



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 1, 2021

◆ Call to Worship:

Leader Clap your hands, all peoples!

Shout to God with loud songs of joy!

**People For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared,
a great king over all the earth.**

Leader He subdued peoples under us,
and nations under our feet.

**People He chose our heritage for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.**

Psalm 47:1-4

◆ Prayer for God's Blessing

◆ Hymn of Adoration: #148B

“Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah”

Call to Confession:

1 Peter 2:11-12

Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul. Keep your conduct among the Gentiles honorable, so that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day of visitation.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon:

1 John 1:7-9

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

◆ Hymn of Praise: #210

“O God, We Praise Thee”

◆ Our Confession of Faith

— Westminster Confession of Faith, Chapter 5; 1 & 7

#1 God the great Creator of all things doth uphold, direct, dispose, and govern all creatures, actions, and things from the greatest even to the least, by his most wise and holy providence, according to his infallible foreknowledge, and the free and immutable counsel of his own will, to the praise of the glory of his wisdom, power, justice, goodness, and mercy.

#7 As the providence of God doth, in general, reach to all creatures; so, after a most special manner, it taketh care of his church, and disposeth all things to the good thereof.

Congregational Prayer

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Hymn of Preparation: #233

“O Father, You Are Sovereign”

◆ Scripture

~ Old Testament: Esther 1:1-9

~ New Testament: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Sermon:

“God Hidden & Revealed”

◆ Hymn of Response: #475

“Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode”

◆ 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.

◆ Please stand if you are able