

# Professing our faith every day



Divine Service  
Sunday, August 31, 2025

## Theme:

Elements of faith

## Message:

We thank God for the gift of faith by professing our belief in Christ. This includes doing good deeds.

## Bible text: Acts 16: 14–15

*Now a certain woman named Lydia heard us. She was a seller of purple from the city of Thyatira, who worshipped God. The Lord opened her heart to heed the things spoken by Paul. And when she and her household were baptized, she begged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay.” So she persuaded us.*

## Summary:

- Faith is a gift from God that also entails a mission.
- Faith must be professed.
- Good works in everyday life bear witness to our faith.
- The Lord will confess before His Father those who confess Him before others.

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