



# SOUTH CLT PRES CHURCH

**Sunday, February 1, 2026**

Worship Service

## **Welcome & Call to Worship**

Pastor Josh Creason

*Psalm 99:1-5*

LEADER: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

PEOPLE: The LORD is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise your great and awesome name! Holy is he!

LEADER: The King in his might loves justice. You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

ALL: Exalt the LORD our God; worship at his footstool! Holy is he!

## **Worship in Song**

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY!

EARLY IN THE MORNING OUR SONG SHALL RISE TO THEE. HOLY,

HOLY, HOLY! MERCIFUL AND MIGHTY!

GOD IN THREE PERSONS, BLESSED TRINITY!

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! ALL THE SAINTS ADORE THEE,

CASTING DOWN THEIR GOLDEN CROWNS AROUND THE GLASSY

SEA. CHERUBIM AND SERAPHIM FALLING DOWN BEFORE THEE,

WHO WERT, AND ART, AND EVERMORE SHALT BE.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! THOUGH THE DARKNESS HIDE THEE, THOUGH

THE EYE OF SINFUL MAN THY GLORY MAY NOT SEE, ONLY THOU

ART HOLY, THERE IS NONE BESIDE THEE, PERFECT IN POW'R, IN

LOVE, AND PURITY.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY!  
ALL THY WORKS SHALL PRAISE THY NAME IN EARTH AND SKY AND  
SEA. HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! MERCIFUL AND MIGHTY!  
GOD IN THREE PERSONS, BLESSED TRINITY!

PSALM 34 (TASTE AND SEE)

I SOUGHT THE LORD AND HE ANSWERED ME  
AND DELIVERED ME FROM EVERY FEAR  
THOSE WHO LOOK ON HIM ARE RADIANT  
THEY'LL NEVER BE ASHAMED  
THEY'LL NEVER BE ASHAMED

THIS POOR MAN CRIED AND THE LORD HEARD ME  
AND SAVED ME FROM MY ENEMIES  
THE SON OF GOD SURROUNDS HIS SAINTS  
HE WILL DELIVER THEM  
HE WILL DELIVER THEM

MAGNIFY THE LORD WITH ME  
COME EXALT HIS NAME TOGETHER  
GLORIFY THE LORD WITH ME  
COME EXALT HIS NAME FOREVER

O TASTE AND SEE THAT THE LORD IS GOOD  
O BLESSED IS HE WHO HIDES IN HIM  
O FEAR THE LORD O ALL YOU SAINTS  
HE'LL GIVE YOU EVERYTHING  
HE'LL GIVE YOU EVERYTHING

LET US BLESS THE LORD  
EVERY DAY AND NIGHT  
NEVER ENDING PRAISE  
MAY OUR INCENSE RISE

HOLY FOREVER

A THOUSAND GENERATIONS FALLING DOWN IN WORSHIP  
TO SING THE SONG OF AGES TO THE LAMB  
AND ALL WHO'VE GONE BEFORE US  
AND ALL WHO WILL BELIEVE  
WILL SING THE SONG OF AGES TO THE LAMB

(JESUS) YOUR NAME IS THE HIGHEST  
YOUR NAME IS THE GREATEST  
YOUR NAME STANDS ABOVE THEM ALL  
ALL THRONES AND DOMINIONS  
ALL POWERS AND POSITIONS  
YOUR NAME STANDS ABOVE THEM ALL

AND THE ANGELS CRY HOLY  
ALL CREATION CRIES HOLY  
YOU ARE LIFTED HIGH HOLY  
HOLY FOREVER

IF YOU'VE BEEN FORGIVEN AND IF YOU'VE BEEN REDEEMED  
SING THE SONG FOREVER TO THE LAMB  
IF YOU WALK IN FREEDOM AND IF YOU BEAR HIS NAME  
SING THE SONG FOREVER TO THE LAMB  
WE'LL SING THE SONG FOREVER AND AMEN

HEAR YOUR PEOPLE SING HOLY  
TO THE KING OF KINGS HOLY  
YOU WILL ALWAYS BE HOLY  
HOLY FOREVER

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## **Community Time**

Kaylee Triplett

## **Giving**

Ruling Elder George Kurz

## **Pastoral Prayer**

Ruling Elder George Kurz

## **Scripture Reading**

Pastoral Intern John Griffiths

*1 Peter 1:13-25*

13 Therefore, preparing your minds for action,<sup>[b]</sup> and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. 14 As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance, 15 but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, 16 since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." 17 And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one's deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, 18

knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, 19 but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. 20 He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for the sake of you 21 who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

22 Having purified your souls by your obedience to the truth for a sincere brotherly love, love one another earnestly from a pure heart, 23 since you have been born again, not of perishable seed but of imperishable, through the living and abiding word of God; 24 for

"All flesh is like grass  
and all its glory like the flower of grass.  
The grass withers,  
and the flower falls,  
25 but the word of the Lord remains forever."

And this word is the good news that was preached to you.

**Reader:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**Congregation:** Thanks be to God.

## Sermon

Pastoral Intern John Griffiths

A Call to Holy Living

*Hope Under Pressure*

*1 Peter 1:13-25*

1. The Call to Holiness (V. 13-16)
2. The Reason for Holiness (V.17-21)
3. The Display of Holiness (V. 22-25)

## Confession of Sin & Gospel Assurance

Pastor Josh Creason

### *Confession of Sin*

**Holy Father, You call us to set our hope fully on the grace of Jesus Christ and to be holy as You are holy.**

**Yet we confess that our hopes are divided and our lives are shaped by unholy desires.**

**Though You have redeemed us with the precious blood of Christ, we live as though lesser things could save us.**

**And though You have made us new by Your living Word, we fail to love one another earnestly from a pure heart.**

**Forgive us, Lord, through the precious blood of your Son, Jesus Christ. Renew our minds and make us holy in all our ways.**

### *Time of Silent Confession*

### *Gospel Assurance*

**Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for. (Isaiah 6:6-7)**

## Lord's Supper

Pastor Josh Creason

### **Song of Response**

GIVE US CLEAN HANDS

WE BOW OUR HEARTS WE BEND OUR KNEES

OH SPIRIT COME MAKE US HUMBLE

WE TURN OUR EYES FROM EVIL THINGS

OH LORD WE CAST DOWN OUR IDOLS

GIVE US CLEAN HANDS GIVE US PURE HEARTS

LET US NOT LIFT OUR SOULS TO ANOTHER

GIVE US CLEAN HANDS GIVE US PURE HEARTS

LET US NOT LIFT OUR SOULS TO ANOTHER

AND OH GOD LET US BE A GENERATION THAT SEEKS

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**Benediction**

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