

SUNDAY EVENING
Vespers 

CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | APRIL 26, 2026 AT 6:00 P.M.

Lord's Day Vespers

EVENING VESPERS MEDITATION

Almighty God, we give You thanks for surrounding us, as daylight fades, with the brightness of vesper light; and we implore You in Your great mercy that, as You enfold us with the radiance of Your light, so You would shine into our hearts the brightness of Your Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord dispel the darkness of our hearts, that by Your brightness we may know You to be the true God and Eternal Light, living and reigning forever and ever. Amen.

CALL TO PREPARATION

Rev. Kurt Cooper

PRELUDE

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Traditional

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 113:1-3

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Rev. Cooper

† HYMN 257

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

MADRID

EVENING PRAYER

† HYMNS 266

Jesus Paid It All

ALL TO CHRIST

*At the last stanza of "Jesus Paid It All,"
1st through 5th grade children are dismissed to attend their classes.*

† SCRIPTURE READING – Genesis 22

pew Bible, page 20

HOMILY

SEEKING A BETTER COUNTRY

Rev. Whitehurst

XXV. Binding of Isaac

CLOSING PRAYER

† HYMN OF PREPARATION 353 *Be Known to Us in Breaking Bread*

ST. AGNES

The Lord's Supper

INVITATION TO AND FENCING OF THE TABLE

Who should come to the Lord's table? Those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins, but who nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their remaining weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith and to lead a better life, and who are members in good standing of an evangelical church. (from the Heidelberg Catechism)

CONFESSION OF OUR FAITH– The Nicene Creed (inside cover of *The Hymnal*)

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SERVING OF THE MEAL

*Please partake of the elements as you receive them,
just as we must each receive Christ for our own salvation by faith.*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

† **HYMN 528** *My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness* THANKFULNESS

† **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness* K. Getty

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister* | Rev. Cameron Whitehurst, *Assistant Minister*
Aaron Perez, *piano*; Chip Lasseter, *guitar*
Kim Steen, *flute*; Robert McGowin, *bass*

SEEKING A BETTER COUNTRY

XXV. Binding of Isaac

Genesis 22

I. God tests Abraham

II. God provides the substitute

III. God confirms His covenant



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