



10:30 Worship Service  
Welcome to Saint Luke's!  
October 5, 2025

## In Preparation for Worship

“...not according to our works but according to God’s own purpose and grace...” – 2 Timothy

### Prelude

Cry No more  
*arr. Dan Forrest*

Scott Dixon

## Welcome and Announcements

### Moment for Tartan Trot

Nolan McGoldrick

### Call to Worship\*

Jay Favero

Leader: We gather, as God's people,  
People: **God rekindles the gift of faith in us.**  
Leader: We gather, as God's people,  
People: **God makes us family.**  
Leader: We gather, as God's people,  
People: **Full of gratitude that we are God’s people!**

### Opening Hymn\* 409

God Is Here!

### Prayer of Confession\*

Gracious God,  
With the weepers, we weep.  
With the peace makers, we yearn for peace.  
With the exiles, we yearn for home,  
for our hearts wander far from you.  
We live in an uncertain world—  
time and again we turn to people who promise us security.  
But God, you are our only source of safety.  
Help us turn to you,  
our heart’s true home.  
We turn to you now, our helper and our strength, with the silent prayers of our own needs.  
*(a moment of silence is kept for personal prayers)*

Leader: Lord, in your mercy  
People: Hear our prayers. Amen.

### Assurance of Forgiveness\*

### Passing of the Peace\*

### Song of Thanksgiving\* 591

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

## Prayer for Illumination

### Scripture Reading

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Leader: The Word of the Lord.  
People: Thanks be to God.

### Tell Us Our Story

Michael Sanchez

*All children are invited to come forward for Tell Us Our Story. Afterwards, parents will walk their children to Room 120 for "Frolic" (ages PreK and K) or Room 117 for childcare (birth through 3's.) Since this is Family Worship Sunday, all elementary children will remain in worship with their families so that they may participate in Communion. Worship books and other faith formation resources are available on the worship carts and ledges in the Chapel narthex. At the conclusion of worship, any family seeking to learn more about children and communion may come to the front of the Sanctuary to learn more about communion from a pastor and receive resources to continue the conversation at home.*

### Sermon

God Is Not Done with Us Yet

Shannon Dill

### Affirmation of Faith\*

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; he descended into hell; 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 catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### Holy Communion

#### Invitation to Table

#### Prayers of Thanksgiving 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 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.**

#### Words of Institution

#### Communion Music

Come Before the Table  
*Karen Marrolli*

Chancel Choir  
Morgan McCray & Kimberly Waters, soloists

#### The Offering

Nearer, Still Nearer  
*Lelia Morris*

Scott Dixon

*All are invited to participate in support of God's work at Saint Luke's, in one of three ways:*

- 1) Giving envelopes, available in each pew, may be placed in the offering plates as they are passed.*
- 2) Give online via [slpres.org/giving](http://slpres.org/giving).*
- 3) Send a text message to 73256, starting with the keyword GIVETOSLPRES followed by the amount.*

#### Closing Hymn\* 853

We Are Marching in the Light of God

#### Benediction\*

#### Postlude\*

Sing Joyfully  
*Joel Raney*

Scott Dixon

**Please join us in the church lobby for fellowship and conversation!**

For the latest Saint Luke's news and information, go to [slpres.org](http://slpres.org).

If you would like to share prayer concerns, or know someone who would (with their permission), you may submit prayer requests for inclusion in the Prayer Guide by sending them to [prayerrequest@slpres.org](mailto:prayerrequest@slpres.org).