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# Crossroads

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



## *A Holy Communion Service*

*February 1, 2026*

*11:00 A.M.*



*Lay Leader: John Matthews    Worship Leader: Maggie Sofidiya*  
*Pianist: Kristi Helfen    Drums: Ben Wilkinson*  
*Percussion: Sam Jones*

LET'S SING *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* AAHH# 371

WELCOME **Pastor**

COMMUNITY NEWS, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS **Lay Leader**

AFFIRMATIONS **Lay Leader**

+COME & WORSHIP **Lay Leader**

Leader: Come, let us choose life, choose life in Christ.

**All: Almighty God, we choose life, with Jesus as our guide.**

Leader: We want to worship You, Lord, all day long.

**All: Both here in this place and wherever we go.**

Leader: So let us use our voices to acknowledge our Lord.

WORSHIP IN SONG *Hear the Call of the Kingdom*

+ LET US PRAY (*Confession*) **Lay Leader**

+LISTEN TO THE BIBLE'S PROMISE **Pastor**

(Assurance of Forgiveness)

**Amen**

PASSING OF THE PEACE **Pastor**

MOMENT FOR MISSIONS **Richard Coleman**

*TMS Global*

WORSHIP IN SONG *My Life is in You, Lord*  
*Goodness of God*

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 TBA

OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology*

+PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING **Lay Leader**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

*(Children ages 4 & 5 and grades 1st-5th are dismissed to class)*

+SCRIPTURE READING

*If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God.*

Joshua 24: 14-24, Matthew 6:19-24, Philippians 3: 12-21

**Reader: The Word of the Lord**

**Response: Thanks be to God**

SERMON **Pastor Cyril Jermin**

**Series: God's Kind of People, part 4**

*"People of Intention"*

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

THE APOSTLES' CREED (*In Unison*) **Lay Leader**

SONG OF PREPARATION **Pastor Cyril Jermin**

*Come To the Table*

COMMUNION **Led by Revs. Alex and Joan Stevens**

WORSHIP IN SONG *I Am Thine O Lord* **Hymn No. 354**

BENEDICTION **People: Amen**

POSTLUDE *Sanctifying Light* - Southbridge

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

## 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.*

## LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS

AAHH#371

What a fellowship, what a joy divine  
Leaning on the everlasting arms  
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine  
Leaning on the everlasting arms

### **Refrain:**

Leaning on Jesus Christ , my Savior,  
Safe and secure from all alarms  
Leaning on Jesus Christ , my Savior,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms

Oh, how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way  
Leaning on the everlasting arms  
Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day  
Leaning on the everlasting arms

### Refrain

What have I to dread? What have I to fear?  
Leaning on the everlasting arms  
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near  
Leaning on the everlasting arms

### Refrain

## HEAR THE CALL OF THE KINGDOM

Hear the call of the kingdom  
Lift your eyes to the King  
Let His song rise within you  
As a fragrant offering  
Of how God rich in mercy came in Christ to  
redeem  
All who trust in His unfailing grace

### **Chorus:**

King of heaven we will answer the call  
We will follow bringing hope to the world  
Filled with passion filled with power to proclaim  
Salvation in Jesus' name

Hear the call of the kingdom  
To be children of light  
With the mercy of heaven, the humility of Christ  
Walking justly before Him  
Loving all that is right  
That the life of Christ may shine through us

### Chorus

Hear the call of the kingdom  
To reach out to the lost  
With the Father's compassion  
In the wonder of the cross  
Bringing peace and forgiveness  
And a hope yet to come  
Let the nations put their trust in Him  
(Chorus)

Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, and Stuart Townend

## MY LIFE IS IN YOU, LORD

My life is in You, Lord,  
My strength is in You, Lord,  
My hope is in You, Lord,  
In You, it's in You.  
My life is in You, Lord,  
My strength is in You, Lord,  
My hope is in You, Lord,  
In You, it's in You.

I will praise You  
With all of my life,  
I will praise You  
With all of my strength.  
With all of my life,  
With all of my strength.  
All of my hope is in You.

It's in You, it's in You, in You.

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## GOODNESS OF GOD

I love you, Lord  
Oh, Your mercy never fails me  
All my days, I've been held in your hands  
From the moment that I wake up  
Until I lay my head  
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

### **Chorus:**

And all my life You have been faithful  
And all my life You have been so, so good  
With every breath that I am able  
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice  
You have led me through the fire  
And in darkest night you are close like no other  
I've known You as a father  
I've known You as a friend  
and I have lived in the goodness of God, yeah  
(Chorus)

'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's  
running after me  
Your goodness is running after, it's running after  
me  
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now  
I give You everything (2x) (Chorus)

I'm gonna sing, I'm gonna sing oh, 'cause  
'cause all my life You have been faithful  
and all my life You have been so, so good  
with every breath that I am able  
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

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## **I AM THINE O LORD**

Hymn No. 354

I am Thine O Lord I have heard Thy voice  
And it told Thy love to me  
But I long to rise in the arms of faith  
And be closer drawn to Thee

### **Chorus:**

Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord  
To the cross where Thou hast died  
Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer blessed Lord  
To Thy precious bleeding side

Consecrate me now to Thy service Lord  
By the pow'r of grace divine  
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope  
And my will be lost in Thine

### Chorus

Oh, the pure delight of a single hour  
That before Thy throne I spend  
When I kneel in prayer and with Thee my God  
I commune as friend with friend

### Chorus

There are depths of love that I cannot know  
Till I cross the narrow sea  
There are heights of joy that I may not reach  
Till I rest in peace with Thee

### Chorus

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