

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 96:7–9

***Hymn of Praise** O Worship the King
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #219)

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Confession of Faith** From the Westminster Shorter Catechism
We believe God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth; I believe there is but one true and living God; that there are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and that these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory; I believe God has foreordained whatever comes to pass, that God made all things of nothing, by the word of his power, in the space of six days, and all very good; and that God preserves and governs all his creatures and all their actions.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND THANKSGIVING

Scripture Reading Exodus 21:33–22:15
(Pew Bible Page 62)

Confession of Sin 1 Kings 8
Lord God, we have sinned and done wrong; we have committed wickedness. Hear in heaven your dwelling place, our prayer and our supplication, and maintain our cause. Forgive your people who have sinned against you, and all our transgressions which we have transgressed against you. Grant us compassion, for you separated us from all the peoples of the earth to be your inheritance. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

**Congregation Standing*

Assurance of God’s Pardoning Grace Psalm 103:11–13
For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. As a Father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him

***Psalm of Thanksgiving** Psalm 103
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #103C, Verses 1–4)

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. Rob Cook
Ruling Elder

***Hymn of Preparation** Come to the Waters
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #444)

Scripture Reading Romans 15:8–13
(Pew Bible Page 949)

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon Rev. Sean McCann
Senior Pastor

“Abound in Hope”
(Romans: Christ our Righteousness, 46)

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

***Hymn of Response** Christ for the World We Sing
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #420)

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

**Congregation Standing*

Evening Worship — 6:00 PM

Call to Worship

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

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Confession of Faith** Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 4
Question: What is God?
Answer: *God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.*

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 11:17–34
(Pew Bible Page 958)

Prayer of Confession and Intercession

***Psalm of Preparation** Psalm 103
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #103C, Verses 5–8)

Scripture Reading 2 Kings 23:31–24:20
(Pew Bible Page 331)

Sermon Rev. Jim Curtis
Associate Pastor
“Enemies All Around”
(2 Kings: The Kingdom Divided, 41)

***Hymn of Response** Though Troubles Assail Us
(Trinity Psalter Hymnal #246)

***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.

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: If you have been visiting Covenant Reformed and are interested in pursuing church membership, or if you just want to find out more about our church and what we believe, you are invited to attend our Membership Matters Class. The class will be taught on Sunday mornings beginning next Sunday, October 18. To register for the class, please contact the church office.

Joint Reformation Service: On Sunday, October 25, we will join with Fairview Christian Fellowship, Grace and Peace, and Trinity Presbyterian Church for a joint Reformation Day worship service. We look forward to this opportunity to gather, sing, pray, hear the preached word, and share the Lord's Supper with brothers and sisters in our same domination. The service will be at 5:00 pm, with a reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Youth Corn Maze Night: On Friday, October 30 the youth will be meeting at 5:30 pm at the Eliada Homes Corn Maze for some Fall fun! A chili dinner will be provided at the church afterward. Cost: \$5/ student. Please see Micaiah with any questions.

Missionary of the Month: Asheville Buncombe Community Christian Ministry (ABCCM) is a local ministry functioning alongside local churches to provide services and support which minister to the spiritual, social, physical, economic and emotional needs of our neighbors in Buncombe County. This is accomplished through multiple ministry avenues. To learn more about these various ministries, please visit www.abccm.org. To find out about volunteer opportunities our church is involved in, please contact the church office.

Watering Seeds Podcast: Be sure to check out our church’s weekly podcast, *Watering Seeds*. Each week our pastors review, discuss, and apply the previous Sunday’s sermon. You can find the podcast on any major podcast platform, such as Anchor, Spotify, or Apple Podcast, by searching for our church name or the title, “*Watering Seeds*,” or by scanning the QR code printed to the left.



THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

Today, October 11 6:00 pm: Evening Worship	Wednesday, October 14 6:00 pm: Supper, Prayer, Bible Study, Youth Group & Lessons for Children
Tuesday, October 13 9:30 am: Women’s Prayer & Sermon Question Discussion at Carol Esther Belz’s Home	Thursday, October 15 7:30 am: R.O.M.E.O.s at Cornerstone
10:00am: Women’s Bible Study Classroom # 7	Sunday, October 18 9:30 am: Sunday School 10:45 am: Morning Worship 6:00 pm: Evening Worship

CURRENT AND UPCOMING VOLUNTEERS

Sunday, October 11 Greeters: Cherie & Leroy Anderson Hall Monitor: Tom Voigt Nursery: 9:30 am: Lisa & Andrew Shelton 10:45 am: Jennifer McHone Dorothy Dillingham Laurel Dillingham 6:00 pm: Suzanne & David McCullough Mary Neal McCann	Sunday, October 18 Greeters: Lou & Rich Bishop Hall Monitor: TJ Wallace Nursery: 9:30 am: Joy Voigt & Madeleine Curtis 10:45 am: Gloria Boothe Ron McEwen Fern Roper 6:00 pm: Gail & Jim Albee Zeb Dillingham
Wednesday, October 14 Nursery: Lindsey McCann Deborah Linton Hall Monitor: Mike Cate	October Deacons on Duty: Carl Tannenbaum Drew Lefevre 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 <i>Office Hours: 9 a.m.—4:30 p.m., Tuesday—Friday</i>
Elders: Ben Badgley, Rob Cook, Gordon Meiners, Tom Voigt, Tim Wallace. <i>Emeritus: Mike Cate</i>
Deacons: Grey Dixon, Drew Lefevre, Noe McHone, Carl Tannenbaum Deacons’ Helper: Zach Voigt Nursery Coordinator: Deborah Linton



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REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD’S DAY
OCTOBER 11, 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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