

NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN

Order of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, December 15, 2019

10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements

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

Prelude

***Call to Worship #207** (vs. 1, 3) *(In Dulci Jubilo)*
"Good Christian Men, Rejoice"

*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymns of Adoration

#195 "Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come" *(Antioch)*

#204 "Away in a Manger" *(Mueller)*

Psalter Reading: Psalm 113 (pg. 826)

Lighting of the Advent Candle Karlyn Ritchie

Pastoral Prayer

Assurance of Pardon 1 Thessalonians 5:9-10

Hymn of Preparation #208 *(Adeste Fidelis)*
"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

***Reading of Scripture** Luke 1:26-38 (ESV)
pg. 1088/ pg. 940

***Gloria Patri #735** *(Creatorex)*

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon "Heralds of the Good News, Part Two"

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

Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology #731** *(Old Hundredth)*

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

***Benediction** 1 Peter 1:3-4

***Closing Hymn #203** *(Mendelssohn)*
"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

Postlude

This Week at New Covenant

Sunday, December 15 – *Third Sunday of Advent*

9:15 am Sunday Morning Fellowship

10:30 am Worship

1:15 pm Session Meeting

Tuesday, December 17

9:00 am Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, December 18

5:00 pm Bonfire Night

Next Sunday: Pastor Seth continues to lead us through our "Christmas Hymn Theology" series! Read **Psalm 98** to prepare.

Bonfire Night: Enjoy a night of fellowship and fun this **Wednesday, December 18** at 5:00 pm. In place of Wednesday Night Fellowship, we will be meeting down at Reformation Park behind the church to roast hotdogs and make s'mores!

Christmas Eve Communion Service: Set your hearts and minds on our Savior this Christmas Eve, **Tuesday, December 24** at 4:30 pm, during our Christmas Eve Communion Service (nursery provided). Please make plans to attend! We still need one volunteer to help serve our children during this service.

Nursery Schedule

December 8: Charlotte Britt (Jeanne Edwards)

December 15: Jeanne Edwards (Ruthie Hinton)

December 22: Kati Trotter (**substitute needed**)

Christmas Eve: Tommy Ellett (**volunteer needed**)



The Record of Our Faithfulness: December 8, 2019

SMF: 14 Worship: 40

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Church Leadership at New Covenant

Elder of the Month: Tommy Ellett

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

Teaching Elder – Reverend Seth Duhs

Deacon (Diaconate) – Sterling Dossett

Treasurer – Cathy Ellett *Pianist* – Burnley Cook

Nursery Coordinator – Markeda Bateaste

Nursery is provided in Decker Hall for children under 5 years old.

Sermon audio is available on our website.

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