

WELCOME!

Thank you for joining us for worship today. No matter your past or present, we are delighted that you are here. At Christ Covenant Presbyterian Church, we seek to celebrate God's grace through Jesus Christ, Who gives us life today and for eternity. Our desire is for you to hear the free offer of the Gospel in Jesus Christ. We would love to connect with you and to share more information about our church. Please take a moment to fill out the attached visitor card and drop it in the box in the lobby. Finally, if you have questions or anything that you would like to discuss, please feel free to contact me:

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We welcome and encourage children to participate in the corporate worship. If needed, we also have a nursery with volunteer church members for children



Let's Get Acquainted

Please complete this section so we can get to know you better and minister to you more effectively. Please drop off in box in the lobby. Thank you!

Date

Name

Phone Number

Email

City

Please check all that apply:

- First-time visitor
- Returning visitor
- New resident
- Would like follow-up contact
- Would like to know more about the church

Invited by:

Weekly

- **9:15: Sunday School**
 - **Children of all ages: 2 years through high school**
 - **Adult: Epistle of James**
- **9:50: Congregational Prayer**
- **10:15: Fellowship**
- **10:45: Worship**
- **1st Sunday of each month: Evening Worship, 5:30**

- **Nursery Volunteers**
- **Today: Conrad & Monica Santamaria, Travis Creighton**
- **March 8: Christi Boyle, Vivi Santamaria, Sawyer Hughes**
- **March 15: Jenni Downing, David Kennedy, Bonnie Sweeney**
- **March 22: Jason & Julie Kennedy, Heather Coulter**

Encompass Ministry Needs

(leave in basket in lobby):

- **Laundry Detergent**
- **Dishwasher Detergent**
- **Pickles**
- **Condiments**
- **Salad Dressings**

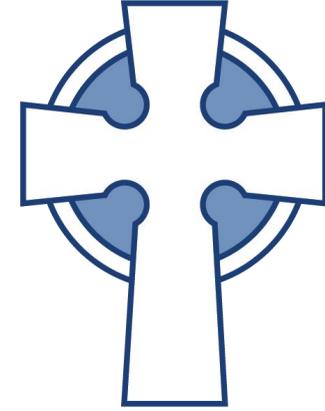
Church Life

This Week, March 1 - 7

- **Today, 12:15: Fellowship Lunch - "Brunch"**
- **Today, 5:30: Evening worship**
- **Weds, Mar 4, 7 AM: Men's Bible Study**
- **Weds, Mar 4, 6:30 PM: Ladies Bible Study**
- **Thurs, Mar 5, 11:30 AM: Ladies Bible Study**
- **Sat, Mar 7, 12 PM: Meetup, Reformation Brewery**

Next Week, March 8 - 14

- **Weds, Mar 11, 7 AM: Men's Bible Study**
- **Weds, Mar 11, 7 PM: Muslim Dialogue**



CHRIST COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN

Service of Worship

March 1, 2026

We praise Christ, our suffering servant!

"Then he released Barabbas for them; but after having Jesus scourged, he handed Him over to be crucified."

Matthew 27:26

Preparation for Worship

Use the Call to Worship passage on the inside of the Order of Worship

Key points from the passage:

- **Servants Praise:** Worship flows from belonging to Him and serving Him.
- **The Worthiness of His Name:** The name of the LORD is to be praised - His character, reputation, and covenant faithfulness.
- **This Points to Jesus as Our Suffering Servant:** The Father did not despise nor abhor His Son, even though He bore our sins before Him.

Suggestions for Prayer

- **Deep Reverence for His Name:** Pray that we have a greater love and reverence for His holy name as we worship.
- **Lifelong Praise:** That His praise would fill our lives from morning to night, and extend to every corner of the earth.
- **Jesus the Suffering Servant:** Praise Jesus for His suffering on our behalf as He bore our sins before the Father.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Prelude: Use this time and the meditation on the back to quietly and prayerfully prepare yourself for worship

GOD CALLS US TO ENTER THE PRESENCE OF CHRIST

Call to Worship Psalm 22:23-24

Officiant: You who fear the the LORD, praise Him; all you descendants of Jacob, glorify Him,

Congregation: And stand in awe of Him, all you descendants of Israel.

Officiant: For He has not despised nor abhorred the affliction of the afflicted, nor has He hidden His face from him;

Congregation: But when he cried to Him for help, He heard

Invocation

Greeting

Opening Hymn of Praise "This is the Day the Lord Has Made" (Ps 118) [TH 389]

GOD CLEANSSES US WITH THE BLOOD OF CHRIST

Confession of Sin

Congregation: O LORD, do not rebuke us in Your anger, or discipline us in Your wrath. For Your arrows have sunk into us, and Your hand has come down on us. There is no soundness in our flesh because of Your indignation; there is no health in our bones because of our sin. For our iniquities have gone over our heads; they weigh like burdens too heavy for us. Forgive our sins, pardon our iniquities, and restore our communion with You, we ask through our Blessed Lord Jesus, Who for a little while was made lower than the angels, and is now crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, Who by Your grace tasted death for all who are in Him. Amen. [Based upon Ps. 38 and Heb. 3]

[Next shall follow a time of personal, private confession of sin]

Assurance of Pardon 1 Peter 2:24

"And He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, so that we might die to sin and live to righteousness; for by His wounds you were healed."

Confession of Faith Westminster Larger Catechism, Q49

How did Christ humble Himself in His death?

Christ humbled Himself in his death, in that having been betrayed by Judas, forsaken by His disciples, scorned and rejected by the world, condemned by Pilate, and tormented by His persecutors; having also conflicted with the terrors of death, and the powers of darkness, felt and borne the weight of God's wrath, He laid down His life an offering for sin, enduring the painful, shameful, and cursed death of the cross.

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 53:4-7

Hymn of Gratitude "Not All the Blood of Beasts" [TH 242]

Intercessory Prayer Ending with "The Lord's Prayer" [TH 725]

GOD CONSECRATES US BY THE WORD OF CHRIST

Sermon Matthew 27:11-26

Hymn of Response "Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder" [TH 172]

The Lord's Supper

If you have professed faith in Christ, been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and are a member in good standing in a Bible-believing, evangelical church, we invite you to the Lord's Table. All others, please let the elements pass.

*[Note: as in the first Communion, we use wine to celebrate the Lord's Supper; however, in the middle of each tray is **grape juice**, and in the bread tray is a cup of **gluten-free bread**.]*

Hymn of Dedication "Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God" (Ps 11) [TH 11]

GOD COMMISSIONS US FOR THE SERVICE OF CHRIST

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.

Prayer Requests

"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6-7

Name: _____

Phone No.: _____

(If requesting a follow-up call)

Please pray for: _____

The Elders will be honored to pray for you. If you would like your request to be included in the weekly congregational email and on the Sunday bulletin prayer list, please check the box below. We will include the request for four weeks, unless you indicate otherwise.

Please include on prayer sheet next week and in the weekly email.