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*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.*

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### **The Lord's Day**

March 28, 2021

#### **◆ Call to Worship**

Leader Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name;  
make known his deeds among the peoples!

Psalm 105:1-4

**People Sing to him, sing praises to him;  
tell of all his wondrous works!**

Leader Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who  
seek the LORD rejoice! Seek the LORD and his  
strength; seek his presence continually!

#### **◆ Prayer for God's Blessing**

**◆ Hymn of Adoration: #241**

“O God beyond All Praising”

#### **Call to Confession**

Hebrews 3:7-9

Therefore, as the Holy Spirit says, “Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion, on the day of testing in the wilderness, where your fathers put me to the test and saw my works for forty years.”

#### **Prayer of Confession**

#### **Assurance of Pardon**

Ephesians 1:7

In Christ we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of God's grace.

**◆ Hymn of Praise: #275**

“Arise, My Soul, Arise”

#### **◆ Our Statement of Faith**

— from Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A1

My only comfort in life and in death is  
that I am not my own,  
but belong—

body and soul,  
in life and in 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 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.

#### **Congregational Prayer**

#### **Worship with Tithes and Offerings**

**Hymn of Preparation: #352**

“Man of Sorrows! What a Name”

#### **◆ Scripture**

~ Old Testament: Isaiah 53:3-5

~ New Testament: Mark 15:16-39

#### **Sermon:**

“Jesus Forsaken”

**◆ Hymn of Response: #351**

“How Deep the Father's Love for Us!”

#### **◆ Benediction**

**◆ Doxology: #571**

“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.

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**◆ Please stand if you are able**