# **NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN**

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, December 5, 2021

10:30 am

#### Welcome and Announcements

Congregation asked to stand if able when indicated by \*

Prelude

\*Call to Worship #203

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

#### \*Invocation and the 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

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Women's Leadership Team

### Westminster Larger Catechism

Q105:: What are we especially taught by the words "before me" in the First Commandment?

A105: The words "before me" or "before my face" in the First Commandment, teach us, that God, who sees all things, takes special notice of, and is much displeased with the sin of having any other God; so that it may be an argument to dissuade us from it, and to emphasize it as a most serious provocation; as also to persuade us to do as in His sight, whatever we do in His service.

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 103:1-5

Hymn of Assurance #189

"Jesus Loves Me"

\*Hymn of Preparation #194 "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

\*Reading of Scripture

Mark 9:14-29 **pg. 1074** 

\*Gloria Patri #735

(Greatorex)

Prayer for Illumination

**Sermon** "Believing...and Believing More"

Bebo Elkin

\*The Apostle's Creed (pg. 845)

Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology #731

(Tallis Canon)

\*Closing Hymn #263

"Lift High the Cross"

\*Benediction

**Postlude** 

#### This Week at New Covenant

### Sunday, December 5

9:30 am Sunday Morning Fellowship 10:30 am Worship

# Tuesday, December 7

9:00 am Ladies Bible Study

#### Wednesday, December 8

10:00 am New Covenant Women's Circle

### Sunday December 12

Guest Pastor Bebo Elkin 5:00 Church Christmas party - Decker Hall

#### Verse of the Month – Thessalonians 5:16-18

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

Sunday, December 12 at 5:00 is the church Christmas party in Decker Hall. Please bring your favorite appetizer, finger sandwich, chip and dip, etc. If you would like to join in the cajun Christmas gift exchange, please bring a gift around \$15. Please join us for a great time!

# Nursery Schedule

**December 5:** Beth Bee

December 12: Ginna Holyoak

December 19: Rachel Griffing

**December 24:** Need volunteer

December 26 - Kati Trotter

# **Attendance last Sunday:**

**SMF: 10** 

Worship: 36

## **Church Leadership at New Covenant**

Ruling Elders (Session) – Joseph Byrne, Tommy Ellett, Richard Griffing

Elder Emeritus – Frank Heard

Treasurer – Andy Montgomery

Nursery is provided in Decker Hall for children under 5 years old. Sermon audio is available on our website.



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