
Colossians 1:15-20
The Supremacy of Christ

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MISSIO DEI CHURCH

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP
SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2026

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell.

On the third day, He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*Universal: The Christian church is universal in that there is not one nation that the church belongs to; but, all the nations of the world.

PREPARATION FOR THE WORSHIP OF OUR HOLY GOD

Silent Prayer

Keep, we ask You, O Lord, Your Church with Your perpetual mercy; and, because the frailty of man without You cannot but fall, keep us ever by Your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP--PSALM 68:4,32-35

Leader: Sing to God, sing praises to his name; lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts; his name is the LORD; exult before him!

ALL: O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God;

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord, to him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens;

ALL: Behold, he sends out his voice, his mighty voice.

Leader: Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel, and whose power is in the skies.

ALL: Awesome is God from his sanctuary;

Leader: The God of Israel—he is the one who gives power and strength to his people.

ALL: Blessed be God!

HYMNS OF PRAISE:

*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
Speak O Lord*

READING OF THE LAW, CONFESSION, AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Reading of The Law

Colossians 3:12-14

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

1 Peter 2:24--Christ himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

HYMN OF RESPONSE

Living Hope

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON

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CLOSING HYMN

Always

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

BENEDICTION

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

**APRIL
VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**

Children's Church

2nd-3rd Grade

5--No Class
12--Lorrie Spence
Kimm Witherts
19--James Rollins
Phil Foster
26--Amanda Mack
Jocelyn Mack

PreK-1st Grade

5--No Class
12--Erin Stephens
Aurea Stephens
19--Christina Bailey
Chessa Ross
26--Amber Lemman
Becky White

2-3 Year Olds

5--No Class
12--Mallory Adams
Bethany McNett
19--Kelsey Whitney
Luke Whitney
26--Jacqi Pilet

Nursery

5--No Class
12--Anna Rollins
19--Ambryan White
Rachel White
26--Jacqi Pilet

Greeters

5--Cari Burck
12--Tim Bailey
19--Becky White
Ryan Thacker
26--Phil Foster

APRIL MISSIONARIES

**David & Rashel Robbins
Closed Country, MTW**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meals for Tyler & Bekah Agee—Welcome baby Nora Belle! Please consider providing a meal for Bekah, Tyler, and Anna this month. They have no dietary restrictions and sincerely appreciate any offerings. See weekly email from Mark to sign up.

Wednesday Night Corporate Study—Join us on Wednesday nights at 5:30, beginning with a provided dinner! This year's theme will be "Marked and Nourished: Baptism, the Supper, and the Church." Christ has not left His church without visible means of grace. In this study, we will explore how baptism and the Lord's Supper function as "signs and seals" of God's covenant, strengthening faith and marking out the people of God. Grounded in Scripture and the Westminster Larger Catechism, we will also consider how the sacraments relate to church membership and the life of the covenant community. The youth (grades 6-12) will also be meeting during this time. If you missed a week and would like to listen to the audio, you can listen to it on Missio's podcast!

Fellowship Hall Makeover—We are having the carpet replaced in the Fellowship Hall the week of May 4. We need to move everything out before then, and we're hoping to paint in there before the new carpet is installed. If you are able to lend a hand at any point, please let Mark know.

Children's Ministry Volunteers—Please consider serving on a rotating team of volunteers in our kids' ministry. See weekly email from Mark for link email Sammi for more info.

First Friday Corporate Prayer Time—Join us the first Friday of every month for corporate prayer in the Fellowship Hall at 12:15.

HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAY!

**Megan Taylor (4/1), Jonan Pilet (4/2), Monroe Taylor (4/9),
Amanda Mack (4/11), Ryan Thacker (4/12), Cari Burck (4/13),
Jean Cremeans (4/21), Dream Lester (4/25), Luke Whitney
(4/26), Jack Valentine (4/28)**

If we've forgotten anyone, let Mark White know!