

REFORMATION  
COVENANT CHURCH

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*Loving the Triune God, Loving our Neighbors, Transforming the Fallen World*

LORD'S DAY SERVICE

Easter VI

05 May 2024



## Welcome to Reformation Covenant Church

We are glad to have you visit us. If this is your first time visiting, here are some helpful things to know:

**Worship Service.** Our weekly service follows a responsive pattern of worship found in Scripture as a dialogue or conversation between the Lord and His people. Here God meets with us, speaks to us, and blesses us; we speak and respond back to Him in praise, thanksgiving, and renewed commitment.

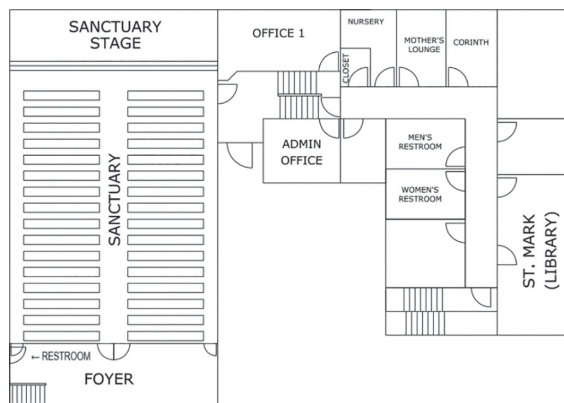
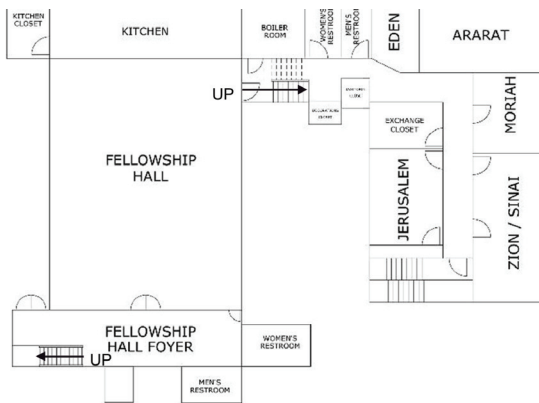
**Communion.** Each week at RCC we celebrate the Lord's Supper, receiving bread and wine as covenantal tokens of Jesus' body and blood. Christians – young or old – who are baptized, and are in good standing in Christ, are invited to partake. To facilitate Communion distribution, we encourage a representative of each household or group to come forward using the outer aisles to receive the Communion elements. Gluten-free bread is available as the smaller loaf on the distribution plate.

**Nursery.** We love having children involved in the whole service. Please don't worry if someone with you is wiggly – we are glad to have you all worshipping with us! During the sermon, the nursery room is available for children three and under. There is a Nursing Mother's room located adjacent to our Nursery, if you feel you need quiet or privacy. A video feed of the service can be viewed here, as well as in the Fellowship Hall below the sanctuary.

**Restrooms.** Restrooms are located down the stairs from the Foyer and in the educational wing.

**Weekly Meal.** Every week RCC hosts a weekly Agape meal after the service (served as a potluck). We always have plenty of food, and would love for you to join us for fellowship after worship!

**Contact.** If you would like us to contact you this week, please leave your name, phone number, and/or email on a visitor card, and give it to one of our Greeters, Deacons, or Elders.





# Call to Worship - THE LORD CALLS US BEFORE HIS PRESENCE

*The people shall rise.*

## This Joyful Eastertide

1. This joy - ful Eas - ter - tide, A - way with care and sor - row!  
2. My flesh in hope shall rest, And for a sea - son slum - ber;  
3. Death's flood hath lost his chill, Since Je - sus crossed the riv - er:

5  
My love, the Cru - ci - fied, Hath sprung to life this mor - row.  
Till trump from east to west, Shall wake the dead in num - ber.  
Lov - er of souls, from ill My pass - ing soul de - liv - er.

10  
Had Christ, that once was slain, Ne'er burst His three-day pris - on, Our faith had been in

16  
vain; But now hath Christ a - ris - en, A - ris - en, a - ris - en, a - ris - en!

Music: *David's Psalmen*, Amsterdam, 1685; harm. Alice Parker, 1966  
Text: George Ratcliffe Woodward, 1902

VRUECHTEN  
67.67. w/ refrain



Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

*Matthew 28:29*

All: Amen!

The LORD be with you!

*Ruth 2:4*

And also with you!

The LORD is risen!

**The LORD is risen indeed!**

Grace to you and peace, from Him who is and was and who is to come, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the Firstborn of the dead, and the Ruler of kings on earth.

Alleluia, Amen!

*Revelation 1:4-5*

## Confession of Sin - THE LORD CLEANSSES US IN CHRIST

“If I regard iniquity in my heart, the Lord will not hear.” *Psalms 66:18*

Silent Confession

Corporate Confession

**I confess to Almighty God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and before all the company of heaven, that I have sinned, in thought, word and deed, through my fault, my own fault, my own most grievous fault; wherefore, I pray Almighty God to have mercy upon me, to forgive all my sins, and to make clean my heart. For I pray in the Father's love, pleading the shed blood of Christ His Son, through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

“O Israel, hope in the Lord; for with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is abundant redemption. And He shall redeem Israel from all his iniquities.” *Psalms 130:7-8*



James B. Jordan

*ff* Hal - le - lu - yah! Praise to God the Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Spir - it!  
Glo ry to You, O Lord, both now and for - ev - er, Hal - le - lu - yah!

## Consecration and Ascension - THE LORD BRINGS US INTO THE HEAVENLIES

Sursum Corda

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord!

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is pro - per and right to do so.



## The Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Sab - a - oth;

Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry; Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na in the

high - est. Bless - ed is He, Bless - ed is He, Bless - ed is He that com - eth in the

name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na in the high - est.



# Song of Praise

## Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

ST. DENIO (JOANNA) (11 11. 11 11)

Walter Chalmers Smith, 1867

from *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, John Roberts, 1839

1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,  
 2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,  
 3. To all, life Thou giv - est, to both great and small;  
 4. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,

In light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,  
 Nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, Thou rul - est in might;  
 In all life Thou liv - est, the true life of all;  
 Thine an - gels a - dore Thee, all veil - ing their sight;

Most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,  
 Thy jus - tice, like moun - tains, high soar - ing a - bove  
 We blos - som and flour - ish as leaves on the tree,  
 All laud we would ren - der; O help us to see

Al - might - y, vic - to - rious, Thy great Name we praise.  
 Thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.  
 And with - er and per - ish - but naught chang - eth Thee.  
 'Tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth Thee.







## Psalm 80

(cont.)



12.       Why then have You broken | down its walls,  
          So that all who pass along the way | pluck its fruit?
13.       The boar from the forest rav- | ages it,  
          And all that move in the field | feed on it.
14.       Turn again, O | God of hosts!  
          Look down from | heaven, and see;
15.       Have regard for this vine, the stock that Your right hand | planted,  
          And for the son whom You made strong | for Yourself.
16.       They have burned it with fire; they have | cut it down;  
          May they perish at the rebuke | of Your face!
17.       But let Your hand be on the man of Your | right hand,  
          The son of man whom you have made strong | for Yourself!
18.       Then we shall not turn | back from You;  
          Give us life, and we will call up- | on Your name!
19.       Restore us, O LORD | God of hosts!  
          Let Your face shine, that we | may be saved!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son  
      And to the Holy | Spirit  
As it was in the be- | ginning,  
      Is now, and will be forever. | Amen



**The Gospel of Luke–Acts, Volume I: The King of Jubilee  
The Glorified Redeemer  
Brittain Brewer**

**Proclamation of the Word**

*The people shall rise*

OT Reading: Exodus 34:29–35; Deuteronomy 18:15–19

NT Reading: Luke 9:28–36

This is the word of the LORD

**Thanks be to God!**

*The people shall sit*



# Response to God's Word - Tribute Offerings

The people shall bring their tithes and offerings.

## Rise, O Church, and Lift Your Voices

REGENT SQUARE (8 7. 8 7. 8 7.)  
Henry T. Smart, 1866

Jack Williams Hayford, 1986

1. Rise, O Church, and lift your voices, Christ has con- quered  
 2. See the tomb where death had laid Him, Emp- ty now, its  
**3. Hear the earth pro - test and trem - ble, See the stone re -**  
 4. Doubt may lift its head to mur - mur, Scof - fers mock and  
 5. We ac - claim Your life, O Je - sus, Now we sing Your

death and hell. Sing as all the earth re - joic - es;  
 mouth de - clares; "Death and I could not con - tain Him,  
**moved with pow'r; All hell's min - ions may as - sem - ble**  
 sin - ners jeer; But the truth pro - claims a won - der  
 vic - to - ry; Sin or hell may seek to seize us

Re - sur - rec - tion an - thems swell. Come and wor - ship,  
 For the Throne of Life He shares." Come and wor - ship,  
**But can - not with - stand His hour. He has con - quered,**  
 Thought - ful hearts re - ceive with cheer. He is ris - en,  
 But Your con - quest keeps us free. Stand in tri - umph,

Come and wor - ship, Wor - ship Christ, the Ris - en King!  
 Come and wor - ship, Wor - ship Christ, the Ris - en King!  
**He has con - quered, Christ the Lord, the Ris - en King!**  
 He is ris - en, Now re - ceive the Ris - en King!  
 Stand in tri - umph, Wor - ship Christ, the Ris - en King!



## The Prayers of the People

Following each praise or petition, the leader and the people shall say

Lord, in your mercy  
Hear our prayer

## The Lord's Prayer

Music: Traditional, very ancient

Text: *Holy Bible, King James Version, 1611*

Cantor                      Congregation

8      9 Our Fa ther who art in Heav - en, Hal - low - ed be Thy name. 10 Thy king - dom come.

5      8 Thy will be done on earth, as it is in Heav - en. 11 Give us this day our dai - ly bread,

8      12 And for - give us our tres - pass - es as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us.

10      8 13 And lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil;

12      8 For Thine is the king - dom and the pow'r and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

## Communion - THE LORD DINES WITH US AT HIS TABLE

### Preparation for Communion

Congregation of the Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord has prepared His table for all who love and trust in Him for their salvation. All those who have repented of their sins, have been baptized, and are in good standing in the Church of Jesus Christ are welcome at His table. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call.



# Confession of Faith - The Nicene Creed

*The people shall rise.*

## I Believe in One God

The Nicene Creed

John Merbecke, 1510-1585

The Communion Service

according to *The Book of Common Prayer*, 1550, alt.

The Book of Common Prayer



I be-lieve in one God The Fa-ther Al-might-y, Mak-er of heav'n and earth, And of all things vis-i-ble and in-vis-i-ble:



and in one Lord Je-sus Christ, The on-ly be-got-ten Son of God; be-got-ten of His Fa-ther be-fore all worlds,



God of God, Light of Light, ver-y God of ver-y God; be-got-ten, not made: be-ing of one sub-stance with the Fa-ther;



by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our sal-va-tion came down from heav-en, and was in-car-nate by the



Ho-ly Ghost of the vir-gin Mar-y, and was made man; and was cru-ci-fied al-so for us un-der Pon-tius Pi-late;



He suf-fered and was bur-ied; and the third day He rose a-gain ac-cord-ing to the Scrip-tures: And as-cend-ed in-to heav-en,



And sit-teth at the right hand of the Fa-ther: And He shall come a-gain, with glo-ry to judge both the quick and the dead:



Whose king-dom shall have no end. And I be-lieve in the Ho-ly Ghost, the Lord, and Giv-er of Life, Who pro-ceed-eth



from the Fa-ther and the Son; Who with the Fa-ther and the Son to-gether is wor-shipped and glo-ri-fied;



Who spake by the Proph-ets And I be-lieve one ho-ly cath-o-lic and ap-os-tol-ic Church: I acknowl-edge one bap-tism



for the re-mis-sion of sins: And I look for the res-ur-rec-tion of the dead: And the life of the world to come. A - men.



The people shall come forward to receive the bread and wine and return to their seats, and we will all partake together.

## Now Shall My Inward Joys Arise

AFRICA (C.M.)

William Billings, 1778

Isaac Watts, 1707

From Isaiah 49

1. Now shall my in - ward joys a - rise, And burst in -  
 2. God on His thirst - y Zi - on hill, Some mer - cy  
 3. *Why do we then in - dulse our fears, Sus - pi - cions*  
 4. *Can a kind wom - an e'er for - get The in - fant*  
 5. "Yet," saith the LORD, "Should na - ture change And moth - ers  
 6. "Deep on the palms of both My hands I have en -

(Melody)

to a song Al - might - y love in -  
 drops has thrown, And sol - emn oaths have  
*and com - plaints?* Is He a God, *and*  
*of her womb,* A - mong a thou - sand  
 mon - sters Her prove, name; My on still dwells -  
 grav'd Her name; My hands shall raise Her

spires my heart, And pleas - ure tunes my tongue.  
 bound His love To show'r Sal - va - tion down.  
*shall His grace Grow wea - ry of His saints?*  
*ten - der thoughts Her suck - ling have no room?*  
 on the Heart, Of Ev - er - last - ing Love."  
 ru - ined walls, And build Her bro - ken frame."

### The Mystery of Faith

As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death, until he comes.

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ is reigning, and Christ will come again. Amen.



# Commission - THE LORD SENDS US OUT TO DO HIS WILL WITH HIS BLESSING

## O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair!

DEO GRACIAS [AGINCOURT HYMN] (L.M.)

English melody, 15th century  
Unison

Sarum Breviary, 1495  
tr. John Mason Neale, 1851; alt.

1. O won - drous type! O vi - sion fair Of glo - ry  
 2. With Mo - ses and E - li - jah nigh The in - car - nate  
 3. With shin - ing face and bright ar - ray Christ deigns to  
 4. And faith - ful hearts are raised on high By this great  
 5. O Fa - ther, with th'e - ter - nal Son And Ho - ly

that the church may share, Which Christ up - on the  
 Lord holds con - verse high; And from the cloud the  
*man - i - fest to day What glo - ry shall be*  
 vi - sion's mys - ter - y, For which in joy - ful  
 Spir - it ev - er one, Vouch - safe to bring us

moun - tain shows, Where bright - er than the sun He glows!  
 Ho - ly One Bears rec - ord to the on - ly Son.  
*theirs a - bove Who joy in God with per - fect love.*  
 strains we raise The voice of prayer, the hymn of praise.  
 by Thy grace To see Thy glo - ry face to face.



## Benediction and Recessional

### Gloria Patri

GLORIA PATRI (Irreg.)  
Charles Meineke, 1844

2nd century

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

shall be, world with-out end. A - men, a - men.

*You are invited to join us in the fellowship hall after the service for our weekly Agape Feast.*





## Service

**Next Week's Sermon:** "Friend of Children" Bo Cogbill

**Nursery:** Ava & Brooke

**Greeters:** Bert & Agata

**Usher:** Stella

**Ed Wing Monitor:** Nate Bubna

**Safety Contacts:** Vance & David

**Next Week:** Adelle & Ana

**Next Week:** Mike & Eric

**Next Week:** Alice

**Next Week:** Walt Colas

**Next Week:** Andre & Louis

## Agape

**Agape Set Up:** Autumn Edmonds

**Next Week:** Debie Metko

**Agape MC:** Simon Dau

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**Agape Cleanup:** D&A Hayes, Barnard, M&S Harmon, Keeton, DeWitt, Griffin, Giles

**Next Week:** Coombs, B&A Hangartner, Couture, T. Dahlin, Duddles, Schultz, Hosley

**Laundry:** Donna Hachmuth

**Next Week:** Patti Evans

**Dishwasher Today:** Group 2

**Next Week:** Group 3

## Families

**Expectant Mothers:** Lauren Fan (due 06/07), Sarah Hangartner (due 08/09), & Ange Hangartner (due 08/26)

**New Mothers:** Mallory Coy, Kerilynn Wilson, Susannah Mahar, Heidi Brown, & Rhiannon Hayes

**New Members:** Zadok Mahar, Walker Brown, David, Isaiah, Naomi, & Asa Edmonds

**Engaged Couples:** Ransom Smith & Annika Howell

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### This Week

**Sunday, May 5:** Joshua Smith

**May 5:** Sebastian Cools

**Monday, May 6:** Eugene Fan

**Tuesday, May 7:** Kaydence Cambridge

♥ **Wednesday, May 8:** Joseph & Hannah Forster

**Thursday, May 9:** Cunera Marl

**May 9:** Lily Ashworth

**May 9:** Daria Coombs

**May 9:** Varick Bittke

**Friday, May 10:** Aurelia Horosko

**Saturday, May 11:** Jonathan Hangartner

### Next Week

**Tuesday, May 14:** Maya Bittke

**Thursday, May 16:** Ciera Cambridge

**Thursday, May 16:** Heidi Brown

**Friday, May 17:** Sara Fukuda



## Upcoming Events:

**Sunday, May 5:**

Kid's Choir Practice after the service in Ararat. See Brooke Bubna or Angela Hangartner for more details.

**Monday, May 6:**

Watchmen will meet at RCC at 7:30 PM.

**Sunday, May 12:**

There will be a congregational meeting in the sanctuary after agape.

**Monday, May 13:**

YABS will meet at 6:30 at RCC in the Fellowship Hall.

The Women's Bible Study will meet at B&A Hangartner's at 7 PM to continue the 1 Timothy study.

**May 14-16:**

The Spring Anselm Presbytery meeting will be at RCC.

**Tuesday, May 14:**

The Women's Bible Study will meet at Sharon Wilson's at 10 AM to continue the 1 Timothy study.

**Wednesday, May 15:**

We will be having a brief evening prayer service at RCC at 5:30 PM.

**Thursday, May 16:**

The Women's Bible Study will meet at M&L Lortz's house at 10 AM to continue the 1 Timothy study.

The Free Strings Concert with the Hyink Family will be at RCC at 6:30 PM.

**Friday, May 17:**

The Men's Bible study will meet at RCC at 6 AM.

**Tuesday, May 21:**

The New Member Orientation class will meet at the Cogbills' at 6 PM.

## Community Groups:

**Sundays:**

Brittain Brewer. Meets every other Sunday 4:30 PM (D&K Forster) South OC

**Tuesdays:**

Daniel Wilson. Tuesdays at 5:30 PM (Rotating) OC

Jordan Edmonds. Tuesdays at 6 PM (Cogbill/Edmonds) OC

Michael Lortz. Tuesdays at 6 PM (Lortz) OC

**Thursdays:**

Jon & Kenny Hangartner. Thursdays at 5:30 PM (Hangartner/Hangartner) OC

Peter Mahar. Thursdays at 5:30 PM (Mahar) Gladstone

Matt Dau. Thursdays at 5:30 PM (Dau) OC (East)

Brenton Ashworth. Every other Thursday at 5:30 PM (Ashworth) South OC/Canby

**Fridays:**

Bert Coombs. Fridays at 5:45 PM (B. Hangartner/Nolder) OC

Chris Wilson. Every other Friday at 6 PM (C&S Wilson) Tigard

*Contact the elders if you would like to join a community group!*



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