

Christ Church

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*Reformed Teaching* † *Re-forming People*

**Prelude**

**Moments of Concern**

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 57:7 My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing and give praise.

**Heidelberg Catechism:** Lord's Day 3 (page 9)

**\*Hymn of Adoration:** 374 "Rejoice, the Lord Is King!"

**\*Call to Confession:** Psalm 145:8, 18 The LORD is gracious and full of compassion, slow to anger and great in mercy. The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him in truth.

**\*Prayer of Confession:** Holy Father in heaven, we confess before You our sinfulness. We are polluted through and through—even in the deeds that look good to the public. We abhor what we have become due to Adam's sin, and we abhor the sins we have committed. As we have come to trust in Jesus for salvation, the One who alone can remove our uncleanness and impurity, teach us to live in dependence on Him every day, trusting that the washing we receive from Him will supply cleansing for every sin we commit. We ask Your forgiveness and cleansing as we pray in the Name of our precious Savior, Jesus. Amen.

**\*Agnus Dei**

**Women & Children:** O Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

**Men:** O Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

**All:** O Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, grant us your peace. Amen.

**\*Assurance of Pardon:** Micah 7:18-19 Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant

of His heritage? He does not retain His anger forever, because He delights in mercy. He will again have compassion on us, and will subdue our iniquities. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

**C:** Thanks be to God.

**\*Gloria Patri:** No. 142

**\*Collect of the Day:** O God who has saved us by the glorious sacrifice of our Savior Jesus, teach us to abide in Your peace. Soften our hearts and awaken fully submissive trust in You. We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Old Testament Lesson:** Isaiah 26:1-11 (page 625)

**Psalter Selection:** Psalm 128

Blessed are all who fear the LORD's name,  
And who walk within His ways.  
When you eat of your hands' labor,  
You'll be blessed throughout your days.  
In your house your wife will prosper  
Like a vine whose fruits abound;  
And like olive plants, your children  
At your table gather round.

So the man who fears the LORD shall  
In this way great blessing know.  
May the LORD from out of Zion  
Blessings rich on you bestow.  
May you see Jerus'lem prosper  
All your days, until they cease.  
May you see your children's children.  
On all Israel be peace!

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**Missions Moment**

**Children's Sermon**

**\*Hymn of Preparation:** Praise Book - 16 "Forever"

**Sermon:** Isaiah 26:1-11

**Prayers of the People**

**Lord's Prayer (unison):** Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in

heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

### **Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

#### **Offertory**

**\*Offertory Response:** Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### **\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Hymn of Response:** 408 "I Surrender All"

#### **\*Benediction**

#### **\*Threefold Amen**

#### **\*Postlude**

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