



Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church!

We are delighted that you are worshiping with us this morning.

Thank you for joining us and may you experience

God's blessing in our worship.

The Lord's Day

August 16, 2020

◆ **Call to Worship**

Exodus 15:1-3

Leader I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea.

People **The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise him, my father's God, and I will exalt him.**

Leader The LORD is a man of war; the LORD is his name.

◆ **Prayer for God's Blessing**

◆ **Hymn of Adoration: #2**

"O Worship the King"

Call to Confession

James 1:26-27

If anyone thinks he is religious and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his heart, this person's religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

James 4:5-6

Do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."

◆ **Hymn of Praise: #467**

"Wonderful Grace of Jesus"

◆ **Our Confession of Faith...**

— Mt 16:16; Mk 16:9; Jn 20:28; 1 Co 15:1-6; Rev 22:13

This is the good news that we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast:

that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,
that he was buried,
that he was raised on the third day,
and that he appeared first to the women,
then to Peter, and to the Twelve,
and then to many faithful witnesses.

We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God.
Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end;
He is our Lord and our God.

Pastoral Prayer

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

◆ **Scripture**

~ Old Testament: 1 Kings 18:20-21; 30-39
~ New Testament: Galatians 1:1-10

Sermon: "God's Urgent Message!"

◆ **Hymn of Preparation: #420**

"At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table
Words of Institution

◆ **Hymn of Response: #469**

"How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place"

◆ **Benediction**

◆ **Doxology: #735**

"Gloria Patri"

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.

Postlude