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NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Prayer Requests: prayer@newcovpca.org
*Emailed prayer requests are shared with a church- wide
email prayer chain.*

 Guest password: **Psalm122:1**

*Please note that as part of our Safe Church Policy,
security cameras are running throughout the building.*

Name

Email or phone



LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE JUNE 11, 2023

PRELUDE

Welcome & Announcements

Rob Dalbey

Meditation & Preparation for Worship

GATHERING & PRAISE

Call to Worship

Edited from Colossians 1

LEADER: He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.

CONGREGATION: For by him all things were created - all things were created through him and for Him.

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

CONGREGATION: For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, making peace by the blood of his cross.

***Opening Prayer**

***Songs of Praise:**

*The Lord is My Salvation
O Love That Will Not Let Me Go
One Pure and Holy Passion*

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7

PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

Children 3 years old – Kindergarten may be dismissed for Children's Fellowship

Offertory Hymn: #644 *May the Mind of Christ My Savior*

Offertory Prayer

THE WORD

New Testament Reading: John 15:1-11

Message: *"Banana Boat Song"*

OUR RESPONSE & SENDING

***Hymn:** #524 *Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ*

***Benediction**

***Hymn:** #735 *Gloria Patri*

*Congregation will please stand

Pastor Wilson reads from the ESV (English Standard Version) Bible.

ABOUT NEW COV

New Covenant PCA is a young church with a family history going back more than seventy years. Our church was formed in 2008 by merging the former New Hope PCA (founded in 1981) and the former Covenant Orthodox Presbyterian Church (founded in 1937). Each brought significant strengths and gifts and the Lord has been abundantly blessing us together as one congregation. We are blessed with members of every age and stage and we welcome those interested in learning about the Bible and Christianity as well as those who have been Bible students and Christians for many years. The joy of the Lord is our strength as we seek to please Him by teaching and living His Word while loving and serving others.

If you are visiting with us today, **welcome!** We hope you are blessed by being here and that you feel comfortable and at home.

For guests with children: We welcome children in the service but if you need other resources, a **Nursery** is available for babies and toddlers up to 3 years old and, children 3 years old through kindergarten are welcome to attend **Children's Fellowship** (dismissed after the prayer--before the first hymn). The nursery is located across the hall from the sanctuary and Children's Fellowship meets at the end of the hall in our education wing. Children are also welcome to pick up a Children's bulletin clipboard at the Welcome Desk.

This week:

Today 10:00 am Worship
(June 11)

Monday 5:30 pm Alabaster Children's Theatre

Friday 4:00 pm FLC Reserved

Saturday 4:00 pm FLC Reserved

Sunday 10:00 am Worship
(June 18) 6:30 pm Hymn sing

Serving Today

Worship Leader: R. Dalbey

Nursery: K. Kessler, L. Donatucci, D. Faith

Children's Fellowship: N. Schroeder, G. Minnigh

D.A.D. B. Minnigh

Serving next week: June 18

Worship Leader: R. Schroeder

Nursery: A.Meyer, N.Woodhead, H.Weiser

Children's Fellowship: R&R Mott

D.A.D. B. Minnigh

Note: Announcements for the bulletin should be submitted to the office by 3 p.m. Wednesday for printing on Thursday.

Connect

I'd like more info about:

_____ Volunteering

_____ Membership

_____ Bible study

_____ Home groups

_____ Youth ministry

_____ Other:

_____ name

_____ address

_____ phone

_____ email

_____ Please add me to the church email list

_____ Please add me to the email prayer chain

_____ Please add/change above information to church directory

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June 11, 2023

“Banana Boat Song”

John 15:1-11

I. What is the goal?

II. What is the plan?

III. Who really counts?

PRAYER AND PRAISES FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Pray for comfort for the family of Olga Deklevar as they plan to remember and celebrate her life at a memorial service next Monday, June 19.

Remember the continuing prayer needs of:

<i>Kurt & Susan Ahlers</i>	<i>Wayne & Corney Griffith</i>
<i>Pat Arledge Benko (Zeta's mom)</i>	<i>Hanna Family</i>
<i>Mary Berkenpas</i>	<i>Kelly Howell</i>
<i>John & Nancy Bernheisel</i>	<i>Jessica (C. Wilson's friend)</i>
<i>Luella Blough</i>	<i>Joan Ludchak</i>
<i>Angie Bortoluzzi</i>	<i>Jim Partridge</i>
<i>Connie Close (Andy's mother)</i>	<i>Jean Rizzi</i>
<i>Colin (son of Tom Turner's cousin)</i>	<i>Sofia Rollins (Siverd's daughter-in-law)</i>
<i>Covenant Church; Nashville, TN</i>	<i>Bill Schroeder (Rick's brother)</i>
<i>Olga Deklevar</i>	<i>Doris Seath</i>
<i>Florida residents (Hurricane Ian recovery)</i>	<i>Ukraine/Russia</i>
<i>Deane Fowler</i>	<i>Peggy Voll</i>
<i>Phil Gelston (friend of Strubles)</i>	<i>Lauren Watt</i>
<i>Wayne Getz (Charlene's son)</i>	<i>Bobbie Watson</i>
	<i>Bob & Anne Marie Whisner</i>

FOR OUR MILITARY:

Pray for those serving or training in the military either here or overseas – especially those from our church family or who have friends or relatives in our church family: **Chloe Christensen, David Daugherty, Alex Gabrielse, Ian Griffith, Ryan Grimm, Jason Hice, Naomi Howard, Craig Jordan, Dan McCrorey, Dan Parsons, Jeff Pifer, Steve Schroeder, Greg Schuelke, and Steve Spear.**

FOR MISSIONARIES AND OUTREACH PARTNERS:

Bob Allums – SeeJesus
 Callie Miller & Gavin Breeden – RUF
 Phil and Amina – MTW India
 Jay – Navigators
 Chris and Josephine – World Harvest- London, England
 Dale and Linda McLane – MTW Int'l Christian Education
 Josiah and Laryssa – Global Gates
 B&P – France
 PitCare, Inc.
 Robbie and Jen Schmidtberger – Iron Works West Chester
 Nate Keisel – Mosaic Church, Jeannette
 David Eades – Dayspring Community Church
 Linda Clark – Wheelchairs Restored – Uniquely the Same
 Lucas Poole – YoungLife
 Women's Choice Network

Summer Women's Bible Study | We will be joining the PCA Women across our denomination in their summer Bible study "Entrusted to be Invested". It is a 6-week study of 1 Timothy and will be Wednesday evenings, June 21-July 26. Alycia Dalbey will host the study at her home (420 Atlantic Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15221) from 6:30-8:30pm. If there is a lot of interest, we will move the study to the church. Please reach out to Alycia (412-855-5709 or alyciadalbey@gmail.com) if you are interested.

TCS Golf Outing 2023 - Monday, June 26 @ Glengarry Golf Course | Grab your clubs and friends and head to the course for a fun day of competition and fellowship while raising funds for TCS. To learn more about how YOU can get involved, please email Ed Galloway at golf@trinitychristian.net.

2023 Graduates | If you have a graduate in your family, please let us know the details. Send information to office@newcovpca.org and we will recognize them in a future bulletin and on the bulletin board (send pictures as well). For High school grads, we would like to know the school graduating from as well as future plans. For college grads, please send school and degree completed.

Lost watch/fitness tracker? If you are missing a watch/fitness tracker, please contact the office. One was found a few weeks ago in the church.

Directory Updates: If you have a hard copy of the directory, please correct the phone number for Brad Campbell to 412-592-8671. Also, please change the email address for Sarah Schmidt to sarahmschmidt89@gmail.com.

June Fellowship Lunch – June 25 | Due to Father's Day falling on the 3rd Sunday, we have pushed back this month's Fellowship Lunch to the 4th week, June 25. It will be a pizza lunch so plan to bring a side dish or dessert to share and RSVP at <https://bit.ly/FLJune2023>.

Moms Morning In Heads Outside for the Summer! | For the summer we will be headed to parks, weather permitting. Big kids are welcome, please bring friends and your own snacks. A friendly reminder (which has not been a problem) this is not a drop off. That being said, if you'd like to bring extra kids that you're responsible for or to give a friend a break we love and fully support that. Here are the dates.

Wednesday June 21st, 10am at Bear Hollow Park in Murrysville

Wednesday July 12th, 10am Murrysville Community Park and Splash Pad

Wednesday August 9th, 10am at Bear Hollow Park in Murrysville

If there is rain or thunderstorms we will try to meet the following day at the same location. Hope to see you there! Any questions please text Bethany Nemit (412)443-5673.



New Covenant 2023 VBS

Monday, July 10 – Friday, July 14

6 – 8:15 pm

Please see Katie Minnigh if you have questions or would like to be involved

[Child Participant Sign Up Link](#)

(<https://bit.ly/2023newcovVBSregistration>)

[Volunteer Sign Up Link](#)

(<https://bit.ly/2023newcovVBSvolunteer>)

Save the date Ladies!

Women's Retreat

September 15-16

Ligonier Camp and Conference Center

Friday after dinner -
Saturday after dinner

Or come up
Saturday morning
for the day!

Fun. Food. Fellowship.
And no Fellas!

Just women connecting
about their common
thread, Jesus.

*Details to follow but save
the date!*

