

# · ALL· SAINTS

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are glad you have come to worship with us. If you have questions about our worship, about what you hear or experience during it, or about who Jesus is and why that matters, please ask our pastor or one of our ruling elders, whose names and contact information can be found on the back of this bulletin. We would be honored to talk with you.

All Saints Reformed Presbyterian Church is an expression of the visible Church of Jesus Christ. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) and a member of the PCA's James River Presbytery.

The inerrant Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the ultimate authority for our faith and practice. Subordinate to the scriptures, we subscribe to the doctrinal standards of the PCA, namely the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Westminster Larger and Shorter Catechisms. You can read these documents at www.pcanet.org/beliefs or scan the QR code below.

If you are visiting with us, more information can be found on the inside of the back cover of this bulletin.

What We Believe:



Lord's Day Worship October 12, 2025

Welcome

Worship Leader Mr. Jacob Cohen Call to Worship \*

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise\* Trinity Hymnal, number 38

Prayer of Adoration \*

Matthew 22:37-40

Reading of the Law

Leader: Hear now the commandments of Your God, which He has commanded you to keep saying, "You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength." This is the first and great commandment.

People: And the second, like unto it is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'

Leader: Have you fully obeyed the Lord in all that He has commanded?

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People: No, but we have sinned against Him in thought, word, and deed.

Leader: Then confess your sins to the Lord for with Him there is mercy and abundant redemption.

#### Unison Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father, we are thankful that your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, deeper than all our sin. Forgive our careless attitudes toward your purposes, our refusal to relieve the suffering of others, our envy of those who have more than we have, our obsession with creating a life of constant pleasure, our indifference to the treasures of heaven, our neglect of your wise and gracious law.

\*Congregation stands

Help us to change our way of life so that we may desire what is good, love what you love, and do what you command, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Silent Prayer of Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 125 – All, Like Mount Zion, Unmoved Shall Endure\*
Printed in the bulletin

# Scripture Reading

Isaiah 55; pew Bible page 615

Mr. Jacob Cohen Prayer of Thanksgiving and Petitions

#### Collection

Hymn of the Month IAsked the Lord that IMight Grow\*

Printed in the bulletin (Trinity Psalter Hymnal, 519)

# Scripture Reading

Mark 4:21-34; pew Bible page 839

Sermon

"A Kingdom Lamp & Powerful Seeds"

In Christ Alone\*

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Rev. Dennis Bullock Lord's Supper

Words of Institution \*

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Rev. Dennis Bullock

As part of the Lord's Supper, we confess our common faith.

#### Confession of Faith \*

Heidelburg Catechism - Question 21

Question: What is true faith?

Answer: True faith is not only a certain knowledge whereby I hold for truth all that God has revealed to us in His Word; but also a hearty trust, which the Holy Spirit works in me by the Gospel, that not only to others, but to me also, forgiveness of sins, everlasting righteousness and salvation are freely given by God, merely of grace, only for the sake of Christ's merits.

As instituted by our Lord, wine is the element used in the Lord's Supper to show forth His Blood on our behalf (Mark 14:23-25).

# If, however, for reasons of conscience or health, you are unable to participate using wine, grape juice is provided on the outer ring of the tray.

Gluten-free wafers are provided on each bread tray.

#### Distribution of the Elements

#### Doxology\*

Trinity Hymnal, number 733

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Amen.

#### Benediction \*

## 125 Psalm 125

#### All, Like Mount Zion, Unmoved Shall Endure

The God of all grace...will Himself perfect, confirm, strengthen and establish you. —1 Peter 5:10



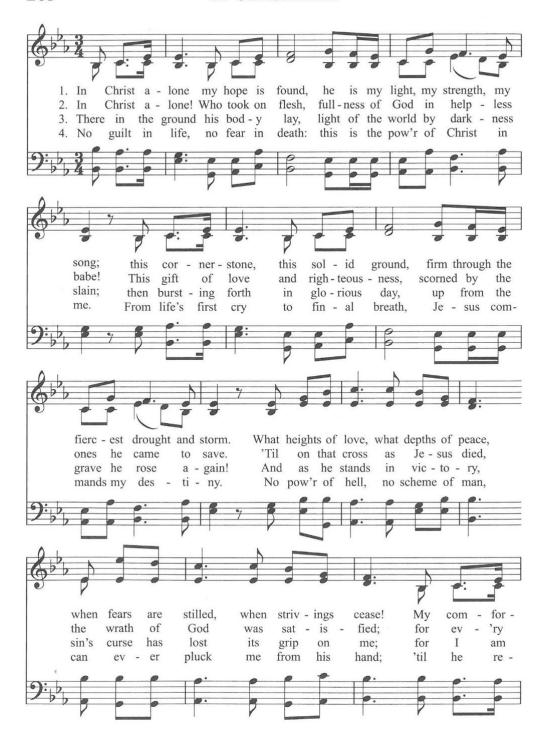
#### 519 I Asked the Lord That I Might Grow



- 6. "Lord, why is this?" I, trembling, cried; "Wilt thou pursue thy worm to death?" "Tis in this way," the Lord replied, "I answer prayer for grace and faith.
- 7. "These inward trials I employ from self and pride to set thee free, and break thy schemes of earthly joy that thou may'st find thine all in me."

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#### In Christ Alone



#### CHRIST, THE ONLY MEDIATOR AND REDEEMER



Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

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IN CHRIST ALONE L.M.D. Keith Getty and Stuart Townend Arr. Ruth Coleman

# Sermon Notes

# Mark 4:21-34

"A Kingdom Lamp & Powerful Seeds"

#### For Our Visitors

We invite the whole family to participate in worship together, but for those who so desire, a nursery is provided for children aged newborn to four years-old during all Sunday services. The nursery is located on the second floor of our Sunday School building. A child needing special attention during worship may be taken to the cry room, located off the foyer of the auditorium, or to the nursery.

If you are visiting with us for the first time, please fill out a visitor card, which you will find in the pew rack in front of you, and place it in the offering plate.

Hearing impaired assistance devices are available on the table in the foyer.

The women's restroom is located downstairs from the auditorium foyer.

Men's and women's restrooms are at the top of the stairs in the hallway between the fellowship hall and auditorium.

If you need assistance, anyone with the "Greeter" nametag will be happy to help.

If this is the fourth Sunday of the month, we will have a fellowship meal (potluck) together immediately after our morning worship and would love to have you join us.

## Lord's Day Activities

9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:45 a.m. Worship Service5:30 p.m. Worship Service (second Sunday only)Nursery is provided during SundaySchool and Worship.

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