



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 15, 2021

◆Call to Worship:

Leader Oh sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth!

**People Sing to the Lord, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.**

Leader Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples!

**People For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
he is to be feared above all gods.**

All For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,
but the Lord made the heavens.

Psalm 96:1-5

◆Prayer for God's Blessing

◆Hymn of Adoration: #216

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Call to Confession:

Galatians 5:19-21

Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon:

Colossians 2:13-14

And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

◆Hymn of Praise: #134

"Come, Bless the Lord with One Accord"

◆Standard of Faith

— Westminster Larger Catechism Q&A 85

Q. Death being the wages of sin, why are not the righteous delivered from death, seeing all their sins are forgiven in Christ?

A. The righteous shall be delivered from death itself at the last day, and even in death are delivered from the sting and curse of it; so that, although they die, yet it is out of God's love, to free them perfectly from sin and misery, and to make them capable of further communion with Christ in glory, which they then enter upon.

Congregational Prayer

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

◆Scripture

~ Old Testament: Esther 3 (sermon text)

~ New Testament: Ephesians 6:10-18

Sermon:

"Spiritual War"

Hymn of Preparation: #256

"God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution

◆Hymn of Response: #540

"Soldiers of Christ, Arise"

◆Benediction

Doxology: #564

"Now Blessed Be Jehovah God"

Now blessed be Jehovah God, the God of Israel,
who only doeth wondrous works, in glory that excel;
who only doeth wondrous works, in glory that excel.

◆Please stand if you are able