10:00 AM Worship

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost| October 25, 2026

The Cross signifies the victory of the resurrection of Christ.
The light is a symbol of the light of Christ coming into our midst.
The Baptismal Font and water remind us of our baptismal vows.

Childcare for infants 6 weeks to under 3 years is available
8:30 am – 11:30 am in the Nursery.

GATHERING MUSIC — Praise Band

*WORSHIP THROUGH SONG — *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (vs. 1-3)* — UMH 89
**please rise as you are able*

*WORSHIP THROUGH SONG — *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* — TFWS 2088

*CALL TO WORSHIP — Melissa Emerson

Rejoice, people of God! Celebrate the life within you, and Christ's presence in your midst!
Our eyes shall be opened! The present will have new meaning, and the future will be bright with hope.
Rejoice, people of God! Bow your heads before the One who is our wisdom and our strength.
We place ourselves before this God, that we may be touched and cleansed by the power of God's Spirit. Amen.

Paul J. Fluke, Bread for the Journey, Pilgrim Press, p.51.

*WELCOMING OUR NEIGHBORS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION OF THE SCRIPTURES — Melissa Emerson

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING — ***Matthew 22: 34-46***

This is the Word of God for the people of God. — Pew Bible p. 25
Thanks be to God. — Children's Bible p. 1140

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM — UMH 33

Today the congregation rejoices to administer the sacrament of baptism
to Charotte "Lottie" Josephine Nunnally, daughter of Jackson and Julia Nunnally.

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise — UMH 611

Children are invited forward to sit on the floor during the baptism.
Following the baptism, ages 3 through 2nd grade are invited to go to Children's Worship.
If this is your child's first time attending Children's Worship,
we invite a grown-up to come forward and meet Mrs. Betsy at the side door.

SERMON ***On These Two Commandments*** Rev. Marcoulier

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR GIFTS Rev. Racine

Offertory Music *The Gift of Love*
Calvary Choir is an "all are welcome" choir

*DOXOLOGY UMH 94

*CLOSING HYMN *Pass It On (vs. 1 & 3)* UMH 572

*BEING SENT FORTH TO SERVE Rev. Marcoulier

*BENEDICTION Rev. Marcoulier

*CLOSING MUSIC Praise Band

Holy Communion is available immediately following worship
in Room E-315 (Ages and Stages Classroom).
We celebrate an open table. All are welcome.

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