

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

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.

TODAY AND THIS WEEK

YOUTH OUTREACH—MONDAY, FEB. 15 FROM 6-7 PM: All students grades 7th-12th are invited to join us at the BCM at LSU for a dinner with international students. Food is provided at no cost. Contact Josh for info.

DIVORCECARE—SUNDAYS FROM 3:30-5:15 PM: This group meets in the conference room on Sundays through the spring. Contact Chris for more info at 318-416-3768.

COMMUNITY BIBLE READING AND PRAYER DURING LENT: Beginning on Wednesday, February 17 the sanctuary will be open from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (Monday-Friday) for you to stop by to read the Bible and pray with others in our church family.

GRIEFSHARE—WEDNESDAYS FROM 2:30-4:00 PM: This group meets in the Narthex/Foyer on Wednesdays through April 14. Contact Bob and Lucy for more info at 225-266-7710.

READING THE BIBLE THROUGH THE YEAR—WOMEN'S BIBLE RECAP GROUP ON FRIDAYS: If you would like to be part of a group women reading the Bible through this year, please contact Versa at vstickle@gmail.com. This group meets on Friday mornings for accountability, encouragement and to discuss that week's readings.

OTHER WAYS TO PARTNER TOGETHER IN THE GOSPEL

WOMEN'S SERMON ON THE MOUNT STUDY—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24 (7-12th GRADE GIRLS INVITED TOO): Study Guides are on the bookshelves for a \$15 donation. Two options to choose from and both groups meet in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesdays: 3:15-4:45 PM or 7:00-8:30 PM. Friends are welcome. Contact Lynn if you have questions. Upcoming Meetings: March 10; March 24; April 14, April 28, and May 12.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDY—THURSDAY, FEB. 25 FROM 6-8 PM: We will meet at the Linck's house (10225 Know Hill Ct) for dinner and a Bible study and continue our study of the parables of Jesus. Friends are welcome!

FUTURE SUNDAY NIGHT GATHERINGS: February 28; March 14 (Fish Fry); April 11; and May 2

GOSPEL OF MATTHEW JOURNALING BIBLES ON THE BOOKSHELVES: This is an individual Gospel of Matthew with space for journaling and taking notes. Many of our members enjoy having these journaling Bibles for the various books we study as a church family. Suggested Donation: \$5.

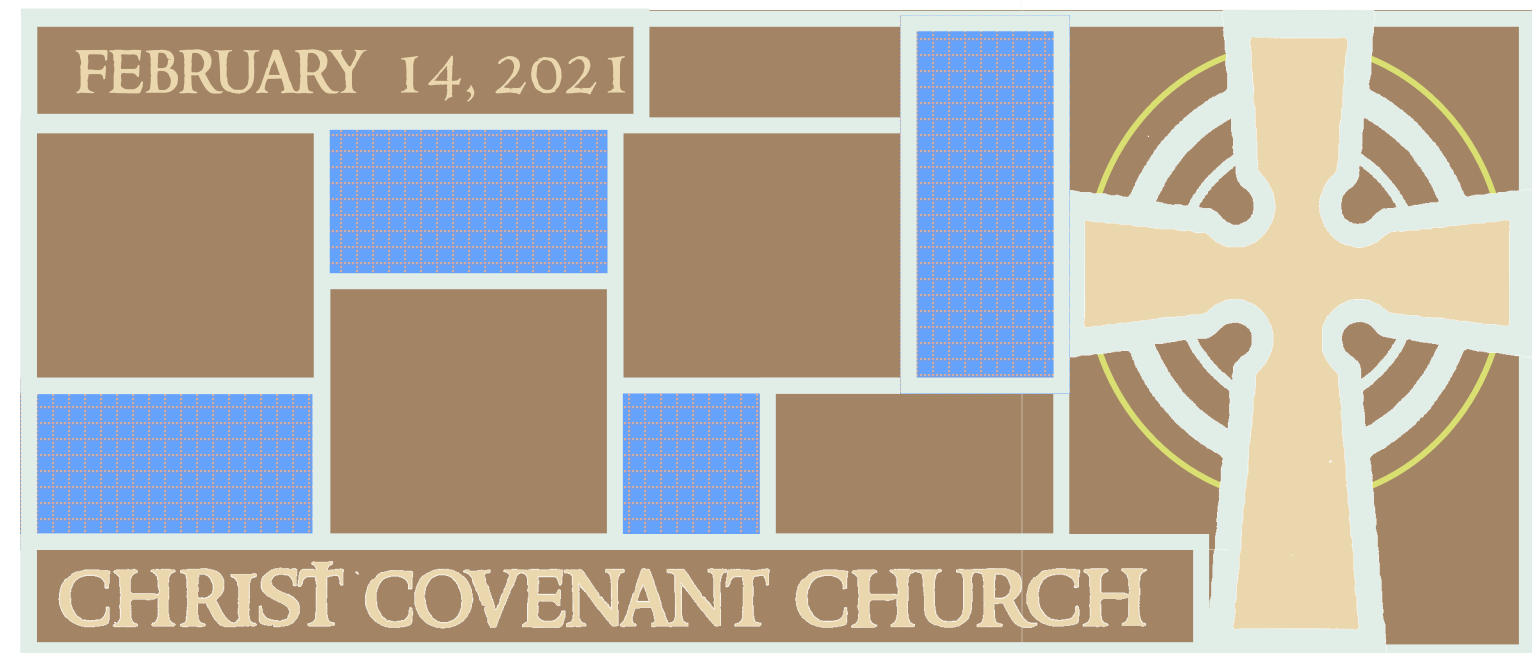
PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS: Before the service each week, we are highlighting different unreached and underreached people groups from around the world. Please grab a *175 Prayer Guide* from the Resource Table so you can pray during the week for the gospel to go forth to the nations.

RIGHT NOW MEDIA—"A GIFT TO YOU" FROM OUR CHURCH: RightNow Media is an online, user-friendly library full of Bible-based content and discipleship training videos covering books of the Bible and topics like marriage, finance, parenting, mission, and theology. Visit www.rightnowmedia.org/account/invite/christcove to set up your account and get started. This is our gift to you to encourage you in your walk with the Lord.

CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE HERE AT CCC: Contact information for the following ministries:

Sunday Morning Nursery: Jamie Williamson at jamiebwilliamson@gmail.com.

Worship Training: Chris Shipley at wacoshiopley@hotmail.com.



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

To God Be the Glory

CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word

Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father,

We praise you for your amazing grace. Though we deserved punishment for our sins, you were merciful to the world. In love and justice you gathered our iniquities and laid them upon your Son so that we might be forgiven. Enable us now by your Holy Spirit to turn from our sinful ways so that we might walk in the way of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who is the way, the truth, and the life. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

WORSHIP IN HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS

Blessed Be Your Name

His Mercy is More

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD READ PUBLICLY

Psalm 6 (Page 449)

WORSHIP THROUGH JOINING OUR HEARTS TOGETHER IN PRAYER

Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD PROCLAIMED

A Different Type of Murder | Matthew 5:21-26 | Josh Motta

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 first and then those in the two outer pew sections will follow in the same manner. When 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

Great is Thy Faithfulness

BENEDICTION TO RETURN AS GOD'S AMBASSADORS TO THE WORLD

PRAYER LIST

Members: David Baker, Felipe Karp, John McGehee, Nyoki Mokeba, and Melanie Safer.

Vocation--Musicians and Artists: For these members to use their talents, training and creativity to bring great glory to God and blessings to others.

A Different Type of Murder

Matt. 5:21-26 (Page 810)

1. A Different Type of Murder (21-22)

"Our anger is our whole-personed active response of negative moral judgment against perceived evil" - Dr. Robert Jones (professor/Biblical Counselor).

2. A Bold Reconciliation (23-26)



Questions to Answer as You Respond to God's Word

1. In what ways do you struggle with anger? How will you repent of it and trust the Gospel?
2. How have you looked down on others in an insulting way?
3. Is there anyone that you need to reconcile a relationship with?

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?

Next Week: Matthew 5:27-30 (If you have questions about God, a sermon, our church family or what it means to be a Christian, feel free to email us because we would love to help--christcovenantchurchbr@gmail.com).