



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

AUGUST 23, 2026

PRELUDE “O God, Our Help in Ages Past” (Jeff Perks)

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

DEDICATION OF PRESCHOOL TEACHERS On Screens

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: I will extol thee, my God, O king;
and I will bless thy name for ever and ever.

**People: Every day will I bless thee;
and I will praise thy name for ever and ever.**

One: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
and his greatness is unsearchable.

**People: One generation shall praise thy works to another,
and shall declare thy mighty acts.**

One: My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord:

People: and let all flesh bless his holy name for ever and ever.

***OPENING HYMN** “Come Christians Join to Sing”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**

“Gloria Patri” (#734)

***PASSING THE PEACE**

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“Your Words are Wonderful (Psalm 119)”
(Stiff, Zimmer)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy Spirit,
help us to hear and understand your truth
that has, does, and will continue to sustain us
through every generation.
In Jesus' name; Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 71:17-24 (Pew Bible pg. 538)

MESSAGE

Generation to Generation:
“Silent Generation” (1926-1945)

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**

“God of Generations”

OFFERING & MUSICAL OFFERING

“Praise You Lord, O My Soul”
(William Schurr)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

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***CLOSING HYMN**

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past” (#84 vs. 1,4,5,6)

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

“Festival Piece on Nicaea” (Jerry Westenkuehler)

Director of Worship
Director of Media
Organist/Accompanist
Tech Team

Ensemble
Worship Band

Scripture reader

Elizabeth Virkler
Luke Graham
Ronél Wishnuff
Riley McKenna
Stacey McClurg
Caleb Ruggiero
Lee & Berdi Meehan
Summer Choir
Joey Carano
Pete Harrison
Nathan Hubbard
Carol Kasser