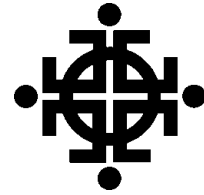


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# First Covenant Church

*Welcome to our church! May you know the joy of salvation, which is ours through Jesus Christ and that through the warmth of our fellowship you may grow in God's grace and love.*

## Worship Celebration

July 3, 2022

9:30am

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

From Psalm 66

Come and see what God has done;

**he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.**

Let us rejoice in him,

**Who rules by his might forever.**

Bless our God, O peoples,

**let the sound of his praise be heard**

Blessed be God, because he has not rejected our prayers

**Or removed his steadfast love from us.**

Hymn #5

"Great Is the Lord"

Opening Prayer

Reading of God's Word

First Lesson

Psalms 30:1-2 (Pew Bible pg. 418)

Second Lesson

Luke 10: 1-1, 16-20 (Pew Bible pg. 793)

Silence for Reflection

Giving of our Tithes and Offering

Doxology 48

*The mission of First Covenant Church is to WORSHIP God,  
EQUIP people to live in faith, SHARE God's love,  
and SERVE the community around us.*

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Morning Prayer\*\*

Hymn 36 "O Come, Let Us Adore Him"

Message "The Book of Ecclesiastes" Daniel Triestman

Hymn 657 "Thanks to God for My Redeemer"

Challenge...Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you,  
 The Lord make his face to shine upon you  
 And be gracious, gracious, gracious to you.  
 The Lord lift up his countenance upon you  
 And give you, give you, give you peace.

Postlude

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Worship Leader: Roger Linden  
 Usher: Shirley Koski  
 Scripture Reader: Wayne Christiansen  
 Technical Assistance: Roger Johnston

\*\* For the Morning Prayer, you are invited to offer a prayer request or praise item. To do this, please write out your request on a slip of paper provided in the pew rack. Then place it in the offering plate as the offering is taken.

Because the mask recommendations of the CDC and St. Louis County change frequently related to the current risk level, we would like to remind you of the basic Covid-19 precautions. You may feel free to make your own decision based on your specific circumstances. (Wear a mask indoors if you have symptoms, or the risk is high; stay up to date with a available vaccines; get tests if you have symptoms; and use appropriate precautions, including staying at home, if you have symptoms) Thank you!

**For the Week of July 4, 2022**

Today 10:30 a.m. Coffee & Conversation

Tuesday 12:00 p.m. Ladies Lunch at Little Gourmet Deli

**Next Sunday – July 10, 2022**

9:30 a.m. Worship Celebration with Communion  
 Mike Hannay, preaching  
*Ushers: Brian & Julie Hill*  
*Technical Assistance: Roger Johnston*

10:30 a.m. Coffee and fellowship

**Coming Events**

July 13 Council Meeting  
 July 24 Quarterly Business Meeting  
 July 31 All-Church Picnic

**Christ's Body in Action**

**Church caretakers:**

This week: Roger & Judy Linden  
 Next Week: Lucas & Cassie Hill

**Lawn-mowing**

This week: Lucas Hill  
 Next week: Russ Carlson Family

**Pray for:**

*Military personnel: Sarah Skogman, Grace Koski*  
*Area Public Safety personnel*

