

Purposes in Ministry

Colossians 1:28-2:5

1. Working toward maturity (verses 28-29)

2. Working toward encouragement, unity, and wisdom (verses 1-3)

3. Working to keep them on the path (verses 4-5)

Churches are to take urgings toward maturity, encouragement, unity, and wisdom as tokens of love.

Morning Worship Service

November 21, 2021

9:30 a.m.

God Calls Us to Worship

Call to Worship and Welcome

*Hymn of Adoration

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee; LUYH #581 (v. 1-3)

*Opening Prayer

*Greetings

Ministry in Music — Choir singing, A Harvest of Thanksgiving

Children's Message — Operation Christmas Child

We Speak to God

Congregational Prayer

God Gives Us His Word

*Song of Preparation

Speak, O Lord; LUYH #755 (v. 1-3)

*Scripture: Colossians 1:28-2:5 (pg. 1,833)

Sermon: Purposes in Ministry

Prayer

Preparation for the Lord's Supper — Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 76

We Respond With Praise

*Song of Response

Lord, speak to Me That I May Speak; PH #528 (v. 1-4)

God Sends Us Out Blessed and To Serve

*Prayer for Offering — Inwood Christian School

*Blessing

*Closing Song

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow; PH #638

*indicates standing for those who are able