

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH

A Mission Work of the Reformed Church in the United States

December 10th, 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: #212 "Come, thou Almighty King"

*Invocation

*Please be seated

THE LORD PROPITIATED OUR SINS

Responsive reading: *from Psalm 51:1-8*

Leader: *Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your loving-kindness; according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.*

People: **For I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. Against You, You only, have I sinned, and done this evil in Your sight -- That You may be found just when You speak, and blameless when You judge. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin my mother conceived me.**

Leader: *Behold, You desire truth in the inward parts, and in the hidden part You will make me to know wisdom.*

Prayer of Confession and Repentance with Assurance of Forgiveness

*Please stand

*Hymn of Praise: #349 "O Jesus, we adore thee"

*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 #50 (insert)

*Please stand

*Hymn of Preparation: #209 "O splendor of God's glory bright"

*Please be seated

Scripture reading: Psalm 14 & Ephesians 5:15-21
Amen!

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: "Walking in the Spirit"
Ephesians 5:17-21

Prayer of Application

Our Response with His Tithes & Our Offerings

Congregational Prayer

*Please stand

*Hymn of Praise: "Song of Hope" (insert)

THE LORD SENDS US OUT TO DO HIS WILL

*Prayer of Benediction

*Closing Hymn: "Gloria Patri" (Hymn #571)