

November 8, 2026 at 9:30am (EST | UTC–5)

Leading us in worship today:

Ray Rowell, Elder
Jim Zondag, Deacon
Jon Feikens, Liturgist
Randall Engle, Minister
Noah Cherry, Music Associate
North Hills Ensemble
Mary Baker, Organist
Willie Yuhas, Technician

We Enter God's Presence

Gathering Music concluding with *Let All Things Now Living* ..... arr. Kristina Langlois

Our Call to Worship: *I Was Glad* ..... Roy Hopp

I was glad when they said unto me
Let us go into the house of the Lord
Enter into His gates with thanksgiving
And into His courts with praise

Be thankful unto Him, and bless His name
O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness
Let the whole earth stand in awe of Him
And let the beauty of the Lord
the beauty of God be upon you

***Our Opening Psalm:** *Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise* (Psalm 96) ..... Hymnal 515

***God's Greeting and Mutual Greetings**

***A Hymn of Praise:** *Dios está aquí* / *God Is Here* ..... Hymnal 522

We will sing it twice, use the language of your choice

We Confess to God

Our Call to Confession: *Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling* ..... Hymnal 615

Our Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon

***Our Response:** *Glory Be to the Father* ..... Hymnal 961

***We Speak Our Faith:** *The Apostles' Creed* ..... *Symbolum Apostolicum,* 390AD

One: Do you believe in God the Father?
All: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

One: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
All: **I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,**
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,
died, and was buried;
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty.
From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

One: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
All: **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,**
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Our Morning Offerings are Received

Our Morning Prayers are Offered

God Speaks to Us

The Scripture Lesson: 2 Chronicles 29: 1–11; 20–36 ..... *The Bible*, page 715

One: This is the Word of the Lord!
All: Thanks be to God!

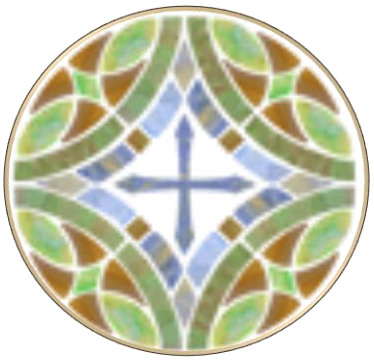
The Anthem: *How Firm a Foundation* ..... FOUNDATION, arr. Emma Lou Diemer

How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word
What more can He say than to you He hath said
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

Fear not I am with thee, O be not dismayed
For I am thy God and will still give thee aid
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand

When through the deep waters I call thee to go
The rivers of woe shall not thee overflow
For I will be with thee thy troubles to bless
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

When through fiery trials thy pathways shall lie
My grace all sufficient shall be thy supply
The flame shall not hurt thee, I only design
Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine



The congregation is invited to remain seated and join in singing stanza 5, music in Hymnal 427:

The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose
I will not, I will not desert to his foes
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake
I'll never, no never, no never forsake

–"K" in Rippon's A Selection of Hymns, 1787

The Sermon: *So That*

The Sermon Prayer

***God's Blessing**

***Our Closing Hymn:** *O Jesus, I Have Promised* ..... Hymnal 352

***The Organ Postlude**

Everyone is warmly invited to refreshments and fellowship in the church Fellowship Hall.

Please remember to sign and pass the blue Friendship Registers located at the end of your pew.

North Hills Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Randall D. Engle, PhD, Pastor
Cheryl Yuhas, Accountant
Jenna Patten, Director of Youth and Administration
Noah Cherry, Music Associate
Mary Baker, Organist
Noah Cherry, Social Media Director
Rowan Dantzler, Bass Choral Scholar
Ryan Catey, Tenor Choral Scholar

Officers of the Council

Dr. Engle, President
Michael Lopez, Vice President
Ray Rowell, Clerk
Leo Ortel, President of the Diaconate & Treasurer

Parish Elder and Deacon Teams

Parish 1: Elder Gina Grembowski (2029)
Deacon Jim Zondag (2029)

Parish 2: Elder Michael Rupke (2028)
Deacon Pat Reeves (2027)

Parish 3: Elder Michael Lopez (2028)
Deacon Leo Ortel (2027)

Parish 4: Elder Ray Rowell (2027)
Deacon Kip Drewry (2029)

Parish 5: Elder Richard Murray (2027)
Deacon Cody Heuker (2028)

Parish 6: Elder Ed van Veen (2029)
Deacon Kim Faloppa (2028)

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515 Sing to the LORD, Sing His Praise

PSALM 96



5 Say to the nations, "The LORD reigns forever."
Earth is established as he did decree.
Righteous and just is the King of the nations,
judging the peoples with equity.

6 Let heaven and earth be glad; oceans, be joyful;
forest and field, exultation express.
For God is coming, the judge of the nations,
coming to judge in his righteousness.

Words: *Psalter,* 1912, alt., P.D.
Music (WESLEY 11.10.11.9): Lowell Mason (1792-1872), 1830, P.D.

522 Dios está aquí/God Is Here Today



Words: from Mexico; tr. C. Michael Hawn, 1998, © 1999 Choristers Guild
Music (DIOS ESTÁ AQUÍ): from Mexico; arr. C. Michael Hawn and Arturo González, 1999, © 1999 Choristers Guild

615 Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling



Words: Will L. Thompson (1847-1909), P.D.
Music (THOMPSON 11.7.11.7 refrain 4.7.11.7): Will L. Thompson (1847-1909), P.D.

961 Glory Be to the Father



Words: Anonymous, 2nd c., P.D.
Music (GLORIA PATRI): from Henry W. Greatorex' *Collection,* 1851, P.D.

427 How Firm a Foundation

ISAIAH 43:1-5



To use with Psalm 11: Sing st. 1, read Psalm 11:1-3, sing st. 2, read Ps. 11:4-7, sing st. 5

Words: Isaiah 43:1-5; J. Rippon's *Selection of Hymns,* 1787, alt., P.D.
Music (FOUNDATION 11.11.11.11): J. Funk's *A Compilation of Genuine Church Music,* 1832; harm. Dale Grotenhuis (1931-2012), 1985, © 1987 Faith Alive Christian Resources

352 O Jesus, I Have Promised



Words: John Ernest Bode, 1869, alt., P.D.
Music (ANGEL'S STORY 7.6.7.6 D): Arthur H. Mann (1850-1929), P.D.