

COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE LORD'S DAY

March 31, 2024

*“...Jesus of Nazareth...you have taken
by lawless hands, have crucified, and put to death;
whom God raised up, having loosed the pains
of death, because it was not possible
that He should be held by it.”*

Acts 2:22, 23b-24

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Welcome and Announcements.....

Silent Prayer

The Order of Worship

§ **Call to Worship**..... *Psalm 29:1-2*

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**.....

§ **The Hymn of Adoration**..... *“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#360

The Revelation of God’s Will..... *Galatians 5:16-24*

Prayer of Confession.....

The Assurance of Pardon.....*Micah 7:18-20*

§ **Giving of Thanks**..... *“Gloria Patri”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#572

The Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving, Supplication and for Illumination

§ **The Scripture Readings**..... *Psalm 16, Acts 2:24-41*

§ **The Psalm of Preparation** *“Preserve Me, O God”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#16B

The Preaching of the Word *Acts 2:24-41*
“The Resurrection: The Exalted Lord”
Pastor Peter Van Doodewaard

§ **The Hymn of Response** *“In Christ Alone”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#265

§ **The Benediction**

§ **The Doxology**..... *“Doxology”*
Trinity Psalter Hymnal#567

§ Please stand, if you are able.

WELCOME to our worship and fellowship at Covenant Community Church. We are a congregation of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. We are a people grateful for the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, which promises the forgiveness of sins and eternal life to all who trust in Him alone for salvation.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Young children are welcome to join in our worship at Covenant Community Church. If you anticipate that your young child or children cannot exercise the necessary self-control to remain relatively quiet and still, please consider making good use of either our nursery or our training room out of consideration for your fellow worshipers—particularly during the preaching of the Word.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Your elders have called a meeting of our congregation **immediately after morning worship today**. This meeting is for the purpose of considering Dr. Ryan McGraw for election to the office of teacher of the Word in our congregation.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Next week we hope to celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper in our morning worship service. Take some time this week to reflect on the reality and offense of your sin, the glorious grace of God who

receives and cleanses sinners by the blood of Christ, and how the pattern of your own life ought to be conformed to the image of Christ out of thankfulness for so great a salvation.

DIACONAL OFFERING

Please remember that we take our monthly diaconal offering (for the poor and needy) immediately after the celebration of the Lord's Supper next week. This offering is a fitting expression of our care for one another in the body of Christ.

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Our prayer meeting and children's catechism classes will both meet again this Wednesday at 6:45 pm. We also look forward to a fellowship meal at 6 pm.

LADIES' BOOK STUDY

Our ladies' book study will meet on Thursday, April 4th. Two meetings are available based on your scheduling needs: 10 am and 7 pm, both at the church. We will continue reading *With All Your Heart* by Craig Troxel.

PRESBYTERY OF THE SOUTHEAST

Our presbytery plans to meet at Christ Orthodox Presbyterian Church in Marietta, Georgia on Friday and Saturday, April 5th and 6th. Pray that God would grant our presbytery His wisdom to lead the churches of our region.

HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP

Young people ages 14-18, please join us for our next high school fellowship on **Friday, April 12th at 6:30 pm** at the Mooney home. We look forward to this time of instruction and fellowship.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Our men's fellowship will meet on **Saturday, April 13th** since our presbytery plans to meet the previous weekend on April 6th. We will meet from 8:30-10:15 am in the fellowship hall at the church.

SAVE THE DATE!

We are planning to hold our annual spring picnic at the Taylors First Baptist recreation facility (on Taylors Rd.) on **Saturday, May 18th from 10 am until 2 pm**. Activities will include a fellowship lunch and games for our children.

PSE FAMILY CAMP

The annual Presbytery of the Southeast family camp is scheduled for **July 2nd to 6th** at Camp Caraway in Sophia, NC. Dr. Michael Morales, a minister in the Presbyterian Church in America and professor of Biblical Studies at Greenville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, is this year's speaker. His topic is entitled "Knowing God: The Book of Exodus." You can find more information about the camp at www.psefamilycamp.org.

SCHEDULES

The Lord's Day

Sunday School 9:30am
Ages 3-4 Sarah Bisson, Charity V.
Ages 5-6 Jennifer Lee, Emma Bowman
Ages 7-8 Gail Ellis, Kelsey Rudder
Ages 9-10 Joey Pipa, Grant Woody
Ages 11-12.. Caleb Harriman, Stephen Cook
Ages 13-14 Nick Higgins, Ryan Lee
Adults Peter Van Doodewaard
Youth Ryan McGraw
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

Nursery Care

Week of March 31, 2024

AM.... Emma B., Karen Dover, Hazel W.

PM.....Elizabeth Hughes, Eve Brown

Wed.....MoonSun H., Elizabeth Hughes

Week of April 7, 2024

AM.. Kelsey R., Brianna Baker, Sara Sims

PM.....Trisha Daniel, Rebecca Shoaf

Wed.....Krista McGraw, Kelsey Rudder

Ushers

Week of March 31, 2024

Clay Woody, Joseph Bowman

Thomas Rolf, Grant Woody

Week of April 7, 2024

Nick Higgins, Tyler Butler

Alden Sims, Peter Van Doodewaard, Jr.

Covenant Community Church

Senior Pastor— Peter Van Doodewaard

Pastor – Jeremiah Mooney

Elders—Mr. Jim Loring (clerk), Dr. Ryan McGraw, Rev. Jeremiah Mooney (pastor), Mr. Vernon Shoaf, Mr. David Stair, Rev. Peter Van Doodewaard (pastor/moderator)

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