



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Today is the twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

### GATHERING

*Be Still (Psalm 46)* .....Worship Team  
**Prayers of the People** .....Pastor Melissa Lowther  
**Lord's Prayer**  
**Offering** .....Children's Choir and Choir  
*Jesus Calms The Storm (Hymn For Anxious Little Hearts)*

### HEARING THE WORD

**Sermon** .....Pastor David Flowers

### RESPONDING

*I Have Decided To Follow Jesus*  
*Is He Worthy?*

### SENDING

**Benediction**

## SERMON [granthamchurch.org/sermons](http://granthamchurch.org/sermons)



### Questions & Objections: Being Faithful to the Lamb

JOHN 7:14-18; I JOHN 2:6  
 I PETER 3:8-18  
 REVELATION 12:1-12

People have questions and objections to the Third Way. What are some of those? And what does it look like to embody the Third Way in the church, in our everyday lives, and in our relationships? In the final message of our series, Pastor David responds to questions and objections to the Third Way, he invites us to see that it's about faithfulness to the Lamb—not being "effective" in the eyes of the world—and he helps us to imagine what is possible when we fully embrace the Third Way of Jesus.

#### JESUS, JUSTICE & THE THIRD WAY *current sermon series*

We are in the final stretch leading up to yet another polarizing and contentious presidential election in the US. Where is the release valve for all the animosity, hate, and violence that has been growing in our country toward our political opponents? How can we turn away from the extremes and move toward hope, healing, and a better tomorrow? And according to Jesus, how can the Church be ministers of reconciliation to help curb injustice, political idolatry, and division? In this series we will reflect on the political nature of the gospel and how we are to pledge allegiance to the Lamb—not the donkey or the elephant. We will examine Jesus' approach to political matters and see how he dealt with political parties, hot-button issues, and the "partisan mind" that fuels division. Let us consider what it looks like to follow the Lamb in an age of idolatry and division, so that we might be faithful to Christ and our calling until he returns.

## WORSHIP RESOURCES

#### WANT TO JOIN A SMALL GROUP?

If you are interested in joining with others to share life and dive deeper into the sermon and what it means for our lives, go to our website to learn more about getting connected ([granthamchurch.org/small-groups](http://granthamchurch.org/small-groups)).

#### SERMON RESOURCES [granthamchurch.org/sermons](http://granthamchurch.org/sermons)

Sermons are posted online every Monday along with small group discussion questions and other sermon resources (e.g. sermon slides, sermon audio, service video, etc.).

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## EVENTS [granthamchurch.org/events](http://granthamchurch.org/events)



### TODAY

Youth Group Dinner .....6PM

### THIS WEEK

The After Party .....MON, NOV 11, 6PM  
 Together on the Journey: Mechanicsburg.....MON, NOV 11, 6:30PM  
 Community Arts Project .....THU, NOV 14, 3-5 & 6-8PM  
 Men's Bible Study .....FRI, NOV 15, 6:45AM  
 Sing & Play .....FRI, NOV 15, 9:30AM or 10:30AM

### NEXT SUNDAY Nov 17

Children's & Combined Adult Learning Communities .....9AM  
 Children's Choir .....10-10:20AM  
 Missions Sunday Worship Service .....10:30AM  
 Kids Own Worship .....11AM  
 Fellowship Meal .....after service  
 Youth Group .....6PM

### SAVE THE DATE

Baby Dedication sign-up by .....SUN, NOV 24  
 Thanksgiving Service with Baptism.....SUN, NOV 24, 10:30AM  
 Congregational Council .....SUN, NOV 24, after service with meal  
 Family Christmas Event .....FRI, DEC 13, 6P-8P  
 Baby Dedication .....SUN, DEC 15, 10:30AM

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David Flowers .....senior pastor Linda Worman ...office administrator  
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## GIVING & ATTENDANCE

### GENERAL FUND GIVING

Year to Date Budget \$725,687  
 Year to Date Giving \$712,150

### LAST WEEK

Giving \$19,387  
 Attendance 312