



Covenant Baptist Church

Reformed and Refreshing

November 27, 2022

Welcome to Covenant Baptist Church. We are a Reformed church committed to three things:

- **The Exaltation of God**

We desire that the people at Covenant truly understand who God is and His rightful place in their lives as their Lord and sovereign Savior.

- **The Edification of the Saints**

We consider it extremely important to correctly teach the Bible, verse by verse, so we can properly have the Holy Spirit apply it to our lives.

- **The Evangelization of the Sinner**

We understand that God has given us the responsibility to be stewards of the Gospel and that means sharing it exactly like God gave it to us with those who need Jesus.

<https://covenantbaptistsc.org>

Service Times:

Bible Education Hour
~ 9:30 A.M.

Sunday Worship ~ 10:30 A.M.

Wednesday Prayer Service ~ 6:00 P.M., 7:00 P.M.

*(We are not interested in traditional worship
or contemporary worship. We are only
interested in true worship.)*

Order of Worship

(November 27, 2022)

Call to Worship: Psalm 103:8-17 |
Elder-in-Training Sandy Allen

Worship Through Music:
led by Elder-in-Training Sandy Allen

Hymn: To God Be the Glory 19

Scripture Reading: Mark 7:14-23 (NKJV) | Jim Hearing

Hymn: The Perfect Wisdom of Our God 25

Hymn: The Solid Rock 381

Message:
How a Covered-Dish Supper Saved the Kingdom
—1 Samuel 25
Pastor Bud Moss

Hymn: Come, We That Love the Lord 428

Closing Prayer

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Church Cleaning Schedule:

- December 3: Kyzer (K&R)/Bean
- December 10: Allen (J&W)/Steele
- December 17: Crapps

On-Call Deacon List:

- November 27: Chris Waddell
- December 4: Kenny Lucas
- December 11: Trey Egan

Scripture Songs Memorization Tool:

<https://tinyurl.com/cbcs scripture playlist>

Text biblesongs to 55498 to be notified of new song releases.

Church Bookstore:

Purchases (cash only) can be made by seeing Andrew Shumpert, or following the instructions left near the bookstore entrance.

Announcements

We will have the Lord's Supper on Dec 4th.

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Starting Wednesday, Dec 21 at 7pm, Pastor Joe Whiting will be teaching a series on "Biblical Ethics". This is a great opportunity to get sound biblical teaching on what the Bible says about ethics. In a world of confusion, the Bible is the plumb line for all that is holy. — There is a list of widows and homebound of our church in the foyer. Pick up a copy.

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Please pray for the Orphan Funds. The incoming funds have dropped off somewhat seriously. To keep taking the children off the streets, we must pray for God's support.

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A number of books are missing from the church library, and the pastor's personal study. If you have any books at home you have yet to return, please do so soon unless it was just recently checked out. The books in the conference room are not for lending.

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Please contact Chris Waddell (803-447-8257) if you would like to help clean the church in 2023. The current cleaning rotation is approximately 10-weeks for each family. We are looking to add five families in 2023. If you have any questions please contact Chris.

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The Mission Team would like to purchase a gift for each of our orphans at Covenant's Orphan Homes in Guntur, India. If you would like to participate, gifts of books and clothes can be purchased reasonably for about \$6 each, or a total of \$600 for both the 63 orphans, and the live-in families that care for them. See Alton for details.

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This Wednesday we have prayer at 6 PM, and service at 7 PM.

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We will be having a Christmas Eve service with the Lord's Supper on Saturday, Dec 24th at 5pm. December 25th we will have our worship at 11 AM and will not have Bible Ed.

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Please pray for a location for the new church plant, pastored by Bud Moss and Joe Whiting. If you are going to be giving to this new church, please indicate it by writing that this is for the "New Church Plant".

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We are participating in helping 'Faith Cometh by Hearing' and providing Proclaimers with the Bible in the Ukrainian and/or Russian language to share with the thousands that do not have Bibles. We can purchase 10 mid-size Proclaimers at \$45 each. Bible sticks in Ukrainian can be purchased for \$25 each. Please pray about helping and earmark envelopes or checks 'Bible Proclaimers'. Any questions please see Alton.

Covenant Baptist Church Events

Greek Class—*On hold*

Second Sunday Dinner—*We will not be having our 2nd Sunday Meals for now. Due to not having enough room for everyone to eat, we are postponing our 2nd Sunday meals until we can figure out how better to accommodate the crowd. We are so thankful that so many want to stay in to eat and have fellowship together but we also want to be able to have enough room for you, and your friends and family to do the same. Please be in prayer for the elders and deacons as they make the needed decisions to accommodate the growing church.*

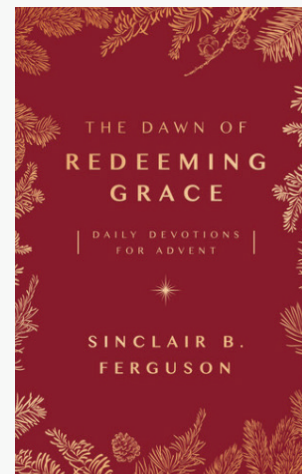
Book of the Week: The Dawn of Redeeming Grace, by Sinclair Ferguson

As dawn broke on that first Christmas morning, the sun rose on a new era: God's king had come to earth to bring about his kingdom.

Join Sinclair Ferguson as he opens up the first two chapters of Matthew's Gospel in these daily devotions for Advent. Each day's reflection is full of insight and application, and will help you to arrive at Christmas Day awed by God's redeeming grace and refreshed by the hope of God's promised king

Purchase at:

<https://www.heritagebooks.org/products/the-dawn-of-redeeming-grace-daily-devotions-for-advent-ferguson.html>





Listen:

<https://g3min.org/discerning-the-difference-between-error-and-heresy/>

Discerning the Difference Between Theological Error and Heresy

—by Josh Buice

The church for generations, in fact from the very beginning, has experienced fights, feuds, differences of opinions, skirmishes, and theological wars over doctrinal error. In many cases throughout history, the church has been forced to deal with these issues in a way that demands separation from those who hold to false doctrine. Such separation necessitates a clear label as a warning to everyone. That label has been properly designated as heresy.

It's critically important to exercise wisdom in how we approach doctrinal error. Not all error is heresy, but all heresy is error. Understanding the difference will prevent unnecessary separation and will enable the church to maintain unity and purity at the very same time.

G3 Weekly—November 26, 2022

—by Ben Zeisloft

Welcome to G3 Weekly—a summary of this week’s top news stories on Christianity and the public square.

The consequences of rampant secularism in Western nations became especially apparent over the past two years as government tyranny and godless ideologies hastened their advance. In this special edition of G3 Weekly, Pastor Tobias Riemenschneider of Evangelical Reformed Baptist Church in Frankfurt, Germany, discusses the state of gospel ministry in Europe and his hope that the Lord will cause a new reformation in the midst of deep spiritual darkness.

Riemenschneider was born into a family that subscribed to a heretical movement called the New Apostolic Church, which teaches that its leaders are living apostles who alone can forgive sins. His first encounter with evangelicals occurred when he and his sister were providentially assigned to live with a Christian family in Wisconsin during a summer exchange program.

Read:

<https://g3min.org/g3-weekly-features-tobias-riemenschneider/>

News

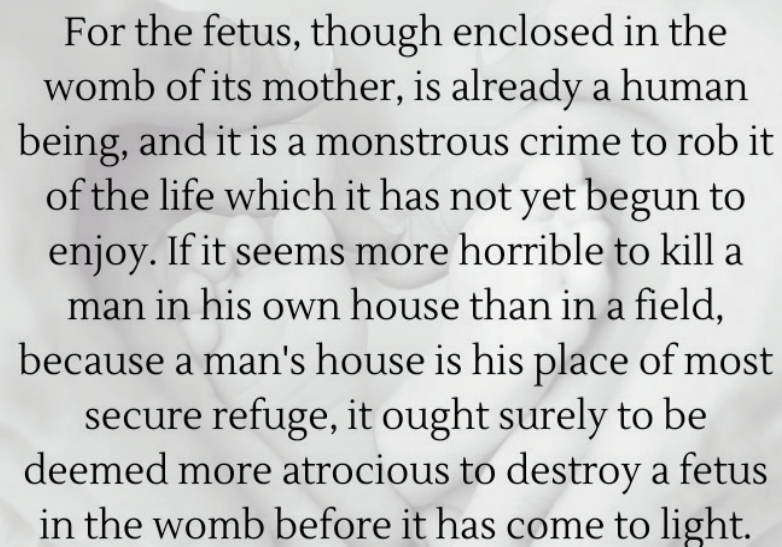
G3 Weekly—November 19, 2022— <https://g3min.org/g3-weekly-november-19-2022/>

G3 Weekly—November 12, 2022— <https://g3min.org/g3-weekly-november-12-2022/>

G3 Weekly—November 5, 2022— <https://g3min.org/g3-weekly-november-5-2022/>

Praying coach reinstated, many believe America is a “Christian nation,” and street preacher gets his Bible eaten— <https://g3min.org/g3-weekly-october-29-2022>

Quote of the Week:



For the fetus, though enclosed in the womb of its mother, is already a human being, and it is a monstrous crime to rob it of the life which it has not yet begun to enjoy. If it seems more horrible to kill a man in his own house than in a field, because a man's house is his place of most secure refuge, it ought surely to be deemed more atrocious to destroy a fetus in the womb before it has come to light.

—John Calvin

Biblical Counseling Resources

Strategies for Fighting Depression Well—by Jim Newheiser
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/fighting-depression-well/>

Identity Language in Counseling—by Martha Peace
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/identity-language-in-counseling/>

The Pursuit of Peace—by Sam Stephens
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/the-pursuit-of-peace/>

Defeating Despair—by Tim Pasma
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/defeating-despair/>

Gracious Words Amid Sword Thrusts—by Jim Koerber
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/gracious-words-amid-sword-thrusts/>

You Can Please God—by Kyle Gangel
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/you-can-please-god/>

Crafting Temptation and Repentance Plans to Help Addicts—by Keith Palmer
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/crafting-temptation-and-repentance-plans-to-help-addicts/>

Counseling Self-Injuring Teens
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/resource-library/conference-messages/counseling-self-injuring-teens/>

Enduring Dark Providences
<https://biblicalcounseling.com/resource-library/articles/enduring-dark-providences/>



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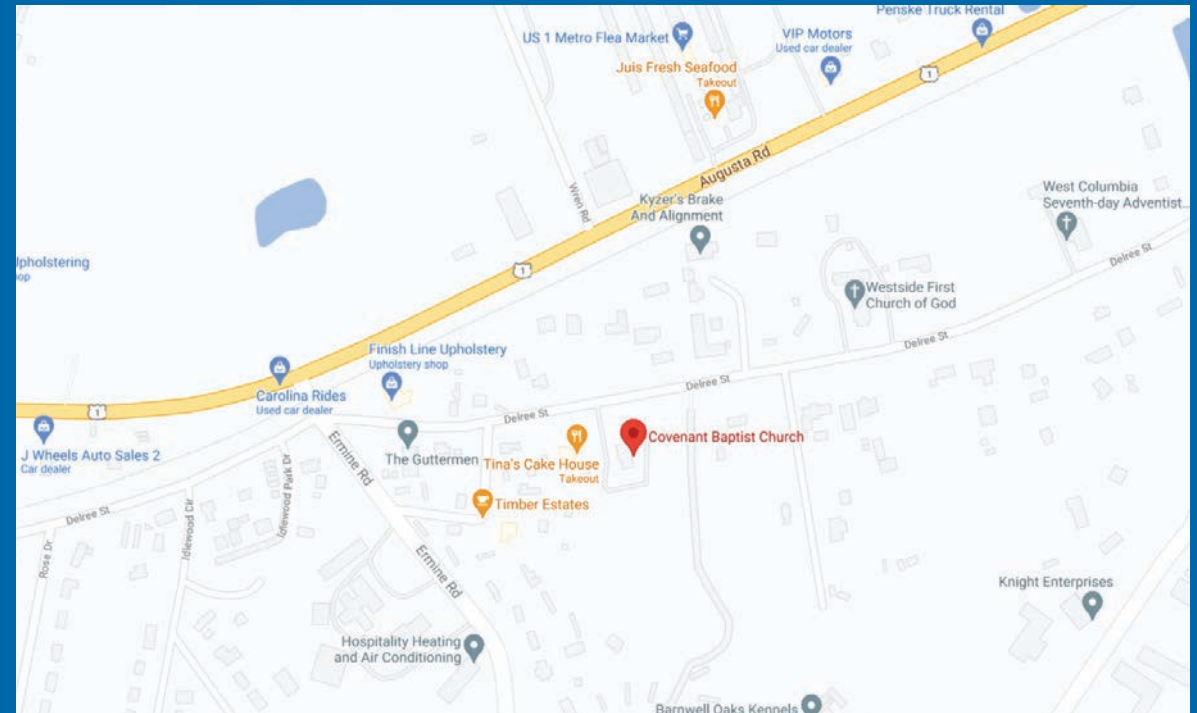
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Location:



*If you are interested in joining our church, please speak to one of our elders or deacons.
They will be happy to give you the information you need.*