



*Come Find Rest*

**October 26, 2025**

# WELCOME!

We are grateful to have you with us as we worship God today!

This bulletin is intended to help guide you through the elements of our worship service, including explanations of why we do what we do in corporate worship.

*If you have questions about Christ, the Gospel, or the church membership, please speak with one of the elders after the service.*

**Coffee:** Coffee & waters are available at the corner table

**Restrooms:** Restrooms are available through the center door

**Children:** We invite children of all ages to participate in the service. If needed, the space to the right of the center door available for you.

**Livestream :** If you can't come on a particular Sunday, our live stream is available at [www.gospelway.church/live](http://www.gospelway.church/live)

**Giving:** If you would like to give, you can drop your offering in the box at the corner table or give online at [www.gospelway.church/give](http://www.gospelway.church/give)

**Upcoming:** All upcoming events , financials, and prayer requests can be found on the last page of the bulletin.



## GOD GATHERS US

*The word church means “called out ones.” Our very name acknowledges that it is God’s call that creates and constitutes our relationship with Him. Yet, recognizing that we are too weak to worship God as He deserves, we respond to His call with prayer for His help (the Invocation). God then answers, welcoming us into His presence through His Word (the Greeting). We respond with songs of adoration to our Creator and Redeemer.*

## GOD REMINDS US

*God’s Word instructs us in holy living. We come to it now with humility as it reveals our sin and need for a Savior. Our prayer of confession (1 John 1:9) is followed by a bold declaration that we need not fear God’s condemnation because Christ has taken it in our place. We then respond in thankfulness to God and confess the faith delivered to us.*

## GOD INSTRUCTS US

*Through the public reading of Scripture (1 Tim. 4:13), we are reminded that all of God’s Word—from promise to fulfillment—reveals His redemptive work in Christ. As we prepare to hear His Word preached, we respond with singing, expressing our dependence on the Holy Spirit.*

## **Call to Worship:** Psalm 96:1–3

*O sing unto the LORD a new song; sing unto the LORD all the earth. Sing unto the LORD, bless his name; shew forth his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the heathen, his wonders among all people.*

## **Prayer of Invocation**

## **God’s Greeting**

\* **Song of Adoration:** A Mighty Fortress is Our God

## **The Law:** Romans 3:19-20

## **Prayer of Confession**

## **Assurance of Pardon:** Micah 7:18–19

\* **Song of Thanksgiving:** Before the Throne of God Above

## **Confession of Faith:** Orthodox Catechism 76

## **Psalm Reading:** Psalm 5

## **New Testament Reading:** 2 Timothy 4:6-18

\* **Song of Preparation:** Be Thou My Vision



## GOD SPEAKS TO US

*Scripture tells us that it is through the “foolishness of preaching” that God saves and sanctifies His people (1 Cor. 1:21). So we come with expectation, eager to receive His grace through the proclamation of His Word. Having heard from God, we respond in faith and worship through song.*

## GOD SERVES US

*In the Lord’s Supper, God graciously nourishes our faith through this tangible sign and seal of the covenant. As we partake of the bread and the cup, we proclaim the death of Christ, and strengthening us to live as His redeemed people until He comes again.*

## GOD SENDS US

*In the benediction (the “good word”), God places His name upon us, sending us into the world with His blessing and promise.*

**Scripture Reading:** Colossians 2:6-15

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Sermon:** Complete in Christ - Jeff Perry

**\* Song of Response:** Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed?

## The Lord’s Supper

*\*We partake of the Lord’s Supper the first and third Sunday of each month.*

We invite all baptized believers who are not under formal church discipline to partake with us.

**\* Song of Thanksgiving:**

**\* Benediction:** Romans 16:20

*And the God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen.*







## Prayer Requests

### OUR CONGREGATION

- For ongoing health needs in the church:
  - Carolyn Smith, Dottie Gettinger, and Brenda Mosley
- For the new mothers:
  - Alexis Blanco, May Patterson

### OUTSIDE OUR CONGREGATION

- *Covenant Baptist Church, Spencer, Indiana* – Pray for the church as it continues to recover from financial challenges. Pray for Pastor Charles Townsend as he received his third skin cancer diagnosis and is scheduled for surgery on October 29. Pray that the procedure goes well and that all of it is removed.
- *Nigeria* – Pray for believers facing violent persecution. Pray that the gospel would shine brightly in the midst of darkness and that many would be drawn to Christ through the faithful witness of His people.
- *Jeremiah D'Auria* - For his continued healing and grace for his family.
- *Mark Stec* - For his continued healing and grace for his family.
- *Glenn Haviland* – Pray for healing and recovery for Glenn after his fall.
- *Ernie Faw* – Pray for healing concerning his heart issues.

*If you have any prayer requests you'd like included, please submit them to Charles Nagy. Let's continue to lift each other up in prayer.*

## Announcements

- Catechism Classes @ 9:50 am - each Sunday
- Fellowship Meal - October 26<sup>th</sup> (No Evening Service)
- Fellowship Meal - November 30<sup>th</sup> (No Evening Service)
- Ladies's Gathering - December 5<sup>th</sup> @ 8:15 pm
- Carols & the Christmas Story - December 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm

## Sermon Schedule

- 10/26 - Colossians 2:6–15
- 11/2 - Colossians 2:16–23
- 11/9 - Colossians 3:1–11
- 11/16 - Nehemiah 7–8

## Financials

*Fiscal Year Oct-Sept*

*September Actual: \$ 2,924.32*

*September Budgeted: \$ 3,500.00*

YTD Actual: \$ 2,924.32

YTD Budgeted: \$ 3,500.00

*(thru 9/30/25)*

## Gatherings & Opportunities

*Please see Charles Nagy if you have additional gatherings or opportunities that you would like to be listed.*