

# SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

JANUARY 4, 2026 | 10:15 A.M.

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## PREPARATION & PRAISE

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

### ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Call to Worship

Isaiah 60:1–3, 19–22

Prayer of the Day

Almighty Lord God, you gave your Son, Jesus Christ, to be the light of the world: We praise and magnify your holy name that in him you have revealed the wonder of your saving love to all people. With those of old who brought their tribute to his feet, confessing him as King of heaven and earth, we now present the worship of our grateful hearts, asking you to give us grace to give ourselves to you, through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

\* Song: “How Bright Appears the Morning Star”

PH 357

\* God’s Greeting

## CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession

1 John 1:5–7

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Colossians 1:12–14

God’s Will for Our Lives

Ephesians 5:8–14

Song: “Fill Thou My Life, O Lord, My God”

PH 547

Congregational Prayer

## THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Song: “As Moses Raised”

PH 219

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon: *Into the Light*

John 3:1–21 (p. 1051)

Prayer of Application

\* Song: “Lead Me, Guide Me”

PH 544

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation and Thanksgiving

\* Confession of Faith

Nicene Creed

Words of Institution

The Prayer of Consecration

Distribution of the Bread and Cup

## OUR RESPONSE OF GRATITUDE

Song: “O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”

PH297:1,2,5

Offertory Prayer

for the General Fund & NAC Food Pantry

## BLESSING & DISMISSAL

\* Benediction

O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God

\* Doxology: “Let All Things Now Living”

PH 453

Postlude:

*\*Indicates congregation stands, as able*

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Minister: Pastor Dan Vos

Liturgist: Beth Banning

Piano/Organ: Lisa Vos

*Prayer of the Day adapted from Worship Sourcebook F.1.4 #1, p. 497*