



WE EXIST TO... GROW IN  
CHRIST, LOVE LIKE CHRIST,  
LIVE FOR CHRIST

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy and universal Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

Thrive, for students in 5th–12th  
grade, led by Richard & Chrissy  
Burns, meets at TVC from 700–  
800 PM

## GATHERED ON OCTOBER 5, 2025

### WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

**BY FAITH**  
Hymns of Grace, 361

### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

**SERMON: “JESUS PREPARES THE DISCIPLES”**  
ACTS 1:1–11

### COMMUNION

#### **Apostles’ Creed**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;  
Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day He arose again.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father  
Almighty,  
and He will come to judge the living and the dead.

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**LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING**  
Hymns of Grace, 161

**I WILL GLORY IN MY REDEEMER**  
Hymns of Grace, 196

**O CHURCH, ARISE**  
Hymns of Grace, 353

### BENEDICTION

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- TODAY:** Members’ Meeting following the  
morning worship service
- Oct 7:** Morning prayer from 7-745 AM
- Oct 8:** Foundations class: we would love  
to have you join us as we  
continue our study of Bible  
Doctrine by Wayne Grudem - the  
morning class meets from 930–11  
AM & evening class from 630–  
800 PM
- Oct 12:** We would love to have you join  
us for our Fellowship Breakfast  
from 9-945 AM - please bring a  
dish to share

**Oct 18:** We would love to have you join  
us as we winterize Cottage in the  
Woods & bring to a close the  
2025 season. The fun starts at 9  
AM

**Oct 25:** We would love to have you join  
us for a church work day from  
830-1030 AM as we do some  
outdoor fall cleanup & some  
work indoors

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**Read Ahead:** Acts 1:12–26

### General Info:

TVC Kids: We strive for family-friendly worship  
& want to encourage parents to keep their children  
in the sanctuary or East Hall for worship. To help  
families, backpacks filled with a note sheet, a  
coloring page, and snacks are available on the  
table in the East Hall for children Pre-K – 5th  
grade. Note sheets are also available for children in  
5th – 8th grade.

We also offer Rooted which is a time of teaching &  
learning for children in grades K–4 that meets  
downstairs in the Fellowship Hall classroom. The  
children who participate in Rooted will be  
dismissed by Pastor Phil prior to the sermon.

We also offer a volunteer staffed Nursery that  
meets downstairs in the Fellowship Hall during the  
sermon. We are thankful & appreciate the  
opportunity to serve you & your children.

