

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, July 27, 2025

Preparation for Worship

"The LORD reigns, let the nations tremble; he sits enthroned between the cherubim, let the earth shake. Great is the LORD in Zion; he is exalted over all the nations." Psalm 99:1-2

Prelude: "Adoration Medley"

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship

Leader: Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the LORD our Maker;

All: for he is our God and we are the people of his pasture, the flock under his care. (Psalm 95:6-7)

*Song of Worship

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Screens

*God's Greeting

*Songs of Praise

I Love You, Lord

Green 78

My Jesus, I Love Thee

Green 79:1,2,3

WE CELEBRATE REDEMPTION

A Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Our Profession of Faith The Nicene Creed

Song of Response

In Christ Alone

Screens

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture Ephesians 5:1-20 (p.1227)

Sermon **"A Bright Identity"**

Guest Pastor: Rev. Michael Vandenberg

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Song

We Are Called to be God's People

Green 415

Prayers of the People

Heritage Happenings

Tithes - General Fund & Building Fund

Offerings - Forgotten Man Ministries

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

To God Be the Glory

Gray 473:1,2

Postlude: "Living For Jesus"

*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.