



CHRIST COVENANT
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 29, 2026 | **Worship 9:00 a.m.** | Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

The Lord's Day

PRELUDE & TIME OF MEDITATION

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

~ Revelation 7:9-12 ~

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 118:26-29

Minister: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord. The Lord is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us. Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar!

All: You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you. Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

SONGS OF PRAISE

Come People Of The Risen King

Music and lyrics by Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, and Stuart Townend

Come, people of the Risen King, who delight to bring Him praise
Come all and tune your hearts to sing, to the Morning Star of grace

From the shifting shadows of the earth, we will lift our eyes to Him
Where steady arms of mercy reach, to gather children in

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice*

Come, those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night
Come, those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight

For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease
But follow us through all our days, with the certain hope of peace

Come, young and old from every land - men and women of the faith
Come, those with full or empty hands - find the riches of His grace

Over all the world, His people sing - shore to shore we hear them call
The Truth that cries through every age: "Our God is all in all!"

MEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS

Men's Fellowship – TBD

Men's Prayer Time – Friday mornings, 7:00 a.m. in the church session room.

Men's Breakfast Study – Wednesday, at 6:30 a.m. in the FH. We are studying Sinclair Ferguson's book: "Lessons From The Upper Room"

The Intentional Father – Monday April 6, 6:15 a.m. at the Youth House.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Opportunity to Show Christ's Compassion

Each month, our deacons will be gathering items to assist in serving the needs of our community. In March our focus will be receiving **pasta, cereal, oatmeal and peanut butter, for Wallace State Food Pantry**. Please drop off some of the items listed above in the "Mercy Bin" located in the Narthex. Thanks so much!

MNA Disaster Response Training

In partnership with MNA, Christ Covenant is actively developing a disaster response team that could help as needed when surrounding areas are hit with natural disasters. There are some pre-requisites and training involved, but this is open to anyone willing to serve. If you are interested or have questions please contact Wyatt Pettus for more details. Providence Presbytery will host a day of training on Saturday, May 2nd at First Presbyterian Church in Decatur. Below is a schedule of the day:

- 9:00 -11:30 am - Disaster Response 101 - CLASSROOM ONLY - Learn how to get involved in disaster response ministry.
- 11:30 - 12:00 – Lunch (free for those attending both the morning and afternoon sessions)
- 12:00 - 4:30 pm. - Basic Chainsaw Safety & Operations - classroom and field work

WOMEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS

Ladies Prayer Time: will be meeting every Monday at 10:00 a.m. in the bell tower room at the church. Women of all ages are invited. No one will be expected or pressured to pray aloud. This is a great way to serve the Lord through intercession for our church. Ephesians 6:18: *"Pray at all times in the Spirit with every prayer and request, and stay alert with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints."*

Women's Winter Bible Studies

Tuesday Morning Bible Study - Tuesday morning Bible Study has resumed, at 9:30 A.M. at the church. We will continue our study, *Engaging God's Word-Hebrews*, and start with chapter seven. A Biblical scholar once said, "The book of Hebrews is the most theological book in the Bible." In this study we will learn how Jesus is so much better than the angels, Moses, the old covenant, the High Priest Aaron, and better than Melchizedek. And, Jesus Christ brought a better hope." Come and enjoy the sweet fellowship of one another as we learn more about our precious Savior, Jesus Christ, the author and finisher of our faith.

Thursday evening Ladies Bible Study will resume in the Summer of 2026.

Ladies Night: Monday, 6:00 p.m., April 13, at Grumpy's on the porch.

Ladies Lunch: Wednesday, April 15, 12:00 p.m., at Grumpy's on the porch.

Christ Covenant News

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This Week's Activities

Monday

10:00 a.m. Ladies Prayer Time
6:00 p.m. Men's Fellowship

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Wednesday

6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast Study
7:00 p.m. Holy Week Service with Communion

Friday

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Worship Service & Communion
10:30 a.m. Sunday School

Nursery Volunteers Schedule

March 29

Church Service— Marilyn Echols
Sheena Johnson
Sunday School— Juanita Tidwell

Covenant Kids Corner

NO - CK - Join us for Holy Week Service

Holy Week Service

Please join us this Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. as we reflect on the love Christ has for His church, seen through His journey from the upper room to the cross. Communion will be celebrated.

Birthdays This Week

Mar. 29.....Haddon Reeder
Gail Sylvius
Mar. 30.....Breeze Marks
Ruth Ella Quinn
Apr. 1.....Jake Speed
Apr. 3.....Law Yeager
Jake Lunsford
Justin Robinson
Addison Dyer
Apr. 4.....Andrew Shaw

Did we miss a birthday? Email Angie.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Easter Fellowship

Join us for a time of fellowship, children's activities, and refreshments during the Sunday School hour, on April 5, at 10:45 a.m.

If you would like to help set-up, please message Merrill Dotson. 334-524-7274

2026 Rummage Sale Roundup

It's Spring Break - a perfect time to fling open the garage doors and storage sheds and clear out the things we keep tripping over! Extra or outgrown sporting equipment, those six different watering cans or the two dozen flower pots that haven't been used in years - all make great donations! Gardening donations are always a favorite.

CCPC Tables and Chairs

If you have borrowed any tables and chairs from the church, please check to make sure you have returned them all. Thanks!

Prayer Chain

Your brothers and sisters in Christ would love to pray for you. Please call, text, or email with any requests Gwen Hays 256-709-5276 gwen2829@yahoo.com

You've Already Won

Music and lyrics by Shane & Shane

There's peace that outlasts darkness, hope that's in the blood
There's future grace that's mine today, that Jesus Christ has won

So I can face tomorrow, for tomorrow's in Your hands
All I need You will provide, just like You always have

*I'm fighting a battle, You've already won
No matter what comes my way, I will overcome*

*I don't know what You're doing, but I know what You've done
I'm fighting a battle, You've already won*

There's mercy in the waiting, mana for today
And when it's gone I know you're not, You are my hope and stay

When the sea is raging, Your Spirit is my help
He'll fix my eyes on Jesus Christ, and I'll say that is well
Oh I know that it is well

I know how the story ends, we will be with You again
You're my Savior my defense, no more fear in life or death
I know how this story ends

INVOCATION

SCRIPTURE READING

John 12:12-19

CONFESSION OF SIN

Righteous King, on Palm Sunday the crowds welcomed You with loud hosannas, yet their praise was shallow, and their hearts quickly turned away. We confess that we too often honor You with our lips while our lives reveal divided loyalties. Like the crowds, we celebrate You when it is easy, but shrink back when faith is costly. Like the disciples, we fail to understand Your purposes and resist the way of the cross. Like the Pharisees, we fear losing our comfort and control more than we long for Your glory. Forgive us, Lord Jesus. Cleanse us from hollow worship, distracted hearts, and the desire for a Savior on our terms. By Your grace, teach us to follow You in humility and obedience, to receive You as the true King, and to live lives that reflect Your reign. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SONG OF ASSURANCE

Come, Ye Sinners

Music and lyrics by Joseph Hart and Matthew S. Smith

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded sick and sore
Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love, and power
He is able, He is able; He is willing; doubt no more

Come, ye needy, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify
True belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh
Without money, without money come to Jesus Christ and buy

Come, you weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall
If you tarry until you're better, you will never come at all
Not the righteous, not the righteous; sinners Jesus came to call

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream
All the fitness he requires, is to feel your need of him
This He gives you, this He gives you, tis the spirit's rising beam

Lo! The Incarnate God, ascended; pleads the merit of His blood
Venture on Him; venture wholly, let no other trust intrude
None but Jesus, none but Jesus can do helpless sinners good

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

OFFERING

SERMON TEXT

Zechariah 9:9-13

SERMON

“Christ the King”

Jason Ellerbee

COMMUNION SONG

New Wine

Music and lyrics by Brooke Ligertwood and Michael Guy Chislett

In the crushing, in the pressing, You are making new wine
In the soil I now surrender, You are breaking new ground

So I yield to You and to Your careful hand
When I trust You I don't need to understand

*Make me Your vessel, make me an offering
Make me whatever You want me to be
I came here with nothing, but all You have given me
Jesus bring new wine out of me*

In the crushing, in the pressing, You are making new wine
In the soil I now surrender, You are breaking new ground
You are breaking new ground

Where there is new wine, there is new power
There is new freedom, the Kingdom is here
I lay down my old flames, to carry Your new fire today

CONFESSION OF FAITH – Westminster Confession of Faith, Larger Catechism Q. 45

Minister: How does Christ carry out the office of a king?

All: Christ carries out the office of a king in calling a people out of the world to Himself and giving them officers, laws, and censures by which He visibly governs them; in bestowing saving grace on these chosen ones, rewarding their obedience and correcting them for their sins, preserving and supporting them during all their temptations and sufferings, restraining and overcoming all their enemies, and powerfully ordering all things for His own glory and for their good; and also in taking vengeance on the rest, who do not know God and do not obey the Gospel.

COMMUNION

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

Who You Say I Am

Music and lyrics by Ben Fielding & Reuben Morgan, 2018

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?
I was lost but He brought me in—
Oh, His love for me! Oh, His love for me

*Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes I am*

Free at last, He has ransomed me. His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin—
Jesus died for me! Yes, He died for me

*Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes I am.
In my Father's house there's a place for me
I'm a child of God, yes I am.*

I am chosen, not forsaken. I am who You say I am.
You are for me, not against me. I am who You say I am

Greetings From Our Pastor

Welcome to Christ Covenant! We are honored and delighted to have you worshipping with us this Lord's Day. The entire CCPC family is eager to meet you, answer any questions you may have, and serve you best we can. After the service my wife and I will be in the lobby where we would love to personally greet and welcome you. I pray that our time together has been a source of encouragement to your soul, and that you have been refreshed by the Lord's Word and His people. Please let us know how we can serve you!

Grace and peace be with you,
Jason Ellerbee, Sr. Pastor