Tithe & Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication
All that we are, and all that we have, come from you, O God. Amen.
(Hoyt L. Hickman, 20th C., Alt, adapted)

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Ministry Moment | 2027 Stewardship Presentation

***Closing Hymn** | "Lord of the Dance" | United Methodist Hymnal #261

Sending Forth

Benediction

Postlude

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Order of Worship

21st Sunday after Pentecost, October 18, 2026 | 8 am

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship
Come, let us worship in the assurance of God's love that chooses us, empowers us, and inspires us to live as the family of Christ.
We come to worship God in the assurance that we belong to God, and through God, we belong to one another. Amen.
Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, July 2026.

Opening Hymn | "God of Grace and God of Glory" | United Methodist Hymnal #577

Prayer of Confession (8:00 am) | Opening Prayer (10:30 am)
Loving, living God, be among us now. Show us your ways. Guide our steps. Live in us, that we may be people of steadfast hope and powerful giving. Help us hear your words, challenging us to give you
all the things that are yours. Help us remember that all we are and all we have are gifts from you,
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Mary Scifres, Ministry Matters. Reposted on re:Worship, October 16, 2001.

Assurance of Pardon (8:00 am)
Beloved children of God, receive this good news: God loves us, chooses us, Forgives us, and renews us
to live in love and service of God and neighbor.

Sharing of the Peace

***Epistle Lesson** | Acts 10:34-43 (NRSV)

Hymn of Response | "We Will Glorify the King of Kings" | The Faith We Sing #2087

Sermon | Rev. Dr. Kendrick D. Weaver

Moment of Absorption

"The Great Thanksgiving" (8:00 am)

The Lord's Prayer (8:00 am)

The Giving of the Bread and Cup (8:00 am)

"Abide with Me" | United Methodist Hymnal #700
"Crown Him with Many Crowns" | United Methodist Hymnal #327
"How Great Thou Art" | United Methodist Hymnal #77
"In Christ There Is No East or West" | United Methodist Hymnal #548

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** Please rise if you are able.*
Bold text indicates portions read in unison by the congregation.
We welcome you to sign in using the red binders in your pew.
Thank you for silencing cell phones and electronic devices during worship services.

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