

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

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Forgiveness

WORSHIP IN HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS

Worship Christ, the Risen King

Glorious Day

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD READ PUBLICLY

Luke 24:1-8 (Page 884)

WORSHIP THROUGH JOINING OUR HEARTS TOGETHER IN PRAYER

And Can It Be?

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD PROCLAIMED

The Good News...That Makes It All Better | Romans 4:25 | 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

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

BENEDICTION TO RETURN AS GOD'S AMBASSADORS TO THE WORLD

PRAYER LIST

Justice: For us, as Christ followers, to respond with compassion, truth and love to the many issues that plague our world today—abortion, racism, poverty, environment, human trafficking and more—and the many people around us who are impacted by these evil practices and difficult circumstances.

The Good News...That Makes It All Better

Romans 4:25

He was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification.

Died . . . For Our Sins

Raised to Life . . . For Our Justification

"If God had perceived that our greatest need was economic, he would have sent an economist. If he had perceived that our greatest need was entertainment, he would have sent us a comedian or an artist. If God had perceived that our greatest need was political stability, he would have sent us a politician. If he had perceived that our greatest need was health, he would have sent us a doctor. But he perceived that our greatest need involved our sin, our alienation from him, our profound rebellion, our death; and he sent us a Savior." D. A. Carson

The Good News That Makes It All Better . . . is True



Questions to Help You Consider What God is Wanting To Do To You and In You Through His Word

1. Why is it "good news" that God does not simply forgive sinners? [Think about God's justice]
2. How did Jesus's death and resurrection change God's mind toward those who trust in him?
3. How is God calling you to live today in view of the resurrection that is to come?

Questions to Ask a Friend After the Worship Service

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

Next Week: Matthew 7:1-12 (If you have questions about God, a sermon, CCC or what it means to be follow Christ, please feel free to email us because we'd love to help if we can--christcovenantchurchbr@gmail.com).

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

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 THE WEEKS AHEAD

FIRST MONDAY PRAYER AND FASTING: On the first Monday of each month, members of CCC are encouraged to fast (at least one meal) and pray for one another using the Membership Directory on the Resource Table.

SUNDAY NIGHT GATHERING—APRIL 11—FROM 5PM-6:15PM: We will meet in the sanctuary to sing, pray, hear God's Word and share the Lord's Table together. Please join us. Future SNG: May 2.

MANDATORY CCC VOLUNTEER TRAINING: All volunteers that work with children (nursery, worship training, youth) must attend a MANDATORY training meeting. You may choose April 11 OR May 2. Both will be held in the Fellowship Hall at 4:15PM. RSVP to erikapriceccc@gmail.com or 225-288-4735 for childcare.

OTHER WAYS TO PARTNER TOGETHER IN THE GOSPEL

PRAYER NIGHT FOR UNITY AND DIVERSITY—APRIL 15 FROM 6:00-7:00PM: We will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS CLASS—APRIL 20 AND 27 FROM 6:00 TO 8:30PM : If you would like to know more about CCC—what we believe and how we are seeking to live together as God's people—join us for a two-part Prospective Members' Class in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to Shawn at thebranscum3@gmail.com so we can get a head-count for childcare. Snacks and light refreshments will be provided.

RECEPTION FOR CASEY WILLIAMSON--APRIL 18, 2021: Join us in the Fellowship Hall after the service as we honor Casey Williamson as he marks his 20th Anniversary on staff with Campus Outreach. We will have cake a few light snacks to tide us over until lunch so that you can stop by and thank Casey for his faithful service to the gospel, college students at LSU and SELU, and our church family.

GREETERS ON SUNDAY MORNINGS: If you would be willing to help greet and direct visitors on Sunday mornings--from 8:50-9:10 a.m.--please contact Josh Motta (joshmotta21@gmail.com). We are hoping for a team of 4 so that you would serve in this capacity one Sunday per month.

10TH ANNIVERSRY PICNIC—SUNDAY, APRIL 25 AT 11:30 A.M.: Join us as we celebrate our anniversary as a church family. Food and drinks to be provided in the gym and, weather permitting, we will sit together in the courtyard. We will also take time to share evidences of God's grace in the life of our church family this past year.

CO FISH FRY UPDATE: To help send our college students to Orlando this summer, we have raised \$14,500 toward our \$15,000 goal. If you would like contribute, please make your check out to "Campus Outreach" or by giving online (Memo: Orlando Project). For questions, contact Casey at 985-634-9178.

SAVE THE DATE—YOUTH RETREAT—MAY 14-15, 2021: All students, grades 7th-12th, are invited to join us as we go to Judson Retreat Center for 24 hours of fellowship, games, worship and teaching! Friends welcome.

ONGOING BIBLE AND CHRISTIAN BOOK STUDIES

Divorce Care	Sunday at 3:30-5:15 pm	Conference Room
Men's Study	Mon. at 6:15-7:30 am (Skype) or Wed. at 11:45 am (Foyer/Narthex)	Contact Bob 225-266-7710
Grief Share	Wed. at 2:30-4:00 pm	Foyer/Narthex
Women's Study	Wed. at 3:15-4:45 pm or 7-8:30 pm—(Dates 4/14, 4/28, 5/12)	Fellowship Hall

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 4, 2021

