

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, January 4, 2026

Preparation for Worship

“Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.” Isaiah 60:1

Prelude

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship

*Song of Worship

Angels from the Realms of Glory Gray 354:1,3,4,5

*God’s Greeting

*Song of Praise

Shine, Jesus, Shine Green 431

Profession of Faith ~ Belgic Confession, Article 10

Song

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness Green 293

Prayers of the People

Heritage Happenings

Tithes - General Fund

Offerings - Rehoboth Christian Schools

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.

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Series The Journey of Faith: Abraham

Scripture Genesis 12:1-20 (p 11)

Sermon **“The Call: Starting and Stumbling”**

Prayer of Application

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNION

The Institution & Prayer of Consecration

The Invitation

The Communion

The Bread *Grace Greater Than Our Sin* Green 344:1,2,3

The Cup *How Deep the Father’s Love* Screens

Prayer of Thanksgiving

WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE

*The Benediction

*Doxology

This Little Light of Mine 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.