

The Divine Service of Covenant Renewal

on the Lord’s Day
June 7, 2026

Prelude Isaiah 53:7
“He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth;
Like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its
shearers is silent, so he opened not his mouth.”

Welcome God Calls Us to Worship Him

† Call to Worship Psalm 46:1–4
Pastor: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.
People: Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though
the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,
Pastor: Though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble
at its swelling.
People: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the
holy habitation of the Most High.

Δ† Hymn of Adoration
#103 Holy God, We Praise Your Name

† Salutation and Responsive Scriptures
Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy
Spirit!
People: Amen!
Pastor: The Lord be with you!
People: And also with you!
Pastor: Our help is in the Name of the Lord!
People: Who made heaven and earth!
Pastor: The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit;
People: A broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

† Prayer of Thanksgiving and Praise

† The Lord’s Prayer Together as God’s People
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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

God Graciously Renews Us in Christ

We Confess Our Sin and Affirm Our Faith Rev. Billy Hastings
Leader: God spake these words, and said: I am the Lord thy God
who brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of
bondage.
All: Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.
Thou shalt not make to thee any graven image.
Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain.
Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.
Honor thy father and thy mother.
Thou shalt do no murder.
Thou shalt not commit adultery.
Thou shalt not steal.
Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
Thou shalt not covet.
Leader: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep
this law.
People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write these Thy laws in
our hearts, we beseech Thee.

Individual Silent Confession of Sin

God Forgives Us in Christ John 3:16
For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that
whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. In
Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven!

Interlude for Meditation

Δ† Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs
#561 Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak
Children ages 3 to Kdg. to Covenant Kids (look for the flag bearer)

† The Passing of the Peace
Pastor: May the peace of Christ be with you!
People: And also with you!
Pastor: Let us offer one another a sign of peace!

(Members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of friendship such
as the ancient words which the church has used over the centuries, “The peace of
Christ be with you,” and the response, “And also with you.”)

Morning Prayer Elder Jim Slocomb

We Give Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

† Doxology
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures
here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father,
Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

God Instructs Us With His Word

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture Reading Rev. Jason Wegener
Acts 8:26–40

Preaching of the Word
Exposition from the Book of Acts
“The Gospel for the Outsider”

† Hymn of Response (as the Elders prepare the Table)
#301 Join All the Glorious Names (1–3)

God Meets and Feeds Us at His Table

Invitation and the Words of Institution Rev. Wegener
Prayer of Consecration
Distribution of the Elements The Elders
(Partake of the Bread individually and the Cup together. Wine is used
for communion with a limited amount of grape juice in the center
rings. Please note the bread in the center of the plate is gluten free.)

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out

† Hymn of Dedication — Deacons’ Fund Offering
#301 Join All the Glorious Names (4–5)
† Benediction Rev. Wegener
† Hymn of Dismissal
730 Benediction (2)

Thus may we abide in union with each other and the Lord, and
possess, in sweet communion, joys which earth cannot afford.

Postlude
The Order of Divine Worship
concludes with your silent prayer of praise and thanksgiving.

† Indicates the congregation standing
Δ Ushers may seat latecomers