

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Week's Sermon. The text of next week's sermon is Galatians 5:22–24.

Fall Sunday School. This fall the adult Sunday school will study the Book of Psalms. A new children's Sunday school will be started for older children, and we are exploring a catechism class for the little ones.

INFORMATION

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Welcome to



A Reformed Church For Toledo, OH

The Lord's Day, August 21, 2022

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Welcome And Announcements

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Preparation For Worship

Prelude

Call To Worship

Rev. Taylor Wright

***Hymn Of Adoration**

“O God Beyond All Praising”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #241

***Prayer Of Invocation**

***Confession Of Faith**

Minister: Christian, what do you believe?

All: We believe that the only Redeemer of God’s elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who being the eternal Son of God became man, and so was and continues to be God and man, in two distinct natures and one person, forever.

We believe that as our Redeemer, Christ is a prophet, priest, and king in both His humiliation and His exaltation.

We believe that as our prophet, Christ reveals by His Word and Spirit the will of God to us for our salvation.

We believe that as our priest, Christ offered Himself up once, as a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice and to reconcile us to God, and that He continually intercedes for us.

We believe that as our king, Christ subdues us to Himself, rules and defends us, and restrains and conquers all His and our enemies.

(from Westminster Shorter Catechism in Modern English Questions 21–26)

Old Testament Reading

Amos 2:1–16

Confession Of Sin

All: O Lord, the great and awesome God, Who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those Who love Him and keep His commandments, we have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from Your commandments and rules. We have not listened to Your Son Jesus. To You, O Lord, belongs righteousness, but to us open shame because we have not entreated Your favor by repenting. The Lord our God is righteous in all His works. You have brought us, Your people, out of slavery to sin with a mighty hand, and have made a name for Your Son, and we have sinned against You. Hear our prayer and show us mercy, for Your own sake, O Lord. Make Your face to shine upon Your sanctuary. Incline Your ear and hear. Open Your eyes

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and see. We present our pleas before You, not because of our righteousness, but because of Your mercy. Hear us and forgive us. Pay attention and act. Do not delay for Your own sake, because Your people are called by Your name. Amen. (from Daniel 9:4–19)

Assurance Of Pardon

At the beginning of your pleas for mercy a word went out, and I have come to tell it to you, for you are greatly loved. (Daniel 9:23)

Hymn

“Declare Me Innocent, O LORD”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #26

Tithes And Offerings

***The Doxology**

Trinity Psalter Hymnal #567

New Testament Reading

Acts 13:1–12

Prayer Of Intercession

Rev. Taylor Wright

***Hymn**

“My Heart Does Overflow”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #45B

Sermon

Galatians 5:22–24
“The Fruit of the Spirit, Part 1” (Galatians, 21)
Rev. Taylor Wright

***Closing Hymn**

“Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #534

***Closing Prayer**

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response**

“All Creatures of Our God and King”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #248, Verse 5

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