



Welcome, Guests and Members!

*(The * indicates when the congregation is to stand.)*

PRE-WORSHIP

“Battle Belongs”

Announcements

OPENING WORSHIP

*Processional Song Psalm 118:24, 19, 20, 24 and **“Today Is the Day”**
(Please stand and turn to face the cross as it enters the sanctuary.)

*Invocation, Confession and Absolution

Leader: In the Name of the Father and the ✠ Son and the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

Leader: Our theme for the academic year is *Sent to Serve*. For Jesus said:

People: The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.” (Matthew 20:28)

Leader: Truthfully, we have tried to serve ourselves more than we have wanted to serve others. Graciously, the Lord invites us to come before Him and admit our wrongs. Because of Jesus, He promises that He will not only forgive our sins, but also empower us to serve others just as He serves us.

Leader: Heavenly Father,

People: I confess that I have sinned against You and hurt other people. Instead of going to serve others, I have wanted others to come serve me. My words and actions have often caused family and friends much pain. I deserve to be punished, now and forever. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on me. Forgive me and help me to love others, just as You love me. Amen.

Leader: Friends in Christ, I have Good News for you! Because of Jesus’ death on the cross and His resurrection from the dead, today is a brand new day for you! Your Heavenly Father has heard your prayer, He forgives you all your sins and He fills you with His own Spirit that you may truly live in loving service to others. In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and the ✠ Son and the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen! In God’s grace, we are sent to serve!

(Please stand.)

*Song of Praise

“Sent to Serve”

(Please be seated.)

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED AND EXPLAINED

1st Lesson

Isaiah 6:1-8

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

2nd Lesson

Philippians 2:1-11

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

The Anthem

"Joyful, Joyful"
(Mixed Quartet)

arr. M. Warren

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 20:20-28, ESV

Pastor: The Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twentieth chapter, verses 20-28.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

Children's Message and Dismissal for Children's Church

The Message

"Sent to Serve"

Matthew 20:28

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

(Please stand.)

***The Creed - The Apostles' Creed**

THE GRADUATION

*(We ask God's richest blessings on all of our graduates
who have achieved this important milestone.)*

THE VALEDICTORY ADDRESSES

Katie Viggiano

THE AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

Miss Cynthia Butt, 8th Grade Teacher
Mr. Mike Rottmann, Grace School Principal
Rev. Charles T. Reich, Senior Pastor

8TH GRADE GRADUATES OF GRACE SCHOOL

VALEDICTORIAN

Katie Viggiano

SALUTATORIANS

Kris Patel

James Aguilar
Keyshlymar Ayala
Kara Bradley *
Carldayle Brantley
Colton Courson-Jones *
Blake Emanuel *
Jacob Garrison *
Leniyha Grant *
Victoria McGuiness *
Sadie McIntee *

Kennedy Miller *
Vincent Miller *
Landon Neubrand *
Gavin Oostra *
Kris Patel *
Thomas Pitard *
Jaiden Schuda
Katie Viggiano *
Jesse Willis
Taylor Willis *
Miles Wolford

***Denotes National Junior Honor Society Member**

CLASS MOTTO

Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.
In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. *Proverbs 3:5-6*

THE RECOGNITION OF ADDITIONAL 8TH GRADE GRADUATES

Lilliann Witcher

Olivia Zinsmeister

THE RECOGNITION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Anthony Ballard
Sarah Duffield
Jacob Lehning
Hunter Lehning
Taylor Lingley
Tyler Martin

Blake Nierman
Timothy Reich
Dustin Stark
Collin Stark
Jessica Steffen
Taylor String

THE RECOGNITION OF COLLEGE GRADUATES

Brittney Dodd, daughter of Kenny and Barbi Dodd, granddaughter of Shelby & Arlene Adams, graduated May 8 with an Associate of Applied Science (AS) degree in Early Childhood Education, with additional classes in the fall, Brittney will graduate in December with an AA degree in Elementary Education

Morgany Knight, daughter of Jamie & Kitty Knight, granddaughter of Jim & Ella Sturdevant, graduated from UCF with a BA degree in Theater Studies, Minors in Art & History, National Honor Society with Leadership Success

Madison Pistoria, daughter of Dr. Tamara Pistoria, granddaughter of Dr. & Mrs. Cliff Threlkeld, graduated May 1, Magna Cum Laude from Auburn University with a BS degree in Biomedical Sciences

Anna Reich, daughter of Rev. & Mrs. Charles Reich, granddaughter of Ed & Gladys Reich, graduated December 12, 2020, Cum Laude from Florida Gulf Coast University with a BS degree in Business Marketing

Gianna Stark, granddaughter of Carla Stark-Davis, graduated from University of Florida with a BS degree in Biology

***THE PRAYERS**

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

***THE BENEDICTION**

Pastor: May the Grace of Jesus Christ, ✠ the love of God the Father and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: **Amen.**

***THE DISMISSAL**

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

***THE RECESSIONAL HYMN**

“Send Me Out”

**Jesus Lord of my salvation Savior of my soul
Send me out to the world to make You known
Jesus King of ev’ry nation This world’s only hope
Send me out to the world to make You known, Send me out to the world**

Chorus

**I wanna be Your hands and feet I wanna be Your voice ev’ry time I speak
I wanna run to the ones in need In the name of Jesus
I wanna give my life away All for Your kingdom’s sake
Shine a light in the darkest place In the name of Jesus (In the name of Jesus)**

**Carry to the broken-hearted Mercy You have shown
Send me out to the world to make You known
To the ones in need of rescue Lead me I will go
Send me out to the world to make You known, Send me out to the world. Chorus**

**Here am I, I will go Send me out to make You known
There is hope for ev’ry soul Send me out send me out
Here am I, I will go Send me out to make You known
There is hope for ev’ry soul So send me out. Chorus**

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Sunday, 8:30 AM - WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

The Preacher	Michael Rottmann, School Principal
The Liturgists	The Rev. Charles T. Reich, Vicar Michael Duffy
The Musical Worship Leaders	Contemporary Praise Band
The Mixed Quartet	Wynn Bonner, Vicar Michael Duffy, Peggy Jo Griffin, Leah Welter
The Sound Technician	Josh Woods
The Projection Technician	Andrew Woods
The Elder on Duty	Arlene Adams
The Lectors	Sadie McIntee, Kara Bradley
The Robing Leader	Jon Peterson
The Crucifer	Jana Peterson
The Greeters	Jack Watkins
At the Guestbook	Jane Watkins
The Ushers	Arlene Adams, Patti Meier, Ritchie & Nancy Woolcock