



August 16, 2026
Gathered Worship

God Welcomes Us

* Call to Worship

From *Psalm 118*

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! Let Israel say,

ALL: "His steadfast love endures forever."

Leader: Let the house of Aaron say,

ALL: "His steadfast love endures forever."

Leader: Let those who fear the LORD say,

ALL: "His steadfast love endures forever."

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

ALL: Glad songs of salvation are in the tents of the righteous:

Leader: "The right hand of the LORD does valiantly, the right hand of the LORD exalts, the right hand of the LORD does valiantly!"

ALL: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

* Prayer of Invocation

* Song of Praise

The Lord Is My Salvation

* Please stand (if possible)

God Restores Us

Prayer of Confession

ALL: O God of grace, you have given our sin to Jesus Christ, our substitute, and have given his righteousness to our souls, clothing us with a bridegroom's robe, decking us with jewels of holiness. But in our Christian walk we are still in rags; our best prayers are stained with sin; our tears of repentance are so much impurity; our confessions of wrong are so many aggravations of sin. We need to repent of our repentance; we need our tears to be washed. We have no robe to bring to cover our sins, no loom to weave our own righteousness. We are always standing clothed in filthy garments, and by grace are always receiving change of raiment, for you do always justify the ungodly. We are always going into the far country and always returning home as a prodigal; always saying, Father, forgive us; and you are always bringing forth the best robe. Every morning let us wear it, every evening return in it, go to the grave in it, stand before the great white throne in it, enter heaven in it shining as the sun. Grant us never to lose sight of the exceeding sinfulness of sin, the exceeding righteousness of salvation, the exceeding glory of Christ, the exceeding beauty of holiness, the exceeding wonder of grace.

Silent Confession of Sin

* Assurance of Forgiveness

Hebrews 4:14-16

Leader: Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin.

ALL: Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

* Song of Adoration

Before the Throne of God Above

Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

Leader: Christian, in whom do you believe?

ALL: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic[†] church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Covenant Baptism of George Thomas Harper

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Prayer

ALL: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

[†] Catholic in this sense means "universal, across all nations and cultures."

God Nourishes Us

Scripture Reading

Psalm 2 (p. 448)

Leader: The grass withers and the flower fades,

ALL: but the Word of our God will stand forever.

* Song of Preparation

Blesséd Spirit of the King

Sermon

"The Merciful King"
1 Timothy 1:12-17 (p. 991)
Rev. Remargo Yancie

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Prayer of Humble Access for Holy Communion

ALL: We do not presume to come to this, your table, O Merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy even as to gather up the crumbs from under your table. But you are the same Lord, whose eternal nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, that by faith in your dear son, Jesus Christ, our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, so that we evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Presentation of Communion Elements

Minister: Behold! The gifts of God for the people of God! Hallelujah!

People: Hallelujah!

Words of Institution

Song of Communion

His Mercy Is More

Distribution of the Bread and Cup

Minister: When we eat this meal we are reminded that we are not our own,

ALL: But together belong to Christ, and in Christ belong to one another.

Minister: The bread that we break is a sharing in the body of Christ.

ALL: And we who are many are one in Him! *(partake of the bread together)*

Minister: The cup that we drink is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

ALL: And we who are many are one in Him! *(partake of the cup together)*

* Doxology

The Old Hundredth

* Benediction

Announcements

CCA Scripture Reading this Week
Job 1-10; Psalm 91

Summer Book Discussion

Join us for our next gathering on August 22nd to discuss Sinclair Ferguson's book, *The Christian Life*. The discussion will focus on ch. 10-18 of the book, but prior reading is not required! RSVP to Megan Malone or Court Culver for more details.

5th Sunday Potluck

Our next 5th Sunday Potluck will be on August 30th, 11:30AM in the Chapel. During the meal, we'll be hearing from Brooke Wheeler and members of her team about their recent missions trip to Northern Africa.

Men's Ministry Fall Kickoff

Our men's ministry will be kicking off the fall with an evening of good food and fellowship on Wednesday, September 2nd. Contact Elder Paul Oh for more info.

Sunday School

Sunday School for all ages will kick off on September 13th! This fall, our focus for all children's classes will be on aspects of the Old Testament:

- Preschool: The Life of Moses
- Early Elementary: The 10 Commandments
- Older Elementary: Overview of 1 Samuel-Esther
- Middle/High School: Study of the Covenants

We are currently in need of several teachers and helpers, particularly for our early elementary class. For more information about classes or to volunteer, please contact our Kids' Ministry Director, Tacye Clarke.

September Sunday Supper

Our next Sunday Supper will be on September 13th, 5:30-7PM in the Chapel. More information is available in our Friday announcements!

Welcome to CCA!

Thank you for joining us in worship this morning. We pray that you encounter God's glory and experience his great love for you in Christ today.

Please join us for refreshments after the service. If you have any questions about the service, please contact any of our leaders.

Children: We invite children of all ages to join us throughout the worship service. If nursery care is desired, our nursery is available for children three and under. Kids' worship activity bags and kids' bulletins are also available in the narthex.

Communion: We welcome all baptized believers, who have made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ, to join us in our celebration of the Lord's Supper. We offer both wine (clear cups) and juice (purple cups), and bread and allergen-free crackers. We take the elements together once all have been served.

Giving: We give ourselves and our loyalty to the Lord every Sunday, as an act of worship and sacrifice of praise. If you are also led to give a financial gift to the church, you can do so using the envelopes and offering box in the back of the sanctuary, or online at ccapca.org/give.

Who We Are

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