

R O M A N S 1 2 : 1 0 , N I V

*Be devoted
to one another
in love.*

*Honor
one another
above yourselves.*



Order of Worship
Striving to be what Christ tells us through Scripture.

August 9, 2026

10 AM

PRELUDE

Eunjoo Lee-Huls, organ

WELCOME

Our Approach to Go

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 62

Leader: For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation.

People: He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall never be shaken.

Leader: How long will you assail a person, will you batter your victim, all of you, as you would a leaning wall, a tottering fence?

People: Their only plan is to bring down a person of prominence. They take pleasure in falsehood; they bless with their mouths, but inwardly they curse.

Leader: On God rests my deliverance and my honor; my mighty rock, my refuge is in God.

People: Trust in him at all time, O people; pour out your hearts before him; God is a refuge for us.

Leader: Those of low estate are but a breath; those of high estate are a delusion; in the balances they go up; they are together lighter than a breath.

People: Put no confidence in extortion, and set no vain hopes on robbery; if riches increase, do not set your heart on them.

Leader: Once God has spoken; twice I have heard this: that power belongs to God

People: and steadfast love belongs to you, O Lord. For you repay to all according to their work.

*HYMN

"Praise the Savior"

#4

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Well Done"

Fuqua/Havens/Ingram

Les Cox, Eunjoo Lee-Huls

CHILDREN'S TIME

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Word of God

*HYMN

"The Servant Song"

#424

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Proverbs 25:18-22

p. 607 (OT)

Romans 12:9-21

p. 162 (NT)

SERMON

"Let Your Love Be Real"

Pastor Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

Our Response to God

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER

#815

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN

"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"
v. 1, 3, 5, & 6

#597

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Eunjoo Lee-Huls, organ

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Romans 12: 9-21 Let Your Love Be Real

Exegesis (Background)

1. Paul says they must _____ the walk.
2. Overcome _____ with good.
3. Following Jesus means _____ things.

Life Application

Be a force for _____ in the world.

_____ and change are possible.

CONGRATULATIONS to Alison Campbell on the birth of her grandson, Oliver Douglas Campbell, on August 10th to parents Robert and Jessica and big sister, Charlotte.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Peter Bird; Lauren Clarke; Dorothy Delgado; Harold Friedeman; Dave Hall; Marilyn Hams; Justin Johnson; Janet Kosack; Nancy Lanzalotto; Jeanne Serrano; Craig Terjanian.

UNITY PRAYER: God, you are our anchor and a strong tower. When everything seems out of control and overwhelming, steady our hearts and minds and lead us to the rock that is higher than us.

THE FLOWERS are given by the Lupfer family in celebration of Jim's birthday and by Chris Doyle in loving memory of her dear friend, Bruce Lockhart.

Snack Pack Event!

This Thursday, August 20 – 10 AM

Each snackpack costs \$7.00. Please consider sponsoring some bags to help defray the cost of this worthwhile event. Make your checks payable to Community Church and place them in the offering plate with a note in the memo for "Snackpack." And come on August 20th at 10 AM to help assemble the 1,000 Snack Packs.

THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE thanks all who donated to the "back-to-school collection" for the Whole Sum Pantry in Norwood. Today is the last day, and tomorrow those items will be delivered.



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