

## Sending

\*Benediction

\*Closing Song: "God, the Father of Your People"

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Offering our gifts is an important part of our response to God—connecting our worship with a life of discipleship—and is a way to participate in the ministry of Covenant CRC here in this building and around the world. Offering boxes are located at the entrances to the sanctuary, or check your bulletin announcements for more ways to give.



### Galatians 3:28-29

There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

### Worship Participants

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## Gathering

Welcome

\*Call to Worship: Psalm 133, 95:6-7

How very good and pleasant it is  
when kindred live together in unity!  
It is like the precious oil on the head,  
running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron,  
running down over the collar of his robes.  
It is like the dew of Hermon,  
which falls on the mountains of Zion.  
For there the Lord ordained his blessing, life forevermore.  
Come, let us all worship and bow down together,  
**let us kneel together before the Lord, our maker.**  
**For he is our God,**  
**and we are the people of his pasture,**  
**and the sheep of his hand.**

\*Song: "We Will Extol You, God and King"

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\*God Greet Us, We Greet One Another

\*Song: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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## Renewal

Call to Confession: I John 2:1-2

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Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance: Micah 7:18-20

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Song of Thanksgiving: "The Lord Is My Salvation"

**1. The grace of God has reached for me,  
and pulled me from the raging sea.**

**And I am safe on this solid ground: the Lord is my salvation.**

**2. I will not fear when darkness falls,  
his strength will help me scale these walls.**

**I'll see the dawn of the rising sun: the Lord is my salvation.**

Chorus:

**Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.  
My debt is paid and the victory won: the Lord is my salvation.**

**3. My hope is hidden in the Lord,  
he flow'rs each promise of His Word.**

**When winter fades I know spring will come: the Lord is my salvation.**

**4. In times of waiting, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak,  
I know His grace will renew these days:  
the Lord is my salvation. (to chorus)**

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Prayers for the Church and World

## Word

Children's Blessing: "Spirit, Help Us Live God's Love"

**Spirit, help us live God's love. Alleluia! (repeat)**

Music: Traditional Text: Unknown

Leader & Congregation: **The Lord be with you.**

Kids & Helpers: And also with you.

Leader & Congregation: **God bless you as you worship.**

Kids & Helpers: God bless you as you worship.

*Children ages 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to go downstairs to the Multi-Purpose Room for a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service. Parents, you are welcome to walk your children downstairs to help get them settled in.*

Scripture Reading: Galatians 3:15-29

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Message: "One Messy Family; One Saving Story"

Pastor Joel Kok

## Response

\*Song: "What Wondrous Love"

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\*We Profess Our Faith: The Apostles' Creed

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