

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

Pastoral Assistant: Josh Motta **Pastor Emeritus:** Phill Yoho

Pianist: Vasil Cvetkov

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

Deacons: Bill Stickle and Mark Tiller

COVID PRECAUTIONS

- Please wear a mask at all times and practice social distancing before and after the service.
- The aisle to the far left (as you face the pulpit) is reserved for those who are at a higher risk for Covid.
- An Offering will not be taken, but you can use the Offering Box in the back of the sanctuary for donations.
- We are using pre-packaged Lord's Supper container. Please be careful as you open and dispose of it.

TODAY AND THIS WEEK

MEXICO MISSION TRIP INTEREST MEETING TODAY: If you are interested in participating in the Mexico Mission Trip in the Spring of 2020, please meet Shawn after the service near the piano for a time of Q&A.

IT'S THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR . . . FOR SHARING THE GOSPEL: Our friends, neighbors, family members and co-workers are often more open to the Christian faith during the holidays than at any other time during the year. Make use of the Christmas postcards on the Resource Table in the foyer/narthex to invite a friend to join us during the holiday season.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE NURSERY: If you are a member of CCC and can serve the body in this way, please email Chris at wacoshiplay@hotmail.com or text her at 318-416-3768 to learn more.

OTHER WAYS TO PARTNER TOGETHER IN THE GOSPEL

CHRISTMAS SING-A-LONG & MEET-AND-GREET THE MARXES--WED., DEC. 16 AT 6:00 P.M.: Join us as we sing our favorite Christmas carols in the sanctuary and then gather afterwards in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and a time to visit with Brian and Heather Marx (and Ethan, Jayden and Elyse). If you would be willing to bring a homemade dessert, please contact Jean at jeancarolraggio@gmail.com.

MEDIA TEAM: We need a few more volunteers to run lyric slides. If you are interested in running the slides for music on Sunday mornings, please contact Josh at joshmotta21@gmail.com.

INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH: If you are interested in building relationships with international students at LSU and being a part of this ministry, please contact Josh at joshmotta21@gmail.com.



FINANCIAL UPDATE

as of 11/16/20 (rounded)

Budgeted Giving

\$632,550

Actual Giving

\$510,622

Surplus (Deficit)

(\$121,877)

YEAR TO DATE BUILDING FUND: \$137,306

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

Give to Our God Immortal Praise

CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word

Confession of Sin

Our Father, Who art in heaven,

Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

WORSHIP IN HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS

Man of Sorrows

Amen

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD READ PUBLICLY

Psalm 138

WORSHIP THROUGH JOINING OUR HEARTS TOGETHER IN PRAYER

My Heart is Filled

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Rejoice | Psalm 30 | Josh Motta

SILENT REFLECTION UPON GOD'S WORD

WORSHIP AT THE LORD'S TABLE

The Lord's Table is open to everyone who is a baptized believer in good standing with a Christian church. Those sitting in the two main pew sections will proceed down the center aisle, starting from the front, and then return to their seats using the outer aisles. After that, those sitting in the two outer pew sections will proceed in the same manner. Then, after all are served, we will share communion together as one body. If you are unable to come forward, please ask an usher to bring communion to you.

HYMNS OF RESPONSE

Be Merciful to Me

BENEDICTION TO RETURN AS GOD'S AMBASSADORS TO THE WORLD

PRAYER LIST

Members: Bradley Aucoin, Kate Kennamer, Jean Raggio, and Carole Sexton.

Evangelistic Relationships: That God would give us the desire and ability to build loving friendships with unbelievers and that many of these friendships would lead to Gospel conversations and conversions.

Rejoice!

Psalm 30 (Page 461)

1. David's Repentance (6-10)

2. David's Restoration (1-3)

3. David's Rejoicing! (4-5, 11-12)

"This might be true of David, delivered from his calamity; it was true of Christ, arising from the tomb, to die no more; it is true of the penitent, exchanging his sackcloth for the garments of salvation; and it will be verified in us all, at the last day, when we shall put off the dishonors of the grave, to shine in glory everlasting." - George Horne



Questions to Answer as You Respond to God's Word Preached

1. Why is prosperity dangerous for the Christian?
2. Do you ever feel like God hides his face from you?
3. What is true repentance? How are we restored by God?
4. How can we give thanks together this Thanksgiving/Christmas?

Questions to Ask a Friend After the Worship Service (while maintaining social distancing!)

1. How did God's word encourage, challenge or speak to you today?
2. How can I pray for you this week?

Next Week: Matt. 28:16-20 (E-mail your questions about Ecclesiastes to christcovenantchurchbr@gmail.com)