



GRACE & PEACE  
Presbyterian Church in America

*Order of Worship of God*

THE LORD'S DAY, AUGUST 17, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD 2025

# Welcome to Grace and Peace

We're so glad you've joined us this Lord's Day to worship our glorious Triune God. It is a joy to gather as God's people to hear His Word, lift our voices in praise, and be renewed in grace.

If you're visiting with us for the first time, welcome! We are honored by your presence. Whether you're exploring Christianity or seeking a church home, we pray you'll feel the warmth of Christ's love among us. If this is your first time at a worship service, or if you're not familiar with it, don't worry—we've added some side notes in the bulletin to help you follow along. Please fill out a visitor card or speak with an usher—we'd love to follow up and answer any questions you may have.

Today is a special occasion as we celebrate the installation of our new pastor, Rev. Román González. We encourage you to introduce yourself—Pastor Román would be delighted to meet you and help you get connected to the life of our church.

## Approaching God

This is a time to quiet our hearts before the Lord, leaving behind the distractions of the week, and readying ourselves to enter His presence. We prepare for worship by reflecting on God's holiness, our need for His grace, and the joy of gathering as His people to glorify Him.

To help us set our minds on God as we approach His presence with reverence, we invite you to reflect on this quote:

*“God’s holiness is not diminished when He shows mercy; rather, His holiness is displayed in making the sinner holy.”*

*— Augustine of Hippo (354–430)*



## Prelude

## Welcome and Announcements

## Call to Worship

Leader:

Psalms 95:1-3

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

People:

Psalms 96:1-3

Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth! Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!

Leader:

Psalms 29:1-2

Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.

People:

Psalms 67:3-5

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you! Let the nations be glad and sing for joy...

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*In Scripture, the call to worship comes from God. We need to be called because it is not our natural respond to come to God. God takes the initiative, moves towards us with grace, and invites us to worship Him.*



# All People That on Earth do Dwell

*Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Ps. 100:1*

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The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major and 4/4 time. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line and a bass line. The lyrics are arranged in four parts, with each part having a corresponding line of lyrics. The first system covers the first two lines of the hymn, the second system covers the next two lines, and the third system covers the final two lines. The music is simple and easy to sing, with a clear melody and harmonic support.

1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, sing  
2. The Lord ye know is God in - deed; with -  
3. O en - ter then his gates with praise, ap -  
4. For why? The Lord our God is good, his

to the Lord with cheer - ful voice; him serve with fear, his  
out our aid he did us make; we are his folk, he  
proach with joy his courts un - to; praise, laud, and bless his  
mer - cy is for - ev - er sure; his truth at all times

praise forth - tell, come ye be - fore him and re - joice.  
doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.  
name al - ways, for it is seem - ly so to do.  
firm - ly stood, and shall from age to age en - dure.

Psalms 100  
William Kethe, 1561

OLD HUNDREDTH L.M.  
Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551





## Prayer of Adoration

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*Our pastor leads us in exalting and magnifying God, acknowledging that He alone is worthy of our worship.*

## Prayer of Confession

*People:*

O most holy and merciful God,

We confess we have sinned against You. We have not loved You with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, nor our neighbor as ourselves. Our pride has hardened us, our tongues betrayed us, and our hearts strayed far.

Have mercy according to Your steadfast love. Wash us, cleanse us, and renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not from Your presence, nor take Your Holy Spirit from us.

Restore to us the joy of Your salvation, that our tongues may sing of Your righteousness and our lives proclaim Your praise, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

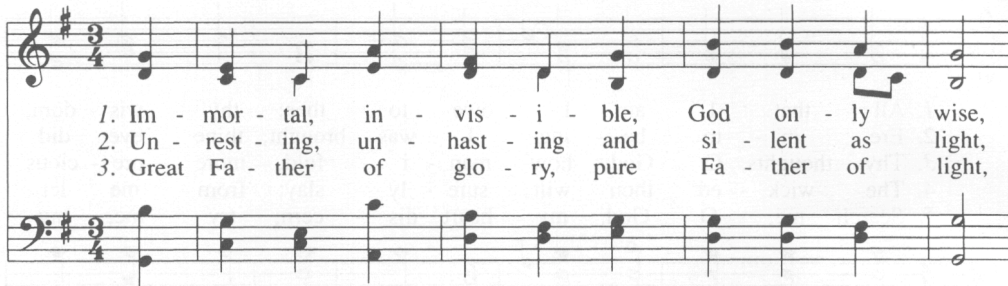
*As God's covenant people, we humbly acknowledge our sins before Him, trusting in His mercy and the finished work of Christ to forgive and cleanse us.*



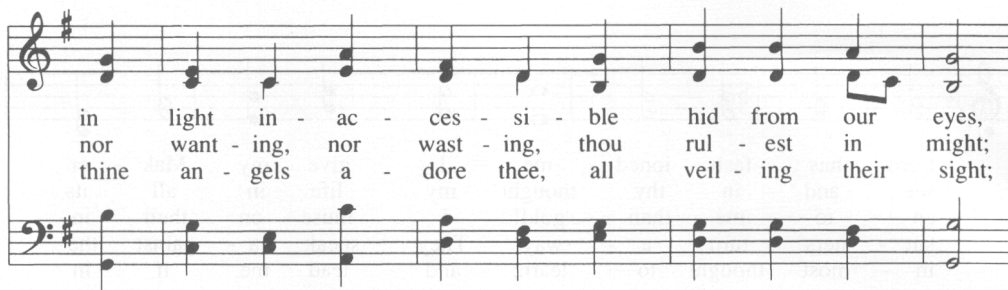
# Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

*Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor  
and glory for ever and ever, Amen. 1Tim. 1:17.*

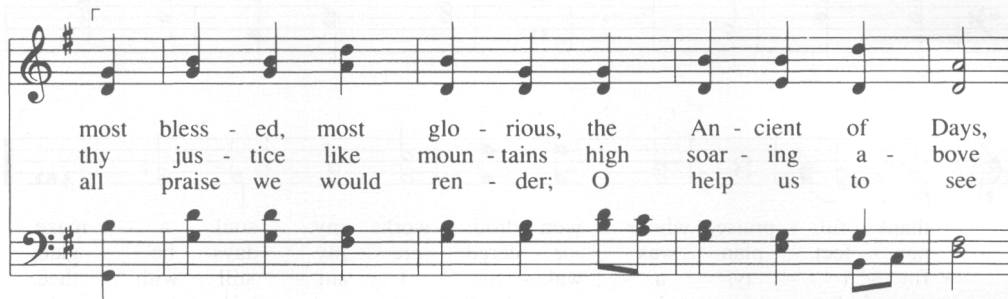
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1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,  
2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing and si - lent as light,  
3. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,



in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,  
nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;  
thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;



most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,  
thy jus - tice like moun - tains, high soar - ing a - bove  
all praise we would ren - der; O help us to see



al - migh - ty, vic - to - rious, thy great name we praise.  
thy clouds which are foun - tains, of good - ness and love.  
'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee!



**Genesis 42:1-5, 6, 9, 21-26.**

When Jacob learned that there was grain for sale in Egypt, he said to his sons, "Why do you look at one another?" 2 And he said, "Behold, I have heard that there is grain for sale in Egypt. Go down and buy grain for us there, that we may live and not die." 3 So ten of Joseph's brothers went down to buy grain in Egypt. ...

6 Now Joseph was governor over the land. He was the one who sold to all the people of the land. And Joseph's brothers came and bowed themselves before him with their faces to the ground. ...

9 And Joseph remembered the dreams that he had dreamed of them. And he said to them, "You are spies; you have come to see the nakedness of the land." ...

21 Then they said to one another, "In truth we are guilty concerning our brother, in that we saw the distress of his soul, when he begged us and we did not listen. That is why this distress has come upon us." 22 And Reuben answered them, "Did I not tell you not to sin against the boy? But you did not listen. So now there comes a reckoning for his blood." 23 They did not know that Joseph understood them, for there was an interpreter between them. 24 Then he turned away from them and wept. And he returned to them and spoke to them. And he took Simeon from them and bound him before their eyes. 25 And Joseph gave orders to fill their bags with grain, and to replace every man's money in his sack, and to give them provisions for the journey. This was done for them.

26 Then they loaded their donkeys with their grain and departed

**Genesis 43:15-16, 26-31, 34.**

15 So the men took this present, and they took double the money with them, and Benjamin. They arose and went down to Egypt and stood before Joseph.

16 When Joseph saw Benjamin with them, he said to the steward of his house, "Bring the men into the house, and slaughter an animal and make ready, for the men are to dine with me at noon." ...

26 When Joseph came home, they brought into the house to him the present that they had with them and bowed down to him to the ground. 27 And he inquired about their welfare and said, "Is your father well, the old man of whom you spoke? Is he still alive?" 28 They said, "Your servant our father is well; he is still alive." And they bowed their heads and prostrated themselves. 29 And he lifted up his eyes and saw his brother Benjamin, his mother's son, and said, "Is this your youngest brother, of whom you spoke to me? God be gracious to you, my son!" 30 Then Joseph hurried out, for his compassion grew warm for his brother, and he sought a place to weep. And he entered his chamber and wept there. 31 Then he washed his face and came out. And controlling himself he said, "Serve the food." ...

34 Portions were taken to them from Joseph's table, but Benjamin's portion was five times as much as any of theirs. And they drank and were merry with him.

**Leader: This is the Word of God  
People: Thanks be to God!**

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## Prayer of Intercession and 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 and ever. Amen.*



# The Church's One Foundation

*Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone. Eph 2:20*

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1. The church - 's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;  
2. E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, yet one o'er all the earth,  
3. Though with a scorn - ful won - der men see her sore op - pressed,  
4. The church shall nev - er per - ish! Her dear Lord to de - fend,

she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the Word:  
her char - ter of sal - va - tion one Lord, one faith, one birth;  
by schis - ms rent a - sun - der, by her - e - sies dis - tressed,  
to guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish, is with her to the end;

from heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;  
one ho - ly name she bless - es, par - takes one ho - ly food;  
yet saints their watch are keep - ing, their cry goes up, "How long?"  
though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,

with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.  
and to one hope she press - es, with ev - 'ry grace en - dued.  
And soon the night of weep - ing shall be the morn of song.  
a - gainst or foe or trai - tor she ev - er shall pre - vail.



## Genesis 44: 1-5, 14, 18, 30-34.

Then he commanded the steward of his house, "Fill the men's sacks with food, as much as they can carry, and put each man's money in the mouth of his sack, 2 and put my cup, the silver cup, in the mouth of the sack of the youngest, with his money for the grain." And he did as Joseph told him. 3 As soon as the morning was light, the men were sent away with their donkeys. 4 They had gone only a short distance from the city. Now Joseph said to his steward, "Up, follow after the men, and when you overtake them, say to them, 'Why have you repaid evil for good? 5 Is it not from this that my lord drinks, and by this that he practices divination? You have done evil in doing this.'"... 14 When Judah and his brothers came to Joseph's house, he was still there. They fell before him to the ground. ... 18 Then Judah went up to him and said, "Oh, my lord, please let your servant speak a word in my lord's ears, and let not your anger burn against your servant, for you are like Pharaoh himself. ... 30 "Now therefore, as soon as I come to your servant my father, and the boy is not with us, then, as his life is bound up in the boy's life, 31 as soon as he sees that the boy is not with us, he will die, and your servants will bring down the gray hairs of your servant our father with sorrow to Sheol. 32 For your servant became a pledge of safety for the boy to my father, saying, 'If I do not bring him back to you, then I shall bear the blame before my father all my life.' 33 Now therefore, please let your servant remain instead of the boy as a servant to my lord, and let the boy go back with his brothers.

34 For how can I go back to my father if the boy is not with me? I fear to see the evil that would find my father."

## Genesis 45:1-8a, 14-15.

"Then Joseph could not control himself before all those who stood by him. He cried, "Make everyone go out from me." So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. 2 And he wept aloud, so that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. 3 And Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph! Is my father still alive?" But his brothers could not answer him, for they were dismayed at his presence. 4 So Joseph said to his brothers, "Come near to me, please." And they came near. And he said, "I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. 5 And now do not be distressed or angry with yourselves because you sold me here, for God sent me before you to preserve life. 6 For the famine has been in the land these two years, and there are yet five years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. 7 And God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. 8 So it was not you who sent me here, but God. ...

14 Then he fell upon his brother Benjamin's neck and wept, and Benjamin wept upon his neck. 15 And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them. After that his brothers talked with him.

**Leader: This is the Word of God**  
**People: Thanks be to God!**

## Sermon Outline

- I. Leadership is Not What We Expect
- II. Three Lessons from Joseph's True Leadership
- III. True Leadership in the True Leader

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## Questions for Installation to Rev. González and the Congregation

Rev. Michael Quillen

## Laying on of Hands and Prayer

Presbytery Installation Commission

## Right Hand of Fellowship

Presbytery Installation Commission

## Pronunciation of Installation

Rev. Michael Quillen

## Charges to Rev. González and to the Congregation

Rev. Sam Andreades

Rev. Bill Mayk

## Prayer for Rev. González and for the Congregation

RE. Craig Newcomb

## Affirmation of Faith: The Apostle's Creed

**Leader:** Christian, what do you believe?

**People:** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
the Maker of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:  
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was  
crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day He arose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit;  
the holy catholic church;  
the communion of saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

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*The installation of  
a pastor is  
conducted by a  
commission of  
pastors and elders  
appointed by the  
presbytery.*

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*We unite our  
voices with  
believers across  
time and place, to  
confess the  
essentials of our  
faith.*



# The Lord's Supper

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## Words of Introduction

## Fencing of the Table

## Prayer of Consecration

## Words of Institution

## Distribution of the Bread

Let us wait until all have received the bread, that we may partake together, remembering the body of our Lord given for us.

## Distribution of the Cup

Let us wait until all have received the cup, that we may drink together as one body in Christ.

## Prayer After Communion

*People:*

Almighty God, we thank You for feeding us with the body and blood of Christ. Strengthen us by this sacrament to serve You faithfully, and bless Pastor Román González as he begins his ministry among us, that together we may glorify Your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



# Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah



*He Will be our guide even to the end. Ps. 48:14*

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1. Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this  
 2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing  
 3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y; hold me with thy  
 stream doth flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me all my  
 fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's De - struc - tion, land me safe on

pow'r - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, Bread of heav - en,  
 jour - ney through; strong De - liv - 'rer, strong De - liv - 'rer,  
 Ca - naan's side; songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.  
 be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield.  
 I will ev - er give to thee, I will ev - er give to thee.

William Williams, 1745  
 St. 1 tr. by Peter Williams, 1771  
 St. 2-3 tr. by William Williams, 1772

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 John Hughes, 1907



# Benediction and Sending

*The benediction at the end of worship follows a biblical pattern—God blessing His people as they are sent out to live for His glory.*

## Benediction

Now may the God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the Great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in you that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

## Sending

**Leader:** Go now in peace, to fulfill the Great Commission in the strength of His grace.

**People:** Thanks be to God!

# Life in Community

## Upcoming Events

***Wednesday 12:00pm\****

***Women's Bible Study/  
Men's Bible Study***

***Sunday School for All Ages\****

*Sunday at 9:15 AM, the first and third weeks of each month. Check the calendar for specific dates.*

***Men's Breakfast\****

***Meets Quarterly  
(March, June,  
September, November)***

*\*All these events resume in the fall!*

## Stay Connected

***Church's Calendar***



***Scan the QR code or go to:  
[graceandpeacepc.org/calendar](http://graceandpeacepc.org/calendar)***

***August Missionary Update***

*Pastor Rohan Crown along with his wife, Rebecca, and their three children minister at Amazing Grace Community Church in Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada. The church ministers to the people through Sunday services, Amazing Kids Club, Bible studies, Indigenous ministry, summer camp, etc.*

***Home Groups***



***Plans for the relaunch  
of Home Groups are  
underway—stay tuned!***

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