

# GRACE REFORMED CHURCH

A Mission Work of the Reformed Church in the United States

November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## WELCOME

Prelude & Silent Meditation

### CALL TO WORSHIP THE TRIUNE GOD

\*Please stand

\*Call to Worship

\*Doxology: #570 “Praise God from whom all blessings flow”

\*Hymn of Praise: #146 “Praise the Lord! My soul, O praise Him”

\*Invocation

\*Please be seated

### THE LORD PROPITIATED OUR SINS

Responsive reading: from the Heidelberg Catechism

Q.3 From where do you know your misery?

**Out of the Law of God.**

Q.4 What does the Law of God require of us?

**Christ teaches us in sum, Matthew 22: “Thou shalt love the Lord, thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. This is the first and great commandment; and the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.”**

Q.5 Can you keep all this perfectly?

**No, for I am prone by nature to hate God and my neighbor.**

Prayer of Confession and Repentance with Assurance of Forgiveness

\*Please stand

\*Hymn of Praise: #265 “In Christ Alone”

\*Please be seated

### THE LORD CONSECRATES US FOR HIS SERVICE

Confession of Faith: The Nicene Creed (Trinity Psalter, pg. 852)  
and Canons of Dort, Lord’s Day #46 (insert)

\*Please stand

\*Hymn of Preparation: “Rise up, O men of God” (insert)

\*Please be seated

Scripture reading: Luke 9:57-62 & Ephesians 4:17-24  
Amen!

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: **“Rise Up, O Man of God”**  
Ephesians 4:17-24

Prayer of Application

Our Response with His Tithes & Our Offerings

Congregational Prayer

\*Please stand

\*Hymn of Praise: #433 “Amazing Grace”

### THE LORD SENDS US OUT TO DO HIS WILL

\*Prayer of Benediction

\*Closing Hymn: “Gloria Patri” (Hymn #571)