

BACK TO BASICS: THE GREAT COMMISSION: GO

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2025



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PRELUDE

Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott (*BuxWV 184*)

Dietrich Buxtehud
Noah Strom, Guest Organist

WELCOME

Rev. Mariah Furness Tollgaard, Senior Pastor

* OPENING PRAYER

Kathy Schill

O Sender of souls, you plant seeds of courage in us.
Call us out into your beloved world,
hearts ready to carry light,
hands prepared to lift burdens,
feet eager to walk your way. Amen.

* HYMN 593

Here I Am Lord (v. 1 - 2)

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Heather Grantham, Associate Pastor of Spiritual Formation

God who sends, we confess that we shrink from your work. We doubt our gifts and avoid the unfamiliar. Forgive us and send us out to serve and love grounded in your peace.

* WORDS OF ASSURANCE

We do not go alone — Christ goes with us always.
In the name of Christ, you are forgiven. Glory to God! Amen.

* PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Share a sign of peace with your neighbors by greeting them in the way most comfortable for you.

TIME FOR THE CHILD IN US ALL

*Rev. Heather Grantham and Tove Trelstad-Larsen
Director of Student Ministries*

We invite children to come up to the chancel steps for a special message. After the message, children will stay in worship as we celebrate Holy Communion together this week. Childcare is available for ages 5 and under in the Frolic Room.

3 YEAR OLD FROLIC MILESTONE

Evan Greenlee; Fredrick; Marlo; Hera; Hana; Gabriel; and Dominik

RECOGNITION OF SPROUT INTERNS AND VOLUNTEERS

Ajani Rowland and Sara Jime (*interns*); Amy Schultz, Kathy Evenson McDermott, and Valentine Cadieaux (*lead volunteers*); Sharon Fields, the grounds volunteers and HAM-ERS

ANTHEM

Witness

Spiritual, arr. Jack Halloran
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28:16-20 (CEB)

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus told them to go. When they saw Jesus, they bowed down to worship him, but some doubted. Jesus came near and spoke to them, "I've received all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Creator, the Christ, and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to obey everything that I've commanded you. Look, I myself will be with you every day until the end of this present age."

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

The Great Commission: Go

Rev. Mariah Furness Tollgaard

SONG

One Day at a Time

Jeremy Voltz
House Band

HOLY COMMUNION

Rev. Mariah Tollgaard and Sharon Fields

May God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks to the God we love.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Musical Setting B, p.19 in UMH

Repeat after Leader

..who forever sing this hymn to the glory of your name:

Holy, holy, holy, Lord;

God of power and might

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna,

in the highest.

THIS WEEK AT HAMLINE CHURCH

SUN

10:00AM | WORSHIP
11:00AM | COFFEE HOUR Community Room
NEWCOMER MEET AND GREET Green Room
YOUTH UKULELE BAND Room 7 🎸
11:30AM | YOUTH GROUP Garden
FOLK MUSIC JAM Parlor
6:00PM | SUNDAY SMALL GROUP Room 7

MON

11:30AM | MONDAY SMALL GROUP Youth Room
6:00PM | MUSIC FOR THE SOUL Parlor

TUES

6:30PM | DINING HALL MEETING Room 7

WED

12:30PM | CENTERING PRAYER via text message
Contact Julie Dahlke (jlddvm@usfamily.net)
1:00PM | MAHJONG Parlor
4:00PM | HANDBELL CHOIR REHEARSAL
5:30PM | WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER Community Room
5:45PM | WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDIO Room 10
6:00PM | SMALL GROUP Room 7 | **CHILDREN'S MUSIC** Parlor
HOUSE BAND REHEARSAL Sanctuary
7:00PM | CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL
STUDENT MINISTRY TEAM MEETING Room 7

THUR

6:00PM | THURSDAY SMALL GROUP Parlor

SAT

9:00AM | HOLY COMMUNION AT HAMLINE UNIVERSITY
The Gathering Place, Sorin Hall
11:00AM - 2:00PM | HAMLINE UNIVERSITY
HOMECOMING FALL FEST

NEXT

SUN

8:55AM-9:15AM | CENTERING PRAYER Chapel
9:00AM | FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP BOOK GROUP Parlor
9:15AM | CENTERING PRAYER via text message Julie
10:00AM | WORSHIP & HU HOMECOMING CELEBRATION
10:15AM | SACRED STUDIO
11:00AM | COFFEE HOUR Community Room
11:00AM | GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP Green Room
11:30AM | #HUGHAMLINE BRUNCH AT HU
Anderson Student Center
11:30AM | HAM-ERS ADULT MISSION TRIP INFO MEETING
Parlor
11:30AM | CONFIRMATION Youth Room
4:30PM | FICTION & FELLOWSHIP Green Room
6:00PM | SUNDAY SMALL GROUP Room 7

NEWCOMER MEET AND GREET

Today after worship in the Green Room
New to Hamline? Come learn more about Hamline Church and deepen connections by meeting pastors & a few members! Find us after worship at 11:00am in the Green Room (front of sanctuary, left of pulpit). We'll have coffee and refreshments, as well as information about the church. We'd love to meet you!

HAM-ERS ADULT MISSION TRIP INFO MEETING

January 3 - 10, 2026
Next Sunday, October 12 at 11:30am in the Parlor
Learn about our return trip to Rio Bravo, Mexico to assist Manos Juntas, ("Hands Together") and build casitas! We welcome more student and adult volunteers! No construction experience or Spanish language skills required. Scholarships are available. Interested? Contact Gil Young with questions (pgilyoung@gmail.com).



FIRST SUNDAY - NO SACRED STUDIO

We invite children to stay in worship as we celebrate communion together this week. Childcare is available for 5 and under in the Frolic room.

Calling Sacred Studio Teachers

Love to teach kids? Volunteer for our Sunday school & spiritual formation time for our children at Hamline! Sign up to volunteer to be a Sacred Studio teacher on Sign up Central: hamlinechurch.org/sign-up-central.

Are children welcome here?

Yes! Children are always welcome in worship. Coloring and reading supplies are available near the Commons doors, and in the narthex. We have a quieter space available to all in the chapel off the narthex.

Where is the nursery?

Children 5 and under are welcome in the nursery, located in Room 8 in the upstairs Sunday school hallway. Our service is streamed in the nursery, if you would like to join your child. Nursing spaces include: the rocking chairs in the sanctuary, the Frolic room 8, or the chapel off the narthex.

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT WORSHIP TODAY...

When do I stand?

* Please stand if you are able for titles marked with a star *

When do I speak?

Words in "Bold" print are for everyone.

Where is this hymn?

Hymns with 2 or 3 numbers are in the hard cover UMC hymnal. Hymns with 4 numbers are in the soft-cover *The Faith We Sing* hymnal.

Where is the restroom?

There are restrooms just through the commons at the top of the stairs. There are more restrooms downstairs below the front doors.

A quiet low sensory space is available to all in the chapel off the narthex.



Assistive listening devices are available for use, or you can connect through wifi and use your own hearing aid or headset. Please see a greeter if you need assistance.

WAYS TO GIVE

Your offering helps support the mission and ministry of Hamline Church. There are many ways to make your contribution:

- Place offerings in the baskets after worship.
- Online giving: hamlinechurch.org/give (scan the QR code!)
- Checks can be mailed to the church.
- Text to Give: Text HamlineChurch1514G\$100 to 73256. Give in any increment you choose by entering the amount after the \$.

Thank you for your generosity!

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