



THE LORD'S DAY
July 3, 2022
WE GATHER TO WORSHIP
 10:00 a.m.

PRELUDE *Piano/Chancel Organ*

CALL TO WORSHIP & STRIKING THE HOUR *"Amazing Grace" The Carillon Bells*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
 † *Please stand as you are able.*

† INTROIT *"Psalm 9: Sing Praise to the Lord" Psalter 9^B*
Sung to the tune of: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
 (Verse 1)

† HYMN *"Battle Hymn of the Republic" Page 804*
 (Verses 1,2,4)

† PRAYER OF THE DAY AND THE LORD'S PRAYER
 † ANTHEM *"Gloria Patri" Page 813*

† HYMN *"My Country, 'Tis of Thee" Page 807*
 (All Verses)

**WE PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER AND
 RECITE GOD'S COVENANT PROMISES**

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSORIAL *"Psalm 3: Lord, My Foes Are Multiplied" Psalter 3^A*
Sung to the tune of: Amazing Grace
 (Verses 5 then 2)

RESPONSIVE READING: Westminster Shorter Catechism (See Reverse)

**WE RETURN OUR TIME, TALENT
 AND TREASURE UNTO THE LORD**

RECEIVING THE TITHES AND OFFERINGS
 † DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER



**WE LIFT OUR
 VOICES IN PRAISE**
 SPECIAL MUSIC

**EXPOSITION OF THE WORD
 AND CONFESSION OF FAITH**

THE SERMON
"Proclaiming Liberty"
 Acts 3:1-26

† HYMN *"Come to the Table" Page 464*
 (Verse 1)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
(Please hold the Elements until all are served.)

† THE NICENE CREED

† CLOSING HYMN *"America the Beautiful" Page 799*
 (Verses 1,2,4)

† BENEDECTION

† ANTHEM *"The Family of God" Page 419*

**DEPART IN PEACE TO
 LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD**

MEET AND GREET COFFEE FELLOWSHIP.

*If you are visiting with us today, we're glad you're here.
 We are ordinary people on an extraordinary journey,
 learning to love and serve like Jesus. Come with Us!*



In this constantly changing world our goal is to reflect and recapture the historic and classical worship of Almighty God. Central to our service is the proclamation of the Word and a biblical understanding of the Sacraments in the tradition of the Evangelical and Reformed faith

OUR MISSION

TO PRESENT CHRIST TO EVERYONE,
 EVERYWHERE, AT EVERY AVAILABLE OPPORTUNITY.



**THE LESSONS FOR USE ON
 FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**
 Isaiah 66:10-14 • Psalm 66:1-8
 Luke 10:1-20 • Galatians 6:1-16

WE AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING:

- The Holy Trinity of God - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- God has revealed Himself fully and decisively in Holy Scripture. We believe the Bible, consisting of the Old and New Testaments, to be the inspired, infallible, and authoritative Word of God and our guide for faith and life.
- There is only one way to Salvation - through Jesus Christ.
- The sanctity of human life based on our creation in the image of God and our election by God for service in His Kingdom. This leads us to respectfully affirm the sanctity of life at every stage, from conception to ordinary death.
- The Biblical guidelines for human sexuality: That marriage is the exclusive union of one man and one woman; and fidelity and holiness in marriage and chastity outside of marriage for the sake of the Kingdom.
- God made all people from one man and although people can be distinguished by different ethnicities and nationalities, we are all one human race and absolute equals before God in creation, the need for repentance, and the offer of redemption.
- That the mission of the Church is to spread the Good News of the Gospel in every word and deed. Proclaiming to the world the atoning death and resurrection of Jesus Christ and seeking to bring every person into a life of faith, discipleship, and submission to Him.

CAMPUS ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: 87		GIVING REPORT	
		<i>Week Ending June 26, 2022</i>	
Are you interested in Church Membership? We receive new members the last Sunday of each month. If you are interested in joining our Church family, please see Pastor Kler today.	 	\$2,654	
		Sunday General Giving	2,304
		Online General Giving	200
		Total General Gifts	2,504
		Less 10% to Missions	-250
		Less 3% to Building	-75
		Net General	2,178
		Designated (Fund) Giving	
		Building	140
		Flowers	85
Missions	250		
Total Fund Giving	476		
Net General	2,178		
Designated Giving	476		
Total Receipts	\$2,654		

**The WESTMINSTER
SHORTER CATECHISM**

QUESTION 100

What does the preface of the Lord's Prayer teach us?

ANSWER:

The preface of the Lord's prayer, which is, "Our Father who art in heaven," teaches us to draw near to God with a full holy reverence and confidence, as children who draw near to a father able and ready to help us. Secondly, in using the plural "our," it teaches us that we should pray with and for others.



Praise God from whom all blessings flow – after 49 years - the prayers of Christian conservatives have been answered. On June 24, 2022 -- The majority opinion of the U.S. Supreme Court states, "We hold that Roe and Casey must be overturned. The Constitution makes no reference to abortion, and no such right is implicitly protected by any Constitutional provision, including the one on which the defenders of Roe and Casey now chiefly rely – the due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment...Roe was egregiously wrong from the start. Its reasoning was exceptionally weak, and the decision has had damaging consequences."

Now in the 50th year since Roe v. Wade was decided, we can celebrate a Jubilee of Life for unborn babies and of liberty from tyrannical government over-reach. This decision by six of the nine Associate Justices' is the continuing legacy of conservative, Bible believing, authentic Christians involving themselves in every level of society from the least to the greatest, from the lowest laborer to the leaders of our great land. By prayer, public awareness, political action and an utter reliance on God's Providence, we can finally say: Life Wins! That doesn't mean however that we can rest on our laurels or ignore our nation's history. There are still very real demonic enemies to defeat and very real, real-world battles to fight.

That is why now is the time to continue the fight to rebuild the foundations of Christendom in this country and pray that the reversal of Roe signals the beginning of a New Morning in America. One that is deeply rooted in the truths of Gods word and a complete submission to the Lordship of Jesus Christ.



BACKPACK & SCHOOL SUPPLY COLLECTION

July 10th and July 17th

- Backpacks • Colored Pencils • Copy Paper
- Crayons • Folders • Glue • Hand Sanitizer
- Kleenex • Loose-leaf Paper • Markers
- Paper Towels • Pencils • Pens • Scissors



The Chancel Flowers Are Placed by:



Wendy Hollyfield
in loving memory of
Dr. Buddy Hollyfield

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

G.A.L.S. Meeting.....No Meeting in July. Resumes August 1st at 12:30
Guy's Lunch Bunch...No gathering in July. Resumes August 4th at 11:00
Next Diaconate Meeting.....Tuesday, August 9th at 6:00 p.m.
Next Council Meeting.....Tuesday, August 9th at 6:30 p.m.

"This great nation was founded, not by religionists, but by Christians, not on religions but on the gospel of Jesus Christ."

- Patrick Henry

Ask not what your country can do for you...seriously, they stopped listening years ago.



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TEACHING / WORSHIP

Rev. H. Joseph Kler
Senior Pastor / I.F.O.C. Chaplain

Rev. John O. Strauss
Minister of Music / Choir Director

MUSICIANS

Pianists: Dee Schultz, Ann Dantuma,
Flutist: Donna Zenisek-Huber

SOUND BOOTH TECHNICIANS
Joe Negron, Jonathan Kler

COUNCIL

OF TRUSTEES

Council President	John Vosteen
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OUR VOLUNTEER STAFFED
CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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Let us not give up the habit of meeting together, as some are doing, but encourage one another as the Day of the Lord draws near. -Hebrews 10:25

ONE
NATION
UNDER
GOD

Blessed is the Nation whose God is the LORD.
Psalm 33:12

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