

Order of Worship
Sunday October 26, 2025

REFORMATION SUNDAY

(**Congregation** responses spoken together appear in **bold** print.)

OPENING DECLARATION & PRAYER

We gather today to worship the One who created us, the One who calls us, the One who equips us, the One who loves us without end. With joyful hearts, let us worship God.

(Prayer) Bring us to a deep silence, God, as we give thanks for the gifts you pour out on us and on all creation. Help us focus on you, and on the ways you sustain us in this life, even as we offer you our praise. In the name of Jesus we pray, (and we all agree by saying) Amen.

WORSHIP IN SONG (click the song title for a YouTube track)

[For The Lord Is Good](#) [Above All](#) [Agnus Dei](#)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Faithful God, how blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Sanctify us by your Word and Spirit so that we may glorify you in the company of the faithful; through Jesus Christ our Lord, and we all agree by saying, **Amen**.

SCRIPTURE READING: Genesis 21:1-11 (NASB95)

Leader: This is the Word of God.

Congregation: Thank you Lord for your Holy Word.

(Quiet Reflection)

SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 2 (NASB95)

Leader: This is the Word of God.

Congregation: Thank you Lord for your Holy Word.

(Quiet Reflection)

WORSHIP IN SONG: HYMN OF THE MONTH

[Unchanging Hand](#) | View the lyrics [here](#)

SCRIPTURE READING: Galatians 4:21-31

Leader: This is the Word of God.

Congregation: Thank you Lord for your Holy Word.

(Quiet Reflection)

GOSPEL READING John 8:30-47 (NASB95)

Leader: This is the Word of God.

Congregation: Thank you Lord for your Holy Word.

(Quiet Reflection)

SERMON: <https://www.facebook.com/fcmstl>

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND REPENTANCE:

HOLY COMMUNION:

BLESSING AND SENDING

Authorities we want to specifically pray for this week:

Speaker of the House – Mike Johnson

MO State of Rep District 63 - Tricia Byrnes

MO State of Rep District 70 – Gretchen Bangert

11th Judicial Court Assoc' Circuit Judge Div. 11 – Dwayne Johnson