





## **LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE**

### **JUNE 16, 2024**

#### **PRELUDE**

**Welcome & Announcements**

Rev. Walt Coppersmith

**Meditation & Preparation for Worship**

#### **GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

**\*Call to Worship** (*From 1 Chronicles 29:10-13*)

David Howell

Leader: Blessed are you, O LORD, the God of Israel our father, forever and ever. Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is yours.

***Congregation: Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, and you are exalted as head above all.***

Leader: Both riches and honor come from you, and you rule over all. In your hand are power and might, and in your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all.

***Congregation: And now we thank you, our God, and praise your glorious name.***

**\*Opening Prayer**

#### **WE APPROACH GOD**

**\*Songs of Praise:**

*Kyrie Eleison*

*Lord, For Your Glory*

*O Love That Will Not Let Me Go*

**Old Testament Reading:** Isaiah 8:1-15

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory:** *God of Our Fathers*

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**\*Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving:** #731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavn'ly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

### **Prayers of the People**

*Children (3 years old – Kindergarten) may be dismissed for Children's Fellowship*

### **GOD SPEAKS TO US**

**\*Hymn:** #625 *Tell Me the Old, Old Story*

**New Testament Reading:** Galatians 5:1-12

**Message:** *"The Offense of the Cross"* Rev. Haruaki Odate (O-chan)

### **WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

**\*Hymn:** #252 *When I Survey the Wonderous Cross*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Sending:** #735 *Gloria Patri*

*\*Congregation please stand as able*

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If you are visiting with us today, **welcome!** We hope you are blessed by being here and that you feel comfortable and at home.

**For guests with children:** We welcome children in the service but if you need other resources, a **Nursery** is available for babies and toddlers up to 3 years old and, children 3 years old through kindergarten are welcome to attend **Children's Fellowship** (dismissed after the prayer). The nursery is located across the hall from the sanctuary and Children's Fellowship meets at the end of the hall in our education wing. Children are also welcome to pick up a Children's bulletin clipboard at the Welcome Desk.

**This week:**

<b>Today</b>	9:00 am	Fellowship Breakfast and Missions presentation
<i>(June 16)</i>	10:15 am	Worship
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:30 pm	Session meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:30 pm	Ladies' Summer Bible Study @ the church
<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 am	Prayer in classroom #8
<i>(June 23)</i>	10:15 am	Worship

**Serving Today****Greeters:** Partridge family**Worship Leader:** D. Howell**Nursery:** F. Mahtani, L. Bauer, S. Bauer**Children's Fellowship:** N. Schroeder**D.A.D.** TBD**Serving next week: June 23****Greeters:** N. Schroeder & G. Minnigh**Worship Leader:** R. Dalbey**Nursery:** D. Faith, C. Berkenpas, T. Bovard**Children's Fellowship:** C. Schroeder, S. Ahlers, E. Schroeder**D.A.D.** D. Faith

**Note:** Announcements for the bulletin should be submitted to the office by 3 p.m. Wednesday for printing on Thursday.

**Connect**

I'd like more info about:

 Volunteering Membership Bible study Home groups Youth ministry Other:

name

address

phone

email

 Please add me to the church email list Please add me to the email prayer chain Please add/change above information to church directory

*Place this tear-off strip in the offering plate.*

**June 16, 2024**

***“The Offense of the Cross”***

Galatians 5:1-12

Rev. Haruaki Odate (O-chan)

**Prayer and Praises for our Church Family:****New Cov Family:**

Pray for the spiritual and all-around blessings for the following church members/friends and their families. This week, pray for **Christian & Olga Sansone (Sasha, Rosie, Theo)**, **Andrew & Sarah Schmidt (Caleb)**, **Rick & Nancy Schroeder**.

**Remember the prayer needs of:**

**Rick Scheffer** – *treatment for colon cancer*

**Shelly Riemersma** – *recovering from bone marrow transplant*

**Discipleship Committee** – *search for Sunday School teachers*

**Fairmont Mission team** – *preparations for July trip*

**Tom Turner** – *as he settles into his new home Washington*

**Pulpit Nominating Committee**

**Vacation Bible School**

**For our Military:**

Pray for those serving or training in the military – especially those from our church family or who have friends or relatives in our church family: This week pray for: **Ryan Grimm, Jason Hice, Naomi Howard**.

**For Missionaries, Ministry and Outreach Partners:**

Remember the organizations and individuals that we partner with prayerfully and financially. This week, pray for:

**See Jesus – A Praying Life Ministry**

**St. James Fellowship - John Patterson**

**Third Millennium Ministries - Chris and Josephine**

**Presbycon 2024 - Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>; 9am to 5pm** | Calling all board game aficionados! This year's edition of Presbycon will be held at Providence PCA (Robinson Township). Please visit <http://presbycon.weebly.com> for more information and to register!

### **Thank You!**

*This is a heartfelt thank-you to my New Covenant family for your thoughtfulness during the preparations for my recent move to Washington State. I will always be touched when I recall the many kind words, prayers, visits, hugs, and treats during the last week or two prior to my departure. A very special thanks goes to David Iriana and the other six men who were willing to help load a truck, even though this part of the plan ultimately changed.*

*I miss you all, but I'm settling into the community here in my new digs. My new address is: 13525 E. Carlisle Avenue, #339, Spokane Valley WA 99216*

*Blessing to you all, and if you're ever in Eastern Washington, come visit!*

*-Tom Turner*

### **Ladies' Summer Bible Study– Wednesday, June 19; 6:30 pm.**

Jerri McMichael is leading this summer's PCA Women's study, *"Relentless Pursuit, a Study on Hosea"*. Contact Jerri with any questions (text 724-882-4099 or email [jerri.mcmichael@outlook.com](mailto:jerri.mcmichael@outlook.com)). The study is scheduled to run (Wednesdays) **June 5 to July 31, skipping July 17**. All women are welcome to attend, even if you can't make every session.

### **New Covenant VBS 2024 – July 8-12; 6 pm – 8:15 pm** | Children

4-years-old through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to participate. Flyers are available on the Welcome Desk. Contact Katie Minnigh with any questions or if you are available to volunteer.

**Greeters needed** – Individuals, couples or families are needed to serve as greeters before the service. Sign up at <https://bit.ly/greetatNCPC> or contact Bobbie Watson: [watsonroberta15@gmail.com](mailto:watsonroberta15@gmail.com) or 412-499-8117.

### **Monthly Hymn Sing - Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>; 6 pm at the church.**

Beginning in July, we will meet on the third Sunday of each month. Plan on meeting outside on the patio (weather permitting) or in classroom #8. Contact Lauren Watt or Jason Dalbey with any questions.

**TCS Golf Tournament – Monday, June 24** | Trinity Christian School Golf Tournament registration is now open! For more information and to register go to the TCS Golf page at <https://www.trinitychristian.net/get-involved/events/golf-tournament>. If you have questions, feel free to reach out at [golf@trinitychristian.net](mailto:golf@trinitychristian.net).