

An Order for the Worship of God

November 16, 2025

Ring of the Bells

Welcome & Announcements - Candle Lighting and Prelude

*Please stand, if able

Call to Worship: based on Isaiah 12 (Liturgist – **Congregation**)

Sing praises to God, for the Lord has done gloriously. Let it be known in all the earth.

Surely God is my salvation, for the Lord is my strength and has become my salvation

Let us worship God!

*Opening Hymn: #7, Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, v. 1-3

Opening Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

God of righteousness, truth, and justice, you judged your people according to the statutes delivered to Moses. We praise you for the mercy of Christ's intercession. In Christ's name we gather and are assured of your presence. We bow in adoration, and sing of your glory. Your word is proclaimed for our guidance and nurture. Look now with favor on our worship, as in Christ we seek to be faithful. For we ask this in the name of our beloved Savior, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray: "Our Father ... (debts/debtors)"

New Testament Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri: #558 (PILGRIM)

Gospel Reading: Luke 21:5-19

Liturgist: This is the gospel message of our Lord and Savior

All: May the reading and the hearing of Your word inform our minds, comfort our souls, and guide our feet.

Sermon: Sign of the End Time - Persecution

*Responsive Hymn: **#355**, My Hope is Built on Nothing Less,
v. 1, 2 & 4

Congregational Prayer

L: Lord, in your mercy

C: Hear our prayer

Call for the Offering

Let us share God's blessings, as we collect our tithes, gifts, and offerings.

*Doxology #562 (Pilgrim)

Offering Prayer:

We give our offering hopefully. Hoping that you can use these gifts, hoping that these gifts can further your kingdom, hoping that your kingdom will come. Your kingdom, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

*Closing Hymn: #372, Lord Speak to Me, That I May Speak,
v. 1-3

Benediction

We go in peace to love and serve the Lord in the name of Christ. Amen.

*Extinguishing the Candles

Postlude

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH



Worship Leaders

Pastor
Liturgist
Director of Music

Jerry Eisner
Mary Kugel
Sue Laubenheimer

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO MARY JO WHO
SPONSORED THE BULLETINS THIS
MORNING IN HONOR OF HER BIRTHDAY.**

ST. JACOBI

Welcome Visitors! Thank you for joining this congregation for worship this morning. You are welcome and encouraged to participate in all functions of the church including communion and fellowship. Please pick up a *Welcome!* Folder as you exit the church to learn more about the offerings of St Jacobi Congregational Church!
We are happy you are here!

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