

Lord's Day Morning Worship Service

August 16, 2026; 11:00 a.m. (Pastor Tom Martin)

*When the music begins, please refrain from conversation
and prepare for the worship service.*

Greeting and Welcome; Announcements

Approaching God

- ▲ Call to Worship & Response **Psalm 118:14–15a, 17**

Leader: The LORD is my strength and my song;
he has become my salvation.

**People: Glad songs of salvation
are in the tents of the righteous.**

**I shall not die, but I shall live,
and recount the deeds of the LORD.**

- ▲ Salutation

- ▲ Doxology **Psalter Hymnal 401 (vs. 4)**

**In the Jordan River baptized,
stood our Prophet, King, and Priest.
God the Spirit tore the heavens,
coming down on him to rest.
Like a dove on Christ remaining,
fitting him to bear our sin,
“You, my Son, beloved and pleasing”—
heaven testified of him.**

- ▲ Prayer of Invocation

- ▲ *Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun* **Trinity Hymnal 395**

- ▲ Confession of Sin (*Unison*) **Psalm 56:3–4a**

**When I am afraid, I put my trust in you.
In God, whose word I praise,
in God I trust;
I shall not be afraid. Amen.**

- ▲ Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Old Testament Scripture **1 Samuel 2:1–10**

Pastoral Prayer

Giving Attention to God's Word

- ▲ *Who with God Most High ...* **Psalter Hymnal 91B**

New Testament Scripture **Luke 12:1–7**

Sermon **FAITH IN FEAR** **Luke 12:4–7**

Theme: Reassuring words for Jesus' fearful friends

1. Faith gets things in perspective (vs. 4)
2. Faith recognizes the big picture (vs. 5)
3. Faith trusts in our Father's care (vs. 6–7)

Responding to God's Word

- ▲ *I Know Whom I Have Believed* **Trinity Hymnal 705**

- ▲ Confession of Faith (*Unison*) **Romans 14:7–8**

Leader: What confidence does the believer have?

**People: None of us lives to himself,
and none of us dies to himself.
For if we live, we live to the Lord,
and if we die, we die to the Lord.
So then, whether we live
or whether we die,
we are the Lord's.**

- ▲ *Gloria Patri* **Trinity Hymnal 735**

Giving & Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

- ▲ Benediction **2 Corinthians 13:14**

- ▲ Doxology **Psalter Hymnal 316 (vs. 6)**

**Praise to God the Father sing,
Praise to God the Son, our King,
Praise to God the Spirit be
Ever and eternally.**

▲ Indicates standing, as able.

Scripture quotations are from the English Standard Version (ESV)

Next Lord's Day (AM Pastor Mitch, PM Pastor Tom)

Morning Sermon FAITH IN CONFESSION (Luke 12:8–12)

Evening Sermon MOSES INTERCEDES (Exodus 32:7–14)