

Morning Worship – March 15, 2026

Pastoral Greeting

Call to Worship: Psalm 34:1-10 (*ESV pg. 463*)

Invocation

* Psalm: 34A

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 17:1-14 (*ESV pg. 11*)

New Testament Reading: Colossians 2:11-12 (*ESV pg. 984*)

Prayer for Illumination

* Psalm 32C

Sacrament of Baptism – Elora Salomé Penta

Sermon Text: Romans 4:1-12 (*ESV pg. 941*) (*NKJV pg. 787*)

Sermon Title: *Covenants, Promises, and Signs*

Pastoral Prayer

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Psalm 51A

Presenting our Gifts to the LORD

* Doxology - Psalm 96D

* Benediction

* = **PLEASE STAND IF ABLE**

*Page numbers for Scripture readings are: New King James (NKJV)
or English Standard Version (ESV) pew Bibles*

Today's Schedule

10:00 am – Morning Worship

11:30 am – Sermon Discussion

12:15 pm – Informal Fellowship Lunch

7:00 pm – Women's Bible Study

Announcements

**Welcome to all as we gather in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ
to worship the living and true God!**

➤ Our precentor this week is Bethany Brinson, and the presiding elder is Greg Moberg – next week's precentor will be Greg Moberg, and the presiding elder will be Jeff Bulow. We will continue to provide the Zoom link each week for those unable to worship in-person.

➤ Today we celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper as part of our worship service. If you are visiting today and have not met with the elders to give your profession of faith, please review the information on the back of your bulletin. If you are downstairs, please come up to the entryway to receive the elements. (*communion bread is gluten & dairy free*)

➤ Everyone is welcome to come early (9:15 am) each Lord's Day to enjoy breakfast together before Morning Worship (*please contact Collin Cragon for breakfast details*).

➤ It is our privilege to welcome Dan Hough and his family to our church today. They recently returned from the mission field where they served in Paraguay with SIM. Dan is seeking support for their current call, ministering to children of missionaries, and will be giving a presentation downstairs after church.

➤ Following the mission presentation, everyone is welcome to stay for lunch as we celebrate the baptism of Elora Penta.

➤ There will be a **Women's Bible Study** tonight at 7 pm – studying Chapter 6 of *Gentle and Lowly: The Heart of Christ for Sinners and Sufferers* by Dane Ortlund, prayer, and fellowship (with snacks). All women are invited and can bring a friend.

➤ The **Bible Study – Acts** will not meet for the next 3 weeks. It will resume on April 9 at the home of Jeff & Joyce Bulow (*3744 LaCrosse Circle, Canandaigua*).

➤ **The Youth Ministries Committee of Synod (YMCS) is hosting the Pillar Conference** for members of the RPCNA between the ages of 18 and 24 at Geneva College in Beaver Falls, PA from July 2-6, 2026. Registration is now open (*see poster in the entryway*).

➤ **RP Global Missions Prayer Request** – Please pray for our Cush4Christ mission in South Sudan. Pray for Cush Christian School and its teachers and students. Pray for wisdom, for the teacher training, for meaningful learning, for teachers and students to grow in their knowledge of God. Pray for honesty and openness. Pray for James Wol as principal and administrator. Pray that Louise Blakston (missionary from Australia) will have the wisdom and insight into how to help run a school well. Please pray for Jono Blakston as he juggles a multitude of tasks each day. Please pray for Sarah McEwen and Meg Fisher, who are due to arrive from Australia in a few weeks to assist with the library and school. Please pray for safety in travel. Pray for the congregation at Pantiit who no longer have Daniel Achiech, who died unexpectedly, as their pastor. Pray that the churches will be able to be places where people can go for help in times of need. Pray for the pastors to be faithful and to flourish in their work.