

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

COLLEGE LUNCHEON TODAY AFTER THE SERVICE IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL: All new and returning college students are invited to join as we share a meal and learn about opportunities for spiritual growth.

WOMEN'S SERMON ON THE MOUNT STUDY—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10 (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: Feb. 24; March 10; March 24.

PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS—THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11 FROM 6:00-7:00 PM: Join us in the Fellowship Hall as we pray for unreached peoples all over the world and hear an update from our International Outreach (IO) team! Childcare provided.

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.

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

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

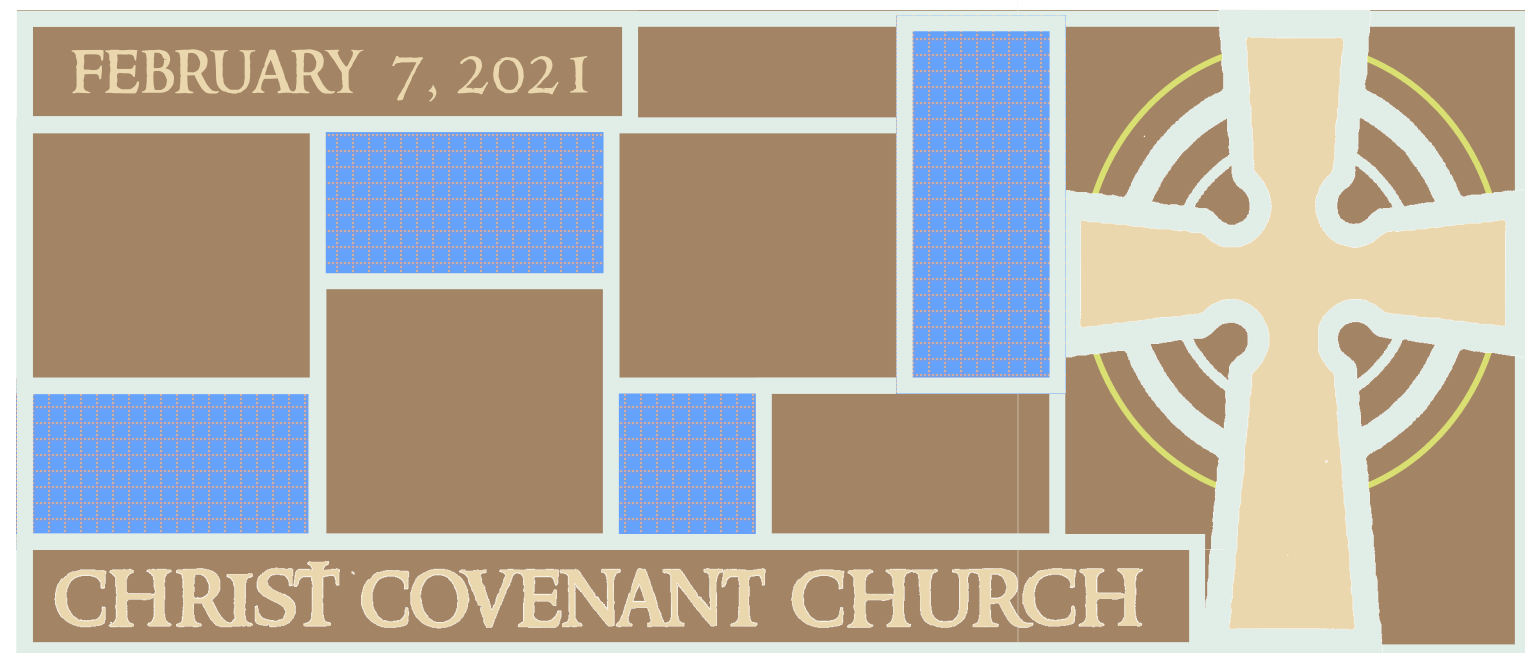
Sunday Morning Nursery: Jamie Williamson at jamiebwilliamson@gmail.com.

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

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.

PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS: Before the service, 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.

FUTURE SUNDAY NIGHT GATHERINGS: February 28; March 14 (Fish Fry)



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

The Father's Love

CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Forgiveness

WORSHIP IN HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS

Jesus, There's No One Like You

See the Destined Day Arise

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD READ PUBLICLY

Psalm 5 (Page 449)

WORSHIP THROUGH JOINING OUR HEARTS TOGETHER IN PRAYER

Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD PROCLAIMED

The Inside-Out Kingdom of Heaven | Matthew 5:17-20 | Bradley Aucoin

REFLECTION UPON GOD'S WORD

WORSHIP THROUGH OUR COMMON CONFESSION OF THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, light from light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

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

Let Us Break Bread Together

BENEDICTION TO RETURN AS GOD'S AMBASSADORS TO THE WORLD

PRAYER LIST

Little Ranch With Hope (Children's Home) in Guadalajara: For God to provide for the needs of Chuy and Amy Acosta as they give leadership to this important gospel ministry to children.

Brian and Heather Marx: For God's protection and strength as they serve Christ and the gospel in Indonesia with Mission Aviation Fellowship.

The Inside-Out Kingdom of Heaven

Matt. 5:17-20 (Page 810)

¹⁷ "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. ¹⁸ For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. ¹⁹ Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

Scripture Fulfilled (v. 17)

Scripture's Permanence (v. 18)

Scripture Obeyed and Taught (v. 19)

Scripture Interpreted Rightly (v. 20)



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

1. How are you tempted to relax the standard of God's Word? How does this passage and the Sermon on the Mount call you to obey His Word in a deeper way? And be involved in teaching others?
2. How does God use outward things—like Jesus, the gospel and God's Word—to bring about inward change in us? And then outward change? If so, explain the inside-out relationship of a Christian?

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 5:21-26 (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).