

COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH
A CONGREGATION OF THE ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 9, 2025 – 6:00 pm

Welcome and Announcements.....

Silent Prayer.....

The Order of Worship

§ **Call to Worship**..... *Zephaniah 2:11*

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

§ **The Hymn of Adoration**..... *“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#498

Confession of Faith..... *The Westminster Larger Catechism*

Q. 134. What is the sixth commandment?

A. The sixth commandment is, You shall not kill.

Q. 135. What are the duties required in the sixth commandment?

A. The duties required in the sixth commandment are, all careful studies, and lawful endeavors, to preserve the life of ourselves and others by resisting all thoughts and purposes, subduing all passions, and avoiding all occasions, temptations, and practices, which tend to the unjust taking away the life of any; by just defense thereof against violence, patient bearing of the hand of God, quietness of mind, cheerfulness of spirit; a sober use of meat, drink, physic,* sleep, labor, and recreations; by charitable thoughts, love, compassion, meekness, gentleness, kindness; peaceable, mild and courteous speeches and behavior; forbearance, readiness to be reconciled, patient bearing and forgiving of injuries, and requiting good for evil; comforting and succoring the distressed, and protecting and defending the innocent.

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Prayer of Thanksgiving and Supplication.....

§ **The Scripture Readings**..... *Romans 12:17-21, Psalm 133*

§ **The Psalm of Preparation** *“I Was Filled with Joy and Gladness”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#122A

Prayer for Illumination

The Preaching of the Word *Psalm 133*

“The Location of Maximum Divine Blessing”

Pastor Peter Van Doodewaard

§ **The Hymn of Response**..... *“It Is Well with My Soul”*

Trinity Psalter Hymnal#476 *

§ **The Benediction**

§ **The Doxology** *“Thy Lovingkindness, Lord, Is Good and Free”*

Trinity Psalter Hymnal#69B, v4

§ Please stand, if you are able.

* Verse 3 will be sung without musical accompaniment.

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 worshipers—particularly during the preaching of the Word. Additionally, a child-training area for parents of young children can be found on the middle floor.

GREENVILLE SEMINARY SPRING THEOLOGY CONFERENCE

Greenville Presbyterian Theological Seminary is holding its annual theology conference March 11th-13th at Heritage Bible Church. Please see www.gpts.edu for more details. Also, note that the evening sessions (Tuesday and Wednesday) are free and open to the public—and that we will be taking a break from our regular mid-week activities this week to make it easier for you to enjoy at least one evening session at the conference.

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