

Lord of the Sabbath, Hear Us Pray

The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath. Matt. 12:8

1. Lord of the Sab - bath, hear us pray, in this your
 2. Now met to pray and bless your name, whose mer - cies
 3. Your earth - ly Sab - baths, Lord, we love, but there's a
 4. In your blest king - dom we shall be from ev - 'ry

house, on this your day; and own, as grate - ful
 flow each day the same, whose kind com - pas - sions
 no - bler rest a - bove; to that our la - b'ring
 mor - tal trou - ble free; no sighs shall min - gle

sac - ri - fice, the songs which from your tem - ple rise.
 nev - er cease, we seek in - struc - tion, par - don, peace.
 souls as - pire with ar - dent hope and strong de - sire,
 with the songs re - sound - ing from im - mor - tal tongues;

5. No rude alarms of raging foes;
 no cares to break the long repose;
 no midnight shade, no waning moon,
 but sacred, high, eternal noon.

6. O long-expected day, begin,
 dawn on these realms of woe and sin!
 Break, morn of God, upon our eyes;
 and let the world's true Sun arise!

Philip Doddridge, 1737
 Alt. by Thomas Cottrell, 1819, and others; mod.

GERMANY, L.M.
 William Gardiner's Sacred Melodies, 1815

THE CHURCH:

Shepherd of Souls, Refresh and Bless

Our forefathers ... all ate the same spiritual food and drank the same spiritual drink; for they drank from the spiritual rock ... and that rock was Christ. 1 Cor. 10:1-4

1. Shep - herd of souls, re - fresh and bless your cho - sen pil - grim flock
 2. Hun - gry and thirst - y, faint and weak, as you when here be - low,
 3. We would not live by bread a - lone, but by that Word of grace,
 4. Be known to us in break - ing bread, but do not then de - part;
 5. There sup with us in love di - vine; your bod - y and your blood,

with man - na in the wil - der - ness, with wa - ter from the rock.
 our souls the joys ce - les - tial seek which from your sor - rows flow.
 in strength of which we trav - el on to our a - bid - ing place.
 Sav - ior, a - bide with us, and spread your ta - ble in our heart.
 that liv - ing bread, that heav'n - ly wine, be our im - mor - tal food.

St. 1-3, anon.
 St. 4-5, James Montgomery, 1825; mod.

ST. AGNES, C.M.
 John B. Dyles, 1866

THE
APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
 Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
 and born of the virgin Mary.
 He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, died, and was buried;
 he descended into hell.
 The third day he rose again from the dead.
 He ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
 From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
 the holy catholic church,
 the communion of saints,
 the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body,
 and the life everlasting. Amen.

Although not written by the apostles, the Apostles' Creed is a concise summary of their teachings.
 It originated as a baptismal confession, probably in the second century, and developed
 into its present form by the sixth or seventh century.

CONGREGATIONAL MATTERS FOR PRAYER AND PRAISE

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My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

No one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ.
1 Cor. 3:11

Capo 3: F(D) C(A) F(D) B(G)

1. My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and
 2. When dark - ness veils his love - ly face, I rest on his un -
 3. His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the
 4. When he shall come with trum - pet sound, O may I then in

C(A) F(D) C(A) F(D)

righ - teous - ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but
 chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my
 whelm - ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he
 him be found; dressed in his righ - teous - ness a - lone, fault -

B(G) C(A) F(D) REFRAIN B(G)

whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
 an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id rock, I stand; all
 then is all my hope and stay.
 less to stand be - fore the throne.

F(D) C(A) F(D) B(G) F(D) C(A) F(D)

oth - er ground is sink - ing sand, all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

Edward Mote, 1834

SOLID ROCK L.M., ref.
William B. Bradbury, 1853

Health Related

Marg Ford
Rita Hageman
Barbara Kolbe
Diana Lowery
David Wynn

Expecting

Sarah Walsh (Due Mar 18)
Kristen Jones (Due Apr 16)
Rebecca Childs (Due May 3)
Joy Malysz (Due Jun 3)

Grieving

Keyt Family
Wells Family
Wile Family
Witmer Family

Missions

Richard Crane is the Mission to the World liaison to Cuba, maintaining relationships with pastors and leaders in the church there. The Cranes are praising God for another wonderful week with their brothers and sisters in Cuba. They held a two-day workshop on developing a healthy spirituality, followed by a third day focused on the Gospel in marriage. The workshops were held at the new “El Puente” church plant. While there, Richard was able to walk through the elements and process of worship with their worship team and agreed to continue meeting with them through Zoom. He was also very impressed with the work the church is doing with the children of the neighborhood.

On the fourth day of their trip, the Cranes addressed the network of seventy-six church planters and leaders on the topic “Peace Amid Difficult Situations.” They spoke on suffering and how God uses our difficulties to make us more like Christ, and not necessarily to change our circumstances.

The Cranes are also praising God that things went smoothly getting loads of needed medicine, rechargeable lamps, flashlights, etc. into the country.

Please continue to pray for the church plant in Havana and that the Cranes would daily find their strength in the power of the Gospel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today is the last day to sign up in the narthex for the Senior Fellowship St. Patrick’s Day lunch at the church on Wednesday, March 12 (note the date change) at 11:30 a.m. followed by a presentation on Bach by Dr. Dan McCartney. If you have questions, please contact Joan Freed.

Young adult and youth group women are invited to a brunch and craft event on Sunday, March 23 at 1:00 p.m. at Joy Malysz’s home. Please sign up in the narthex by March 16 and contact Joy Malysz or Rebecca Childs for more information.

The grass will soon be growing and volunteers are needed to help keep our property in great shape. Whether you are a seasoned mower or a novice, we invite you to join a three-person team and help a few times a year. If interested, please complete the form found in your church mailbox and return it to Bob McClurken’s mailbox or the church office by March 30.

All ladies are invited to the 2025 Reformed & Renewed Conference May 30–31 at Westminster PCA in Lancaster. This year’s conference will explore the theme of Biblical contentment. The deadline for registration is April 30. A link to register may be found in *Covenant Update*. Anyone who needs financial assistance with registration should contact the church office. Please sign up in the narthex to let others know that you are planning to attend, and contact Liana Potgieter with questions.

With the Lenten season beginning on March 5, please join Christians around the world in preparing to celebrate the suffering and glory of our Savior. To assist you in your family devotions with younger children, free copies of *Darkest Night, Brightest Day: A Family Devotional for the Easter Season* by Marty Machowski are available in the narthex (with more arriving this coming week, due to delayed shipping).

THIS WEEK AT COVENANT

Sunday 3/2
 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. Heart Hiders
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 11:45 a.m. Adult Choir Practice
 6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Studies

Monday 3/3

Tuesday 3/4 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study

Wednesday 3/5

Thursday 3/6 7:00 p.m. Session Meeting

Friday 3/7

Saturday 3/8 7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast at Henning's Market

Sunday 3/9
 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. Heart Hiders
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 11:30 a.m. Middle School Parent Meeting
 11:45 a.m. Adult Choir Practice
 12:00 p.m. Youth Group Event

For a complete listing of events at Covenant, or for more information on ministries, please visit www.covpreschurch.org

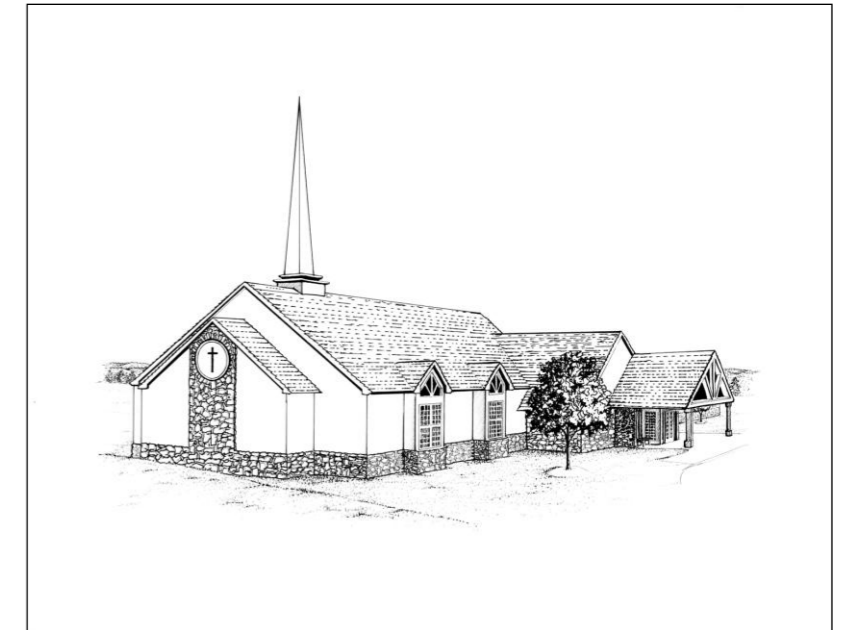


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**SUNDAY MORNING
 VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**

	March 2	March 9	March 16	March 23
Sunday School Nursery Room 120	Ella Clement	Nancy Hillman	Abigail English	Sarah Keating
Heart Hiders	Dan Hillman	Jane Reagan	Diane Dietterich	Nancy Hillman
Worship Service Infants Room 120	Sarah Walsh	M. Medendorp	Mary Riggall	C. Rutkowski
Worship Service 1s-2s Room 123	Nicole Yates Jessica Fox	Jill Buhay Amy Muhlfeld	Julia Smith Sarah Rutkowski	Diane Dietterich Jasmine Muhlfeld
Worship Service 3s-4s Room 122	Angela Tippet Lydia Moyer	Laura Wambold Maggie Wambold	Barb Nelson Heidi Moyer	Ashely Benoit Jessica Fox
Junior Church 5s - grade 1 Room 112	L. Barbadoro	L. Barbadoro	Pam Taylor	A. McMillan
Junior Church Grades 2-3 Room 110	Mark & Rebecca Kleeman	Mark & Rebecca Kleeman	Steve Rutkowski	Steve Rutkowski
Welcome Bread Bakers	Martha Moody	Holly Rorex	Debbie Schultz	Heidi Fisher
Greeters	Rick & Martha Moody	Henry & Debbie Schultz	John & Melanie Medendorp	Thomas & Liana Potgieter
Ushers	Steve Rutkowski George Schmidt Charlie Burger Sam Kleeman Jim Lowery Bill Propsner D. Rutkowski	Byron Childs Andy Ford D. Dietterich Ed Gottschalk Dan Hillman Bob Kenderdine Ed Wilson	Dan Benoit Rick Castor Brandon Jones Kris Malysz Jeremy Riggall Henry Schultz Jim Taylor	Tom Buhay Mark Kleeman Jake Barbadoro Noah Keating Jack Kane John Kane Bob McClurken Shahil Patel

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