

# The Worship of God

9:30-10:45 AM      The Lord's Day, August 30, 2026 AD

"Seek the LORD while He may be found; call on Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way and the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn to the LORD, and He will have mercy on him, and to our God, for He will freely pardon."   
Isaiah 55:6-7

## Hope in God!

Prelude

Judith Lunde, Organ | AnneMarie Kitchen, Piano

The Call to Worship

Psalm 43:3-5

\$Hymn #858:      **Rejoice, the Lord is King**

\$Prayer of Praise      Pastor David Bissett

Piano Reprise      (Latecomers may be seated)

Scripture Reading: **Proverbs 14:16-35**      Jordan Pennings

\$Songs of Praise:      George Colon, guitarist  
CCLI # 162459

### Just a Closer Walk with Thee

Refrain:  
Just a closer walk with Thee, Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,  
Daily walking close to Thee, Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

I am weak, but Thou art strong;  
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;  
I'll be satisfied as long  
As I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

— Refrain —

Through this world of toil and snares,  
If I falter, Lord, who cares?  
Who with me my burden shares?  
None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.

— Refrain —

When my feeble life is o'er,  
Time for me will be no more;  
Guide me gently, safely o'er  
To Thy kingdom shore, to Thy shore.

— Refrain —

### Change My Heart, O God

Change my heart, oh God, make it ever true;  
Change my heart, oh God, may I be like You.  
Change my heart, oh God, make it ever true;  
Change my heart, oh God, may I be like You.

You are the Potter, I am the clay;  
Mold me and make me, this is what I pray.

Change my heart, oh God, make it ever true  
Change my heart, oh God, may I be like You.

### Ministry Moment

The Pastoral Prayer      Pastor David Bissett

### Piano Offertory

During the offertory, please register your attendance on a **Friendship Form**  
found on the clipboard, at the end of each row of seats.  
Thanks.

\$Hymn #139:      **Blessed Assurance**

The Scriptures: **Zechariah** (1:1-6),

[1] In the eighth month, in the second year of Darius, the word of the LORD came to the prophet Zechariah, the son of Berechiah, son of Iddo, saying, [2] “The LORD was very angry with your fathers. [3] Therefore say to them, Thus declares the LORD of hosts: Return to me, says the LORD of hosts, and I will return to you, says the LORD of hosts. [4] Do not be like your fathers, to whom the former prophets cried out, ‘Thus says the LORD of hosts, Return from your evil ways and from your evil

deeds.’ But they did not hear or pay attention to me, declares the LORD. [5] Your fathers, where are they? And the prophets, do they live forever? [6] But my words and my statutes, which I commanded my servants the prophets, did they not overtake your fathers? So they repented and said, ‘As the LORD of hosts purposed to deal with us for our ways and deeds, so has he dealt with us.’” (ESV)

The Sermon: **“Hope in God!”**  
MEET THE MINOR PROPHETS, #11  
Rev. Dr. David J. Bissett, Sr. Pastor

Prayer of Application

\$Hymn #595:      **Great Is Thy Faithfulness**

➤ The Benediction ➤

Announcements

Postlude



Enjoy some fellowship and refreshments in Fellowship Hall.

Stay at 11:00 AM for our summertime **“Family Class”** for all ages in the Fireside Room for a final lesson on **The Parables of Jesus**.