

JAY GOULD MEMORIAL REFORMED CHURCH
August 31, 2025 ONLINE ORDER OF WORSHIP

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The Approach to God

Prelude: “Steal Away”, arr. Lloyd Larson, © 2017 Hope Pub. Co. Dan Chien, Organist/Choir Director

Introit: “We Have Come to Worship the Lord”, by Charles Yannerella,

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Hymn: “Bless His Holy Name”

Prayer of Invocation

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

We come before you, O God, in deep humility. We have refused to listen when you have spoken, and when we have heard your commands, we have often ignored them. Forgive us, Lord, and through your Holy Spirit enable us not only to listen but to carry out your will as well...(silent prayer.)

Assurance of Pardon & Summary of the Law

Hymn: “Does Jesus Care?”

The Word of God

Scripture: Hebrews 12:18-29, Luke 13:10-17 Tim Hinkley, Reader

Anthem: “Lord of the Dance”, arr. Don Hart

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Sermon: “What is Your God Like?”

The Response to God

The Apostles’ Creed

Offertory: “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”, arr. John Leavitt,

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Prayer of Dedication and Doxology

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn: “Because He Lives”

Benediction

Choral Response: “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing” (*Reprise*)

Postlude: “O God, Beyond All Praising”, arr. Lloyd Larson,

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