

# COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH

*A CONGREGATION OF THE ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH*

## THE LORD'S DAY

December 15, 2024

*“So they ate and were filled.”*

Luke 9:17a

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December 15, 2024 – 11:00 am

**Welcome and Announcements**.....

**Silent Prayer** .....

**The Order of Worship**

§ **Call to Worship**..... *Psalm 99:5*

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

§ **The Psalm of Adoration** ..... *“I Will Extol You, O My God”*  
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#145C

**The Revelation of God’s Will**..... *John 13:34-35*

**Prayer of Confession**.....

**The Assurance of Pardon**..... *Colossians 1:13-14*

§ **Giving of Thanks**..... *“O God, Show Mercy to Us”*  
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#67B

**The Offering** .....

**Prayer of Thanksgiving, Supplication and for Illumination** .....

§ **The Scripture Readings**..... *Psalm 23, Luke 9:10-16*

§ **The Hymn of Preparation** . *“Lead Me, Lord, Lead Me in Thy Righteousness”*  
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#529

**The Preaching of the Word** ..... *Luke 9:10-16*  
*“The Gospel of Luke: He Feeds His Flock Like a Shepherd”*  
Pastor Peter Van Doodewaard

§ **The Hymn of Response** ..... *“O Savior, Precious Savior”*  
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#263\*

§ **The Benediction** .....

§ **The Doxology**..... *“Praise God, O Servants of the Lord”*  
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#113B, v1-2

§ Please stand, if you are able.

\*Verse 4 will be sung without musical accompaniment.

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**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.

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### **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.

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### **OVERFLOW SEATING**

Our overflow seating area can be found in the fellowship hall (our lowest level). Please maintain the same quiet and order in the overflow space as in the main sanctuary. A child-training area for parents of young children can be found on the middle floor.

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### **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.

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### **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.

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### **WEDNESDAY EVENING**

We will be having our regular prayer meeting and catechism classes this week. However, there will be no Wednesday evening activities on December 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024, and January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

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### **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 see Carol Benge for additional information.

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## CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATE

We are working to update our church's directory with the most recent information for each household. Please make sure all your contact information is accurate, and feel free to update your family's picture as well. You may direct any questions in this regard to interns Austin Loewen or Devin Baker.

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## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We could still use more volunteers to serve in a variety of ways. If you are able, please speak with Tara Dilella to sign up.

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## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Our Sunday School classes meet each Lord's Day at 9:30am. Also, our children's catechism classes continue each Wednesday at 6:45pm. Our **adult Sunday School** classes continue in our four-quarter pattern, (theology, church history, Christian living, and Biblical studies). Pastor Peter Van Doodewaard continues a class on the Christian family.

**Children's classes** meet each Lord's Day at 9:30am. More details can be found in the schedules section below. **Finally, please note our children's classes will not meet on December 22<sup>nd</sup> and December 29<sup>th</sup>.** We encourage families to attend our adult Sunday School class together on those dates as you are able.

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## 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 December 15, 2024

AM.....Kelsey R, Rebecca S, Ruby S  
PM.....Anne C, Eliana S  
Wed.....MoonSun H, Maren L

Week of December 22, 2024

AM.....Karen D, Katie VanD, Chloe W  
PM.....Brianna B, Adelyn W  
Wed.....*No Prayer Meeting*

### Ushers

Week of December 15, 2024

Nick Higgins, TJ Butler, Alden Sims  
Hudson Arce, Tim Bedard

Week of December 22, 2024

Joseph Bowman, Paul C, Jim Sturgis  
Robert Robison, Devin Baker

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## 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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