GRACE REFORMED CHURCH

A Mission Work of the Reformed Church in the United States

January 7th, 2023

WELCOME

Prelude & Silent Meditation

CALL TO WORSHIP THE TRIUNE GOD

*Please stand

*Call to Worship & Salutation

*Doxology: #570 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

*Hymn of Praise: #138B "With grateful heart my thanks I bring"

*Invocation

*Please be seated

THE LORD PROPITIATED OUR SINS

Responsive reading: from Romans 13:8-10

Leader: Owe no one anything except to love one another, for he who loves another has fulfilled the law.

People: For the commandments, "You shall not commit adultery," "You shall not murder," "You shall not steal," "You shall not bear false witness," "You shall not covet," and if there is any other commandment, are all summed up in this saying, namely, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Leader: Love does no harm to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.

Prayer of Confession and Repentance with Assurance of Forgiveness

*Please stand

*Hymn of Praise: #433 "Amazing Grace"

*Please be seated

THE LORD CONSECRATES US FOR HIS SERVICE

Confession of Faith: The Apostle's Creed (Trinity Psalter, pg. 851) and the Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day #1

*Please stand

*Hymn of Preparation: #128B "Blest the man that fears Jehovah"

*Please be seated

Scripture reading: Ephesians 5:15-33

Amen!

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: "Walking in the Fear of the Lord"

Ephesians 5:21

Prayer of Application

Our Response with His Tithes & Our Offerings

Congregational Prayer

*Please stand

*Hymn of Praise: #249 "For the beauty of the earth"

THE LORD SENDS US OUT TO DO HIS WILL

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn: "Gloria Patri" (Hymn #571)