



COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
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## »THE LORD'S DAY | NOVEMBER 15, 2020«

### VOTUM (PS. 124:8)

*Leader:* Our help is in the name of the Lord

*Congregation:* Who made heaven and earth.

### READ AND HEAR GOD'S CALL TO WORSHIP:

Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD! Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore! From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised! (Psalm 113:1-3)

### SING - PRAISE TO THE LORD THE ALMIGHTY

Praise to the Lord the Almighty  
The King of creation  
O my soul praise Him  
For He is thy health and salvation  
All ye who hear now to His temple draw near  
Praise Him in glad adoration

Praise to the Lord Who over all things  
So wondrously reigneth  
Shelters thee under His wings  
Yea so gently sustaineth  
Hast thou not seen how thy desires ever have been  
Granted in what He ordaineth

Praise to the Lord Who doth prosper  
Thy work and defend thee  
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do  
If with His love He befriend thee

Praise to the Lord Who  
When tempests their warfare are waging  
Who when the elements madly around thee are raging

Biddeth them cease turneth their fury to peace  
Whirlwinds and waters assuaging

Praise to the Lord Who  
When darkness of sin is abounding  
Who when the godless do triumph  
All virtue confounding  
Sheddeth His light chaseth the horrors of night  
Saints with His mercy surrounding

Praise to the Lord  
O let all that is in me adore Him  
All that hath life and breath  
Come now with praises before Him  
Let the amen sound from His people again  
Gladly for all we adore Him

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## PRAY

O God, whose chosen dwelling is the heart that longs for your presence and humbly seeks your love, we come to you to acknowledge and confess that we have sinned in thought and word and deed. We have not loved you with all our heart and soul, with all our mind and strength. We have not even loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, or for the good we have left undone. You, O Lord, are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in mercy; there is forgiveness with you. Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken; and give light to our minds, strength to our wills and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us the word that we need, and let your word abide with us until it has worked in us your holy will. Amen.

## READ AND HEAR GOD'S ASSURANCE OF PARDON

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. For one will scarcely die for a righteous person- though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die- but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

(Rom. 5:6-10)

## SING - HAIL TO THE LORD'S ANOINTED

Hail to the Lord's anointed  
Great David's greater Son  
Hail in the time appointed  
His reign on earth begun  
He comes to break oppression  
To set the captive free  
To take away transgression  
And rule in equity

He shall come down like showers  
Upon the fruitful earth  
And love joy hope like flowers  
Spring in His path to birth  
Th king shall have dominion  
From sea to shining sea  
And over every nation  
His peaceful rule shall be

The desert tribes adore Him  
And bend to Him the knee  
The wicked bow before Him  
His glory they will see  
With gifts of adoration  
The foreign kings shall meet  
To pour the wealth of nations  
In tribute at His feet

He comes with rescue speedy  
To those who suffer wrong  
To help the poor and needy  
And bid the weak be strong  
He turns their sighs to singing  
Their darkness into light  
For they condemned and dying  
Are precious in His sight

His kingdom is increasing  
A kingdom without end  
For Him shall prayer unceasing  
And daily praise ascend  
The mountain dews will nourish  
A harvest from the fields  
The grain and fruit will flourish  
The land its bounty yields

In name forever glorious  
He on His throne shall rest  
From age to age victorious  
All blessing and all blest  
Praise God who rules each nation  
Tell of His deeds again  
His glory fills creations

Sing praise to God  
Amen

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## 2- JESUS WHAT A FRIEND FOR SINNERS

Jesus what a friend for sinners  
Jesus lover of my soul  
Friends may fail me foes assail me  
He my Savior makes me whole

Hallelujah what a Savior  
Hallelujah what a friend  
Saving helping keeping loving  
He is with me to the end

Jesus what a strength in weakness  
Let me hide myself in Him  
Tempted tried and often failing  
He my strength my victory wins

Hallelujah what a Savior  
Hallelujah what a friend  
Saving helping keeping loving  
He is with me to the end

Jesus what a help in sorrow  
While the billows o'er me roll  
Even when my heart is breaking  
He my comfort helps my soul

Jesus I do now receive Him  
More than all in Him I find  
He hath granted me forgiveness  
I am His and He is mine

Hallelujah what a Savior  
Hallelujah what a friend  
Saving helping keeping loving  
He is with me to the end

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## SCRIPTURE READING - 1 SAMUEL 16:1-13

The LORD said to Samuel, "How long will you grieve over Saul, since I have rejected him from being king over Israel? Fill your horn with oil, and go. I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have provided for myself a king among his sons." And Samuel said, "How can I go? If Saul hears it, he will kill me." And the LORD said, "Take a heifer with you and say, 'I have come to sacrifice to the LORD.' And invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what you shall do. And you shall anoint for me him whom I declare to you." Samuel did what the LORD commanded and came to Bethlehem. The elders of the city came to meet him trembling and said, "Do you come peaceably?" And he said, "Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the LORD. Consecrate yourselves, and come with me to the sacrifice." And he consecrated Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice. When they came, he looked on Eliab and thought, "Surely the LORD's anointed is before him." But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him. For the LORD sees not as man sees: man looks on the outward appearance, but the LORD looks on the heart." Then Jesse called Abinadab and made him pass before Samuel. And he said, "Neither has the LORD chosen this one." Then Jesse

made Shammah pass by. And he said, "Neither has the LORD chosen this one." And Jesse made seven of his sons pass before Samuel. And Samuel said to Jesse, "The LORD has not chosen these." Then Samuel said to Jesse, "Are all your sons here?" And he said, "There remains yet the youngest, but behold, he is keeping the sheep." And Samuel said to Jesse, "Send and get him, for we will not sit down till he comes here." And he sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy and had beautiful eyes and was handsome. And the LORD said, "Arise, anoint him, for this is he." Then Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the midst of his brothers. And the Spirit of the LORD rushed upon David from that day forward. And Samuel rose up and went to Ramah.

## CONFESSION OF FAITH - THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## 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

## SCRIPTURE READING - MATTHEW 20:29-34

And as they went out of Jericho, a great crowd followed him. And behold, there were two blind men sitting by the roadside, and when they heard that Jesus was passing by, they cried out, "Lord, have mercy on us, Son of David!" The crowd rebuked them, telling them to be silent, but they cried out all the more, "Lord, have mercy on us, Son of David!" And stopping, Jesus called them and said, "What do you want me to do for you?" They said to him, "Lord, let our eyes be opened." And Jesus in pity touched their eyes, and immediately they recovered their sight and followed him.

## SING -HAVE MERCY

Have mercy on me  
Have mercy on me  
O Lord have mercy  
O Lord have mercy

Oh help my unbelief  
Oh help my unbelief  
O Lord have mercy  
O Lord have mercy

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## DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise him all creatures here below  
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts  
Praise father son and holy ghost  
Amen



## ***This Week At CPC***

November 15, 2020

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### MINISTRIES

**DIG (youth ministry)**

3:30 PM, Wednesdays

**Ladies Bible Study**

9:45 AM, Tuesdays

**Greenwald Community Group**

7:30 PM, 1st and 3rd Wednesday

**Prayer Group**

7:00 PM, Wednesdays

**Strong Community Group**

TBA

**Brown Community Group**

7:00 PM, 1st, 3rd, & 5th Friday

For the safety of everyone, our ministries take place online through video call. If you are interested in joining us or would like more information to get in contact with us, please email [admin@cpcoviedo.com](mailto:admin@cpcoviedo.com) or visit and sign up for our email news-bulletin at [cpcoviedo.com/news](http://cpcoviedo.com/news).

### Giving report for October

Monthly need	\$27,769
October giving	\$23,481
2020 total need thru October	\$277,687
2020 total giving thru October	\$257,805

## WORSHIP THIS WEEK

We will offer gathered worship this Sunday, November 15 at 10:30 a.m., but will continue to welcome those who are more comfortable to worship with us virtually [via our Facebook page](#). If you can't catch us at that time, a replay will be made [available on our website](#) on Monday.

Effective July 1, Seminole County requires every person to wear a mask and follow CDC social distancing guidelines while at all businesses, places of assembly, and in public. This means that all people in attendance at CPC for worship or other activities must wear a mask.

There are a few relevant exceptions. You may remove your mask if you are:

- Outdoors and social distancing.
- Under the age of two years.
- Eating or drinking.
- Communicating with someone who is hearing-impaired and must see the mouth of someone wearing a mask in order to communicate.

We do have a limited number of adult and child-sized masks available if you do not have one or forget yours. You will be asked to wear your mask at all times while worshipping or congregating at CPC.

Further, IF YOU ARE SICK OR FEELING UNDER THE WEATHER, even if your symptoms do not indicate COVID-19, please DO NOT come to church. Stay home, rest and recover, so that you can join us again when you're feeling better. This goes for your children as well.

Please consider the needs of your neighbors and community at this time and act with grace and love by complying with this executive order and our request for healthy gathering.

## CHILDREN AND WORSHIP

We love kids, and we are glad to have your children worshiping alongside us! Our service will include a special Bible lesson just for them.

If your children need a break, parents are welcome to take them to the nursery to play. Our nursery also has a place for changing diapers, a family restroom, and a private space for nursing mothers.

## WORSHIP AT CPC

A worship service at Covenant Presbyterian Church lasts about an hour and fifteen minutes, sometimes more and sometime less. The flow of those services, the liturgy, will typically look like this:

Welcome and Announcements	Creed and Prayer
Song of Adoration	Children's Lesson
Confession of Sin	Scripture Reading and Sermon
Assurance of Pardon	Lord's Supper
Songs of Praise	Benediction
Scripture Reading	Doxology

If you don't know when to stand or sit, don't sweat it. Follow those around you. We forget sometimes, too. And if you have questions we'll be happy to attempt an answer after the service.

## THE LORD'S SUPPER AT CPC

The Lord's Supper is a joyful part of Christian worship which we celebrate weekly. If you are a Christian, we are happy to have you join with us even if you are not a member of Covenant Presbyterian Church. If you have any uncertainties about whether you should partake or not, seek out the pastor or one of the elders before the service. If you are not a Christian, to partake of the Supper would be to express a faith that you do not embrace. That would not be fair to you, or good. So, feel free to stay in your seat. We do not mind. We are glad to have you as our guest.

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