

Order of Service

Quiet Preparation

Ringling of the Bells

Why We Gather*

Call to Worship: Psalm 98*

Silence of Anticipation
Prayer

Songs: First Love*

We Believe/Blessed Assurance*

Responsive Reading *(from the 1689 2nd London Baptist
Confession of Faith, ch. 7:3)*

Tithes & Offerings

Songs: He Will Hold Me Fast*

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Sermon: A Great Salvation (Hebrews 2:1-4)
by Pastor Ryan Badgerow

Pastoral Prayer

Doxology

Benediction*

*Congregation, stand if you are able

Notes: _____

Welcome

We are glad you are here to worship this morning! Our service begins 5 minutes prior to the "Ringling of the Bells." Please use this time to silence your phone, prepare your heart for worship and welcome the Lord's presence in this place.

"But the Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him." –Habakkuk 2:20

If you're a first time visitor or a returning guest, please fill out a "Welcome Card" and put it in the offering basket or hand it to an usher. We would love to get to know you! The back side of the card is for prayer requests *(cards are located on the front welcome table, in the seat backs with the Bibles, and also in the Resource Center).*

Check out the Resource Center for Bibles, books, and other tools to help you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ!

Valley of Vision Prayer – Jesus My Glory

(read this to help prepare your heart for worship)

O Lord God, Thou hast commanded me to believe in Jesus; and I would flee to no other refuge, wash in no other fountain, build on no other foundation, receive from no other fullness, rest in no other relief. His water and blood were not severed in their flow at the cross, may they never be separated in my creed and experiences.

May I be equally convinced of the guilt and pollution of sin, feel my need of a Prince and Saviour. implore of Him repentance as well as forgiveness, love holiness, and be pure in heart, have the mind of Jesus, and tread in His steps.

Let me not be at my own disposal, but rejoice that I am under the care of one who is too wise to err, too kind to injure, too tender to crush. May I scandalize none by my temper and conduct, but recommend and endear Christ to all around, bestow good on every one as circumstances permit. May I decline no opportunity of usefulness.

Grant that I may value my substance, not as the medium of pride and luxury, but as the means of my support and stewardship. Help me to guide my affections with discretion, to owe no man anything, to be able to give to him that needeth, to feel it my duty and pleasure to be merciful and forgiving, to show to the world the likeness of Jesus.

The River's Edge Family Life

Our normal gatherings:

Sundays – 10am Lord's Day Worship Service

Wednesdays – 6pm Meal*, Teaching & Prayer

*Bring some food to share! Teaching starts around 6:50pm if you can't make it for the meal.

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We gather to glorify God, proclaim His Gospel, grow in Christ, serve His Church, and devote ourselves to one another by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Upcoming:

- 4/21 The Lord's Supper (communion)
- 5/11 Men's Breakfast 7:15-8:30am @ the café, every 2nd Saturday of the month.
- 5/25 Chicken BBQ Fundraiser (more info TBA)
- 6/08 Men's Breakfast
- 6/17-21 Vacation Bible School (details below)
- 6/30 Church's 25th Anniversary Celebration (more info TBA)

Some Ways to Serve:

- Sundays: Hospitality – Sign up on the calendar on the café counter or ask Nick or Emily Vogel.
Greeter – Welcome people with a smile and a bulletin. Ask Pastor Ryan for more info.
- Wednesdays: Bring some food to share and if you're able, come early (5:30pm) or stay after to help with set up and/or clean up.
- Fellowship Meals: Once a month (or every other month) after Sunday service. Bring some food to share and let Stefan Van Valkenburgh know if you can help with set up and/or clean up.
- Prayer Chain: Pray for your church and various needs represented in our community and around the world. To join or send prayer requests, email Pastor Ryan: ryanbadgerow@gmail.com
- Vacation Bible School: There are many areas where help is needed! Whether it's before, during or after VBS (June 17-21), contact Emily Badgerow if you're interested! (989) 450-9169



THE RIVER'S EDGE

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Lord's Day Worship

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We Believe Salvation is:

Through **Faith** alone- Sola fide |

In **Christ** alone- Solo Christo | By **Grace** alone- Sola gratia | According to **Scripture** alone- Sola scriptura |

That we would **Glorify** God alone- Soli Deo Gloria