

REFORMATION SUNDAY



SUNDAY WORSHIP

9 a.m. Traditional Service with organ and choir

11:11 a.m. Contemporary Service with praise band

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Love God. Love Others. Serve.

- CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE -
October 26, 2025 • 11:11am
Reformation Sunday † Rite of Confirmation

PRELUDE *Christians, We Have Met to Worship*

Faith Bells

GATHERING SONG
What a Friend

GREETING

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PARISH NEWS

GOSPEL John 8:31-36 *pew Bible, page 977*

Jesus speaks of truth and freedom as spiritual realities known through his word. He reveals the truth that sets people free from sin.

³¹Then Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; ³²and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." ³³They answered him, "We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, 'You will be made free'?"

³⁴Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin.

³⁵The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. ³⁶"So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed."

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ!

SERMON *Lutheran Worship and the Means of Grace*

Pastor Bob Stelter

OUR VISION
To be an inspired body of Christ.



OUR MISSION
Love God. Love Others. Serve.

SERMON SONG *No Longer Slaves*

RITE OF AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

hymnal, page 235

Confirming Our Faith: Kaya Johnson, Cortlyn Titsworth, Emily Wright

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

OFFERINGS FOR MISSION & MINISTRY

OFFERING SONG

BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

COMMUNION SONG *All Who Are Thirsty*

COMMUNION BLESSING

Pastor: Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, strengthen you
and keep you in His grace.

Congregation: Amen.

SENDING

SENDING SONG *Your Love Never Fails*

SENDING

Praise Band: Christ is alive! Let us love God, love others, serve.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

ALTAR GUILD Melissa Horning

GREETER Yvette Edwards

USHERS Linda & John Shoemaker

COMMUNION MINISTERS Kaya Johnson, Cortlyn Titsworth, Emily Wright,
Teensy & Frank Weldon

PROJECTION & LIGHTS Lisa Stelter

*The flowers on the altar are given **by Leona & Bill Porteous**
in honor of **their wedding anniversary**.*

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PRAYERS

Members: Terry Biesboer, Gene Bird, Dave Birkholz, Jan Bishop, Mary Blackburn, Rob Blackburn, Roger Brown, Nancy & Leon Cole, Michael Condon, Myles Cooper, Nancy Dean, Nancy Dickinson, Patsy Elmore, John Elmore, Karoline Frasch, Pat Gary, Nick Gary, Jonas Greenman, Chip Hester, Deb & Doug Houck, Paul Jurkoic, Michael Lee, Bonnie Legako, Irene Manthey, Lin & Mike McKinley, Harold Peters, Joe Poole, Dr. Ted Primka, the Saylor family, Pamela Spaar, Bill Steele, Kali Sullins, Rich Wellner, Jean Witte, John Woods.

Friends: Frank Adams, App family, Bill Birkholz, Sheila Birkholz, Ian, Nicole & Nathan Blackburn, Patty Bridges, Joe Callahan, Michael Carfi, Steve Case, Nancy Crain, Meg Corrigan, Michael Damico, Irma DeBord, Shayna DeBord, Dennis family, Michelle Dionne, Van Dudley, Brandy & Brian Duke, Mary K. Dulany, Dan Edmunds, Alanna & Arnie Fenske, Kathi Fenske-Hong, Phylis Garrison, Cindy Gioe, Gregory Goodall, Gary Gouzy, Gutelius family, Nadine Heilsbetz, Joy Hymer, Gerald Jenkins family, Juniper Johnson, Tim Kelliher, Barb Korsmo, Dick Korsmo, Anita & Steve Latham, Darren Lee, Tammy & Mark Leonhart, Loyacano family, Jeff Matthews, Joe May, Judy McMillan, Tillie Meffert, Donna Moore, Josh Nicols, Chris Patrick, Rose & Steve Penney, Ashley Rauch, Shannon Remington, Jenny & DC Roberts, Carolyn Russell, Salles families, Marilyn Savilisky, Scaglione family, Richard Sena, Jim Shea, Lynn Siegfried & family, Audra Tyler Moore, Frank Tyler, Barb Weldon, Myra Williams, Mya, Ro & Haven Wolfe, Janie Worrall, Gary Yonke, Aaron & Zionah, Angel & Ben, Ashley & Matty, Cheri & George, Christine, Darcy, Dave, Debbie, Janie, Lauren, Myra, & Sandra, Jodi, Katie, Lisa M., Madeleine, Michael, Sam, Shaine, Sterling & Sydney, Vanessa and *those we name to You*.

Gratitude for Confirmation Leaders: Carrie Parrott, Lynda Primka and Will Dickinson.

Confirmation Blessings: Kaya Johnson, Cortlyn Titsworth and Emily Wright being confirmed next Sunday.

Joy at the birth of: Henry Scott Thompson to Katie & Sam Thompson, siblings Jet and Bridget; grandparents Kathy & Bryan Thompson.

Comfort in the midst of death for the family and friends of: Donna Knick, Nick Leonhardt, Gene McNalley, Lindsey, Vanessa Hansen, Susan Wymer, Jack Dunbar, Elaine Gilliland, Bev Butler, Nick Leonhart.

Shepherd of Hope Pantry Friends: Grace, Trent, Ted & Sandra, Bill & Jan, Don, Gary, Charline, Gerald, Tommy, Logan, Robby, Peter, Octivia & Linda, Deborah, Ed, Laver, Regina, Katherine, Susan, Taissia, Denis, Daniela, Mark, Neita, Rodger, Joe, Tommy, Meridith, Amie, Savannah, Diane, Carlos, Rachel *and those known to God*.

Salvation Army Friends: Lisa & Lawrence, Ralph, Willie, Chris, Cheryl, Daphne, Paula, Madeline, Elizabeth, Amanda, Annalea, Jamar, Aoora, Oliver, Jason, Brandon, James, Kenny, Pee Wee, Lisa *and those known to God*.

Concern & Assistance: Those dealing with addiction while incarcerated. Mentally & physically challenged. Veterans. Refugees and those living in fear of deportation. The people of Iran, Israel, Syria, Palestine, Ukraine, Russia.

Partnerships: Bishop Yehie Curry & the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Bishop Kevin Strickland & the Southeastern Synod; Alicia & David Brondos, Missionaries in Mexico; Seminarian Sam Sosebee; Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry; English Language Learning Classes, Quiet Music Ministry; Tyson House; Deacon Ministry; Knox Area Rescue Ministry; Via de Cristo Ministry; Salvation Army Women's & Men's Homeless Shelters; Street Hope; Cole Center Caregivers and Parkinson Band; Mercy Ships; Lutheran Church & School in Guatemala; AL-ANON; Narcotics Anonymous.

Peace & Protection for all armed forces, especially: Jacob Cole, Kyleigh Cole, Anthony Hu, HM, Andrew McDonald, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Sam Thompson, Chris Yonke, Mitchell Yount.

Church Council Leadership Team

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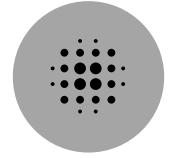
Dawn Titsworth

Pastor Stelter

Love God. Love Others. Serve.

As followers of Jesus, we rejoice in God's plan for a just, loving and peaceful world. We commit ourselves to making it a reality for all people everywhere. Just as all are welcome at the Lord's table during holy communion, all are welcome to this family of faith. People of all races, ages, social status, sexual orientations and gender identities are united here in our mission to love God, Love Others, Serve.

OCTOBER 26



Theme: Reformation

This Sunday is to celebrate our history and learn about Lutheran worship, focusing on the pulpit and the sacrament of the altar.

WELCOME

If you are new, please sign a worship card and place it in the offering plate.

DIG IN, GROW DEEP, LEARN WITH OTHERS.

*Sunday School Classes
held at 10:15 a.m.*

Adult Bible Class: The Holy Land Revealed – In the classroom side of the Cup

Teen Sunday School (6th - 12th grade): In the Youth Room

Confirmation Class (8th - 10th grade): In the Library

Children's Sunday School for 5th grade and younger:

- Ye Littles of Faith for Kindergarten and younger in East hallway classroom next to Nursery
- The Mighty Kids Kingdom for 1st - 5th grades in West hallway classroom, 2 doors past youth room

Tuesday Bible Study (Open to All): In the classroom side of the Cup

NURSERY



Jesus welcomed everyone—and so do we! Children are a cherished part of our church family. Coloring pages are available near the center doors, and a staffed nursery is open on Sundays down the hall by the restrooms (with a convenient diaper changing station). For parents who'd like to stay with their little ones, our Cry Room at the back of the Sanctuary offers a comfortable space with a nursing area, diaper changing station, and full view of the service so you can participate in worship together.



**LEARN MORE ABOUT THE
HISTORY OF REFORMATION**

EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 19

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
- 10 a.m. English Language Class
- 10:15 a.m. Bible Study
- 11:11 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service
- 4 p.m. Trunk or Treat (Farragut Pres Lot)
- 5 p.m. Celtic Service

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

- 12 p.m. Via de Cristo Reunion
- 6:15 p.m. English Language Class

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

- 1:30 p.m. Bible Study Class (Open to all)
- 5 p.m. Salvation Army Shelters Visit
- 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

- 5:30 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

- 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

- 9:30 a.m. Cole Center Caregiver Community
- 7 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

- 11 a.m. Al-Anon
- 4 p.m. - 4 p.m. All Tennessee Youth Gathering

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
- 10:15 a.m. Bible Study
- 11:11 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

Harvest Fest

- Sunday, October 26 from 2 - 4 p.m.

Trunk or Treat

- Sunday, October 26 from 4-6 p.m.

Blessing of the Pets

- Saturday, November 8. Bring your pets! Blessing of the Pets

Faith and Finances

- Wednesday, November 12, 4:45 pm - 6 pm

AREAS TO SERVE

To create this year's Holiday Baskets, we ask you help by providing stuffing mix, turkey gravy (dry mix), vegetable oil (32 oz.) and reusable bags.

DAILY LECTIONARY READINGS THIS WEEK

Monday: 1 Samuel 2:1-10, 1 Peter 4:12-19, Psalm 84:8-12

Tuesday: Daniel 5:1-12, 1 Peter 5:1-11, Psalm 84:8-12

Wednesday: Daniel 5:13-31, Matthew 21:28-32, Psalm 84: 8-12

Thursday: Proverbs 15:8-11, 24-33, 2 Corinthians 1:1-11, Psalm 32: 1-7

Friday: Job 22:21-23:17, 2 Peter 1:1-11, Psalm 32:1-7

Saturday: Daniel 7: 1-3, 15-18, Psalm 149 (1), Ephesians 1:11-23. Luke 6:20-31

Sunday: Isaiah 1:10-18, Psalm 32: 1-7, Luke 19: 19, 1-10, 2 Thessalonians 1: 1-4, 11-12,

Faithful Response

Offerings last week: \$ 8,858

Offerings year to date: \$640,690



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