NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, June 25, 2023 10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

Congregation asked to stand if able when indicated by *

Prelude

I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory. Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you. So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands. Psalm 63:2-4

*Call to Worship

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth. My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad. Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together! Psalm 34:1-3

*Hymn of Adoration #295

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Prayer of Invocation

Recognition of New Communing Members

Bill and Jo Ann Dossett

Sacrament of Baptism

Edward John Franklin Jr.

Confession of Faith - Westminster Larger Catechism

Q. 194: For what do we pray for in the fifth petition?

A. 194: In the fifth petition (which is, "Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors"), acknowledging that we and all others are guilty both of original and actual sin and thereby become debtors to the justice of God and neither we nor any other creature can make the least satisfaction for that debt: we pray for obedience and satisfaction of Christ understood and applied by faith, acquit us both from the guilt and punishment of sin, accept us in His Beloved, continue His favor and grace to us, pardon our daily failings and fill us with peace and joy, in giving us daily more and more assurance of forgiveness; which we are more emboldened to ask, and encouraged to expect,

when we have this testimony in ourselves, that we from the heart forgive others their offenses.

Call to Confession

Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. Galatians 5:19-21

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

The love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. 1 John 4:9-10

*Hymn of Thanksgiving #402 "Abide with Me: Fast Falls the Eventide"

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

This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord's people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God. 2 Corinthians 9:12

*Doxology #731

(Tallis Canon)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn of Preparation - Insert

"Whate'er My God Ordains is Right"

*Reading of Scripture

Jonah 3:1-5 (pg. 983)

*Gloria Patri #735

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Prayer for Illumination

Sermon:

"True Conversion"

*Hymn of Response #705

"I Know Whom I Have Believed"

*Benediction

May 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:

Every Thursday - 12pm - 1 pm. Bible Study. We will plan to study from 12:15 - 12:45. Plan to come and go as your schedule permits. Pastor John will be teaching on the book of Acts. Bring your lunch and invite a friend as we study the Bible together.

Sunday, July 2: Communion
Discretionary fund giving

Nursery Schedule

June 25: Ginna Holyoak
July 2: Kati Trotter
July 9: Beth Bee
July 16: Hannah Griffing

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 Pianist - Kathy Rogers



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