

SPEEDWAY

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Sunday, October 26, 2025

Prelude

Trompette Prelude
Kimball

Paula Nichols
Director of Music

The Light Enters

Lily Hunter
Acolyte

Welcome

Rev. Katie Griffin

***Call to Worship**

Tom Smith
Elder

**All who are able, please stand*

One: Come, not because you are perfect, but because you are honest.

All: We come, not to boast of our goodness, but to confess our need for grace.

One: God welcomes every story, every struggle, every song of faith.

All: We bring our whole selves to God, who hears every prayer. Come, let us worship the God of grace, who lifts up the humble and welcomes us all

***Opening Hymn**

#16

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

***Passing of the Peace**

One: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace of God with those worshipping around you.

***Opening Prayer** *(in unison)*

Merciful God, we come before you just as we are – not hiding behind perfect words or spotless appearances, but opening our hearts to your transforming love. Forgive us when we think too highly of ourselves, remind us that your grace is big enough for all. Make this time of worship a place where we can stand before you honestly and be renewed by your mercy. In the name of the One who humbles and heals us all, we pray. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Luke 18:9-14

Children's Moment

Rev. Katie Griffin

Please join as we sing together:

Children welcome in the name of Jesus.

Children welcome in the name of love.

All are welcome in the name of Jesus. All are welcome in the name of love.

Worship and Wonder: 4-year-olds through Grade 2 — Room 203

Sermon

The gift of going home honest
Rev. Katie Griffin

Response Hymn

A Pharisee Was Praying

(words to hymn on the back of refrigerator page)

Pastoral Prayer

Please observe a minute of silence as we join our hearts and mind in prayer

Stewardship Moment

Old Time Religion
arr. Hayes

Chancel Choir

***Doxology**

Praise God from
Whom All Blessings Flow

#46

Communion

The Lord's Prayer *(in unison)*

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Invitation to Discipleship

Those who wish to unite with Speedway Christian Church are invited to come forward as we sing to confess your faith in Jesus Christ. You may also do so by offering a Confession of Faith in confidence with a minister.

***Invitation Hymn** *May the Blessing of God* #448

*Blessing and Commissioning

Postlude *I Sing the Greatness of Our God* Paula Nichols
 arr. Bock *Director of Music*

Sunday Christian Education Opportunities

Journey in Faith (JIF) – Room B2; 6th & 7th Grades, 8:15am

Child Care – Room 101B (available @ 9:00am)

During Worship (after Children's Moment):

Worship and Wonder – Room 203, 4 year olds through 2nd Grade

Adventures in Faith – Narthex, Grades 3-5

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