert a server, and an elder will bring the elements to you.

Note for Children: Children who have not yet professed their faith in Christ or been admitted to the Table are encouraged to come forward with their families for prayer. Children and adults should partake only after professing their faith publicly.

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Sundays at Faith

Adults and Students

Kingdom Communities meet at 9:45 a.m. A map of classroom locations is available at the welcome desk.

 FAITH STUDENT MINISTRIES Room 215 <i>7th-12th graders</i>	 COLLEGE Room 153 <i>Students, singles, and married couples in their late teens and early 20s</i>	 GENESIS Room 170 <i>Singles and couples primarily in their early-mid 20s</i>
 EXODUS Room 169 <i>Singles and couples primarily in their mid 20s–early 30s</i>	 MOSAIC Room 158 <i>Singles and couples primarily in their late 20s–early 30s</i>	 COVENANT Room 134 <i>Parents of young children; singles and couples primarily in their late 20s–30s</i>
 COMMON GROUND Room 133 <i>Parents of elementary-age children; singles and couples primarily in their mid 30s–40s</i>	 CORNERSTONE Room 159 <i>Parents of JrHi-age children; singles and couples primarily in their late 30s–40s</i>	 CROSSROADS Room 157 <i>Parents of SrHi-age children or college students; singles and couples primarily in their mid 40s–50s</i>
 HARVEST Room 151 <i>Parents of adult children; singles and couples primarily in their mid 50s–60s</i>	 SOJOURNERS Room 167 <i>Singles and couples primarily in their mid 60s–70s</i>	 TAPESTRY Room 155 <i>Singles and couples primarily in their late 70s–80s</i>

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July 12, 2026

Join Us at Christian Service Mission!

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Upcoming at Faith

For more information, visit us online at faith-pca.org or on the Faith PCA app.

Hymn Sing: Join us for a summer hymn sing at Faith this evening, from 5:30–6:30 p.m. There will be an ice cream truck from Bruster’s at the back patio after we sing.

Christian Service Mission Day: Meet at CSM on Tuesday, July 21, at 9 a.m. to help prepare supplies for teachers in our city for back-to-school outreach events hosted by local churches. This is a great way for your family, friends, or Grace Group to serve together!

Join the Media Team: Want to make a difference behind the scenes? We'll provide all the training, serving is flexible, and even one Sunday a month can make a big impact. Please contact David Crabtree (dcrabtree@faith-pca.org), if you are interested.