

509th Anniversary of Reformation & 170th Anniversary

Saved by Grace

Suntec Halls 308-311
9am & 5:30pm

ORPC
ORCHARD ROAD
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

25 October 2026

AM

Building a Disciple-Making Church

ORPC 170th Anniversary & Reformation Sunday

9—10.30am

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise & Adoration
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

WE SEEK GOD

Prayer of Confession & Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Prayer
The Church's One Foundation

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem
Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading
Habakkuk 2:4; Romans 1:15-17

Sermon
By Faith Alone

Hymn of Response
O Church Arise

WE SERVE GOD IN HIS WORLD

Welcome & Announcements

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude

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PM

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5.30—6.30pm

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SCRIPTURE

Habakkuk 2:4

4 “See, the enemy is puffed up;
his desires are not upright—
but the righteous person will live by his faithfulness—

Romans 1:15-17

15 That is why I am so eager to preach the gospel also to you who are in Rome.

16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile. 17 For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed—a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.”

SERMON OUTLINE 25 OCT

By Faith Alone

Habakkuk 2:4; Romans 1:15-17

Introduction: Why should we continue to proclaim the Gospel?

1. God's solution to the problem of sin

2. God's power to transform believers

Conclusion

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Hymn of Praise & Adoration (AM & PM)

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Words and Music by Martin Luther.

Verse 1
A mighty fortress is our God
A bulwark never failing
Our helper He amid the flood
Of mortal ills prevailing
For still our ancient foe
Doth seek to work us woe
His craft and pow'r are great
And armed with cruel hate
On earth is not his equal

Verse 2
Did we in our own strength confide
Our striving would be losing
Were not the right Man on our side
The Man of God's own choosing
Dost ask who that may be
Christ Jesus it is He
Lord Sabaoth His Name
From age to age the same
And He must win the battle

Verse 3
And though this world with devils filled
Should threaten to undo us
We will not fear for God hath willed
His truth to triumph through us
The Prince of Darkness grim
We tremble not for him
His rage we can endure
For lo his doom is sure
One little word shall fell him

Verse 4
That word above all earthly pow'rs
No thanks to them, abideth
The Spirit and the gifts are ours
Through Him Who with us sideth
Let goods and kindred go
This mortal life also
The body they may kill
God's truth abideth still
His kingdom is forever

Hymn of Prayer (AM & PM)

The Church's One Foundation

Words by Samuel Stone. Music by Samuel Wesley.

Verse 1
The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ, her Lord
She is His new creation
By water and the Word
From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy bride
With His own blood He bought her
And for her life He died

Verse 2
Elect from every nation
Yet one o'er all the earth
Her charter of salvation
One Lord one faith one birth
One holy name she blesses
Partakes one holy food
And to one hope she presses
With every grace endued

Verse 3
Mid toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest
And the great church victorious
Shall be the church at rest

Verse 4
Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won
O happy ones and holy
Lord give us grace that we
Like them the meek and lowly
May live eternally

Anthem (AM & PM)

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Words & Music by Matt Boswell, Matt Papa, Keith Getty, Jordan Kauflin, Matthew Sherman Merker.

Verse 1
What is our hope in life and death
Christ alone Christ alone
What is our only confidence
That our souls to him belong

Who holds our days within his hand
What comes, apart from his command
And what will keep us to the end
The love of Christ in which we stand

O sing hallelujah
Our hope springs eternal
O sing hallelujah
Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death

Verse 2
What truth can calm the troubled soul
God is good, God is good
Where is His grace and goodness known
In our great Redeemer's blood

Who holds our faith when fears arise
Who stands above the stormy trial
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh
Unto the shore the rock of Christ (Refrain)

Verse 3
Unto the grave what will we sing
Christ He lives Christ He lives
And what reward will heaven bring
Everlasting life with Him

And we will rise to meet the Lord
Then sin and death will be destroyed
And we will feast in endless joy
When Christ is ours forevermore (Refrain)

Hymn of Response (AM & PM)

O Church Arise

Words by Keith Getty. Music by Stuart Townend.

Verse 1
O church arise and put your armor on
Hear the call of Christ our captain
For now the weak can say
That they are strong
In the strength that God has given
With shield of faith and belt of truth
We'll stand against the devil's lies
An army bold whose battle cry is "Love"
Reaching out to those in darkness

Verse 2
Our call to war to love the captive soul
But to rage against the captor
And with the sword
That makes the wounded whole
We will fight with faith and valor
When faced with trials on ev'ry side
We know the outcome is secure
And Christ will have
The prize for which He died—
An inheritance of nations

Verse 3
Come see the cross
Where love and mercy meet
As the Son of God is stricken
Then see His foes
Lie crushed beneath His feet
For the Conqueror has risen
And as the stone is rolled away
And Christ emerges from the grave
This victory march continues till the day
Ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him

Verse 4
So Spirit come
Put strength in ev'ry stride
Give grace for ev'ry hurdle
That we may run with faith
To win the prize
Of a servant good and faithful
As saints of old still line the way
Retelling triumphs of His grace
We hear their calls
And hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory

PREACHING THEMES ▪ SERVICE ROSTER

Sunday Service	**25 Oct** **ORPC 170th Anniversary & Reformation Sunday**	**1 Nov** **Holy Communion Sunday**
Sermon Title	By Faith Alone	Gospel Living – Work & Purity
Scripture Reference	Habakkuk 2:4; Romans 1:15-17	1 Thessalonians 4:3-12
Preacher	Rev Dr Clive Chin	Rev Dr Clive Chin
Worship Leader	Eld Alvin Ooi	Eld Liow Koh Chuan
	Dcn Gabriel Tang	***Eld Paul Johnson***
Scripture Reader	Ingrid Sidiadinoto	
	Andrew Tan	
Music Director	Dr Agnes Tan	Dr Agnes Tan
Musicians	Eunice Tang (AM ***& PM***)	Audrey Teh
	Jabez Selvarajan	Lisa Ong
	Sophia Shalini	Eunice Tang
	Joe Hann, Natania Lim	***Hannah Leong***
	Christel Chue, Serene Goh	***Natalie Chu***
	Lim Chiew Sen	***Lim Yan Di***
	Howard Law	
	Gabriella Lim	
	Hannah Leong	
Ushers Team/	Team A	Team B
Leaders	Veronica Song	Jimmy Tan
	Team F	***Team D***
	Alicia Yeo	***Ivy Ang***
Greeters	Pr Tan Hui Ru (Duty Ps)	Ps John Chew (Duty Ps)
	Dcn Dr Benjamin Kuek	Dcn Gan Keng Swee
	Pr Kenneth Teo (Duty Ps)	***Pr Tan Hui Ru (Duty Ps)***
	Dcn Mazmur The	***Dcn Kurniawan Tjandra***
AV Duty Roster	Jabez Selvarajan	Jabez Ong
	Selvarajan Rengasamy	Jethro Cheung
	Peter Goh	Tan Shir Ee
	Rachel Ong	Winduputra Prasetijo
	Elson Chan	***Althaea Wangko***
	Jane Tham	***Dr Irene Tu***
	Chong Yee Seng	***Dr Stephen Sumarli***
	Cecilia Tong	

Bold Italics - Evening Service

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE PARENTS ON THE ARRIVAL OF A NEWBORN

We congratulate Ashton Tan and Su Xian on the arrival of their baby girl, Dalia Tan Ning En, on 16 October 2026. We thank God for Dalia and we rejoice with the family.

CELEBRATING 170 YEARS OF FAITH & FELLOWSHIP!

Hi everyone! We are overjoyed to invite all worshippers to celebrate our church's 170th Anniversary with us. Join us right outside the hall after the worship service for a wonderful time of fellowship over coffee, tea, and cakes. As a token of our gratitude and celebration, a special anniversary memento will be given to all worshippers.

Important Notes on Collection:

- There are people stationed at 3 tables, located in different areas, outside the main halls to collect your mementos. If there is a queue forming at the nearby station, just look for another station. Grab a cake or hot drinks while doing so.
- After receiving your memento mug, **please scan the QR code** located outside to register your collection. This helps us track distribution so we can ensure everyone receives a mug. Thank you for your cooperation!

After the AM service, as you are enjoying the fellowship outside the worship hall, we would like to invite you to go and introduce yourself and talk to someone new by playing a simple game of Human Bingo!

Pick up a Bingo sheet and a pen from the table outside as you exit the worship hall.

MONTHLY CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER MEETING (4 NOV)

Our next prayer meeting will be on Wed, 4 Nov, 7.30 – 8.30pm, onsite in the Studio (YWCA Outram, L2) and via Zoom simultaneously. The Zoom link will be posted on the WhatsApp broadcast and various ministries' group chats. All are encouraged to attend.

EXTRAORDINARY CONGREGATIONAL MEETING (ECM) FOR THE ELECTION OF AN ELDER AND A DEACON (15 NOV)

Notice is hereby given that the ECM will be held onsite in the Suntec Halls 308-311 on Sunday, 15 November 2026 (after the morning and evening English worship services and the Indonesian Ministry (IM) worship service) for the election of an elder and a deacon. Session received 1 nomination for an elder and 1 nomination for a deacon for his second term. Details of the 2 candidates are set out in today's insert. Voting will be done in-person on Sunday, 15 November 2026. https://orpc.sg/about/

NOTICE OF ECM FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF REV DR CLIVE CHIN AS SENIOR MINISTER, THE RE-ELECTION OF REV ANTHON SIMANGUNSONG AS ASSOCIATE MINISTER AND THE ELECTION OF PR TAN HUI RU AS ASSOCIATE MINISTER (15 NOV)

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary Congregational Meeting (ECM) will be held onsite in the Suntec Halls 308-311 on Sunday, 15 November 2026 (after the morning and evening English worship services and Indonesian Ministry (IM) worship service) for

I. Re-election of Rev Dr Clive Chin as Senior Minister of ORPC. The re-appointment is for a period of 4 years, from 12 January 2027;
II. Re-election of Rev Anthon Simangunsong as Associate Minister of ORPC (Indonesian Ministry (IM)). The re-appointment is for a period of 4 years, from 7 January 2027; and
III. Election of Pr Tan Hui Ru as Associate Minister of ORPC. The appointment is for a period of 4 years, from the date of her ordination (to be decided by Session).

Details are in today's Insert. Voting will be done in-person on Sunday, 15 Nov 2026. https://orpc.sg/about/

IMPORTANT:

A. On 15 November 2026, all members are requested to register and collect your voting slips ***before*** the start of worship service. **Please come early before the start of the services**.
B. Please bring your NRIC for verification and registration purposes on 15 Nov.
   9 AM service: Registration 8.15–9 AM outside Halls 308-311 [English only].
   5.30 PM service: Registration 4.45–5.30 PM outside Halls 308-311 [English only].
   2.30 PM IM service: Registration 1.45–2.30 PM outside Halls 308-311 [IM only].
C. If you are unable to attend the ECM on 15 November 2026, please authorise ahead, another member as proxy to vote on your behalf. Download the Proxy Form via this link https://orpc.sg/go/ecm-proxy-form/
   Your proxy must bring the *duly completed and signed hardcopy Proxy Form* with him/her to the ECM on 15 Nov for your vote to be counted. One proxy per member. One proxy form for both ECMs.

FURTHER NOTES TO ECM:

Session is strongly recommending for Rev Dr Clive Chin to be given an extension for another four years. Rev Clive has served ORPC very well in the past 9 years and is seeing us through the journey of the disciple-making church (DMC). We would like Rev Clive to continue to lead during this transition period of DMC, A&A project and pastoral leadership renewal. Rev Dr Clive Chin had originally indicated to Session that he desires to step down as Senior Minister at the completion of his current contract on 11 January 2027. However, upon Session's invitation, he has agreed to a yearly contract renewal basis, as we search for a new Senior Minister as part of our leadership succession plans.

Rev Anthon Simangunsong has been nominated to be the Associate Minister, Indonesian Ministry, a second four-year term. The Indonesian Ministry is part of ORPC, and as such, all English and Indonesian congregations will in future cast votes in all elections for pastoral staff and lay leaders in ORPC.

Preacher Tan Hui Ru having completed her Ministerial Preparation Stage, took her licentiate pledge on 26 February 2026. The election of the Preacher Tan Hui Ru as Associate Minister is also an election into the ordained ministry as a Minister of the Word and Sacrament of the church.

Ms Alicia Yeo (a former deacon) has been nominated for the office of elder and Deacon Benjamin Goh has been nominated to serve a second term as deacon.

Congregation is requested to pray for the leadership of ORPC as it continues on the journey of a disciple-making church.

SoCM CLASS—CREATED IN THE IMAGE OF GOD: HUMAN DIGNITY AND RENEWAL (29 NOV)

In view of ORPC's 170th anniversary celebrations on 25 Oct and online worship on 22 Nov, this class will be conducted by Rev Dr Clive Chin on 29 Nov instead.
Time: 11am – 12.30pm. All are welcome. Please see the insert for details.
Venue: FES Conference Room located at 420 North Bridge Centre #05-04, S(188727).

SYNC 2026—SYNOD YOUTH NEXT-GEN CONFERENCE (30 NOV – 2 DEC)

Youth are invited to SYNC 2026, themed Equipping and Encouraging the Next Generation of Youths, from 30 November to 2 December 2026, 9.30am–4.00pm, at Kuo Chuan Presbyterian School Chapel. The conference features leadership training in self-leadership, peer leadership and group leadership. Registration is $40.
Sign up at https://tinyurl.com/syncsignups

NEXT ONLINE WORSHIP SUNDAYS 22 NOV & 6 DEC

We will worship together online at https://orpc.sg/connect/worshipwithus/ on these dates listed here, as there will be no in-person AM and PM worship services at Suntec: 22 Nov and 6 Dec 2026 (*updated*). The service will be available online from 9 a.m. We encourage Discipleship Groups (DGs) to gather to worship together.

ORPC YOUTH CAMP 2026: MADE FOR MORE (20–23 DEC)

Join us for ORPC Youth Camp 2026, **Made for More**, from **20–23 December 2026** at Praise Haven! Discover what it means to live a life with God at the centre through fun, fellowship, and learning together. Registration is **$40 per person**. **Sign up by 8 November 2026** via the QR code on the publicity insert or at https://tinyurl.com/orpcyouthcamp2026

NEPAL FLOOD DISASTER CRISIS RELIEF EFFORT

On 23 September 2026, Session approved ORPC's contribution of S$5,000 to the Presbyterian Church in Singapore (PCS) as a contribution towards the humanitarian relief work for those affected by the Nepal flood disaster. PCS will forward the consolidated amount to Life Care Society (LCS). LCS is Singapore Life Church's non-governmental organisation (NGO) established in Nepal and is engaged in humanitarian relief work related to the flood disaster. PCS informed churches that it is not a fundraising exercise so the appeal for contributions from the congregation could not be done. Please continue to keep families affected by the disaster in prayer.

A&A PROJECT & PLEDGE FORM

You may view the series of updates on the A&A project via this link https://orpc.sg/aanda/ The pledge form is available as an insert to this bulletin.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS
For details and requirements, please refer to the information on our church website https://orpc.sg/resources/forms/marriages-in-orpc/ Register for the marriage preparation class via http://chms.orpc.org.sg/equipping/registration/165/public
Do also refer to the website of the Registry of Marriages, Singapore, for requirements.

BE PART OF A DISCIPLESHIP GROUP
Our Discipleship Groups seek to worship, share life, pray, study God's word and serve Christ together. Come alongside us in our daily growth journey through joining a Discipleship Group. Have a look here https://orpc.sg/connect/discipleship-groups/
Email discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg for more information or speak to one of our staff/leaders.

PERSONAL PARTICULARS
If you have changed your personal particulars recently, or you have queries regarding church events/ministries, please email Ping at orpcenglish@orpc.org.sg or contact the church office (Mon-Fri).

PRAYER REQUESTS
Please feel free to approach any of our pastors and leaders if you would like to chat and ask for prayer.

REGULAR MINISTRY

Children's Ministry	Sundays 9.00-10.30AM 0-6YO @ Room 302, Suntec 7-9YO @ Room 301, Suntec 10-13YO @ Room 300, Suntec Contact Pr Hui Ru (children@orpc.org.sg) for details
Youth Ministry	Sundays 11.00AM-12.30PM Contact Pr Kenneth (youth@orpc.org.sg) for venues
Young Adults Ministry	Odd week Sundays 11.00-12.30PM Contact Pr Hui Ru (yam@orpc.org.sg) for venues
Discipleship Groups	Meetings twice a month. Contact discipleshipgroups@orpc.org.sg for details
Children's Choir Youth Choir	1st, 2nd & 3rd Saturdays 4.30-6.00PM Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Chancel Choir	Thursdays 7.30-9.30PM Level 2 Studio, YWCA Outram Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Handbells & Orchestra	Contact Dr Agnes (worship@orpc.org.sg) for details
Congregational Prayer Meeting	First Wednesday monthly, 7.30-8.30PM [hybrid]

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS: OCTOBER – DECEMBER 2026

Sun 25 Oct	**9am & 5.30pm**	ORPC 170th Anniversary & 509th Anniversary of Reformation [Suntec Halls 308-311]
Sat 31 Oct, 7, 14, 21 Nov	**10am**	Membership Class [Studio, YWCA Outram]
Wed 4 Nov	**7.30pm**	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online & Studio, YWCA Outram]
Sun 8 Nov	**9am**	Infant Baptism [Suntec Halls 308-311]
Sun 22 Nov	**9am**	**Worship Service [Online]**
Wed 2 Dec	**7.30pm**	Congregational Prayer Meeting [Online & Studio, YWCA Outram]
Sun 6 Dec	**9am**	**Worship Service [Online]**
Sun 13 Dec	**9am & 5.30pm**	Holy Communion & Membership Sunday
Fri 25 Dec	**10am**	Christmas Day Service [Suntec Halls 308-311]

TITHES & OFFERINGS

[This is not a general solicitation of funds from the public.]

FOR CONTRIBUTIONS:

Please indicate the type of Giving, i.e. **"ENGLISH - GENERAL" or "ENGLISH - MISSION"** at the back of Cheque or in "Comments"/ "Reference" box for PayNow/Interbank Transfer

(1) PAYNOW/PAYLAH [QR Code (Use your Bank App, Scan to Pay)]
UEN No.: S90CC0750JGRO
Payee Name: Orchard Rd Presbyterian Church – Giro Offering

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Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church
Mailing Address: 3 Orchard Road Singapore 238825

(3) INTERBANK TRANSFER
Beneficiary: Orchard Rd Presbyterian Church – Giro Offering
Bank: UOB Bank Account No: 450-312-122-5

OUR OFFERING

OFFERING	TARGET 01.01.26 - 31.12.26	TARGET TO 18.10.2026	RECEIVED TO 18.10.2026	YTD SURPLUS/ (SHORTFALL)
GENERAL	$1,800,000.00	$1,453,846.15	$1,228,890.45	($224,955.70)
MISSIONS	$250,000.00	$201,923.08	$197,571.32	($4,351.76)
TOTAL	$2,050,000.00	$1,655,769.23	$1,426,461.77	($229,307.46)

A&A FUNDRAISING

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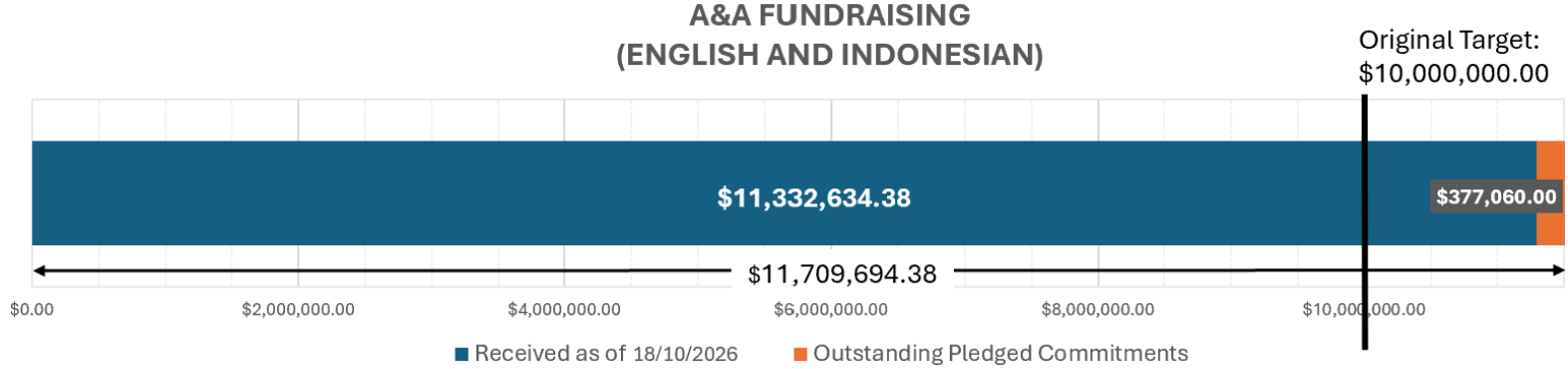
The Pledge Form may be accessed here https://bit.ly/ORPCpledge
Completed Pledge Forms should be sent to aafundraising@orpc.org.sg

(1) PAYNOW/PAYLAH [QR Code (Use your Bank App, Scan to Pay)]
UEN No.: S90CC0750JAA1
Payee Name: Orchard Road Presbyterian Church - A&A Project

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Bank: UOB Bank Account No.: 773-347-101-1





HISTORY

The Orchard Road Presbyterian Church (ORPC) was founded in 1856 to minister to the needs of the Scots community in Singapore. The first church building on the present site was completed in 1878, and has been extended several times. In 1975, the sanctuary was extended, and in 1985, the new extension of Dunman Hall was completed and a new chapel was built. Alongside the growth of the physical facilities has been the development of the church from an English-speaking expatriate congregation to a local church embracing four different language congregations. In 1995 we planted a branch church (Bukit Batok Presbyterian Church) which became independent in 2013. Similarly, our Mandarin congregation (Providence Presbyterian Church) became independent in 2005. ORPC consists of the English Congregation and the Indonesian Congregation, and worshipping with us now in the same building is Providence Presbyterian Church. From Oct 2025 to Nov 2027 (projected), ORPC is worshipping at Suntec City Convention Centre while renovation works are ongoing.

FAITH AND MEMBERSHIP

As a church with roots in historic Presbyterianism growing out of the Westminster Confession of Faith, we affirm the Lordship of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. We look to the Scriptures as the inspired Word of God and the one authoritative and infallible standard for our faith and practice. We welcome those who profess Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour into our formal membership. Our membership is truly international, representing the breadth of God's call upon people from all ethnic and economic backgrounds. Members are received upon initial profession of faith in Jesus Christ by baptism, confirmation, and in transfer from other Christian churches. Classes for baptism, confirmation, and for transfer of membership are held periodically and announced in the bulletin.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the grave. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.