

THE LORD'S DAY ~ January 31, 2016

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church

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

Preparation for Worship Thank you for silencing all electronic devices.

*"You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever."
~ Psalm 23:5-6 (ESV)*

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

A cry room for small children with televised worship
is available in the Fellowship Hall during the service.

Prelude "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want" (T86)

Invocation

***Call to Worship** Psalm 32:11

***Hymn of Praise** "How Great Thou Art" (C147)

***Hymn of Adoration** "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand" (1)

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye
To Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.

All o'er those wide extended plains, shines one eternal day;
There God the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away.

*I am bound, (I am bound), I am bound, (I am bound), I am bound for Promised Land.
I am bound, (I am bound), I am bound, (I am bound), I am bound for Promised Land.*

No chilling winds nor poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore;
Sickness, sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.

When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blessed?
When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest?

*For those who are able, please stand at these times.

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*Confession of Faith

A Westminster Creed

I 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: Father, Son and the Holy Spirit; and that these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory; I believe God has foreordained whatsoever 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 their actions.

Scripture Reading

Genesis 4

Hymn of Confession

"Grace Greater Than Our Sins" (C344)

Confession of Sin

God of mercy, whose Son, Jesus Christ, longs to gather us in the wide embrace of his love, we confess that we have been wayward children. We have disobeyed your commands; our ears have been deaf to your call; our hearts have been cold to your love. In thought, in word, and in deed we have hurt others and dishonored your name. In your great mercy receive us yet again as your well-beloved children, not because we are worthy but for the sake of him who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Titus 3:5

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Psalm 65:11-13

Offertory Hymn

"Knowing You" (2)

All I once held dear, built my life upon, all this world reveres and wars to own,
All I once thought gain I have counted loss, spent and worthless now compared to this:

*Knowing You, Jesus, knowing You ~ There is no greater thing.
You're my all, You're the best,
You're my joy, my righteousness, and I love You Lord.*

Now my heart's desire is to know You more, to be found in You and known as Yours,
To possess by faith what I could not earn, all surpassing gift of righteousness.

Oh to know the pow'r of Your risen life and to know You in Your sufferings,
To become like You in Your death, my Lord, so with You to live and never die.

Prayer of Illumination

II Thessalonians 2:13-15

Sermon

Matthew 12:38-45 †

"An Evil and Adulterous Generation"

Synoptic Gospel Series

Rev. Cory D. Colravy

*Hymn of Response

"O Church Arise" (3)

O Church, arise, and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our Captain.
For now the weak can say that they are strong, in the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies;
An army bold, whose battle cry is Love, reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor;
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on ev'ry side, we know the outcome is secure.
And Christ will have the prize for which He died, an inheritance of nations.

Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken;
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen.
And as the stone is rolled away and Christ emerges from the grave,
This vict'ry march continues till the day ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.

† Parallel accounts in Mark 8:11-12; Luke 11:16-32

So Spirit, come, put strength in ev'ry stride, give grace for ev'ry hurdle;
That we may run with faith, to win the prize of a servant, good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,
We hear their calls, and hunger for the day when, with Christ, we stand in glory.

*Charge and Benediction

II Peter 3:18

*Hymn of Benediction

"The Doxology" (T731)

*Postlude

THIS WEEK, January 31 - February 6, 2016

Today •Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
•Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 - 10:25 a.m.
•Morning worship, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday •WIC Bible study, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday •Dinner Served, 5:30 p.m.
•Youth Group, 6:30 p.m.
•Kids' Quest, 6:30 p.m.
•Adult Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m.

Announcements

- ◆ **In Our Nursery Today:** Sunday School ~ Roseanne Culpepper
Morning Worship ~ Taylor Smith
- ◆ **Nursery Next Week:** Sunday School ~ Gracie Welch
Morning Worship ~ Emily Delmar, Chris Goehring
- ◆ **WIC Bible Study:** Tuesdays in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m.
- ◆ **Budget Summary:**

Weekly Operational Budget Requirement	\$ 5,262.84
Tithes/Offerings, January 24, 2016	\$ 3,237.00
FYTD Tithes/Offerings Received	\$ 146,961.03
FYTD Operational Budget Expenses	\$ 131,369.26
Mortgage Balance	\$ 220,790.21

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Session

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Moderator
R. Leigh Hinkle
Warren H. Kline, Jr., Emeritus

James R. Middleton, Clerk
Richard A. Simpson
Les "Rocky" Welch

Diaconate

Brian A. Delmar
Jeffrey C. Delmar, Chairman

Bryan M. Walker
Rodney A. Stroh, Diaconal Assistant

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AM Sermon Notes
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"An Evil and Adulterous Generation"
Synoptic Gospels Series
Matthew 12:38-45
Rev. Cory D. Colravy

Covenant Presbyterian Church Prayer List Sunday, January 31, 2016

PRAY DAILY FOR OUR PASTOR AND STAFF

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Pastor
Mrs. Glenda L. Delmar, CCS Principal
Mrs. Martha A. Middleton, Executive Administrator
Ms. Roseanne S. Culpepper, CCS Office Manager
Mr. Bryan M. Walker, CCS Bookkeeper
Mr. Art Stroh, Youth Director
Mr. Scott Perry, Music Leader

PRAY FOR UNSPOKEN REQUESTS

PRAY FOR OUR NATION AND OUR LEADERS

PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER AND OUR MISSIONARIES

Sunday Zeke Zechman*
Monday David Hill* Tucker Neal*
Tuesday David & Karen Story % RUF, FSU, Tallahassee FL
Wednesday Bruce & Pam Sinclair% Westminster Bible College, Kampala, Uganda
Thursday Ben Hollo*
Friday Megan Colravy*
Saturday Ross & Amy Middleton% church planters, Ft. Lauderdale, FL
(*Happy Birthday, #Happy Anniversary, %Missionary)

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY AT HOME AND ABROAD

Currently Deployed Overseas: Randy Miller (Joyce Post's grandson)

Currently Serving at Home: Shawn Rost (Warren & Judy Kline's son-in-law), Brian Neal, Ben Hollo, Ian Harris

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Cancer: Phil Khalife (Sonja Seidler's brother), Lee Broughton (friend of Martha Middleton, breast cancer), Gerald Skipper (Jan Langham's brother-in-law), Charlene Elliott (CCS parent, blood cancer), Ryan Colravy (Pastor Colravy's nephew, (chemotherapy & radiation), Charlotte Bass (4 year old friend of Mara Frazier, Aplastic Anemia)

Illness: Brian Schreiber (Fred & Carrie Hayes Schreiber's son, blood disease), Fran Coyne (friend of the Steele's, aortic valve stenosis), Johnny Langham (Jack & Jan Langham's son), Tyson Wellcome (Rocky Welch's cousin, facial injury & reconstructive surgery, Naomi (brain tumor surgery, step-daughter of James Thompson's friend Jeremy Williams), Charlie Saunders (O'Lear family member), Mike Kline (Warren & Judy Kline's son, heart problem), Alaina Gilmore (leg development problem), Linda Hopkins' family member (amyloidosis), David Hill (heart blockage), Cheryl Gaudiano, Judy Kline (knee replacement), Roger Leete (CIDP), Gloria Hawkins (Glenda Delmar's mother, stroke), Derrick Jensen (family friend of Raquel Clark, ALS)

Special Need: Virginia Palmer, David & Toni Hill (Rusty & Chris Hill's parents), Tom Bingham family, Richard Post family, Randy Tucker (Patty Ann Bruner's son, stroke recovery), Dawn Welch family, Dell Simpson

**Names in italics are new to the list this week.*



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*Building Relationships,
Building the Kingdom,
For Now...and Eternity*

We go and make
mature disciples
of the
Lord Jesus Christ
who glorify
and enjoy God
forever.

glorify God

WORSHIP

love one another

COMMUNITY

serve the world

MISSION