Notes:

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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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

January 29, 2023 9:30am Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Wise men came to worship Christ.

Let such wisdom lead us to worship him.

They followed the light they had.

In such faithfulness let us worship today.

Grant us wisdom to walk in your light

and to present ourselves and our gifts as our grateful worship.

Hymn #213

"My Lord of Light"

Opening Prayer

Reading of God's Word

First Lesson Micah 6: 1-8 (Pew Bible pg. 712) Second Lesson Matthew 5: 1-12 (Pew Bible pg. 739)

Silence for Reflection

Giving of our Tithes and Offering

Doxology #48

Morning Prayer**

Hymn #207 "Christ Is the Truth, the Way"

Message "A New Heart" Brad Monson

Hymn #219 "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story"

Challenge...Blessing

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

Postlude

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Worship Leader: Julie Phaneuf-Hill

Ushers: Bob & Mary Nelson

Today

10:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation 11:00 a.m. Annual Business Meeting 2:00 p.m. Service at Waterview Pines

This Week

Tuesday, 1:00 p.m. Salvation Army

Next Sunday, February 5th

9:30 a.m. Worship Celebration with Communion
Pastor Dan Triestman preaching
Usher: Shirley Koski
10:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation
11:00 a.m. Adult Christian Education: Philippians 4

Coming Events

Tuesday, February 7th, 12:00p.m., Ladies Lunch at Saigon Cafe

Caretakers this week: Barb Knapper

Caretakers next week: Roger & Judy Linden

Pray for:

Military personnel: Sarah Skogman, Grace Koski, Area Public Service personnel.

^{**} 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.