

# Hope

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CHURCH (OPC)



*The Lord's Day*  
*September 9, 2018*

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. — *1 Peter 1:3*

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# Morning Worship Service – 9:30am

For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. — 1 John 5:4

## *Quiet Meditation in Preparation for Worship*

### **God Greets and Calls Us To Worship**

Apostolic Salutation

Call to Worship

Psalm 118:27a, 29

### **\*We Respond to God’s Call** (*please respond in the bold print*)

*Leader:* Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.

*People:* **This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it.**

*Leader:* I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

*People:* **The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.**

\*Hymn of Praise

*Lord, with Glowing Heart I’d Praise Thee*

#80

\*Invocation

\*Doxology

#731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heav’nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

### **We Confess Our Sins**

Reading of God’s Law

*The Ten Commandments  
and Two Great Commandments*

Prayer of Confession

\*Assurance of Pardon

Titus 3:4–7

\* *Please stand*

# Morning Worship Service – 9:30am

## **God Speaks to Us from His Word**

*Hymn of Preparation	<i>Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode</i>	#668
Old Testament Reading	<i>Provided Bible, p. 3–5</i>	Genesis 4:1–7; 5:21–24; 6:1–8
New Testament Reading	<i>Provided Bible, p. 1007</i>	Hebrews 11:1–7
Sermon	<i>By Faith</i>	Hebrews 11:1–7
*Hymn of Thanksgiving	<i>We Rest on Thee</i>	#449

## Congregational Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come; thy will be done, in 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 for ever. Amen.

## Offering

*Closing Hymn	<i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</i>	#679
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## **God Blesses Us**

\*Benediction

\* *Please stand*

# *Afternoon Worship Service – 1:45pm*

## **God Greets and Calls Us To Worship**

Apostolic Salutation

Call to Worship

Psalm 34:3

## **We Respond to God's Call**

\*Hymn of Praise                      *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*                      #38

\*Invocation

Hymn of Adoration                      *Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth*                      #149

Responsive Reading                      *Trinity Hymnal, p. 830*                      Psalm 119:89–112

Congregational Prayer

\*Hymn of Preparation                      *What Tho' I Cannot Break My Chain*                      #458

## **God Speaks to Us from His Word**

Old Testament Reading                      *Provided Bible, p. 475*                      Psalm 53

New Testament Reading                      *Provided Bible, p. 952*                      1 Corinthians 1:18–31

Sermon                      *The Fool's Folly*                      Psalm 53

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving                      *Blessed Jesus, at Your Word*                      #303

## **God Blesses Us**

\*Benediction

*\* Please stand*

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