

Traditional Service

11:00 am

Prelude

O Word of God Incarnate

(Composer: Carl McKinley)

Introit

How Great Thou Art

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

This is the day the Lord has made;
Let us rejoice and be glad in it

Hymn #2

O Worship the King

Responsive Reading

Psalm 119:33-40

Teach me, LORD, the way of your decrees, that I may follow it to the end.

Give me understanding, so that I may keep your law and obey it with all my heart.

Direct me in the path of your commands, for there I find delight.

Turn my heart toward your statutes and not toward selfish gain.

Turn my eyes away from worthless things; preserve my life according to your word.

Fulfill your promise to your servant, so that you may be feared.

Take away the disgrace I dread, for your laws are good.

How I long for your precepts! In your righteousness preserve my life.

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Merciful God, you call us to build our lives on the solid foundation of your Word, yet we confess that we often choose the shifting sands of comfort, success, and self-reliance. We hear your truth but fail to put it into practice. We resist your teaching and trust in our own wisdom. Forgive us, Lord for turning from You. Help us to build our lives on the solid rock, Jesus Christ and his teachings.

(People silently offer their personal confessions to God.)

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Pastor: Friends, believe the Good News:

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Response

Glory be to the Father #961

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be
World without end. Amen, Amen.

Passing the Peace

Hymn #757

O Word of God Incarnate

Joining in God's Mission

Scripture Reading

Interview on Small Groups

2 Timothy 3:14-17; Romans 12:2;
Proverbs 1:7

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

Sermon

A Heart Taught by the Word *Heart for the Word*

Musical Reflection

Teach Me, O Lord

(Composer: Philip Stopford)

Doxology

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

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

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name;
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

Closing Song

Thy Word

(see insert)

Benediction

Postlude

Trumpet Tune

(Composer: William Boyce)

Worship Participants

Welcome & Sermon	Rev. Dr. Spencer Lundgaard
Announcements & Liturgy	Rev. Greg Buell
Contemporary Worship Leader	Luke Stoner
Praise Music	Village Church Worship Band
Director of Traditional Music	Dr. Yongmin Kim
Choral Music	Village Church Choir
Organist	Sharon Peterson
Scripture Reader	Cathy Burnham (9:30)
Prayers of the People	Storm Metzger (11:00)
	Mary Dukes (9:30)

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Contemporary Service

9:30 am

Welcome and Call to Worship

Praise and Prayer

**There's Nothing That Our
God Can't Do**

Run to the Father

Prayer of Confession

Worthy of It All

Passing the Peace

Announcements

(Offerings are received weekly via mail and online giving at <https://villagechurchnorthbrook.org/give/>. Those attending live worship can leave their donations in the offering plates at the back of the sanctuary.)

Joining God's Mission

Interview on Bible Study

Scripture Reading

**2 Timothy 3:14-17; Romans 12:2;
Proverbs 1:7**

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

Sermon

**A Heart Taught by the Word
Heart for the Word**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Closing Song

Thy Word / Where Else Would I Go

Blessing

Questions for Discussion

Read 2 Timothy 3:16-17

1. What does Scripture teach us about? And how does it equip us for "good works?"
2. Is there an area in your life where you'd like to grow more? How can you engage with Scripture to do this?

Read Romans 12:2.

1. What does it mean to "be conformed to this world? And in what ways are we apt to do this?
2. What is the goal of having our minds renewed?
3. How can scripture help renew our minds?
4. In what areas in your life would you like to better discern God's will?

Read Proverbs 1:7.

1. The word for fear could also be translated "reverent awe or respect." Why is this necessary in order to attain knowledge and wisdom from God
2. Why do some people "despise wisdom and instruction?"
3. Are there parts of your life where you need to be more open to God's instruction?

Prayer Concerns & Closing Prayer

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