



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

February 12, 2023

◆ **Call to Worship:**

Psalm 66:1-2, 4-5

Leader Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!

People **All the earth worships you and sings praises to you; they sing praises to your name.**

Leader Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds towards the children of man!

◆ **Prayer for God's Blessing**

◆ **Hymn of Adoration:** #145D "God, My King, Thy Might Confessing"

Call to Confession: 1 John 3:2-3

Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon: 1 John 3:4-5

Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that Jesus Christ appeared to take away sins, and in him there is no sin.

◆ **Hymn of Praise:** #459 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

◆ **Our Scriptural Profession of Faith:**

— Colossians 1:15-20

Jesus Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.

And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.

And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

Congregational Prayer

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Hymn of Preparation: #400

"Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me"

◆ **Scripture**

~ **Old Testament:** Isaiah 59:14-21

~ **New Testament:** Ephesians 6:14-24

Sermon:

"Take Up the Whole Armor"

◆ **Hymn of Response:** #540

"Soldiers of Christ, Arise"

◆ **Benediction**

◆ **Doxology:** #89B (tune #209)

"All Glory Unto God We Yield"
(stanza 8 only)

All glory unto God we yield,
The Lord God is our help and shield;
all praise and honor we will bring
to Israel's Holy One, our King.

◆ Please stand if you are able