



May 3, 2026

10:00 a. m.

Prelude: "Prelude and Fugue in F Major" by J.S. Bach

Welcome

Call to Worship

Praise Song: #403 "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"

Scripture: Psalm 31:1-5,15-16

Song: "We Will Run"

Worship Offering: "Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove" by John Purifoy

Scripture: 2 Thessalonians 2:13

Sermon: Believers

Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who [art] in the heavens! hallowed be Thy name.

Thy reign come: Thy will come to pass, as in heaven also on the earth.

Our appointed bread give us to-day. And forgive us our debts, as also we forgive our debtors.

And mayest Thou not lead us to temptation, but deliver us from the evil,

because Thine is the reign, and the power, and the glory -- to the ages. Amen.

(Young's Literal Translation)

Communion

Song: "Trust in God"

Postlude: "Aria in F Major" GF Handel

Journal Question What would you list as essential beliefs for a Christian? Are there beliefs that some Christian traditions have held as essential that you're not so sure about?

The bread for Communion was made by Gabrielle and her mom, and is a variety of rye bread from Winnipeg, which is where Gabrielle's mother's family settled when they immigrated to Canada. If you would like to provide a homemade bread for Communion this year, please contact pastor Brian.

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