

October 26, 2025 Reformation Sunday Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost 10:30 AM
*Those who are able, please stand
WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

WELCOME

We are pleased that you are worshipping with us today. We pray that the service will be inspiring and meaningful. We want you to know that our doors are always open to you. Please join us after the service for a time of Coffee and fellowship. Today is Reformation Sunday and the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

The flowers given by Penna Smith in Memory of her Brother Ed Smith

Free Lunch October 27, 2025 - 11:00-12:30 w/North Bush and Northville UMC
November 2, 2025 - All Saint’s Day (please bring names of Saints to remember)
November 13, 2025 - Annual Conference @ 6:00 PM at Northville UMC

MUSICAL PRELUDE “The Voice of Jesus” Pianist Mavis Baldwin

WORDS OF ASSURANCE (in unison)
In the Midst of our darkness, the bright light of God’s love shines through. Turn again to the Lord and see the light of God’s love. Remember times of blessing in your lives, for you are beloved of God and have been given many blessings. Rejoice in God’s love for you. Share the blessing you have been given with others as they share with you. Be thankful for others who boldly went forward before us to ensure a place for us to worship.

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Leader: For all those who have paved the way for our freedom of worship, we give thanks, O Lord.
People: For those who have taught us about witness and the power of love, we give thanks, O Lord.
Leader: Our hearts are filled with joy when we think of those who have framed our faith.
Leader: For those who work in our church that we may come to know what it means to serve, we give thanks, O Lord.
People: We appreciate all those people who have taught us the great lessons of faith and life.
All: Open our hearts and spirits, O Lord, and help us to become good workers for you. AMEN

GATHERING SONG “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” UMH 110

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (In Unison)
God of all generations, on this Reformation Sunday, we remember mothers and fathers in the faith who took bold steps in new directions to re-form your church. Pour out your spirit upon us, that we too may dream dreams, see visions, and view the whole created order as your bountiful temple. Open our hearts today to receive the invitation of Jesus to come and be present in our lives. With responsibility and joy, we pledge ourselves to renew this temple, in Jesus’ name. Amen.

TIME WITH GOD’S KIDS

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

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, forever. Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE “Oh Lord hear MY Prayer” TFWS2200

GIVING OF OURSELVES & OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “In the Garden” UMH 314

DOXOLOGY “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 95

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING
God of unimaginable love, you have given us so much and asked so little. It is our delight and our devotion to give these gifts to you today. All we are and all we have are yours alone. As we dedicate our gifts this morning to bringing acts of love, may we also resolve to better keep our side of your covenant of love. Accept these offerings today as a token of our abiding love. Use them to bring

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