Praise

***Call to Worship** – *adapted from Psalm 59:16–17*

Leader: I will sing of your strength; I will sing aloud of your steadfast love in the morning. For you have been to me a fortress and a refuge in the day of my distress.

People: **O my Strength, I will sing praises to you, for you, O God, are my fortress, the God who shows me steadfast love.**

***Prayer of Adoration**

Leader:[1] Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name.

People: **Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

***Refuge (Psalm 31)**

***Only a Holy God**

Confessing our Faith — Apostle's Creed[2]

Christian, what do you Believe?

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth,

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

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic[3] church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Receiving New Members Cason, Katelyn, and Quinten Hewgley

Baptism Isham Cason Hewgley V, "Quinten"

[1] The pattern of the Lord's Prayer shapes our worship service

[2] the most widespread confession of faith among Christians throughout the history of the Church.

Renewal

Prayers of the People

Leader: Let us bring our needs before God.

People: **Give us this day our daily bread.**

Confession of Sin – *adapted from Psalm 5:1–8*

Leader: Give ear to my words, O Lord; consider my groaning.

People: **Give attention to the sound of my cry, my King and my God, for to you do I pray.**

Leader: O Lord, in the morning you hear my voice; in the morning I prepare a sacrifice for you and watch. For you are not a God who delights in wickedness; evil may not dwell with you.

People: **The boastful shall not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers.**

Leader: You destroy those who speak lies; the Lord abhors the bloodthirsty and deceitful man.

People: **But I, through the abundance of your steadfast love, will enter your house. I will bow down toward your holy temple in the fear of you.**

Leader: Lead me, O Lord, in your righteousness because of my enemies; make your way straight before me.

People: **Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**

Silent confession

***Let Me Find Thee**

***Assurance of Pardon** – *adapted from Psalm 5:11–12*

Leader: But let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them ever sing for joy, and spread your protection over them, that those who love your name may exult in you.

[3] The word "catholic" means universal. It is not a reference to the Roman Catholic Church.

People: **For you bless the righteous, O Lord; you cover him with favor as with a shield.**

***Psalm 16: Fullness of Joy**

Children's Worship Training – *Children are dismissed with children's ministry leaders for a time of worship training, which is designed for children aged 3 to 5. Please remember to pick up your child in the Ed building after worship.*

Commitment & Communion

Leader: Sanctify us in the truth. Your word is truth.

People: **Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, amen.**

Sermon – *Find Time Alone with God (Mark 1:35-38)* – Rev. Carter Sanger

Communion at the Lord's Table

***My Faith Looks Up to Thee (Hymn 528)**

Offering/Community Life

***Benediction** – *from Jude 1:24-25*

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

***Dismissal** – *Isaiah 6:8*

Leader: I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?"

People: **Here am I! Send me.**

Sunday schedule:

Sunday School	9 AM
Coffee & Fellowship	10 AM
Worship:	10:30 AM

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To all who are weary and looking for hope, welcome.
You're in the right place.

As you find a seat, please silence all electronic devices

Helps for parents with babies or small children:

- **Nursery: Infants** and **Toddlers** in the Ed building.
- **Cry room** (end of the hall) available for noisy babies.
- **Worship training** dismissal midway through the service.

Preparation

Let me hear in the morning of your steadfast love, for in you I trust.
Make me know the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.

– Psalm 143:8