Reformed Presbyterian Church of Bowie

Presbyterian Church in America

LORD'S DAY NOVEMBER 9, 2025

Welcome

A NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

We are so glad you are here!

Welcome to Reformed Presbyterian Church of Bowie! We're glad you are able to join our church family today as we do what we were made to do together, namely glorify and enjoy God. This year 2025 marks our 40th anniversary as a congregation!

Weekly worship is the center of our life together as the body of Christ, as we meet with God and are spiritually nourished and built up by his Word and Sacraments, which focus our attention on the Good News of Jesus Christ. We want to do this as he tells us he wants us to in the Bible, so our worship seeks to reflect that.

We would love to meet you and for you to get to know us, so please plan to stay after worship for some coffee and tea in the foyer and our discipleship classes for all ages that follow worship.

Warmly,

Pastor Fix

FOR YOUR FAMILY

We believe in families worshipping together so we welcome children of all ages to be with us during the whole worship service.

Nursery is offered for children ages 5 months to 5 years during the morning worship service and morning discipleship.

Discipleship is offered for all ages immediately after the morning worship service. We have classes for children age 4 through 12th grade in the classrooms. For adults we have either a class or sermon discussion in the big meeting room.

Evening Worship meets every Sunday at 6:00 PM, except on the first Sunday, when we have Hymn Sing, which is also at 6:00 PM.

Recordings of morning and evening sermons are available on our website, www.rpcbowie.org.

ACCESSIBILITY OPTIONS FOR WORSHIP

Large-print bulletins are available in the foyer as well as **personal lights** to aid any who may have added visual needs. Please see the greeters for help with this.

Order of Worship

Please remember to silence your mobile devices during the worship service.

COMING BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD

God invites us to worship him in spirit and in truth We praise God through song * Hymn #100...... Holy, Holy, Holy!

We praise God through prayer and acknowledge our need of forgiveness and renewal through the cleansing blood of Jesus Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

Amen.

God reminds us of his promise of forgiveness in Christ

Assurance of PardonMicah 7:18–19

* Gloria Patri (#735)





RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

God speaks to us through his Word read and preached

* Hymn (p. 6)......Speak, O Lord

^{*} Congregation standing

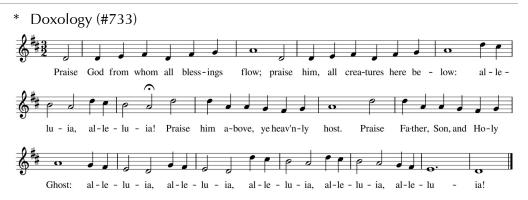
Order of Worship (cont.)

Space for notes is SermonFidelity and Sexual Holiness provided on page 8 Pastor Fix We prepare to receive Hymn (p. 7)......The Power of the Cross the visible Gospel in the Supper We confess our faith Confession of Faith Luther's Small Catechism, Part II, Art. 2 together with the broader church today and the church I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from of ages past eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord; Who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, secured and delivered me even from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil, not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood, and with His innocent sufferings and death; in order that I might be His own, live under Him in His Kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, even as He is risen from the dead, and lives and reigns forever. This is most certainly true. We receive the grace of the Gospel in the visible form of bread and wine Gluten-free bread is served for the Lord's Supper. Wine is also served; however, the outer ring of each tray contains grape juice for those who desire it for reasons of health or conscience. Please hold the elements until all have received them, so that we can partake together. RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD We respond in praise Hymn #339..... For Your Gift of God the Spirit for the blessings received in the Gospel We give thanks and bring our needs to God Offering We give a portion back

as thanks to God

^{*} Congregation standing

Order of Worship (cont.)



God sends us out with his blessing

- * BenedictionPastor Fix
- * Amen (#740)



^{*} Congregation standing

SPEAK, O LORD

Keith Getty and Stuart Townend



THE POWER OF THE CROSS

Keith Getty and Stuart Townend



Sermon Notes

Events at a Glance

THIS WEEK 11/9 - 11/15

SUNDAY 11/9 Morning Worship, 10:00 AM

Discipleship, 11:45 AM Hymn Sing, 6:00 PM

TUESDAY 11/11 Women's Book Club, 6:30 PM at the Ramseys'

WEDNESDAY 11/12 Prayer Meeting Videoconference, 7:30 PM

THURSDAY 11/13 Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 PM

FRIDAY 11/14 Men's Study Videoconference, 7:00 AM

Church Gathering, 7:30 PM

SATURDAY 11/15 Men's Study 8:30 AM at the Fixes'

NEXT WEEK 11/16 - 11/22

SUNDAY 11/16 Morning Worship, 10:00 AM

Discipleship, 11:45 AM Children's Choir, 12:30 PM Evening Worship, 6:00 PM

TUESDAY 11/18 Women's Study, 7:00 PM at the Saladas'

WEDNESDAY 11/19 Prayer Meeting Videoconference, 7:30 PM

THURSDAY 11/20 Women's Study, 9:45 AM at the Cripes'

Third Thursday Fellowship, 6:00 PM at Ledo's in Bowie

Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 PM

FRIDAY 11/21 Men's Study Videoconference, 7:00 AM

MORE UPCOMING EVENTS

Congregational Meeting and Christmas Party,
 Spring Conference, March 20–22, 2026
 December 12

Visit our website calendar at www.rpcbowie.org/calendar to stay up-to-date on the latest schedule!

Preparation for Next Lord's Day

SERMON SERIES: THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO THE LAW SERMON TITLE: "Spiritual Fidelity and Boundaries"

SERMON TEXT: Deuteronomy 23:1–14

PREACHER: Pastor Fix

MONDAY Deuteronomy 23:1–14

How do you think these laws might reflect the seventh commandment, "You

shall not commit adultery" (Deuteronomy 5:18)? Apply these.

TUESDAY Exodus 19:9–25

Why are God's requirements for drawing near to him so restrictive? What does

this mean for you?

WEDNESDAY Nehemiah 13

How did Israel do with these laws in Deuteronomy? Application?

THURSDAY Isaiah 56:1–8; Psalm 84

How was there hope for those disqualified from the assembly even back in the

Old Testament? Apply this.

FRIDAY Matthew 5:27–30; 15:10–20; 1 Peter 1:13–2:12

How does Jesus reveal what truly defiles us, and how does that affect our

ability to worship God? How do we pursue heart-level holiness?

SATURDAY Acts 8:26–40; Hebrews 10:19–25

How does the good news of Jesus Christ fulfill and transform these laws from

Deuteronomy? What hope does this give for those once excluded?

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