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<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>	<u>Class of 2027</u>
Michael Sofidiya	Maggie Stewart	Ephram Curry
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		Susan Small
		John Matthews
		Terrence Haywood
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<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>	<u>Class of 2027</u>
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A Holy Communion Service

July 6, 2025

11:00 A.M.



Lay Leader: Bill Small Worship Leader: Maggie Sofidiya
Pianist: Kristi Helfen Drums: Ben Wilkinson
Percussion: Sam Jones

LET'S SING *In the Name of Jesus, Majesty*

WELCOME **Pastor**

COMMUNITY NEWS, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS **Lay Leader**

+OUR AFFIRMATIONS **Lay Leader**

WORSHIP IN SONG *Hymn No. 313*
My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

+ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GOSPEL **Pastor**

+ LET US PRAY *(Confession) (Unison)* **Lay Leader**
Dear God, thank You that Your mercy and forgiveness abounds.
We need You every moment of every day. Forgive us when we
ignore Your guidance in the Bible. Please be merciful when we
are deaf to Your wisdom. Open our hearts and minds to the
power of the Holy Spirit and to surrender to Your ways. Thank
You in Jesus' name. Amen. *

+LISTEN TO THE BIBLE'S PROMISE **Pastor**
(Assurance of Forgiveness)
Amen

PASSING OF THE PEACE **Pastor**

WORSHIP IN SONG
Come, Now Is the Time to Worship
God Is Here

PASTORAL PRAYER **Pastor**

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS **Lay Leader**

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Text and online giving available. See the website for information.

OFFERTORY **Kristi Helfen**
He Hideth My Soul - Kirkpatrick / Kaiser

OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology*

+PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING **Lay Leader**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH
(Children ages 4 & 5 and are dismissed to class)

+SCRIPTURE READING
If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God.

1 Samuel 1:1-20

Reader: The Word of the Lord
Response: Thanks be to God

+SERMON **Rev. Charles Wiley**
"Don't Forget Your Servant"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

APOSTLES CREED

COMMUNION *(with Sung Liturgy)*

WORSHIP IN SONG *Hymn No. 285*
Redeemed How I Love to Proclaim It

BENEDICTION **People: Amen**

POSTLUDE *A Mighty Fortress / Awesome God*
Luther, Mullins / Tornquist

WHEN THE GATHERING ENDS, THE SERVICE BEGINS.
GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD.
Hymn= Hymns for the Living Church.

+ No entry at this time * *Prayer by Maggie Sofidiya*

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried*; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead; I believe in the Holy Ghost; the Holy Christian Church**, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.
Amen.

* In the original Creed "He descended into Hell" is inserted here.

** In the original Creed "the Holy catholic Church" is inserted here.

Our Vision

To build committed disciples who love Jesus Christ and live their lives to fulfill God's purposes.

OUR AFFIRMATIONS

Our Common Identity

Leader: Who Are We Crossroads?

All: We're the People of God

Our Common Purpose

Leader: Why Do We Exist As A Church?

All: To love God and worship Him.

To love and care for one another and to share the joys and the struggles of growing as a community seeking to bring glory to His name.

Our Common Mission and Witness

Leader: Why are we here?

All: We are here to joyfully worship and serve the Lord: to share the message of Jesus and the Gospel with all who will hear, through lives that demonstrate His love, mercy and justice in all of our relationships, in our communities, in our nation and in our world.

Leader: Crossroads, how can we be such a community?

All: By deciding to follow Jesus and to make a daily decision to live for God today. By earnestly studying His word and seeking to value what God values and to practice the principles found in His word.

Leader: Crossroads, for the Glory of God, let us live like this.

All: Amen

Our Mission

Our mission is to be a nurturing multicultural fellowship of growing Christians, committed to glorifying God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit – through worship, proclaiming Jesus Christ, witness and service in our communities, the nation and the world.

GATHERING SONGS

IN THE NAME OF JESUS

In the name of Jesus,
In the name of Jesus,
We have the victory.

In the name of Jesus,
In the name of Jesus,
Satan, you have to flee.

Oh, tell me who can stand before us
When we call on that great name?
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus,
We have the victory.

Victory, oh, victory, we have the victory.
Victory, oh, victory, we have the victory.

(Congregational Praise Song. CCLI #58738)

MAJESTY

Majesty, worship His majesty.
Unto Jesus be all glory,
Honor and praise.
Majesty, kingdom authority
Flow from His throne
Unto His own, His anthem raise.
So exalt, lift up on high
The name of Jesus.
Magnify, come glorify
Christ Jesus, the King.
Majesty, worship His majesty.
Jesus who died, now glorified,
King of all kings.

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COME NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP

Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
(Come)

One day ev'ry tongue will confess You are God
One day ev'ry knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those
Who gladly choose you now

Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
(Come)

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GOD IS HERE

There is a sweet anointing in the sanctuary
There is a stillness in the atmosphere
O, come lay down the burdens you have carried
For in the sanctuary God is here.

He is here, God is here
To break the yoke and lift the heavy burden
He is here, God is here
To heal the hopeless heart and bless the broken.

O, come lay down the burdens you have carried
For in the sanctuary God is here

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For in the sanctuary God is here.

Martha Munizzi

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

Hymn No. 313

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain:

On Christ the solid Rock I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness veils His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil. [Refrain]

His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood;
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay. [Refrain]

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in Him be found:
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne. [Refrain]

Edward Mote

WORSHIP IN SONG

Hymn No. 285

REDEEMED HOW I LOVE TO PROCLAIM

IT

Redeemed, how I love to proclaim it!
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb!
redeemed through His infinite mercy—
His child, and forever, I am.

Refrain:

Redeemed, redeemed,
redeemed by the blood of the Lamb!
Redeemed, redeemed—
His child and forever, I am.

Redeemed and so happy in Jesus,
no language my rapture can tell!
I know that the light of His presence
with me doth continually dwell. [Refrain]

I think of my blessed Redeemer;
I think of Him all the day long.
I sing, for I cannot be silent;
His love is the theme of my song. [Refrain]

Fanny J. Crosby