

# NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, June 4, 2023

10:30 am

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## Welcome and Announcements

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

## Prelude

In your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.  
Psalm 16:11

## \*Call to Worship

Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise! Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man. Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of his praise be heard, who has kept our soul among the living and has not let our feet slip. Come and hear, all you who fear God, and I will tell what he has done for my soul. Blessed be God, because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast love from me! Psalm 66: 1,2,5,8,9,16,20

## \*Hymn of Adoration #92

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

## Prayer of Invocation

## Call to Confession

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. 1 Corinthians 13:4-8

## Corporate Confession of Sin

**O Lord, our sin is great and ever before us. We have made our hearts as hard as stone. We have refused to listen, and turned away from you with the shrug of a stubborn shoulder. How we have hated instruction! Our heart has despised reproof. We have not obeyed the voice of our teachers, and refused to offer a listening ear to those that would instruct us. O Lord, forgive us for the stubbornness of our wills and our constant resistance to every suggestion that we should live in submission to the law of God. Amen.** Matthew Henry (A Way to Pray, 40)

## Assurance of Pardon

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20

## \*Hymn of Thanksgiving #599

“Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us”

## 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

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! 1 Chronicles 16:34

## \*Doxology #731

*(Tallis Canon)*

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

## Hymn of Preparation - Insert

“Whate'er My God Ordains is Right”

## \*Reading of Scripture

Jonah 2:1-10 (pg. 983)

## \*Gloria Patri #735

*(Gretorex)*

## Prayer for Illumination

## Sermon:

“Jonah's Prayer of Thanksgiving”

## \*Communion Hymn There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood (vs. 1-3)

## \*Confession of Faith - The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living 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.

**\*Communion Hymn** There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood (vs. 4-5)

**\*Benediction**

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen. Hebrews 13:20-21

**Announcements and upcoming events:**

**Sunday, June 4 - Communion**

Discretionary Fund Giving

**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.

**June 12-16** - PCA General Assembly in Memphis, TN (Pastor John and Ruling Elder Tommy Ellett are registered to attend)

**Nursery Schedule**

**June 4:** Cathy Ellett

**June 11:** Lynn Britt

**June 18:** Nancye Montgomery

**June 25:** Ginna Holyoak

**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



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