

SERMON NOTES



HERITAGE

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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Welcome to Heritage Church!

We're glad you've come to worship with us! We hope you will experience a warm welcome as we worship God together and embrace the truth of Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord. We are glad to have you with us and look forward to welcoming you back again soon.

If you would like to know more about what it means to become a follower of Jesus Christ, we encourage you to talk with our pastor or pick up the "Two Ways to Live" pamphlet at the information Center or available at twowaystolive.com

To learn more about Heritage, check out our website or consider attending a class designed to introduce you to who we are and why we are here. Please email us at churchoffice@heritagecrc.org or call the church office to let us know of your interest.

Our Mission

To introduce people to Jesus Christ,
to help them grow to be more like Him,
and then to reproduce the process in others.

Sunday, April 12, 2026

Preparation for Worship

“Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; let your glory be over all the earth.” Psalm 57:11

Prelude

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship

Leader: Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things; his right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.

All: The LORD has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations.

Leader: He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to the house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

All: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth, burst into jubilant song with music; make music to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and the sound of singing, with trumpets and the blast of the ram’s horn—shout for joy before the LORD, the King. Psalm 98:1–6

*Song of Praise

Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain Gray 389

*God’s Greeting

*Song of Praise

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) Screens

WE CELEBRATE REDEMPTION

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Song

Spirit of God, Who Dwells Within My Heart Gray 419:1,3,5

Assurance of Pardon

God’s Will for our Lives

Our Profession of Faith The Nicene Creed

Song of Response

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Gray 486

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture Acts 8:9-25 (p. 1148)

Sermon **“An Uncompromising Gospel”**

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

*Song

Be Thou My Vision

Screens

Prayers of the People

Heritage Happenings

Tithes - General Fund

Offerings - International Campus Ministry

If you are a visitor with us please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering but free to do so. Please take a few moments to complete the Connection Card and place it in the offering basket located by the sanctuary doors.

WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE

*The Benediction

*Doxology

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Screens

Postlude

*You are invited to stand in body or in spirit

Bold italicized text is read together by the congregation and plain text by the leader. Most songs are found in the hymnals and all of the words will be on the front screens.