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Kingdom Impact

*Seeking to impact the world for the
Kingdom of God through:*

Establishing Disciples biblically,

Engaging Culture redemptively,

Expanding Christ's Church faithfully.

The Lord's Day

February 10, 2019

“...which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me.”
2 Timothy 1:12

A special welcome to our guests!

We are delighted to have you worship with us this morning. If you have any questions about Covenant or the Presbyterian Church in America, please speak to the Pastor or a member of the Session. Please register your attendance by completing the card in the pew rack and placing the card in the offering plate.

Words of Encouragement to the Worshiper

Corporate worship is the pinnacle of the Christian life each week. The Session encourages the congregation to approach worship reverently and joyfully. Please turn cell phones off or on vibrate mode during the service. The Session supports parents training their children to worship by having them in the service. In the event younger children are unable to remain quietly in the service a nursery for ages 3 and under and a cry room in the back of the Sanctuary are available. Children’s Church is also available for children 5 years of age and under during the sermon.

* Indicates to please stand if able

PRELUDE	During the prelude, prepare for worship by reflecting on 2 Timothy 1:12 printed above.	
LIFE OF THE CHURCH		
CALL TO WORSHIP		Lamentations 3:22-24
*HYMN	“Forever Settled in the Heavens”	Hymn #59
INVOCATION		
*HYMN	“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”	Hymn #457
CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER		Brandon Walser, Ruling Elder
OFFERTORY	“The Lord Is Lifted Up”	Choir
	The Lord is lifted up in majesty and praise. The earth beholds and bows before the wonder of His grace. The Lord is lifted up above creation reigns. While earthly kingdoms rise and fall. His holiness remains. God’s works declare His worth. The Lord is lifted up, all creation joins in praise. The Lord is lifted up, ev’ry nation stand and praise Him. The Lord is high and lifted up, the Lord is lifted up. The Lord is lifted up, the heavens tell the earth. His excellence is evident. His works declare His worth. God’s word is lifted up.	
	by Billy Crockett and Kenny Wood/ arr. by Don Hart/CCLI 209271	
COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS		

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING
William Fennell, Deacon

*SCRIPTURE READING

Jeremiah 32:36-41 Brandon Walser, Ruling Elder
ESV pew Bible page 661

SERMON

Pastor Reed
"A Gospel Advancing Life: Confidence in God's Persevering Work Today and in the Future"
Philippians 1:3-11
ESV pew Bible page 980

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Father in heaven, we thank You for the freedom You have given us through the life, death and resurrection of Your Son. But we confess today that we often live like slaves. Instead of living like You delight in us, we avoid You in shame and guilt. Instead of receiving Your favor as a gift, we try to earn it with our efforts. Instead of accepting Your freedom, we prefer our chains. Instead of pursuing Your purposes, we cling to our short-sighted agendas. Forgive us. Embrace us. Cleanse us. Heal us. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

*HYMN

"I Know Whom I Have Believed"

Hymn #705

INDIVIDUAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION (SILENT PRAYER)

*SCRIPTURAL BENEDICTION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Titus 2:11-14

POSTLUDE

*HYMN

"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" (sheet music pg. 6)

Missions Committee Meeting in the Conference Room 12:00 noon

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in Thee;
I give Thee back the life I owe, that in Thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

O Light that follow'st all my way, I yield my flick'ring torch to Thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray, that in Thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to Thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from Thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

words by George Matheson/music by Christopher Miner
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Children Kindergarten and Pre-K 4 may be **dismissed to Children's Church**
during the hymn. Please exit the Sanctuary quietly through the rear doors.

* Please stand if able

I. Thanksgiving for God's Persevering Work in the Past and Present.
 (Philippians 1:3-8)

II. Petition for God's Persevering Work to Continuing in the Future.
 (Philippians 1:9-11)

O LOVE THAT WILL NOT LET ME GO

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Real Key

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 4. O Cross that lift'st up my head, I

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