

WORSHIP

at home



BETHEL CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

SUNDAY, October 11, 2020

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (from Luke 1:78-79)

By the tender mercy of our God, the dawn from on high will break upon us, to give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Let's pray: Merciful God,

We come together to worship longing for tenderness because this world can be hard.

We come longing for light because our lives are crowded with shadows. We come desperately needing direction. Fill us this morning with your peace: your spirit is our peace and our path.

Song of Praise: "Blessed Be Your Name"

God's Greeting

Prayer

Song: "Come Holy Spirit"

Call to Confession

Sisters and brothers let's not let sin control the way we live. Let's not give in to sinful desires.

Rather, let's offer ourselves to God, who through his mercy has brought us from death to life.

Song: "Come to the Saviour Now"

Confession

God, we confess that we have sinned in your sight. Despite our best efforts and intentions, we have failed to consistently live in ways that bring honour to your name. Forgive us.

Through the grace of Jesus Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit, set us free from the grip of sin— from attitudes and actions that do not lead to life.

Words of Assurance:

Once we were slaves to sin, living lives that led only to death. But thanks be to God!

In his mercy, he has set us free from the power of sin and death and has offered us forgiveness and eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord!

Now you are free to choose life, and to use your life to bring honour and glory to God!

Thanks be to God!

Song: "Good and Gracious King"

Children's Message [Children's Video](#)

Offering (Bethel Budget and Christian Education)

Prayer for Illumination



Response: "Jesus, All for Jesus"

Prayers of God's People

Parting Blessing

Closing Praise: "Sing to the King"

