

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 or visit our website for more information:

Job Dalomba, pastor (jdalomba2@gmail.com)

We welcome and encourage children to participate in the corporate worship. If needed, we also have a nursery with volunteer church members for children up to age 3.

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: Congregational Prayer
- 9:30: Sunday School
 - Children of all ages: 2 years through high school
 - Adult: WCF Ch 23 - “Of the Civil Magistrate”
- 10:15: Fellowship
- 10:45: Worship
- 1st, 3rd & 4th Sunday of each month: Evening Worship, 5:30

Nursery Volunteers

- Today: Heather Coulter, Debbie Lester, Travis Creighton
- Aug 9: Jason & Julie Kennedy, Maurene Gregory
- Aug 16: Christi Boyle, Phyllis Donn, Bonnie Sweeney
- Aug 23: Jenni Downing, Adeline Hughes, Penny Santamaria

Encompass Ministry Needs

(leave in basket in lobby):

- Tuna (Canned)
- Chicken (Canned)
- Broth
- Tomato Soup

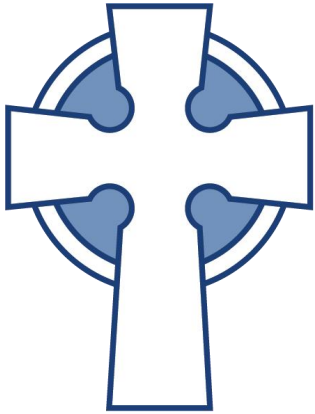
Church Life

This Week: Aug 2 - 8

- Sun, Aug 2, 12:15: Fellowship Meal - “Classic Family Favorites”
- Sun, Aug 2, 5:30: Evening Worship
- Weds, Aug 5, 7AM: Men’s Bible Study

Next Week, Aug 9 - 15

- Weds, Aug 12, 7AM: Men’s Bible Study
- Weds, Aug 12, 7PM: Muslim Dialogues



CHRIST COVENANT

P R E S B Y T E R I A N

Service of Worship

August 2, 2026

We praise God for His sovereign and saving grace!

"Arise, go to Nineveh the great city and cry against it, for their wickedness has come up before Me."

Jonah 1:2

Preparation for Worship

Refer to the Call to Worship

Key Points from the Passage

- God's Righteousness Is Good News:** We gather to proclaim the glad tidings of God's saving righteousness, ultimately revealed in Jesus Christ.
- God's People Publicly Praise Him:** The psalmist openly declares God's faithfulness before the congregation, reminding us that corporate worship is a joyful witness to His grace
- God Preserves His People by His Covenant Love:** We worship with confidence because God's compassion, steadfast love, and truth continually sustain those who belong to Him

Suggestions for Prayer:

- Grateful Hearts for the Gospel:** Pray that the Holy Spirit would fill us with joy as we gather to celebrate the good news of God's saving righteousness in Christ
- Bold and Sincere Worship:** Pray for God to help us to praise Him openly and wholeheartedly, declaring His faithfulness with grateful hearts
- Confidence in His Faithfulness:** Pray for the Holy Spirit to assure us of His unflinching compassion, lovingkindness, and truth, and to strengthen us to rest in His preserving grace as we worship

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 WorshipPsalm 40:9, 11

Officiant: I have proclaimed glad tidings of righteousness in the great congregation;

Congregation: Behold, I will not restrain my lips, O LORD, You know.

Officiant: You, O LORD, will not hold Your compassion from me;

Congregation: Your lovingkindness and Your truth will continually preserve me.

Invocation

Greeting

Opening Hymn of Praise“O Praise Ye the Lord!” (Ps 149) [TH 361]

GOD CLEANSES US WITH THE BLOOD OF CHRIST

Confession of Sin

Congregation: Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved You with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, You are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with You! Restore to us the joy of Your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. By Your Holy Spirit, let Your word abide with us until it has wrought in us Your holy will. Amen.

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

Assurance of PardonRomans 8:29-30

“For those whom He foreknew, He also predestined to become conformed to the image of His Son, so that He would be the firstborn among many brethren; and these whom He predestined, He also called; and these whom He called, He also justified; and these whom He justified, He also glorified.”

Confession of FaithWestminster Shorter Catechism, Q20

Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

God having, out of His mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

New Testament ReadingEphesians 2:11-22

Hymn of Gratitude“Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord” [TH 465]

Intercessory PrayerEnding with “The Lord’s Prayer”

Receiving of New Members

GOD CONSECRATES US BY THE WORD OF CHRIST

SermonJonah 1:1-3

Hymn of Response“O God, to Us Show Mercy” (Ps 67) [TH 437]

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 DedicationPsalm 65:1-5 [Trinity Psalter]

GOD COMMISSIONS US FOR THE SERVICE OF CHRIST

DoxologyPraise God, from Whom all blessings flow

Praise Him, all creatures here below

Praise Him above, ye heavn’ly hosts

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

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.