

The Great Thanksgiving (spoken)\*

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Words of Institution\*

Pray 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 have trespassed 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.**

Distribution #296

Post Communion Liturgy\*

Closing Hymn\* #385

Dismissal\*

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Pray for one another always.

**C: Thanks be to God. And we will!**

*If this is your first time at St. Paul, please fill out a yellow visitor card. We would love to get to know you! We also have pink prayer requests cards that you can fill out and our prayer team will pray for you.*

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**Order of Service  
Traditional Worship  
Reformation Sunday  
October 30, 2022**

*\*Congregation stands*

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Hymn\*

#229

Greeting\*

L: God of the past, who has been faithful through all generations,

**C: We thank You and praise You.**

L: God of the future, who is always ahead of us,

**C: We thank You and praise You.**

L: God of the present, who is here in the midst of us,

**C: We thank You and praise You.**

L: God of life, who has called us to your people,

**All: We rejoice to be gathered in your holy name!**

Hymn of Praise\*

L: (spoken) This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

**C: (sung) Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia. Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Prayer of the Day\*

**C: On this Reformation Day, I once again affirm today that my hope is built on nothing less, nothing more, and nothing other than your blood and your righteousness. On you, Lord Jesus, the solid and saving Rock, I stand. All other ground is sinking sand. Keep bringing me back to the gospel, Jesus; keep bringing me back to the gospel plus nothing, as my everything. In your name, Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

Children's Sermon

First Lesson – Jeremiah 31:31-34

Second Lesson – Romans 1:14-17

Hymn of the Day

**#400**

Gospel – John 8:31-36

Sermon—Words of Life: Reformation

Psalm of Praise *(Congregation Reads Together)*

**Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion.**

Apostle's Creed\*

**I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and was born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day, he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Confession\*

P: Most merciful God,

**C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

Sharing of the Peace\*

Prayers

Offering *(Please place offering in the offering box located on the welcome center in the narthex.)*

The Offertory Prayer

L: Merciful Father,

**C: We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

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