

COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

October 20, 2024

“A sower went out to sow his seed...”

Luke 8:5a

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October 20, 2024 – 11:00 am

Welcome and Announcements.....

Silent Prayer

The Order of Worship

§ **Call to Worship**..... *Revelation 5:11-12*

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**.....

§ **The Hymn of Adoration**..... *“O Worship the King”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#219

The Revelation of God’s Will..... *Deuteronomy 10:12-21*

Prayer of Confession.....

The Assurance of Pardon..... *I John 1:7*

§ **Giving of Thanks**..... *“Gloria Patri”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#572

Receiving New Members..... *Jonathan Smith*

The Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving, Supplication and for Illumination

§ **The Scripture Readings**..... *Psalms 1, Luke 8:1-15*

§ **The Psalm of Preparation** *“Eternal Is Your Word, O LORD”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#119L

The Preaching of the Word *Luke 8:1-15*
“The Gospel of Luke: The Parable of the Sower”
Pastor Peter Van Doodewaard

§ **The Hymn of Response** *“Christ Shall Have Dominion”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#421

§ **The Benediction**

§ **The Doxology**..... *“Thy Loving-kindness, Lord, Is Good and Free”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#69B, v4

§ Please stand, if you are able.

WELCOME to our worship and fellowship at Covenant Community Church. We are a congregation of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. We are a people grateful for the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, which promises the forgiveness of sins and eternal life to all who trust in Him alone for salvation.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Young children are welcome to join in our worship at Covenant Community Church. If you anticipate that your young child or children cannot exercise the necessary self-control to remain relatively quiet and still, please consider making good use of either our nursery or our training room out of consideration for your fellow worshippers—particularly during the preaching of the Word.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

We look forward to celebrating the Lord's Supper **in our evening worship service today.**

The Lord's Supper is a meal in which we enjoy communion with God and with His covenant people, the church. If you are a member in good standing of a Bible-believing evangelical church, you are welcome to join with us at the Lord's Table. If you are not formally joined to Christ's church, we ask you to refrain from partaking of the Lord's Supper.

If you have any questions about the Lord's Supper, or if you desire to join Christ's church, please speak with our pastors or elders (you will notice the elders serving the Lord's Supper) after our worship service.

DIACONAL OFFERING

This evening we will take up our diaconal offering (for mercy ministry) immediately after the celebration of the Lord's Supper. This offering is a fitting expression of our care for one another in the body of Christ.

LADIES' BOOK STUDY

Our ladies' book study meets **on the first and third Thursday's both at 10 am (in the session room) and 7 pm (in the fellowship hall).** We will be reading *Searching Our Hearts in Difficult Times* by John Owen. Please attend the meeting option which best accommodates your schedule. Copies of the book will be available at both meeting times. Please see Carol Bengé for additional information.

HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP

Young people ages 14-18, please join us for a time of food, fellowship, and instruction **Friday, October 25th at 6:30 pm.**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We could still use more volunteers to serve in a variety of

ways: setting up for our fellowship time between Sunday School and morning worship, setting up our overflow space, opening your home in hospitality to visitors, and cleaning after the Lord's Supper. Please speak with Tara Dilella to sign up.

VISITORS AND NEW MEMBERS

If you are interested in learning more about Covenant, please join our visitors' class. This class is meeting at 9:30 am each Lord's Day morning in the fellowship hall.

OVERFLOW SEATING

Our main overflow seating area has been moved to the fellowship hall (our lowest level). Please maintain the same quiet and order in the overflow space as in the main sanctuary. A small training room overflow remains on the middle floor for parents of young children.

LIGONIER CONNECT

Our subscription to Ligonier Connect for the member households of our congregation has been renewed for another year through a generous gift. Ligonier Connect (provided by Ligonier Ministries) is an online library of theologically sound video courses on topics like theology, biblical studies, church history, and practical Christian living. If you have not signed up already, please send us an email at office@covenanttaylor.org.

SCHEDULES

The Lord's Day

Sunday School 9:30am
Ages 3-4.....Sarah Bisson, Charity V.
Ages 5-6.....Jennifer Lee, Leah Bedard
Ages 7-8..... Gail Ellis, Anna Mooney
Ages 9-10..... Joey Pipa, Seth Dilella
Ages 11-12..... Joseph Bowman, Caleb H.
Ages 13-14.....Nick Higgins, Ryan Lee
Adults.....Ryan McGraw
Morning Worship.....11:00 am
Evening Worship..... 6:00 pm

Nursery Care

Week of October 20, 2024
AM.....Christi C, Rebecca S, Trisha D.
PM.....Brianna B, Hannah VanD.
Wed.....Tara D, Lily W.
Week of October 27, 2024
AM....Rhonda P., Lauren R. Susie VanD.
PM..... Eliana S, Annaleigh W.
Wed..... No Prayer Meeting

Ushers

Week of October 20, 2024
Nick Higgins, TJ Butler
Alden Sims, Hudson Arce
Week of October 27, 2024
Joseph Bowman, Paul Coblentz
Jim Sturgis, Robert Robison

Covenant Community Church

Senior Pastor— Peter Van Doodewaard

Pastor – Jeremiah Mooney

Elders—Mr. Jim Higgins, Mr. Jim Loring (clerk), Dr. Ryan McGraw (teacher), Rev. Jeremiah Mooney (pastor), Mr. Vernon Shoaf, Mr. David Stair, Rev. Peter Van Doodewaard (pastor/moderator)

Deacons—Mr. Brian Bassett, Mr. Joseph Bowman, Mr. Seth Dilella, Mr. Joey Pipa

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