

**Unionville Reformed Church**

February 1, 2026

Pastor David Corlett

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**PRELUDE**

Organist: Amy Heebner

Pianist: Judy Kimes

Director: Judy Kimes

**INTROIT:** “Gathered in His Name”

**THE APPROACH TO GOD**

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Based on the 23rd Psalm)

Leader: We rejoice in the One who leads us beside still waters, and gives us refreshment of soul.

**People: Christ our Shepherd shows us the way we should go, so that the name of God will be glorified.**

Leader: Though all manner of evil befalls us, we will not be afraid,

**People: for the Great Shepherd of our souls is with us.**

Leader: We are never away from the love and mercy of the Lord,

**People: And we shall be with Him forever and ever. Amen!**

\* **A HYMN:** Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise 319

**CALL TO SELF-EXAMINATION**

**THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:**

Holy Spirit of God, You send us the Spirit of courage, but we have been afraid. You send us the Spirit of truth, but we cling to our illusions. You send us the Spirit of healing, but we cannot let go of our hurts. Holy Spirit of forgiveness, come to us again: awaken our hearts, set our souls on fire with Your love, and send us out into the world rejoicing in Your power. We hold out to You all the particular burdens of our guilt and sin, and we ask for Your forgiveness. We pray in the name of Jesus. Amen. (Our prayers continue in silence . . .)

**KYRIE ELEISON:** “Lord, have mercy upon us; Christ, have mercy upon us; Lord, have mercy upon us.”

**ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:** (Responsive, from 1 Timothy 1:15)

Leader: Here are words you may trust, words that merit full acceptance:

**People: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. To all who confess their sins and resolve to lead a new life, He says, “Your sins are forgiven.”**

Leader: He also says, “Come, follow me.”

**Unison: Now to the One who rules all worlds, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen!**

**LAW OF GOD:** (Responsive, from Ephesians 5: 8-14)

Leader: In grateful response to God’s loving forgiveness, let us be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

**People: Let us be imitators of God, therefore, as dearly loved children, and live a life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. To God be the glory! Amen.**

\* **THE GLORIA PATRI** 142

**THE WORD OF GOD**

**THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**THE WORD OF GOD:** Ephesians 2: 1-10 (p. 827)

“This is the Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God!*”

**THE COMMUNION MEDITATION:** “You Were Dead”

**THE RESPONSE TO GOD**

**THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC:** “In His Hands”

**THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS**

\***THE DOXOLOGY**

**THE PRAYER FOR DEDICATION**

**THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

**THE MEANING OF THE SACRAMENT**

**THE INVITATION**

\* **A HYMN:** Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound 107

**THE APOSTLES CREED** (Page 137)

**A PRAYER**

**THE SERVING OF COMMUNION**

**THE THANKSGIVING** (See back)

**PRAYERS FOR INTERCESSION**

\* **A HYMN:** Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah 608

\* **THE BENEDICTION**

\* **SONG OF BLESSING** (INSIDE BACK COVER – HYMNAL)

\* **POSTLUDE**

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**“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith— and this is not from yourselves; it is the gift of God.”** (Ephesians 2:8)

TUESDAY: BIBLE STUDY – 12:30 p.m.

THURSDAY: CHOIR rehearsal at 3:30 p.m.