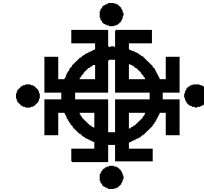


Notes:



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 14, 2024

9:30 a.m.

Second Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Arise, Sing to the Lord a new song.

Sing to the Lord, bless his name tell of his love from day to day.

Shout his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all peoples.

Honor and majesty are before him; strength and beauty are in his word.

Let us worship him!

Hymn #212

"One Day"

Opening Prayer

Reading of God's Word

First Lesson: 1 Samuel 3: 1-10

(Pew Bible pg. 201)

Second Lesson: John 1:43-51

(Pew Bible pg. 810)

Giving of our Tithes and Offering

Doxology #48

Morning Prayer

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

Hymn # 198

“Though Didst Leave Thy Throne”

Today
10:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation

Message

“Why Does God Hide?”
1 King 18: 23-39

Dan Triestman

This Week
9:30 a.m. Project Day

Hymn #418

“God Moves in a Mysterious Way”

Next Sunday
9:30 a.m. Worship Celebration
Pastor Randy Swenson
Ushers: Wayne & Bernie Christiansen
10:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation

*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, give you peace.

Coming Events
Sunday, January 28th 11:00 a.m.
Annual Church Business Meeting

Postlude

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Caretakers this week: Roger & Gail Johnston

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Pray for:

Craig Wickstrom, liaison to Covenant Church of Congo

Military personnel: Sarah Skogman & Grace Koski, Brandon Max

Area public service personnel

Worship Leader: Wayne Christiansen
Scripture Reader: Barb Knapper
Ushers: Roger & Gail Johnston

The **Covenant Home Altar** for the months of January through March is available as you leave the service this morning.

Reports and financial records to be included in the annual report booklet should be submitted to Gail Johnston no later than next Sunday, January 21st.