

JAY GOULD MEMORIAL REFORMED CHURCH

July 27, 2025 ONLINE Order of Worship

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The Approach to God

Prelude: "The Church's One Foundation", arr. Lloyd Larson,

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Introit: "This Is the Day", Joy F. Patterson, © 1998 in Choral Responses for Today's Worship,

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Call to Worship

Leader: O come, let us fix our eyes on Jesus,

People: the founder and perfecter of our faith,

Leader: who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame,

People: and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hymn: "Power of His Name Medley" ("Jesus, Name Above All Names", "There's Something about That Name")

Prayer of Invocation

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Pastor: In humility and faith let us confess our sin to God.

Gracious God, the noise of this world drowns out the beauty of your voice. You invite us to listen, but we deny you time and space. Forgive us for ignoring you. Create in us the desire to listen to your words of truth, hope, and love that we might then share these words with others. ..
(continue in silent prayer.)

Assurance of Pardon

Summary of the Law

Hymn: "I Need Thee Every Hour"

The Word of God

Scripture: Colossians 1:15-18, Luke 10:38-42 Dawn Shultis, Reader

Anthem: "Be Thou My Vision", arr. John Leavitt, © 2001 Concordia Pub. House,

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Sermon: "Doing What Matters the Most"

The Response to God

The Apostles' Creed

Offertory: "What A Friend", Charles C. Converse, arr. Jack Schrader,

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Prayer of Dedication and Doxology

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn: "Wonderful Grace of Jesus"

Benediction

Choral Response: "Be Thou My Vision" (*Reprise*)

Postlude: "For the Beauty of the Earth", arr. Lloyd Larson, © 2014 Lorenz Pub. Co., a div. of the Lorenz Corp.