

PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH REGINA, SK



REFORMATION

(observed) Sunday, October 25, 2020 - 9:30 am

As We Gather: To the consternation of His opponents, Jesus announced that those who abide in His Word know the truth, which sets them free. And the truth, Paul points out in the Epistle, is that God has declared us justified, not guilty under His Law, because of His gracious gift of faith in Christ. That gift frees us from fearing God's righteous wrath; we are confident that the Lord of hosts is with us. Sure of His presence and protection, we need not fear the forces of nature, the conflicts of people and nations, and the wiles of the devil. Rather, in all that we think, say, and do, we are free to respond to the angelic invitation we hear today: "fear God and give Him glory . . . and worship Him who made heaven and earth" (*Revelation 14:7*).

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OPENING HYMN #657 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Opening Versicles *LSB p.260*

Old Testament Canticle LSB p.261

Readings From Holy Scripture

Old Testament Revelation 14:6–7

Epistle Romans 3:19–28

Psalm *Psalm 46* (*spoken responsively by whole verse*)

Holy Gospel John 8:31–36

Responsory LSB p.263

Apostles' Creed LSB p.264

Lord's Prayer

SERMON HYMN #744 Amazing Grace

Sermon "The Reformation Today" Text: The Epistle Reading

Prayer of the Church

Collect of the Day - Reformation

Collect for the Word LSB p.265

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CLOSING HYMN #644 The Church's One Foundation

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For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by His grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as a propitiation by His blood, to be received by faith.

Romans 3:23-25a