

Morning Worship — 10:45 AM

**PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP**

*Please be seated by 10:45 for the announcements*

**Silent Preparation**

*During the few minutes before the service begins, the congregation is invited to a moment of silent and prayerful preparation for worship.*

**Welcome and Announcements**

*Visitors please fill out the Visitor Card in the rack in front of you and place it in the offering plate during the Collection of Tithes and Offerings.*

**Musical Prelude**

**ADORATION OF GOD**

**Call to Worship**

Psalm 105:1-3

**\*Hymn of Praise**

Now Thank We All Our God  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #181)*

**\*Prayer of Invocation and 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.*

**CONFESSION OF SIN AND THANKSGIVING**

**Scripture Reading**

*Ten Commandments*

Minister: God spoke all these words saying, I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

All:

- 1. You shall have no other gods before me.*
- 2. You shall not make for yourself a carved image. You shall not bow down to them or serve them.*
- 3. You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.*
- 4. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.*
- 5. Honor your father and your mother.*
- 6. You shall not kill.*
- 7. You shall not commit adultery.*
- 8. You shall not steal.*
- 9. You shall not bear false witness.*
- 10. You shall not covet. (Exodus 20:1-17)*

Minister: Hear also the words of our Lord Jesus, how he said:

All: *You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.*” (Matthew 22:37-40)

*\*Congregation Standing*

**Confession of Sin (Silent)**

**Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace**

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.  
(1 John 1:9)

**\*Psalm of Thanksgiving**

Psalm 34  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #34C)*

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Collection of Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Gloria Patri**

*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #572)*  
*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.*  
*As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.*  
*World without end. Amen. Amen.*

**PROVISION FOR LIFE AND GROWTH**

**Scripture Reading**

Matthew 28:11-15  
*(Pew Bible Page 835)*

**Prayer of Illumination**

**Sermon**

Rev. Jim Curtis  
*Associate Pastor*

“He Is Risen Indeed”  
*(Matthew: God with Us, 86)*

**\*Hymn of Preparation**

Jesus, Lover of My Soul  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #450)*

**The Lord's Supper †**

*Invitation and Fencing of the Table*  
*Prayer of Consecration*  
*Words of Institution*  
*Distribution of the Elements*  
*Prayer of Thanksgiving*

**RESPONSE AND BLESSING**

**\*Hymn of Response**

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #452)*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

*\*Congregation Standing*

Evening Worship — 6:00 PM

**Call to Worship**

**\*Psalm of Adoration**

Psalm 29  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #29A)*

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

**\*Confession of Faith**

*Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 87*

Question: What is repentance unto life?

Answer: *Repentance unto life is a saving grace, whereby a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, does, with grief and hatred of sin, turn from it unto God, with full purpose of, and endeavor after, new obedience.*

**Scripture Reading**

2 Corinthians 11:16-33  
*(Pew Bible Page 969)*

**Prayer of Confession and Intercession**

**\*Hymn of Preparation**

God, in the Gospel of His Son  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #170)*

**Scripture Reading**

Proverbs 6:20-35  
*(Pew Bible Page 531)*

**Sermon**

Mr. Wilson Goins  
*Pastoral Intern*

“The Guide and the Adulterous Bride”  
*(Proverbs 1-9: At a Crossroads, 11)*

**\*Hymn of Response**

O the Deep, Unbounded Riches  
*(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #226)*

**\*Benediction**

*\*Congregation Standing*

**Welcome Visitors!** We extend a warm welcome to all who are worshiping with us today. We are delighted you are here and we are available to answer any questions you may have about our worship service, our church, or even the gospel of Jesus Christ. If you have children they are most welcome in our worship service, and we also provide a nursery for children up to 3 years of age. **Please fill out the Visitor Card located in the rack in front of you and place it in the offering plate when it comes by later in the service.**

#### Announcements

**The Lord's Supper:** Today we will celebrate the Lord's Supper at the end of our morning worship service. This sacrament consists of giving and receiving bread and wine (or juice) to show forth the death of Jesus and receive spiritual nourishment. The Lord's Supper is open to everyone who has confessed their faith in Jesus Christ alone for salvation, provided that they have received Christian baptism, are members in good standing in a Bible believing church, and who are not living with secret or unrepentant sin. If you have any questions about these restrictions then please speak with a pastor or elder after the service, we would love to discuss them with you.

**Evening Worship:** We will gather again as a congregation for worship tonight at 6:00 pm. All are invited to join us again as we hear from God in his word, bring our burdens to him in prayer, and respond to his gospel in song. Pastoral Intern Wilson Goins will be continuing our sermon series through chapters 1-9 of Proverbs.

**Pastor Vacation:** Pastor Sean and his family are on vacation this week, for any pastoral needs please contact Pastor Jim, a ruling elder, or the church office.

**New Traffic Pattern Through UNCA:** UNCA is doing road construction on University Heights. For those who travel through campus to church, you will be routed through Parking Lot P28 on your way to Edgewood Road. The detour will be clearly marked and we don't believe this will cause too much trouble for those attending our services. We will keep you updated when additional closures occur.

**Church Office Closed:** The church office will be closed on Thursday and Friday of this week.

**Men's Prayer Breakfast Holiday Schedule:** There will be no prayer breakfast on Saturday, November 25. They will meet again on December 9. The regular schedule for meeting on the second and fourth Saturday mornings will begin again January 9.

**No Midweek Dinner and Prayer Meeting:** We will resume our Wednesday evening activities on Wednesday, January 10, 2024.

**Ladies Christmas Brunch:** All ladies are welcomed to join us December 2nd from 10:30am – 12:00pm at CRPC for a Christmas Brunch and Carol Singing. There will be a service project to benefit the Elderberry Nursing Home. More details can be found on the bulletin board or by contacting Pam Walker.

**Baby Shower:** Ladies, save the date! There will be a baby shower for Sara Liner at CRPC on December 13th at 6:00pm.

#### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR:

**TODAY, November 19**  
**6:00 pm**—Evening Worship  
**SUNDAY, November 26**  
**9:30 am**—Sunday School  
**10:45 am**—Morning Worship  
**6:00 pm**—Evening Worship

#### DUTY ROSTERS:

**SUNDAY November 19**  
**Greeters:** Ben Badgley  
Rachel Badgley  
**Security:** George Goosmann  
**Counting/Lockup:**  
David McCullough  
Stephen Tallman

**Nursery:**  
**9:30 am:** Theresa Wallace  
Andrew Shelton  
**10:45 am:** Elizabeth Tannenbaum  
Lisa Shelton  
Julian Eckley  
**6:00 pm:** Nancy Little  
Ron McEwen

**SUNDAY, November 26**  
**Greeters:** Rich Bishop  
Lou Bishop  
**Security:** David McCullough  
**Counting/Lockup:**  
David McCullough  
Stephen Tallman

**Nursery:**  
**9:30 am:** Bonnie Golden  
Willy Woodard  
**10:45 am:** Noe McHone  
Jennifer McHone  
Henry Tannenbaum  
**6:00 pm:** Debbie Cate  
Suzanne McCullough



**COVENANT**  
REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (PCA)

## THE LORD'S DAY NOVEMBER 19, 2023

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to whoever will come—  
this church opens wide her doors  
and offers her welcome  
in the name of the Lord Jesus*

Submit bulletin items to [office@covenantreformed.net](mailto:office@covenantreformed.net) by noon on Thursdays

*If you have a prayer request, please speak to a pastor or elder, call the church office at 828-253-6578, or e-mail [ceb392@mac.com](mailto:ceb392@mac.com) and it will be added to our church prayer list and remembered during our Prayer of Intercession.*

**Senior Pastor:** Sean McCann  
**Associate Pastor:** Jim Curtis  
**Pastoral Intern:** Wilson Goins, David Livernois  
**Administrative Assistant:** Lannae Graham  
*Office Hours: 9 a.m.—4:30 p.m., Tuesday—Friday*  
**Elders:** Rob Cook, Gordon Meiners, Tom Voigt, Tim Wallace  
*Emeritus: Joel Belz, Mike Cate*  
**Deacons:** Rich Bishop, Grey Dixon, David McCullough, Stephen Tallman  
*Emeritus: Eb Preuninger*  
**Deacons' Helper:** Zach Voigt  
**Nursery Coordinator:** Rebekah Woodard

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