Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost

October 25, 2026



The Narrative Lectionary: Year 3

CSA

Concord-St. Andrew's United Methodist Church

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October 25, 2026, 10:00 AM
Welcome to Worship!

*Indicates standing in body or in spirit

Prelude *Allegro con brio from Sonata XVI:39 By Joseph Haydn* **Jared Yoakem**

Welcome **Pastor Alex**

*** Call to Worship** *(bold in unison)* **Luke Bunting**

The heavens cannot contain God, and yet God draws near to us in our place of worship.

We gather to recognize the truth of the living God, who hears our songs and prayers. We seek divine guidance.

Solomon was divinely inspired to build the great Temple as a fulfillment of God's promises. The Temple was built as a place of prayer for all the nations.

Likewise, may this house of prayer be a place of welcome for all people.

Come, let us worship the God who dwells among us!

God's love reaches everyone – thanks be to God Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth!

*** Hymn of Praise** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty* **#64**

*** Passing of the Peace**

Meditative Hymn *Spirit of the Living God* **#393**

Prayers of the People

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer *(in unison)*

Responsive Hymn *On Eagle's Wings* **#143**

Children's Message

Prayer for the Illumination of Scripture *(in unison)*
Come, Holy Spirit, in the Word of God, as the breath of life, amidst your people gathered here, into our hearts and minds. Stir us to know your blessings. Amen.

Old Testament Reading **1 Kings 5:1-5, 8:27-30, 41-43**

*** Hymn of Preparation** **#103**
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Gospel Reading **Luke 19:45-46**

Sermon *Solomon's Temple* **Pastor Alex**

Offertory Prayer *(in unison)*
Loving God, you call us not only to believe the Gospel but also to live it. As we devote ourselves to the work of strengthening your church, may our gifts be agents of hospitality. Your Temple is open to all. Use what we offer to nurture a community of compassion where faith is lived courageously and with humility. Amen.

*** Doxology** **#94**

Call to Engage in Ministry

*** Hymn of Sending Forth** **#577**
God of Grace and God of Glory

*** Benediction**

Postlude *Shine Jesus, Shine* **Jared Yoakem**

We invite you to stay seated for the playing of the Postlude.

Today's altar flowers provided by Barbara de Boinville with thanks for baseball and all other sports and the happiness they can bring to those who play or watch.



Today's Fellowship Hour is provided by Linda Creamer and Paul Mazzi

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