

Salem Ebenezer Reformed Church

LORD'S DAY

June 29, 2025 10 a.m.
Rev. James Grossmann

Prelude Janice Dill

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 72 (Pg. 517)

***Hymn 678** "Christ Shall Have Dominion"

*Salutation and Invocation

Hymn 1 "All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

We Confess Our Christian Faith – Lord's Day 24
Heidelberg Catechism Q & A # 62-64 (Pg. 676)

Congregational Prayer

***Hymn 491** "Jesus Calls Us: O'er the Tumult"

Scripture Reading and Text: 2 Kings 23:1-30 (Pg. 353)

Sermon title: "**No Turning Back**"

*Prayer of Application (concluded with Lord's Prayer in unison)

Hymn 505 "All the Way My Savior Leads Me"
(Tithes and Offerings Collected)

*Benediction

*Doxology (Pg. xvi) (*congregation stands if possible)

Church Calendar

Sunday	Today	After service	Fellowship Time
Sunday	Tonight	6:00 p.m.	Family Bible Study
Friday	July 4	All day	Independence Day
Sunday	July 6	12:30 p.m.	Church Picnic
Tuesday	July 8	12:00 p.m.	Church Camp begins

We welcome all **visitors** who are worshiping with us today. Please sign the Guest Register in the Fellowship Hall and join us again soon

Announcements

Those wishing to **contact Rev. Grossmann** for spiritual or other needs can call him on his cell phone at 1-605-228-6508. The home phone number is 920-726-4464.

Family Bible Study will be held at 6 p.m. TONIGHT, instead of July 6 as initially planned.

The annual church picnic will be held at Newton Firefighters Park following service on Sunday, July 6. All are welcome.

The annual **baby bottle campaign** for The Crossing of Manitowoc County has ended. If you forgot your bottles, you can still give them to Ellen M. anytime.

Happy Anniversary on Wednesday Jerad and Melissa Grupe.

Remember in Prayer our shut-ins and those who have lost loved ones.

Our Sunday worship services are available on live stream at <http://tinysa.com/live/salem>

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“No Turning Back”

2 Kings 23:1-30

Theme: In Reforming Around God's Word, Josiah Left No Avenue for Return to False gods.

- I. Renewing the Covenant with the Lord – vv. 1-20
 - A. Reading and Covenanting to Follow God's Word – vv. 1-3; Dt 31:10-13; Jos 24:24
 - B. Removing the Abominations from God's People – vv. 4-14; 2 Ki 21:7; Dt 23:17; Je 7:31-32
 - C. Directing God's Worship to His Temple – vv. 15-20; I Ki 11:5-7
- II. Following God's Commands in Worship – vv. 21-25
 - A. Keeping the Passover – vv. 21-23; Dt 16:2-8; 2 Ch 35:18-19
 - B. Removing the Superstitions – v. 24; Le 19:31
 - C. Turning to the Lord with All His Heart– v. 25; Php 3:7-8
- III. God's Wrath Against Sin is Not Turned Away – vv. 26-30
 - A. God's Anger is Provoked through Abominations – vv. 26-27; I Ki 22:53; 2 Ki 21:11-12
 - B. God's Reformer is Destroyed – vv. 28-30