

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 complete the Visitor Card located in the rack in front of you. by filling it out and placing it in the offering plate when it comes by during the Collection of Tithes and Offerings. You may also do so by scanning the QR code and completing a digital card online.

Musical Prelude

ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship

Psalm 33:1–3

***Hymn of Praise**

Come, Thou Almighty King
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #212)

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Confession of Faith** From Westminster Shorter Catechism Q. 1–3

We believe that man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever. We believe that the Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him. We believe the Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God, and what duty God requires of man.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND THANKSGIVING

Scripture Reading

Exodus 11
(Pew Bible Page 53)

Confession of Sin

From Psalm 79

Do not remember against us our former iniquities; let your compassion come speedily to meet us, for we are brought very low. Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name; deliver us, and atone for our sins, for your name's sake!

Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

Isaiah 40:1–2

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare has ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the Lord's hand double for all her sins.

***Psalm of Thanksgiving**

Psalm 96
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #96)

**Congregation Standing*

Prayer of Dedication

Collection of Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology**

(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #568)

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

PROVISION FOR LIFE AND GROWTH

Prayer of Intercession

Mr. Micaiah Liner
Pastoral Intern

***Hymn of Preparation**

Breathe on Me, Breath of God
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #397)

Scripture Reading

Romans 7:7–12
(Pew Bible Page 943)

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon

Rev. Sean McCann
Senior Pastor

“Allergic to the Law”
(Romans: Christ our Righteousness, 21)

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

***Hymn of Response**

Be Thou My Vision
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #446)

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

**Congregation Standing*

Evening Worship — 6:00 PM

Call to Worship

***Psalm of Adoration**

Psalm 135
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #135, Verses 1, 3, 5)

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Confession of Faith** Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 89–90

Question: How is the Word made effectual to salvation?

Answer: *The Spirit of God, does make the reading, but especially the preaching, of the word, an effectual means of convincing and converting sinners, and of building them up in holiness and comfort, through faith, unto salvation.*

Question: How is the Word to be read and heard, that it may become effectual to salvation?

Answer: *That the Word may become effectual to salvation, we must attend thereunto with diligence, preparation, and prayer; receive it with faith and love, lay it up in our hearts, and practice it in our lives.*

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 1:1–17
(Pew Bible Page 952)

Prayer of Confession and Intercession

***Hymn of Preparation**

O Love of God, How Strong and True
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #240)

Scripture Reading

2 Kings 4:38–44
(Pew Bible Page 311)

Sermon

Rev. Jim Curtis
Associate Pastor

“Flour Power”
(2 Kings, The Kingdom Divided, 21)

***Hymn of Response**

Children of the Heavenly Father
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #257)

***Benediction**

**Congregation Standing*

Welcome Visitors! We extend a warm welcome to all who are worshipping 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 complete the Visitor Card located in the rack in front of you by scanning the QR code, or by filling it out and placing it in the offering plate when it comes by later in the service.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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. Pastor Jim will be continuing our sermon series though 2 Kings.

Lord's Supper Next Week: We will celebrate the Lord's Supper next week during the morning worship service.

Stated Session Meeting: The session will meet this Tuesday, April 14 at 6:30 pm.

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting: Join us Wednesdays at 6:00 pm for dinner, followed at 6:45 with a time of prayer, Bible study, youth group, children's classes, and nursery.

Membership Matters Class: It is not too late to sign up for our Membership Matters Class taught by Pastors Sean and Jim. If you have been visiting Covenant Reformed and are interested in pursuing church membership, or just want to find out more about our church and what we believe, we invite you to sign up by contacting the church office (828-253-6578 or, office@covenantreformed.net).

Youth Trampoline Night: This Friday, April 17 from 6:45–8:30 pm, the youth group is heading to Big Air Trampoline Park. Bring a friend and come ready to jump! The cost is \$15 per person (+\$4 for grip socks), and we will meet at the trampoline park (1636 Hendersonville Rd #160, Asheville, NC 28803). For more information, please see Micaiah.

Highlands Presbytery Women's Spring Gathering: This Saturday, April 18 at Faith Presbyterian Church in Morganton, NC. If you plan to attend and would like to carpool with other women from CRPC, please meet briefly with Debbie Cate, Joy Frances Voigt, Carol Esther Belz and Nancy Little at the front of the church sanctuary after morning worship today.

Fellowship Lunch: Our next Fellowship Lunch of the year is scheduled for Sunday, May 3. The church will provide BBQ, Rolls, and beverages. Please bring sides and desserts to share.

Missionary of the Month: Ellen Barnett has served in Acapulco since 1975 with MTW. Her ministry has included Bible studies; work with children, youth, and singles; and leadership training in Acapulco and Guerrero State. Ellen's present responsibilities include administering and teaching in Maranatha Bible Institute and teacher-training seminars throughout Mexico. She especially enjoys discipling young people through these ministries. For more information about Ellen, please see the "Missions" category under the "Ministries" heading on the homepage of our website.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Today, April 12

6:00 pm:
Evening Worship

Tuesday, April 14

9:30 am:
Women's Prayer & Sermon
Question Discussion at Carol
Esther Belz's Home

6:30 pm:
Session Meeting

Wednesday, April 15

6:00 pm:
Supper, Prayer, Bible Study, Youth
Group & Lessons for Children

Thursday, April 16

7:30 am:
R.O.M.E.O.s at Cornerstone

Friday, April 17

6:45 pm:
Youth Event

Sunday, April 19

9:30 am:
Sunday School
10:45 am:
Morning Worship
6:00 pm:
Evening Worship

CURRENT AND UPCOMING VOLUNTEERS

Sunday, April 12

Greeters:
Lou & Rich Bishop

Hall Monitor:
Patrick Hickey

Nursery:
9:30 am:
Danette & Jim Lowery

10:45 am:
Joy Voigt
Ann Sprinkle
Julian Eckley

6:00 pm:
Emily Dillingham
Gloria Boothe
Allistair Dillingham

Wednesday, April 15

Nursery:
Liz & Carl Tannenbaum

Hall Monitor:
Mike Cate

Sunday, April 19

Greeters:
Rebecca & John Callahan

Hall Monitor:
Scott Carter

Nursery:
9:30 am:
Madeleine Curtis & Carol Bomer

10:45 am:
Bekah Woodard
Willy Woodard
Abigail Livernois

6:00 pm:
Gail Albee
Jim Albee
Ellie McCann

April Deacons on Duty:

Carl Tannenbaum
Jeff Greene
Noe McHone (Usher)

Submit bulletin items to 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 prayer@covenantreformed.net.

Senior Pastor: Sean McCann
Associate Pastor: Jim Curtis
Pastoral Interns: Micaiah Liner, David Livernois
Administrative Assistant: David Livernois
Office Hours: 9 a.m.—4:30 p.m., Tuesday—Friday

Elders: Ben Badgley, Rob Cook, Gordon Meiners, Tom Voigt (sabbatical)
Tim Wallace. *Emeritus: Mike Cate*

Deacons: Grey Dixon, Jeff Greene, Drew Lefevre, Noe McHone, Carl Tannenbaum
Deacons' Helper: Zach Voigt
Nursery Coordinator: Deborah Linton



COVENANT
REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

APRIL 12, 2026

*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*

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