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Emailed prayer requests are shared with a church- wide email prayer chain.

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Contact with questions, referrals, etc.



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

MARCH 10, 2024

PRELUDE

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Walt Coppersmith

Missions Minute: Rob Olszewski, Joni & Friends

Meditation & Preparation for Worship

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

***Call to Worship** (*Psalms 67*)

Michael Woodhead

LEADER: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.

CONGREGATION: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

LEADER: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.

CONGREGATION: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

LEADER: The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, shall bless us.

CONGREGATION: God shall bless us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!

***Opening Prayer**

WE APPROACH GOD

***Songs of Praise:**

Thy Mercy, My God

Man of Sorrows

Before the Throne of God Above

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 49:5-18

Hymn: #599 *Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us*

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Brass

***Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving:** #731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavn'ly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Prayers of the People

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

GOD SPEAKS TO US

***Hymn:** #141 *God in the Gospel of His Son*

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 2:11-22

Message: "Our New Identity – Part 2"

Rev. Walt Coppersmith

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

***Hymn:** #355 *We Are God's People*

***Benediction**

***Sending:** #735 *Gloria Patri*

**Congregation please stand as able*

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). 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>(March 10)</i>	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship
	6:00 pm	Youth Group service project
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Girl Scouts
	6:30 pm	Session meeting
Sunday <i>(March 17)</i>	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Worship Committee meeting
	6:00 pm	Youth Group

Serving Today

Worship Leader:	M. Woodhead
Nursery:	E. Faith, J. Gregory, C. Miller
Children's Fellowship:	A.Meyer, E.Meyer
D.A.D.	B. Campbell

Serving next week: March 17

Worship Leader:	M. Berkenpas
Nursery:	L. Donatucci, K. Minnigh, S. Schmidt
Children's Fellowship:	N. Schroeder, G. Minnigh
D.A.D.	B. Campbell

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

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_____ email

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March 10, 2024

Prayer and Praises for our Church Family:**New Cov Family:**

Pray for the spiritual and all-around blessings for the following church members/friends and their families. This week, pray for ***Fred & Christa Echegaray, (Nathan, Jack, Emma & Ben), Daniel & Erin Faith (Jane, Graham, Beatrice, William) and Caleb & Elizabeth Fischer.***

Remember the prayer needs of:

Pat Stotler -continues treatments for heart condition

Ahlers – various health struggles

Baby August – pre-mature baby in the Struble's extended family

For our Military:

Pray for those serving or training in the military – especially those from our church family or who have friends or relatives in our church family: This week pray for: ***Christina Daugherty, David Daugherty, Alex Gabrielse.***

For Missionaries, Ministry and Outreach Partners:

Remember the organizations and individuals that we partner with prayerfully and financially. This week, pray for:

Wheelchairs Restored (Uniquely the Same) - Linda Clark

Women's Choice Network (Network of Life)

Young Life (East Pittsburgh) - Lucas Poole

Summer Mission Trip to Fairmont, WV - July 13-20 | Service opportunities include light construction, Vacation Bible School and food preparation in the camp kitchen. Please let a member of the Mission Committee know if you are interested. Committee members are: Zeta Turner, Lynn Galloway, Emily Twilla, Vance McMichael and Russ Cardwell.

Save the Date – New Covenant PCA will be hosting a special service with communion on Thursday evening, **March 28th**, meditating on the death of Jesus Christ. Details to follow.

Annual Children's Easter Egg Hunt | **Saturday, March 30 @ 10 a.m.** | Children 12 and under are welcome to participate. Register @ <https://bit.ly/2024NCEgghunt>. Filled egg donations are also needed; let us know how many you can provide: <https://bit.ly/2024eggs>.

Bearing Witness - A Conference on Everyday Evangelism | April 12-13, Robinson Twp. | The Outreach Committee invites you to this conference hosted by Providence PCA. Dr. Richard D. Phillips will uncover the timeless principles to assist us in joyfully sharing the hope of Christ wherever God places us. Pick up a flyer from the Welcome Desk for more information.

In search of housing for the 2024-25 school year for 3 young Christian women who will be attending Pitt from the Harrisburg area. Please contact Kathleen Struble (412-444-9897) with any leads or ideas. Thank you.

Joni and Friends Ministries is looking for volunteers to serve at one or more of their Summer Family Retreats in Ohio. There are three opportunities this year:

- June 9-14 @ Shawnee Lodge and Conference Center, W. Portsmouth, OH
- July 7-12 @ Berlin Encore Hotel, Berlin, OH
- August 7-11 @ Berlin Resort, Millersburg, Ohio (Adult campers)

Registration is currently open for volunteers; no experience is necessary as there is disability training before the families arrive. Please consider joining this wonderful ministry – you will be blessed beyond your expectations! Visit <https://joniandfriends.org/> for more information.

2024 Baby Bottle Campaign for Network of Life | Pick up a bottle from the display table in the Narthex. See the flyer on the reverse side of this sheet. Donation-filled bottles are due back by April 7.



2024 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

New Covenant is participating in a **Baby Bottle Campaign** in support of **Network of Life**. See the display in the narthex. If you wish to participate, take a bottle home and fill it with a check or cash and coins and return it to the church by April 7. You may also donate online using a credit card at: <https://bit.ly/2024newcovbbc>. On the display table, you may also sign up for "The Road Crew", a weekly prayer request email.

Network of Life is a Christian organization which seeks to empower those most vulnerable to abortion to choose life. They operate three medical clinics, in Monroeville, Oakland, and North Side, known as Women's Choice Network, where they offer free pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, abortion pill reversal, STD testing and treatment, medical consultations, post-abortion care and counseling, men's outreach, and ongoing Life Support programming which includes an online educational component and in-person mentoring to help their clients reach their God-given potential. 100% of the funds raised through the baby bottle campaign go directly to support their client services, which are all offered at no cost to clients. Since opening the doors in 1985, Network of Life can document more than 7,484 babies who have been saved. Please visit their website for more information or to donate: networkoflife.org

