



CROSS CREEK

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the Lord our Maker!
for He is our God! - Psalm 95:6-7a*

OCTOBER 4, 2026

The Lord's Day – October 4, 2026

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

* Call to Worship

Psalm 147:1

"Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting."

* Hymn of Adoration

#164 O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

* Opening Prayer

Call to Confession

Psalm 90:8

"You have set our iniquities before you, our secret sins in the light of your presence."

Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

1 John 2:12

"I am writing to you, little children, because your sins are forgiven for his name's sake."

OT Scripture Reading:

Psalm 53:1-6 (Pew Bible pg.475)

NT Scripture Reading:

John 8:31-59 (Pew Bible pg.894)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

Congregation: The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Acts 20:35

* Doxology (tune of "Old Hundredth" #731)

"Doxology"

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

* Hymn of Preparation

Hymn Supplement #81 **Psalm 130 (From Depths of Woe)**

*** Sermon Text**

Ephesians 2:1-3

Leader: Thus far the reading of God's holy word, and may God add His blessing to the reading of His word.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Sermon Title: Total Depravity: Putting the Amazing Back into Grace

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*** Hymn of Reflection**

#460 **Amazing Grace**

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

(The purple cups in the outer ring contain wine, and the clear cups in the inner rings contain juice; bread is beneath each cup.)

Prayer for Transformation

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Confession of Faith

Chapter 6: Of the Fall of Man, of Sin, and of the Punishment Thereof

Section 2: By this sin they fell from their original righteousness and communication with God, and so became dead in sin, and wholly defiled in all the parts and faculties of soul and body.

Prayers of the People (Followed by the Lord's Prayer)

*** Hymn of Faith**

#455 **And Can It Be That I Should Gain**

*** Benediction**

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*** Greeting Of One Another**

***Postlude**

** Indicates please stand if able*

Sermon Notes

Sermon Text: Ephesians 2:1-3

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Proposition: We can never fully appreciate the amazing and wonderful nature of God's grace until we understand the extensive and devastating effects of man's sin.

Question: How do we need to study the nature of sin?

Uniting Word: Headings

I. Dead

II. Devil

III. Desires

IV. Danger