

NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, February 12, 2023

10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

*Congregation asked to stand if able when indicated by **

Prelude

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Colossians 3:15

*Call to Worship

You have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire. Hebrews 12:22-24,28-29

*Hymn of Adoration #38

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Prayer of Invocation

Westminster Larger Catechism

Q 176: In what do the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper agree?

A 176: The sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper agree, in that the Author of both is God; the spiritual part of both is Christ and His benefits; both are seals of the same covenant, are to be dispensed by ministers of the Gospel and by none other and to be continued in the church of Christ until his second coming.

Call to Confession

Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven. Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. Matthew 6:1-4

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

“Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” John 14:1-6

Hymn of Thanksgiving #353 Insert

“Victory in Jesus”

Children's Sermon

Pastoral Prayer 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

Tithes and Offerings

Offer right sacrifices, and put your trust in the LORD. Psalm 4:5

*Doxology #731

(Tallis Canon)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn of Preparation #642

“Be Thou My Vision”

*Reading of Scripture

Philippians 4:4-7 **(pg. 1250)**

*Gloria Patri #735

(Greatest)

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon:

“A Battle For the Soul”

***Hymn of Response #691**

“It Is Well with My Soul”

***Benediction**

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

Announcements and upcoming events:

February 25th - Women's Fellowship Gathering

10 am - 12pm, lunch will be served

New Covenant Presbyterian - McComb MS

RSVP to Sandra Tipton by February 16th

April 22nd - Church grounds workday

April 23rd - Mark Horn to give church planting report in Sunday school and preach

May 7th - Celebrating 30 years to New Covenant

May 9th - Host 165th stated meeting of Grace Presbytery

June 12-16 - PCA General Assembly in Memphis, TN

Nursery Schedule

February 12: Nancye Montgomery

February 19: Ginna Holyoak

February 26: Kati Trotter

March 5: Beth Bee

Church Leadership at New Covenant

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

Elder Emeritus – Frank Heard *Teaching Elder* - John Franklin

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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