

Covenant Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day June 16, 2024

Verse of the Year

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

Psalm 51:17

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE | 11:00 AM

(Minister | Congregation)

Prelude

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven Arr. by John Innes

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jamie Lambert

Christ Is Risen. He Is Risen Indeed.

Call to Worship, Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

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.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen. Hymn 122

God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory

Responsive Reading

Westminster Larger Catechism 47

47. How did Christ humble himself in his conception and birth?

Christ humbled himself in his conception and birth, in that, being from all eternity the Son of God, in the bosom of the Father, he was pleased in the fulness of time to become the son of man, made of a woman of low estate, and to be born of her; with divers circumstances of more than ordinary abasement.

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Rev. Adam Peeler

Break Thou the Bread of Life Arr. by Albin C. Whitworth

Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye Heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen. **Offertory Prayer** Rev. Adam Peeler Hvmn 653 Jesus Is All the World to Me Scripture Reading Matthew 15:1-9 This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God. Traditions Sermon Rev. Jamie Lambert King and Merciful God, We Have Sinned Hymn 496 Benediction Postlude Postlude in C Major Paul Fey

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE | 5:30 PM

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Call to Worship

Praise the Lord, all nations! Extol him, all peoples!

For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Praise the Lord!

Invocation

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Hymn 172

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Reading of the Law

I. You shall have no other gods before Me.

II. You shall not make for yourself an idol. You shall not worship them or serve them.

III. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.

IV. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

V. Honor your father and your mother.

VI. You shall not murder.

VII. You shall not commit adultery.

VIII. You shall not steal.

IX. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

X. You shall not covet.

Confession of Sin

Psalm 117

Matthew 6:9-13

Exodus 20

Assurance of Pardon

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn 674

Scripture Reading

Responsive Reading

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Heidelberg Catechism 1, 2

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I am not my own, but belong-body and soul, in life and in death-to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready, from now on, to live for him.

What must you know to live and die in the joy of this comfort?

Three things: first, how great my sin and misery are; second, how I am set free from all my sins and misery; third, how I am to thank God for such deliverance.

Micah 7:18, 19

I Need Thee Every Hour

Genesis 49:29-50:14

The Death of a Father

Rev. Adam Peeler

The Lord's SupperHymn 38Immortal, Invisible, God Only WiseBenediction

Prayer for the Persecuted Church from Voice of the Martyrs

Pray for Turkmenistan: Pray that secret church gatherings will remain undetected by government officials.

Missionary of the Month

Matt Mahla - Reformed University Fellowship (RUF)

The Apostles' Creed

*"he descended into hell" – Jesus received God's wrath for the elect on the cross (HC 44) and that he truly died (WLC 50).

*"catholic" means whole or universal, not Roman Catholic

Pastor Lambert Scholarship Fund

The Session is pleased to announce that Pastor Jamie Lambert has been accepted into the Doctor of Ministry program at Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary. The Doctor of Ministry program at Puritan Reformed focuses on biblical, reformed, experiential, and practical preaching.

Covenant has created a scholarship fund to assist Pastor Lambert with tuition and fees. If you wish to contribute to this fund, please designate gifts to the "Jamie Lambert Scholarship Fund". Be in prayer for Pastor Lambert as he begins his studies.

Women's 4 Corners Event June 21st at 6:00 PM

Covenant Women - Why Shop When You Can Swap? Do you want to go on a shopping spree for free? This is your time to shine! You are invited to the home of Anne Lindley (721 Tee Box Drive, Griffin) for a shop till you drop accessory exchange. Bring your gently used purses, jewelry, hats, and other accessories and exchange them for something new (to you). We will begin at 6 with multiple shopping stations around the house. There will be refreshments and time for fellowship. Contact Anne for more information.

Men's Wednesday Bible Group

Wed. 9:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study. Studying Acts. Contact Jamie Lambert: <u>jamie@covenantpres.net</u>

Women's Wednesday Night Bible Study at 7:00 PM

We will be studying the book of Ephesians using Lydia Brownback's Flourish Bible Study of Ephesians. Plan to join us at the Lambert home each Wednesday night throughout the summer for fellowship, prayer, discussion, and bible study. Contact Jessica Peeler or Bethany Lambert for additional information.

Sunday School Classes and Teachers

Adults –Kevin Nichols Youth – Marcus Dorsey & Kevin Johnson Older Elementary – Stan James Younger Elementary – Betsy van der Hoek Pre-K – Nance Dorsey

You Are Invited!

We are a means-of-grace church. By that, we are saying that we believe God uses certain means to enable Christians to receive the benefits of redemption. Our confessions and catechisms state that there are three principal ordinary means of grace and they are the Word of God, the sacraments, and prayer, and these are elements of public worship. Everything that occurs between the Call To Worship and the Benediction

is the most important activity the church does all week. In harmony with that proposition, we are committed to the singing of historic, traditional hymns and psalms and we typically preach through books of the Bible. We would love to have you join us

each Sunday for morning and evening worship.

For more information, check us out online at www.covenantpres.net

Please don't hesitate to email us with any questions at <u>office@covenantpres.net</u>

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