

Announcements

September birthdays

September 5 th	Jetta Peters, Joan Currah
September 10	Abigail Leach
September 18 th	Jack Eckley, Mary Phillips, Barbara Graham, Robert Heuermann
September 19 th	Janet Jones
September 23 rd	Karen Snyder
September 28 th	Ronald Gambill, Margie Jones
September 29 th	Casey Leong, Sally Spooner

Cody Cupboard September Items

Toothpaste
Disposable Razors
Laundry Detergent
Kleenex Tissues
Toilet Paper
Diapers

New Church Directory

The new church directory is available online for viewing!

Website Information and Access Code available on the table in the Narthex.

Printed Directories are also available on the table in the Narthex.

Weekly Events

- Boy Scouts Meet** (6th Grade +) Monday in the Basement
6:30pm – 7:30pm
- Cub Scouts Meet** (1st – 5th Grade) Wednesday in the Basement – 6:30pm-7:30pm
- Food 4 Kids Packing Meet** Thursday in the Parlor
6:00pm-7:00pm
- Food 4 Kids Food Delivery** Friday in the Parlor
8:30am – 9:15am
- Adult Study Group** – Sunday in the Parlor
11:00am-12:00pm. The Chosen Season 2 Study

FPCC Session 2025

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Office hours: Tuesday - Friday 8:30am – 1:30pm

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September 28th, 2025

Please fill out an attendance form
and pass it along your row

Praise Music

“How Majestic Is Your Name”

“Speak, O Lord”

“Lord, Reign In Me”

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship

God, we love you because you hear us when we speak to you.

You are always listening for our voice.

Teach us how to listen for your voice.

When we cry out for help, you come to our rescue.

You rescue our soul from death.

You rescue our eyes from tears.

You rescue our feet from stumbling.

Let the words of our mouth and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, our rock and our redeemer.

We worship you in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Amen!

Opening Hymn “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” Hymn #288

Confession & Forgiveness
We have come with open hearts. We want your ancient words to speak truth into our hearts. We want our speech to reflect your presence in our life. Because you hear us when we speak, forgive our sins, those known and unknown, those intended and unintended, and those seen and unseen. Forgive those thoughts, words and actions that have separated us from you and those around us.

Silent Confession
Use the piece of paper that was handed to you when you entered:
· *To write words which you have spoken that you need to confess and wash away and commit to making things right with the person you have hurt.*
· *Consider what “old tapes” are weighing you down, words spoken to you that repeat over and over in your minds and keep hurting. This is a chance to write those words down and wash them away and commit to prayer, the need for healing.*
When you are done writing, you are invited to come forward and place your paper in the bowl of water. If you are not ready during this time, we invite you to place your paper in the bowl at the close of the service.

Assurance of Pardon
We cannot verbalize or comprehend the greatness of your love for us and the greatness of the forgiving sacrifice of Jesus Christ on our behalf. We are speechless. We are in awe of you and your work.
Let the words of our mouth and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, our rock and our redeemer.

Gloria Patri

Choir Anthem “Worthy Is the Lamb”

Call to Give

Offertory “Voice of Truth” *Wendy Corr*

Doxology

Prayer of Blessing

Children’s Time

Hymn “Ancient Words” *Onscreen Only*

Scripture James 3:1-12 (NIV)

Message *Beyond Belief... Truthful Speech!*

Joys and Concerns
(Before we leave worship, we need to share what life is like in our lives, in our community, and in our world. It is a time to be thankful for those things that bring us joy, but we also lift up people, places, or situations to the throne of God to let God hear our cries for help, healing, or strength to face what is happening.)
After each prayer request, we will pray: “Lord, hear our prayer.”

The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn “Standing On the Promises” *Onscreen Only*

Benediction and Blessing
Go and speak words of blessing into each other’s lives. Go and speak the truth in love. Let the words of your mouth and the meditation of your hearts be acceptable to God. Go in peace and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Postlude
Ushers: The Thomas Family
Worship Director: Wendy Corr
Accompanist: Pam Kuhens
Message: Gregg Miller



Next Steps:

James 3:1-12 (NIV)

¹Not many of you should become teachers, my fellow believers, because you know that we who teach will be judged more strictly.
²We all stumble in many ways. Anyone who is never at fault in what they say is perfect, able to keep their whole body in check.
³When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal.
⁴Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go.
⁵Likewise, the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark.
⁶The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body. It corrupts the whole body, sets the whole course of one’s life on fire, and is itself set on fire by hell.
⁷All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind,
⁸but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison.
⁹With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God’s likeness.
¹⁰Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be.
¹¹Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring?
¹²My brothers and sisters, can a fig tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water.

