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CORNERSTONE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

9:30 A.M. Order of Worship

August 16, 2026

Praise to God

Organ Prelude

Emilee VanderKolk

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Ed Marcusse

*Call to Worship: **Psalm 145**

*God's Greeting (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Song: "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty"

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The Will of God

The Law of God: **Leviticus 19**

Pew Bible, pp. 97-98

Assurance of Pardon

Song: "Lord, You Have Searched Me"

139B:1-3,11

Gifts of Gratitude

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: **1. General Fund 2. Reformed Youth Services (RYS)**

*Song of Preparation: "Your Law, O God, Is Our Delight"

175:1-5

The Proclamation of God's Word

Scripture Reading: **I Timothy 6:3-10**

Pew Bible, p. 993

Scripture Text: **I Timothy 6:6**

Confessional Reference: **Lord's Day 44 *Forms & Prayers*, pp. 250-251**

Sermon: **GODLINESS WITH CONTENTMENT**

Prayer of Application

Thanksgiving to God

*Song: "Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted"

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*Benediction (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Doxology: "New graces ever gaining from this our day of rest,
we reach the rest remaining to spirits of the blest. To Holy Ghost
be praises, to Father, and to Son; the church her voice upraises
to thee, blest Three in One."

153:4

Postlude

Organist: Jan Spoelma

Pianist: Melissa Haveman

*Indicates standing for those able to do so.
(Latecomers will be ushered in during the first song.)

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5:00 P.M. Order of Worship

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Praise to God

Prelude

Song Service

Nate Moorman

Welcome and Announcements

Dr. Neal Hegeman

*Call to Worship: **Psalm 118:24-29**

*Silent Prayer (concluded with organ music)

*God's Greeting (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Song: "Come, Bless the LORD with One Accord"

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Confession of Faith

*The Creed: **Apostles' Creed**

Trinity Psalter Hymnal, p. 851

*Response: "All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,

the Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven—

the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;

for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore."

181:3

Meditation on God's Word

Scripture Reading: **Psalm 2**

Pew Bible, p. 448

Song: "Why Do Heathen Nations Rage?"

2A:1-4

Gifts of Gratitude

Congregational Prayer

Offering: **Jehovah Jireh Ministries**

*Song: "Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak"

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The Proclamation of God's Word

Scripture Reading: **Acts 1:1-11**

Pew Bible, p. 909

Scripture Text: **Acts 1:8**

Sermon: **MY WITNESSES**

Prayer of Application

Thanksgiving to God

*Song: "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

380:1,2,5

*Benediction (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Doxology: "Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him,
all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

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