



October 30, 2022

# The Memorial Baptist Church

Reformation Sunday



*Worship God* ♦ *Share Christ* ♦ *Serve Others*

# The Church In Worship

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## WE GATHER AS THE BODY OF CHRIST TO WORSHIP GOD

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY		Three Bells
PRELUDE	"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" EIN FESTE BURG, arr. Carolyn Hamlin	Mr. Sandro Silva
WELCOME AND FRAMING OF WORSHIP		Dr. Andy Roby
† HYMN OF PRAISE 319	"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" — Sing final stanza in unison —	LOBE DEN HERREN
CHILDREN'S MOMENT IN WORSHIP		Dr. Roach and TMBC Children
SONG OF SUPPLICATION	"Take, O Take Me as I Am"	As I AM
<b>Take, O take me as I am. Summon out what I shall be. Set Your seal upon my heart and live in me.</b>		
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		Dr. Brad Smith

## WE SERVE AND GIVE WITH GENEROUS HEARTS

† HYMN OF GRATITUDE 376	"For the Fruit of All Creation"	AR HYD Y NOS
<i>During the Hymn of Gratitude, <b>all children four years of age and younger are invited to move to Extended Session</b> in the Children's Wing for the remainder of the service. The children should meet the leaders at the front of the Sanctuary on the piano side.</i>		
PRAYER OF DEDICATION		Mr. Scott Godefroy
OFFERTORY	"Tell the Story" Hymn Medley: "I Love to Tell the Story" and "Tell Me the Story of Jesus"	Chancel Handbell Choir Mary Roby, Director
† DOXOLOGY 706	"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"	OLD HUNDREDTH

## WE ARE FORMED BY GOD'S WORD AND SPIRIT

PSALTER	"Psalm 46: God Is Our Refuge and Strength" Music by Allen Pote	Chancel Choir
GOSPEL READING	Luke 19:1-10	Dr. Smith

SERMON

## “Short and Short-Sighted”

Dr. Smith

† HYMN OF RESPONSE 473

“Will You Come and Follow Me?”

KELVINGROVE

*If you desire membership in this congregation, you are invited to move forward to be received by the Pastor during the singing of the Hymn of Response. If you have been baptized as a follower of Jesus, we will receive you based on your previous baptism. If you have not made a confession of faith, we invite you to do so and to present yourself for Christian baptism. Church members are invited to use this time to reflect upon their covenantal relationship with God and their commitment to Christian service. The altar is open to all who wish to pray.*

## WE GO FORTH AS SERVANTS OF CHRIST

† BENEDICTION

Dr. Smith

† POSTLUDE

“Praise Him! Praise Him!”  
arr. Mary McDonald

Mr. Silva

† All who are able, please Stand.

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*Media Ministry Team serving today: Brianne Lamm, Tony Godwin, Jay Surles*

## REFORMATION SUNDAY

The paraments and minister stoles are red today for Reformation Sunday, marking the date (actually October 31) in the year 1517 when Martin Luther is said to have nailed his Ninety-Five Theses on the Castle Church door in Wittenberg, Germany. Luther, a former Augustinian monk, launched the Protestant Reformation with articulation of essential points of faith. Among his central points were three “Latin sola” statements.

1. *Sola gratia*—Christians are saved by God’s **grace alone**, not depending upon our own merit.
2. *Sola fide*—Christians are saved by **faith alone**, not depending upon our good works or efforts.
3. *Sola scriptura*—**Scripture alone** is sufficient for instructing us in faith, doctrine, and practice, through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

Red is the color for today because it is the color that reminds us of the refining fire of God’s Spirit at work in the church and in the world.

*Next Sunday is All Saints Sunday in the Christian year. The color will be white, representing eternal life and victory through Jesus Christ.*

## Coming Up This Week

### Sunday, October 30

9:15 am Chancel Handbells  
9:45 am Sunday School  
10:55 am Morning Worship  
4:00 pm Youth Worship Arts Team  
5:00 pm Costumes & Community!

### Monday, October 31

9:30 am Threads of Love

### Tuesday, November 1

9:30 am Women's Bible Study

### Wednesday, November 2

6:00 pm Bible Study: "Seeing through the Eyes of Jesus"  
6:15 pm Growing in Grace for all Children  
7:15 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Sunday, November 6

9:45 am Sunday School  
10:55 am Morning Worship  
All Saints Sunday  
12:15 pm College/Young Adult Lunch  
5:00 pm Youth Worship Arts Team  
6:00 pm Youth Group

## First Time?

Please fill out our electronic Guest Form by scanning the QR code below.



## INAUGURAL COSTUMES & COMMUNITY

POTLUCK DINNER & COSTUME PAGEANT OCTOBER 30 | 5-7PM

**Wear your best costume. Bring your best dish.  
Win the candy crown.**

★ FOR THE KIDS AND KIDS AT HEART! ★



## LUNCH FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

NOVEMBER 6 @ FELLOWSHIP HALL  
WORSHIP 10:55  
LUNCH 12:15 PM

COME AS YOU ARE!



RSVP TO TYLER  
BY NOV 2  
TROACH@TMBC.ORG

## Backpack BUDDIES

Because hunger doesn't end on Friday.



### Items needed:

Chef Boyardee, microwave with pull tabs:

Beef Ravioli, Beefaroni, Lasagna, Spaghetti

with Meatballs, Spaghetti O's

Mac and Cheese, Applesauce cups,

Fruit cups, Juice boxes, Cereal cups/small individual boxes



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