

The Lord's Service

July 3, 2022

**Standing together is our ordinary practice,
but you are welcome to remain seated.*

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us

Call to Worship

Only God Himself can call us into worship. He sets the terms for worship because, through His Son, He makes worship possible.

*Call to Worship

Isaiah 12.5-6

LEADER: Sing praises to the Lord, for he has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth.

PEOPLE: **Shout, and sing for joy, O inhabitant of Zion, for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel.**

*Hymn of Adoration

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Words: Stanzas 1-5 by Edward Perronet (1779); Stanza 6 by John Rippon (1787)

Music: DIADEM, James Ellor(1838)

Hymnal No. 297

Invocation

This prayer addresses God in three persons, asking Him to be present with us in worship to help us worship Him according to His will.

*Invocation

by Elder Jeremy Gaines

God Cleanses Us

Call to Confession

Psalms 135.15-18

LEADER: The idols of the nations are silver and gold, the work of human hands. They have mouths, but do not speak; they have eyes, but do not see; they have ears, but do not hear, nor is there any breath in their mouths.

PEOPLE: **Those who make them become like them, so do all who trust in them.**

Call to Confession

As we see God in His invitation and our praise, we cannot help but see how we have fallen short. God's Holy Scripture has the authority to reveal us to ourselves and transition our hearts to confession.

Corporate Confession of Sin

from *Testament of Jesus Christ*, Oecolampadius, Basel (1523)

**We, poor sinners, confess before God our Lord and before our brothers and sisters, that we have arrogantly sinned against God and our neighbor through many wicked thoughts, words, and deeds. Therefore we implore you, God, in the name of your only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, that you be gracious to us.
Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

2 Corinthians 5.17

LEADER: Lift up your heads and hear the Good News:
“... if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation.
The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.”

The peace of the Lord be with you!

PEOPLE: And also with you!

*Hymn of Assurance

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Words: Robert Robinson (1758)

Music: NETTLETON, Asahel Nettleton (1825)

Hymnal No. 457

God Consecrates Us

Scripture Lesson

Matthew 5.27-30 (p. 810)

read by Elder Adam Sanders

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

Corporate Confession of Sin

We sin in thought, word, and deed every week. This prayer, sometimes individual and silent confession, is a corporate confession uniting our voices as people equally and desperately in need of God's grace.

Assurance of Pardon

Holy Scripture assures Christians, sinners saved by grace, that they are united to Jesus in His death and resurrection.

Scripture Lesson

We hear and read Holy Scripture throughout the service. Listen to this reading (lesson) to prepare for the sermon.

Offertory

Lord of the Small
Melissa Ferrel, Soprano

Doxology

A doxology is a hymn or word of praise to God for His goodness and glory. The *Gloria Patri* is another example of a doxology.

*Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH
Hymnal No. 731

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

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

We set aside a tithe and additional offering of our resources for the purposes of God, for His glory. Both are a display of our joyful dependence upon God rather than our selves.

Tithes and Offerings

Prayer of the Church

by Pastor Jake Bennett

Scripture Lesson

Proverbs 6.20-35 (p. 531)

Prayer of the Church

We share in our health and sickness, happiness and sorrow, assurance and doubt, as we bring our prayers to God, together. Holy Scripture commands elders to pray with and for God's people, not just publicly, but privately.

Scripture Lesson

We hear and read Holy Scripture throughout the service. Follow along with this text (lesson) that directs the sermon.

- ²⁰ My son, keep your father's commandment,
and forsake not your mother's teaching.
- ²¹ Bind them on your heart always;
tie them around your neck.
- ²² When you walk, they will lead you;
when you lie down, they will watch over you;
and when you awake, they will talk with you.
- ²³ For the commandment is a lamp and the teaching a
light,
and the reproofs of discipline are the way of life,
- ²⁴ to preserve you from the evil woman,
from the smooth tongue of the adulteress.
- ²⁵ Do not desire her beauty in your heart,
and do not let her capture you with her eyelashes;
- ²⁶ for the price of a prostitute is only a loaf of bread,
but a married woman hunts down a precious life.
- ²⁷ Can a man carry fire next to his chest
and his clothes not be burned?
- ²⁸ Or can one walk on hot coals
and his feet not be scorched?

- ²⁹ So is he who goes in to his neighbor's wife;
none who touches her will go unpunished.
³⁰ People do not despise a thief if he steals
to satisfy his appetite when he is hungry,
³¹ but if he is caught, he will pay sevenfold;
he will give all the goods of his house.
³² He who commits adultery lacks sense;
he who does it destroys himself.
³³ He will get wounds and dishonor,
and his disgrace will not be wiped away.
³⁴ For jealousy makes a man furious,
and he will not spare when he takes revenge.
³⁵ He will accept no compensation;
he will refuse though you multiply gifts.

Sermon

by Pastor John Jones

THE COST OF ADULTERY

*Hymn of Response

More Love to Thee, O Christ

Words: Elizabeth Payson Prentiss (1869)

Music: William H. Doane (1868)

Hymnal No. 649

The Lord's Table

*Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism, 1
(1563)

LEADER: Christian, what is your only comfort in life and in death?

PEOPLE: **That I am not my own, but belong body and soul, in life and death to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of**

Sermon

A preacher is commanded to faithfully steward God's Word by submitting to it, studying it, and expositing it (holding it forth), bearing witness to Jesus, by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Confession of Faith

By confessing our faith together using statements believed by Christians over the ages, we join in the sweep of Christian history even as we await the return of Jesus.

my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

*Gloria Patri

MEINEKE

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.

Instruction

Please approach using the outer aisles and return using the center aisle. Juice is served in clear cups. Wine is served in tinted cups. Gluten free bread is available next to the tray.

Sursum Corda

We don't fixate on the table, bread, and wine, but lift our hearts to Jesus in the glory of His Father.

Sursum Corda

LEADER: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

LEADER: Let us give thanks to the Lord.

PEOPLE: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

The Institution and Prayer

Hymn for Distribution

*Behold the Lamb
see Page 8*

Hymn

Amazing Grace, vs. 1-3, 6

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

*When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun.

God Commissions Us

*Benediction

by Pastor Jake Bennett

Postlude

Benediction

Just as God calls us to
worship at the beginning of
the service, He graciously
sends us into our week
with a blessing (good
word) founded on the
redeeming work of Jesus.

SERMON NOTES

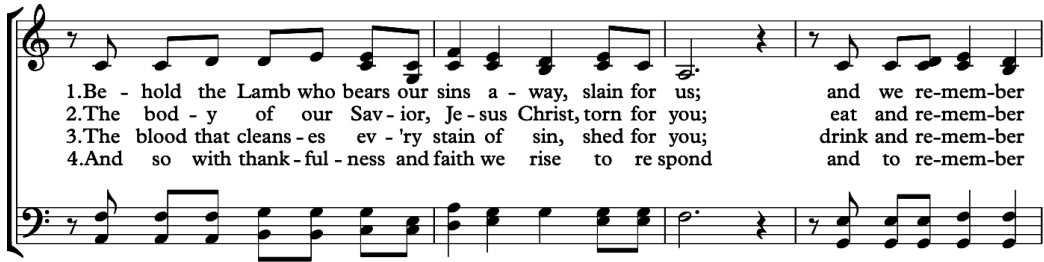
Mission Statement of CPC

Covenant Presbyterian Church exists to love God and our neighbors by making Christ known in all of life.

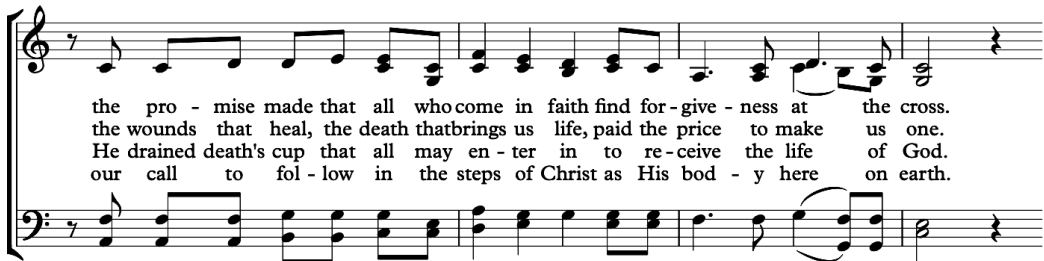
Vision Statement of CPC

Covenant Presbyterian Church exists to love God and our neighbors by reverently and winsomely proclaiming the salvation we have received from Christ, the union we enjoy with Him, and the restoration He brings to all things.

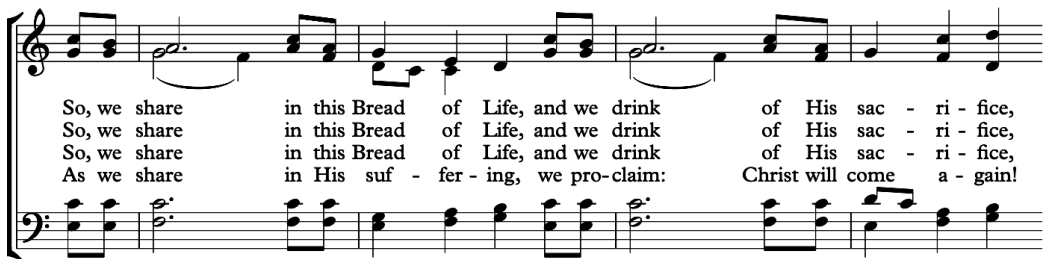
Behold the Lamb



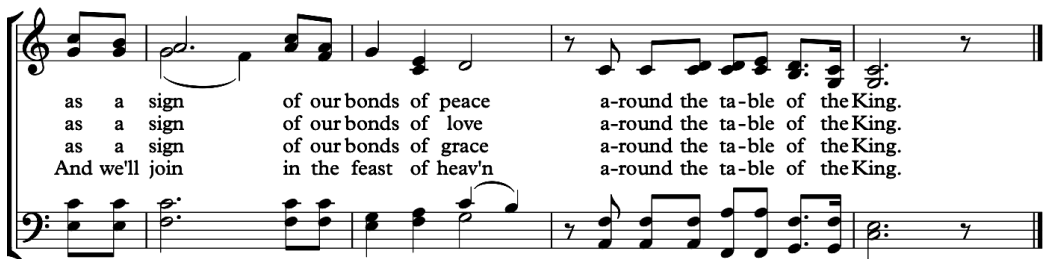
1. Be - hold the Lamb who bears our sins a - way, slain for us; and we re-mem-ber
 2. The bod - y of our Sav - ior, Je - sus Christ, torn for you; eat and re-mem-ber
 3. The blood that cleans - es ev - ry stain of sin, shed for you; drink and re-mem-ber
 4. And so with thank - ful - ness and faith we rise to re spond and to re-mem-ber



the pro - mise made that all who come in faith find for - give - ness at the cross.
 the wounds that heal, the death that brings us life, paid the price to make us one.
 He drained death's cup that all may en - ter in to re - ceive the life of God.
 our call to fol - low in the steps of Christ as His bod - y here on earth.



So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we drink of His sac - ri - fice,
 So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we drink of His sac - ri - fice,
 So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we drink of His sac - ri - fice,
 As we share in His suf - fer - ing, we pro - claim: Christ will come a - gain!



as a sign of our bonds of peace a-round the ta-ble of the King.
 as a sign of our bonds of love a-round the ta-ble of the King.
 as a sign of our bonds of grace a-round the ta-ble of the King.
 And we'll join in the feast of heav'n a-round the ta-ble of the King.

Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty,
and Stuart Townend

WELCOME

We are glad you joined us this morning!

We value your child's presence and desire for him or her to remain in the worship service. If your child becomes restless during the service, a soundproof room is available in the transept area where you may sit with your child, if necessary.

We invite you to join us next week, as Pastor Jones preaches from Proverbs 7.1-27.



Celebrate the upcoming wedding of Rebecca Gunter, daughter of Tim and Susan Gunter, and her fiancé Benjamin Choong at a shower this Wednesday evening. They are registered on The Knot.

Visit www.theknot.com/registry/couplesearch and enter either of their names to view their list.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 3

Worship Service - Sanctuary - 9:30 am
Sunday School

Monday, July 4

Church Offices Closed - Independence Day

Tuesday, July 5

Women's *1 Kings* Bible Study - O-105 - 10 am
MS Girls Bible Study - O-202 - 11 am
Women's *Anchor* Bible Study - O-105 - 7 pm

Wednesday, July 6

Gunter Bridal Shower - Morrison Home - 6 pm
Youth Summer Fellowship - O-210 - 6:30 pm

Thursday, July 7

MS & HS Boys Fellowship - O-210 - 11 am
HS Girls Bible Study - O-202 - 11 am
Swim Day at May's Pool - 11 am

Friday, July 8

Men's Proverb Study - O-105 - 8:30 am

Sunday, July 10

Worship Service - Sanctuary - 9:30 am
Sunday School

MORE INFORMATION

Our church website and calendar are updated daily. Visit cpcchatt.org for resources, activities, and information about the life of our church. Contact the church office to request access to our online directory.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact the office at office@cpcchatt.org to make an appointment.

COVENANT LIFE

WOMEN'S SUMMER STUDIES

All ladies are invited this summer to gather around God's Word and encourage one another to walk faithfully in His truths. The Women's Ministry is offering two opportunities each Tuesday.



A Divided Heart...A Divided Nation meets Tuesday mornings at 10 am. This is a Precept In & Out study that focuses on 1 Kings 1-15. Led by Bev Fowler. Contact her with any questions at BFowler@cpcchatt.org.



Anchoring to God's Truth in a Gender-Confused Culture meets Tuesday evenings at 7 pm. It is a facilitator led study and discussion of Dr. Gary Yagel's book *Anchoring Your Child to God's Truth in a Gender-Confused Culture*. His book is designed to equip Christians to wisely and graciously engage the culture that is shaping alternate views of sexuality. Led by Alayne Griffin. Contact her with any questions at alaynes88keys@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE

Couples, mark your calendars to join us for our annual Marriage Retreat in the Smokies. Reserve September 16-18. Be watching for more details.

CELEBRATIONS CALENDAR

The July birthday/anniversary calendar is now available outside the Church Office.

OCC JULY COLLECTION

We are collecting these school items this month:

- Crayons
- Colored pencils
- Pencil sharpeners
- Pens
- Pencils
- Markers
- Coloring books
- Solar calculators
- Small board books

The collection cart is in the Admin Hallway.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Christian sympathy is extended to Ryan Hamilton and his family on the loss of his grandfather.

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES

SUMMER NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

As we venture near and far during the next several weeks, our schedules are less predictable. Please consider volunteering in the nursery during the summer. Contact Stacy Collins at SCollins@cpcc chatt.org and let her know when you are available to serve.

CONNECT FACILITATOR TRAINING

Connect small group ministry will begin again this fall. We hope to provide information and training to interested small group facilitators. All members of our church are welcome to join us on either July 13 and August 10. Please be in prayer about this opportunity to lead or to be involved in a Connect group.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Jake Bennett (JBennett@cpcc chatt.org) or Jon Harris (jeh1224@aol.com).

Swim Days... at the May's Pool

Each Thursday (ends August 11)
11 am - 4 pm - Open to all CPC families



**Parents, you are responsible for the
supervision of your children
and for clean-up.**

CHILDREN & YOUTH

YOUTH WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

This week all regularly scheduled Youth Bible Studies and the Midweek Fellowship time resume.

During the week High School students are at RYM, no Youth Bible Studies or Wednesday evening Fellowship will meet.

PART-TIME SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPER

We are looking for an additional helper for the 4-year-old + Kindergarten Sunday school class. This helper would be in a rotation with others and would only be committed to one week per month. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, contact Sara Southard at SSouthard@cpcc chatt.org.

NURSERY - TODAY	NURSERY - JULY 10
Front Desk: Tammy Bacon	Front Desk: John Pearce
Worship Volunteers / 9:15 - 10:45 am	
Lisa & Ellie Wright (Infant Room) Matt & Sophie Wright (Toddler Room)	Tom & Sandi Schreiner (Infant Room) Shirley Jones (Toddler Room) Bea Sanders (Toddler Room)
Sunday School Volunteers / 10:45 - 12:15 pm	
Kristin Sotelo (Infant Room) Diane Lazor (Toddler Room)	Rachel Anderson (Infant Room) Hans Anderson (Toddler Room)

OUTREACH

CPC MISSIONARIES WITH MISSION AVIATION FELLOWSHIP (MAF)



**Brian & Connie
Shepson**

Brian and Connie serve with MAF. Brian is now the Chief Pilot for the Training Department, and Connie works in the Recruiting Department providing teachers for little communities. Brian and Connie have recently moved to Florida from Idaho to care for aging parents. They are able to work remotely.

Please pray for them and their ministry in these particular ways:

- Pray that the Lord will give wisdom and guidance as they search for a permanent home in Florida.
- Pray for continued progress in MAF's struggle to find a way to resume ministry in central Asia after an evacuation
- Praise the Lord for the start of what will be many flights, serving precious missionaries in Guinea, West Africa.
- Pray that the Lord will send more workers! MAF needs skilled, missions-minded people for Guinea and many other places around the world.

CPC MISSIONARIES IN JAPAN



Matt & Annette Cummings

Matt and Annette serve with World Evangelization for Christ (WEC). They are involved in evangelism and church planting in Japan. Their fluency in languages and previous ministry experience aid them greatly. Their base initially is in Ritto (near Kyoto). WEC has asked Matt to temporarily pastor the one church in Ritto since they have no pastor. Annette focuses on learning Japanese and managing their household. Matt and Annette have five children: Karissa, Ethan, Paul, Noah, and John.

Please pray for them and their ministry in these particular ways:

- For spiritual preparation as missionaries
- For wisdom regarding their children's education
- For the hearts of the Japanese people to be touched by the Gospel