

# GRACE



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**NOTE:** All Scripture is taken from the English Standard Version except where stated otherwise.

\* Denotes congregation standing

**TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD** An integral part of our worship is to bring God a token of our increase. Your tithes and offerings may be placed in the small box at the back of the room. As we will give thanks to God for his gifts *during* the service, we encourage you to make your offering *before* the service.

**Diaconal Offering** You may designate funds to the deacons by writing ‘Deacons’ in the Memo box of your check. The Deacons would like to designate the fourth Sunday of the month for your diaconal offering, but you may give to the deacons at any time.

**Women’s Ministries Offering** You may designate funds to the Women’s ministries by writing ‘Women’s Ministries’ in the memo of your check. The Women’s Ministry Funds pay for their service projects, support of OPC missionaries, and other church activities.

## Reformation Sunday Worship

October 27, 2019 A.D.

### Soli Deo Gloria – Glory to God Alone

\* Call to Worship

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
(Matthew 28:19)

**Amen.**

Grace, mercy, and peace to you from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. The Lord be with you. (cf. I Timothy 1:2)

**And also with you. Amen.**

The saying is <sup>a</sup>trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus <sup>b</sup>came into the world to save sinners, <sup>c</sup>of whom I am the foremost.  
(I Timothy 1:15)

**But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life.** (I Timothy 1:16)

To <sup>a</sup>the King of the ages, <sup>b</sup>immortal, <sup>c</sup>invisible, <sup>d</sup>the only God, <sup>e</sup>be honor and glory forever and ever. <sup>1</sup>Amen. (I Timothy 1:17)

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.**

\* Hymn # 55 “To God Be the Glory”

\* Invocation

\* Hymn # 734 “Gloria Patri”

### **Sola Fide – Faith Alone**

God’s Law Word for His People: Leviticus 11:44 and I Peter 1:16

Prayer of Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon – Romans 3:21-26

Hymn # 521 “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

### **Solus Christus – Christ Alone**

John 6:66-69

Hymn # 157 “None Other Lamb, None Other Name”

### **Sola Gratia – Grace Alone**

Romans 5:20-21 and Ephesians 2:8-9

Hymn # 465 “Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord”

### **Sola Scriptura – The Bible Alone**

Responsive Reading: Psalm 119:1-24 (Trinity Hymnal page 829)

\* Hymn # 148 “How Shall the Young Direct Their Way?”

### **Consecrated by God**

**NURSERY:** We are delighted to have God’s children worship with us. Their cries, coos, and occasional shrieks are reminders to us of God’s wonderful blessings. However, if you would like, there is nursery care available for children under 3 from the hymn before the sermon through the remainder of the worship service. The nursery is located behind the bathrooms of this building.

\* Sermon Text: Ezra 7:1-10

Sermon Title: “Ezra the Reformer”

Prayer of Application and Prayers of God’s People

### **Communion with God**

\* Confessing Our Faith Together – Nicene Creed  
(Found on page 846 of the Trinity Hymnal)

# Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

## Invitation to the Lord's Supper

*You are cordially invited to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a believer in Christ, have been baptized, are a communicant member in a Bible-believing church, and regularly attend church worship. We use wine in our celebration of the Lord's Supper.*

Distribution of Bread: Insert "Oh, to See the Dawn" verses 1 and 2

Distribution of Wine: Insert "Oh, to See the Dawn" verses 3 and 4

## Commissioned by God

\* Closing Hymn # 364 "Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds"

## Benediction



## Happy Birthday

Kenton (Nov. 18) and Nathan W. (Nov. 21)

<i>Refreshments &amp; Nursery</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Nursery</i>	<i>Refreshments</i>
<i>(If you are unable to fulfill your assignment on your assigned day please call Amy and she will find a replacement for you)</i>	Today	Andrew & Shelly	Amy
	November 3	Kara & Adam	Raquel
	November 10	Kenton & Anna Grace	Shelly
	November 17	Michaela & Jeremiah	Vicki
DATE	<i>Greeter</i>	<i>Lord's Supper</i>	<i>Usher</i>
October	Matt	Susan	Matt & Tom
November	Jan	Need Volunteer	Jan

# SCHEDULE

## Schedule - Today

- 9:30 am Worship
- 11:30 am Sunday School
- 5:00 pm Reformation Day Service at the Long Beach OPC  
(Michaela – 2 dozen cookies; Raquel – 2 dozen cookies;  
Shelly - 3 fresh pineapples; Wanda – 1 loaf of  
sandwiches; Wood and Thibault young men – Clean up)

## Next Sunday

- 9:30 am Worship
- 11:30 am Sunday School
- 12:30 pm Fellowship Meal
- 2:30 pm SCPA Service
- 4:00 pm Youth Group at the Thibaults' Home  
(Arutian – Main Dish; Call – Drinks; Thibault – Dessert;  
Wood – Fruit and Vegetables; Wray – Chips)

## This Week

Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting at Shelly's Home

## Upcoming

- November 9 5:30 pm Harvest Dinner
- November 10 11:30 am Voice of the Martyrs' Day of Prayer
- November 16 10:00 am Ladies' Blanket Project at Susan's Home
- November 28 10:00 am Thanksgiving Day Service
- December 6 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm Operation Christmas Child Shoebox  
Warehouse Packing Evening – See Peter to help
- December 15 5:30 pm Christmas Dinner and Program
- December 20 6:00 pm Ladies' Christmas Party

**I. The Life of Ezra**

- A. Along with N\_\_\_\_\_ He Led the S\_\_\_\_\_ Return of E\_\_\_\_\_ from Babylon**
- B. A P\_\_\_\_\_ and a S\_\_\_\_\_**
- C. “The H\_\_\_\_\_ of the L\_\_\_\_\_ His God Was on H\_\_\_\_\_”  
(Ezra 7:6, 9, 27-28, Ezra 8:31)**

**II. The Focus of Ezra**

- A. He L\_\_\_\_\_ God’s L\_\_\_\_\_ (Psalm 119:10-11, 97)**
- B. He S\_\_\_\_\_ God’s L\_\_\_\_\_ (Acts 17:11)**
- C. He O\_\_\_\_\_ God’s L\_\_\_\_\_ (Joshua 1:8,  
Matthew 7:24-25, James 1:22)**
- D. He T\_\_\_\_\_ God’s L\_\_\_\_\_**

**III. Reformation Is Needed and Possible Today**

- A. Our F\_\_\_\_\_ Must Be on the F\_\_\_\_\_ Revealed  
W\_\_\_\_\_ Word (II Timothy 4:1-5)**
- B. Our F\_\_\_\_\_ Must Be on the F\_\_\_\_\_ Revealed  
L\_\_\_\_\_ Word**