

MORNING WORSHIP

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name. Psalm 100:4

GATHERING TO PRAISE AND ADORE OUR GOD

All Praise to Him

CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word

Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father

We praise you for adopting us as your children and making us heirs of eternal life in your Son Jesus Christ, who has freed us from our sins by his blood. Yet we still fail to love you with all our heart, or serve you as we ought. Pardon our offenses, we pray, and make us clean, that we may continue as members of Christ, in whom alone is salvation. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

WORSHIP IN HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS

Reformation Song

You Are God Alone

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD READ PUBLICLY

Romans 2:12-29 (Red Bible p.1113)

WORSHIP THROUGH JOINING OUR HEARTS TOGETHER IN PRAYER

WORSHIP IN OUR GIVING

Holy, Holy, Holy

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Faith and Doubt | Hebrews 11:1 | Dr. Mike Wittmer

WORSHIP AT THE LORD'S TABLE

All baptized believers in good standing with their church are invited to the Lord's Table. We proceed down the center aisle and return to our seats on the side aisles, starting from the back row. It is our custom to take the bread individually as a sign of our personal discipleship to the Lord Jesus Christ and to hold the cup and take it together as a token of our unity in the Body of Christ. If you are unable to come forward, please tell an usher, and we will have someone bring communion to you. Gluten-free bread is also available.

HYMN OF REFLECTION AND RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

All Must Be Well

BENEDICTION TO RETURN AS GOD'S AMBASSADORS TO THE WORLD

PRAYER LIST

Members: Marylyn Daniel, Justin David, Andrew Franzella, Katie Linck, and Brittany Welch.

Church Family: That we would see relationships in the local church as part of what it means to be a Christian.

Faith and Doubt

Hebrews 11:1

“Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.”

Faith

Definition: commit, trust, rely.

Wise believers commit to what they know, not to what they don't.

Doubt

Not necessary for faith

-- Do we need doubt to believe? Do we need doubt to choose freely?

Not the opposite of faith

-- We can believe even when we don't know for sure (Luke 23:46).

-- Doubt is normal for life's large commitments.

-- Take your distress as a sign that you do believe (Mark 9:24).

-- The object of faith is much more important than the strength of faith (Matthew 17:20).

-- Use doubt to inoculate your faith.

-- Disobedience rather than doubt is the opposite of faith (John 7:17).

What You and Everyone Knows (Romans 1:18-32)

Look to Jesus (John 3:14-15; Numbers 21:4-9)

-- 21:8 –**ראה** to see (OT lexicon: “this is the common word for seeing with the eyes”)

-- 21:9 –**נבט** to look (used 69 times in the OT, often parallel to **ראה**)



Questions to Consider as You Respond to the Word of God Preached

1. What does faith look like in the face of doubt?
2. What role does Jesus play in walking by faith in the midst of doubt?

Questions to Ask a Friend After the Worship Service

1. How did God's Word speak to you today—bringing comfort, challenge or encouragement?
2. How can I pray for you this week?

WELCOME TO CHRIST COVENANT CHURCH

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If you have questions about following Christ, reach out to a pastor, elder or even a church member sitting near you. Our church family would love to help you in any way that we can.

Pastor: Bradley Aucoin | **Assoc. Pastor:** Shawn Branscum

Asst. Pastor: Josh Motta **Pastor Emeritus:** Phill Yoho

Pianist: Vasil Cvetkov

Current Elders: Bradley Aucoin, Shawn Branscum, Matt Edwards, Bob Welch, and Casey Williamson

Deacons: Bill Stickle and Mark Tiller

LIFE TOGETHER TODAY AND THIS WEEK

CHILDREN AT CCC: Our children worship with us on the Lord's Day because we believe that worship is not only taught, but caught as our children watch their parents (and all of us) sing loudly, bow humbly in prayer, take notes on the sermon, confess the Nicene Creed, share in the Lord's Table, and worship the Triune God. In other words, we have our children worshipping with us by choice because we believe that multi-generational worship is one of the best ways to pass on the gospel to the next generation. It does make things a little noisier, but it takes a church to raise a Christian. Children's Worship Guides are available in the narthex. Childcare is available for children 2 months to 4/5 years.

GYM CLEAN-UP: Please pick up any trash around you and, if you are able, return your chair to the chair rack. Thanks for all your help in making set-up and take-down easier for everyone.

TACOS AND TESTIMONIES—THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13 AT 6 PM: Join CCC women (college and up) in the Fellowship Hall for dinner, singing, prayer and sharing. Contact Chris Shipley by February 11 for childcare: wacoshiptley@hotmail.com

SUNDAY NIGHT GATHERING—NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16: Potluck 5:30 p.m. Worship 6:00-7:15 p.m. Bring an entrée or side dish to share. Drinks and desserts will be provided.

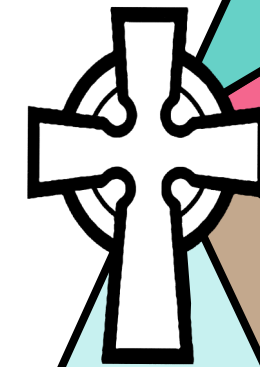
OTHER WAYS TO PARTNER TOGETHER IN THE GOSPEL

SPRING BOOK STUDY—DIETRICH BONHOEFFER'S *LIFE TOGETHER*: Join us on five (5) Wednesdays from 6:00 -7:15 p.m. in the Conference Room, starting on March 4, as we discuss *Life Together*, a classic work on what it means for brothers and sisters in Christ to live together in unity. We will discuss the introduction and Chapter 1 at our first meeting. Copies are available online and perhaps still on the bookshelves.

THE HUB OUTREACH TO INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS: Join us each Monday at the BCM at 6 p.m. for a Free International Dinner. Just showing up and visiting with the students is a big help! Contact Josh to learn more.

YOUTH RETREAT - MARCH 20-21: All students grades 7th-12th are invited to join us as we go to Judson Retreat Center for 24 hrs. of fellowship, games, worship and teaching! More details to come.

Christ Covenant Church



CORE SEMINARS AT 9:00 AM

Pre-K through 8th

The Gospel Project

Upstairs Rooms & Preschool Office

High School

Cold Case Christianity

Campus Outreach Office

College and Above

Meeting with God

Fellowship Hall

BIBLE AND BOOK STUDIES

Men's Study	Monday's at 6:15-7:30 AM Fellowship Hall	Book: <i>Desiring God (Revised Edition)</i>
Divorcecare	Tuesday's at 6-7:30PM Conference Room	Contact Chris Shipley 318-416-3768
Mother's Study	Wednesday's at 12-1:30PM Conference Room	<i>Contentment</i>
Griefshare	Wednesday's at 2:30-4:30PM Fellowship Hall	Contact Bob & Lucy 225-769-3100
Women's Study	Thursday's at 12:30-1:45PM Conference Room	<i>Contentment</i>

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