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CORNERSTONE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

9:30 A.M. Order of Worship

September 13, 2026

Praise to God

Prelude

Ministry of Music: “Holy, Holy, Holy!” / “Jesus the very Thought of Thee”
and “Behold Our God”

Men & Boys Choir

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Greg Lubbers

*Call to Worship: **Hebrews 10:19-25**

*God’s Greeting (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Song: “O God, Show Mercy to Us”

67B

The Will of God

The Law of God: **Exodus 20:1-17**

Pew Bible, p. 61

Song: “God, Be Merciful to Me”

51C:1,4,5,8

Assurance of Pardon: **Galatians 4:4-7**

Pew Bible, p. 974

Gifts of Gratitude

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: **1. General Fund 2. Mission Fund**

*Song: “The Church’s One Foundation”

404:1,2,5,6

The Proclamation of God’s Word

Scripture Reading: **Ephesians 1:1-14**

Pew Bible, pp. 976

Scripture Text: **Ephesians 1:3-6**

Sermon: **PRAISE TO GOD FOR ELECTION**

Prayer of Application

Thanksgiving to God

*Song: “How Vast the Benefits Divine”

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*Benediction (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Doxology: “To him who loved us long ago, before we came to be,
**Who left His throne for earth below to save a wretch like me:
All praise to Christ from grateful men forevermore. Amen.**

With angels, saints, and seraphim the new creation sings,

“All glory, pow’r, and praise to Him who made us priests and kings.”

All praise to Christ from grateful men forevermore. Amen.” 289:1,4

Postlude

Organist: Denise Marcusse

Pianist: Judy Veldink

*Indicates standing for those able to do so.

(Latecomers will be ushered in during the first song.)

CORNERSTONE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

5:00 P.M. Order of Worship

September 13, 2026

Praise to God

Prelude

Song Service

Welcome and Announcements

James Kapenga

Rev. Greg Lubbers

*Call to Worship: **Psalm 96:1-9**

*Silent Prayer (concluded with organ music)

*God's Greeting (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Song: "Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise"

96:1-4

Confession of Faith

*The Creed: **Apostles' Creed**

Trinity Psalter Hymnal, p. 851

*Response: "Father, Long before Creation"

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Meditation on God's Word

Scripture Reading: **Psalm 119:89-112**

Pew Bible, pp. 514-515

Song: "Your Word Sheds Light upon My Path"

119N

Reading of the Preparatory Form

Forms & Prayers pp. 44-45

Gifts of Gratitude

Congregational Prayer

Offering: **Pregnancy Resource Center**

*Song: "Ancient Words"

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The Proclamation of God's Word

Scripture Reading: **2 Peter 1:16-21**

Pew Bible, p. 1018

Confessional Reference: **Belgic, Article 3**

Forms & Prayers, p. 154

Sermon: **CHRISTIAN BELIEF IN INSPIRATION**

Prayer of Application

Thanksgiving to God

*Song: "O Praise the LORD, for It Is Good"

147B:1,4,6

*Benediction (Congregation responds: AMEN)

*Doxology: "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

214:1,4

Postlude

Organist: Denise Marcusse