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Reverend Jeff
Rainwater
October 4, 2026





SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2026
10:00 AM

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

WE GATHER

PRELUDE

Feed Thy Children God Most Holy
Prelude on Holy Manna
Immortal Invisible

Donald Busarow
Peter Pindar Stearns
arr. by Don Wytzen
Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

WELCOME & INVITATION TO GOD'S PRESENCE

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Caitlyn O'Neil

- L: We come before God carrying gifts and stories.
P: We remember the grace that has carried us to this day.
L: Scripture teaches us to remember where we came from—
P: The wandering and the welcome, the suffering and the deliverance, the hunger and the abundance.
L: But memory can be incomplete. We may preserve what comforts us and leave out what is difficult.
P: God of truth, reveal what we have forgotten and what we have refused to see.
L: At this table, Christ calls us to remember.
P: Not to escape into the past, but to recognize living grace among us now.
L: As we remember Christ, we are gathered again as Christ's body.
All: Awaken our gratitude, deepen our trust, and shape us into people of grace. Let us worship God.

***OPENING HYMN**

Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above

UMH 709

OPENING PRAYER

WE RECEIVE GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

At this time, children and youth are invited to go downstairs for Sunday School.

ANTHEM

Remember Me

Robert Lau
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

Deuteronomy 26:1-11
Luke 23:39-43

Caitlyn O'Neil

MESSAGE

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RESPONSIVE HYMN

For the Bread Which You Have Broken

UMH 614

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

OFFERTORY

Remember Me

arr. by James Jiang
Clara Meerdink & Anne Rowland

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH 94

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them up to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

L: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, ...
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**P: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of
your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

L: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. ... in union with Christ's offering
for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

P: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

L: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, ... Through your Son Jesus Christ, with
the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now
and forever.

P: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

WE ARE SENT IN MISSION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CLOSING HYMN

Jesus, Remember Me

UMH 588 (repeated)

*BENEDICTION

*MUSICAL BENEDICTION *God Be with You till We Meet Again*

UMH 672

POSTLUDE

Allegro (from Trumpet Concerto in C Major)

John Stanley
Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

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Linda Brooks Moses Mboka
Jason Doering Julie Durst
Samantha Doering | Communion

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We would like to express our extreme gratitude to those who help before, during, and after worship. We could not do this without you!

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