

WHITE OAK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Worship Guide

Sunday, May 10, 2026

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND COMFORT

Hebrews 8:10-13

“For this is the covenant I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the Lord. I will put my laws in their minds and inscribe them on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they will be my people. No longer will each one teach his neighbor or his brother, saying, ‘Know the Lord,’ because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest. For I will forgive their iniquities and will remember their sins no more.”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

† **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Luke 15:1-10

SERMON

Pastor Jonathan Holst

“The Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin”

† **HYMN** “How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds” Hymn No. 492
vv. 1-4

† **PRAYER & BLESSING** 1 Thessalonians 5:23 & 24

“Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely, and may your entire spirit, soul, and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The One who calls you is faithful, and He will do it.”



EVENING SERVICE 6:00 PM:

Lord willing, this evening we will study David as we continue our evening sermon series on key figures in the Bible. God used David to show us the blessings of a good king and to prepare us to understand the greater blessing of having Jesus as King of our lives.

The Sermon is where we explore scripture together and corporately encounter Christ.

God always gets the last word in our encounter of worship. The benediction is His blessing as we go out together.

PRELUDE

Bokhee Min Lee

MEDITATION

2 Chronicles 15:1-4

“The Spirit of God came upon Azariah the son of Oded, and he went out to meet Asa and said to him, “Hear me, Asa, and all Judah and Benjamin: The Lord is with you while you are with him. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will forsake you. for a long time Israel was without the true God, and without a teaching priest and without law, but when in their distress they turned to the Lord, the God of Israel, and sought him, he was found by them.”

† **THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Minister: Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

People: I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the Lord.

Minister: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

All: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

† **PSALTER (PSALM 23)** “The Lord’s My Shepherd” Psalter No. 23B

† **THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER (UNISON)**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

† Those who are able, please stand.

† **CONFESSION OF FAITH**

Heidelberg Catechism - Question 56

Q. What do you believe concerning “the forgiveness of sins?”

A. That God, for the sake of Christ’s satisfaction, will no more remember my sins, nor the sinful nature with which I have to struggle all my life long; but graciously imputes to me the righteousness of Christ, that I may nevermore come into condemnation.

† **OUR RESPONSE**

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.

HYMN

“O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!” Hymn No. 463

WORSHIP IN GIVING - Please place in the Prayer/Visitor cards in offering plate.

SPECIAL MUSIC “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing” White Oak Choir

† **DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

† **OLD TESTAMENT READING** Ezekiel 34:11-19 Pastor Ronny Hull

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Father in Heaven, we openly admit that you know our going out and our coming in. You know our thoughts before we can express them. We cannot hide from you. Therefore, we ask that you make known to us our sins so that we may humble ourselves again in your presence and seek your forgiveness and grace. We admit we have tolerated sinful thoughts about all manner of things that grieve your heart. We have committed sins of omission and commission. Therefore we seek your mercy through the cleansing blood of Christ. And we thank you for your Spirit who enables us to walk in holiness and obedience. Give us the grace to please you this day and forever. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

Question & answer catechisms help teach and reinforce biblical truths.

The Gloria Patri is an ancient hymn of praise to our Triune God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. It has been part of the church’s worship for centuries.

The offering is an act of thanksgiving and worship commanded by God. By giving our tithe, we demonstrate our dependence on the Lord, the maker and sustainer of all things.

From Greek *doxa*, (glory, splendor, grandeur) & *logos*, (word/speaking); short hymns of praise to God in response to His gifts to us..

The Old Testament reading designed to parallel the New Testament reading.

Call to Worship is directed to the people by God through the Worship leader. It is a call to focus mind heart, and intention on the worship of God.

Music is part of worship throughout scripture. It lifts us up and expresses our joy and celebration. Each hymn connects to the parts of worship around it.