



LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE JULY 2, 2023

PRELUDE

Welcome & Announcements

Mike Berkenpas

Meditation & Preparation for Worship

GATHERING & PRAISE

Call to Worship

Psalm 150

LEADER: Praise the LORD.

CONGREGATION: Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens.

LEADER: Praise him for his acts of power; praise him for his surpassing greatness.

CONGREGATION: Praise him with the sounding of the trumpet, praise him with the harp and lyre,

LEADER: praise him with tambourine and dancing, praise him with the strings and flute,

CONGREGATION: praise him with the clash of cymbals, praise him with resounding cymbals.

LEADER: Let everything that has breath praise the LORD.

CONGREGATION: Praise the LORD.

***Opening Prayer**

***Songs of Praise:**

Give Thanks to The Lord

Psalm 62

Shout to The Lord

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 110

PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

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

Offertory Hymn: #301 *Join All the Glorious Names*

Offertory Prayer

THE WORD & SACRAMENT

New Testament Reading: Hebrews 1:1-3; 10:11-12

Message: *"He Sat Down"* Rev. David Bindewald

***Hymn:** #441 *Jesus Shall Reign (verses 1-3)*

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

OUR RESPONSE & SENDING

***Hymn:** #441 *Jesus Shall Reign (verses 4-5)*

*Benediction

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

*Congregation will please stand

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 <i>(July 2)</i>	10:00 am 6:00 pm	Worship Forest Hills Home Group @ Monroeville Park
Wednesday	6:30 pm	Ladies' Summer Bible Study
Sunday <i>(July 9)</i>	10:00 am	Worship

Serving Today

Worship Leader:	M. Berkenpas
Nursery:	T. Bovard, A. Campbell, E. Fischer
Children's Fellowship:	M.L. Zolko, S. Struble
D.A.D.	D. Faith

Serving next week: July 9

Worship Leader:	M. Berkenpas
Nursery:	L. Bauer, S. Bauer, S. Schmidt
Children's Fellowship:	C. Schroeder, S. Ahlers, E. Schroeder
D.A.D.	D. Faith

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

*Place this tear-off strip in
the offering plate*

July 2, 2023

“He Sat Down”

Hebrews 1:1-3; 10:11-12

Rev. David Bindewald



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>)

PRAYER AND PRAISES FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

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>Family of 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

July Home Groups | The Forest Hills Home Group plans to meet this evening, **Sunday, July 2; 6 pm** at Monroeville Park by the tennis courts for a social outing. Both the Monroeville and Murrysville Home Groups are cancelled for July. Contact Mike Berkenpas with any questions at 412-712-9680.

Communion Offering | Our Communion offering is designated to support the work the deacons within our church and locally. Please use the Communion Offering envelope if you wish to contribute to this fund or mark *Deacon's offering* on your check.

Summer Women's Bible Study – Week #3: Wednesday, July 5; 6:30 pm at the church | Please reach out to Alycia Dalbey (412-855-5709 or alyciadalbey@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

Directory Updates: If you have had any changes to your contact information or would like to be added to our directory, please send updates to the church office. We will be working on a new directory soon.

Save the Date! – Women's Retreat | September 15-16 @ Ligonier Camp & Conference Center. More details will follow soon.

New Covenant VBS Is Next Week! – July 10-14; 6:00-8:15 pm | Register your children today at <https://bit.ly/2023newcovVBSregistration> .

Donations Needed for Fairmont VBS | In preparation for the mission trip to Fairmont, WV, the team is asking for some donations for the VBS program and children's activities for approximately 20 children. Please see the sign-up sheet at <https://bit.ly/FairmontVBSsupplies> . There will be a box in the foyer near the courtyard to collect the donations. Please deliver by Friday, July 14. Thanks in advance for your kind generosity.