



Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 22, 2025

* *Please stand if you are able*

Prelude: "Come, Thou Almighty King"

arr. A. Beck & Healey Willan

Gathering

WELCOME & LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

Acolyte: Jesus Christ is the light of the world. We light this candle as a sign that Christ has come and Christ will come again. As the light pushes back darkness let us walk with, learn from, and worship Jesus Christ.

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist: We all believe in our hearts and confess with our mouths that there is a single and simple spiritual being, whom we call God —

All: eternal, incomprehensible, invisible, unchangeable, infinite, almighty;
completely wise, just, and good, the overflowing source of all good.

Belgic Confession Article 1

Liturgist: Let us be gathered together in worship of this one God.

* **All Singing: 579 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"**

* GOD'S GREETING

* GOD'S PEOPLE GREETING ONE ANOTHER

* **All Singing: 527 "Come Away from Rush and Hurry"**

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Reconciliation

Liturgist: We believe that the Father, when it seemed good to him, created heaven and earth and all other creatures from nothing, by the Word—that is to say, by the Son.

All: God has given all creatures their being, form, and appearance and their various functions for serving their Creator.

Liturgist: Even now God also sustains and governs them all, according to his eternal providence and by his infinite power, that they may serve humanity, in order that humanity may serve God.

Belgic Confession Article 12 adapted

All: Lord, have mercy. Forgive us for the ways in which we have plundered the created order, spoiled *shalom*, and sought our will rather than yours. Forgive us for serving self-interests rather than serving your interests and creation's interests. Lord, have mercy.

Silent Reflection and Confession

Liturgist: We believe that our good God, by marvelous divine wisdom and goodness, seeing that Adam and Eve had plunged themselves into both physical and spiritual death and made themselves completely miserable, set out to find them, though they, trembling all over, were fleeing from God.

All: And God comforted them, promising to give them his Son, born of a woman, to crush the head of the serpent, and to make them blessed.

Belgic Confession Article 17 adapted

* **All Singing: 775 “Across the Lands”**

Liturgist: We believe that the ceremonies and symbols of the law have ended with the coming of Christ, and that all foreshadowings have come to an end, so that the use of them ought to be abolished among Christians.

All: Yet the truth and substance of these things remain for us in Jesus Christ, in whom they have been fulfilled.

Liturgist: Nevertheless, we continue to use the witnesses drawn from the law and prophets to confirm us in the gospel and to regulate our lives with full integrity for the glory of God, according to the will of God.

Belgic Confession Article 25

Proclamation

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

All Singing: 907 “Be Still and Know”

Psalms 46:10

Repeating, following the lead of the leader...

Scripture: II Timothy 3:10–17

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon: What Does it Mean to be Reformed? Two Screens

* **All Singing: 583 “O Love of God, How Strong and True”**
Singing verses 1, 3–6

Dedication

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Liturgist: With joy, let us now offer our gifts, in music, heart, and resource, as a sign of our deep devotion and covenant faithfulness

OFFERING

1. General Fund
2. Sheilah Doyle Foundation

OFFERTORY “All Things Bright and Beautiful”

arr. Dale Wood

* **All Singing: 959 “Glory Be to the Father”**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Sending

* BENEDICTION

* **All Singing: 938 “My Friends, May You Grow in Grace”**

Postlude: “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee / Jesu Joy of Man’s Desiring”
arr. Phillip Kevern

Worship Leaders

Organist / Pianist:	Lynn Hollender	Acolyte:	Casey Kostelyk
Postlude Pianist:	Jean Korthals	Liturgist:	Kim Ottenhoff
Vocalists:	Lori & Evelyn Evenhouse	Prayer:	Bill Boerman-Cornell
	Josiah Friesen		
Percussion:	Henry Evenhouse		
Minister:	Roger Nelson		

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