

Covenant Church

Morning Worship — July 13, 2025

Welcome

Mr. Angel Moncada

Announcements

Rev. Brooks Pipher

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 111:1-3

***Sing: Psalter #122**

*Invocation

*Confession of Faith (Unison)

The Apostles' Creed
(Copied from *The Reformation Study Bible*, 2015)

I believe in God the Father, Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
Born of the virgin Mary;
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, dead, and buried;
He descended into hell.
The third day He arose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven;
And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father
Almighty;
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the
Dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost;
The holy catholic* church; the communion of saints;
The forgiveness of sins;
The resurrection of the body;
And the life everlasting. Amen.

* The word "catholic" refers to the universal church

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We're very glad to worship with you this morning. Covenant Church is a church *on mission* by **Prayer, Worship,** and **Love for Our City**, while rejoicing and resting in God — to his glory.

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

We Welcome Today Mr. Justin Corona

He is husband to Julie, and father to four, Joseph, Jonas, Jude, and Jubilee. He's an elder at Reformed Church of LA and a student at City Seminary.

No Evening Worship Tonight

There is no *Evening Worship* scheduled this Lord's Day.

Ladies Study & Fellowship

This Wednesday, July 17

7:00 PM – 8:30 PM.

Amanda's home, WLC Q's 13 & 14.

Celebrating Art & Artists

Tuesday, July 22

Covenant Church is excited to celebrate Alisha and her work on the new Superman movie. Join us at the 6:40 PM showing at the AMC 6 in Burbank. Please either purchase a ticket (near F-7 and F-8), or let Pastor Brooks know and he will purchase your ticket. The cost is \$12.00. Food and fellowship at 6:15 PM at In-N-Out.

Men's Study & Fellowship

Tuesday, July 29

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM.

**Congregation standing, if able*

GOD CLEANSSES US

Confession of Sin (*Unison*)

Psalm 32:1-7 (ESV)

¹ Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. ² Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. ³ For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. ⁴ For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. *Selah* ⁵ I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. *Selah* ⁶ Therefore let everyone who is godly offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found; surely in the rush of great waters, they shall not reach him. ⁷ You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance. *Selah*

*Scriptural Assurance of Pardon

Luke 18:10-14 (ESV)

¹⁰ "Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹ The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. ¹² I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.' ¹³ But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

*Sing: Hymn #251, *Beneath the Cross of Jesus*

(Children Come Forward on Last Stanza)

Children's Message

GOD CONSECRATES US

Worship of God with Tithes & Offerings

Jeffrey Kusumi

Sing: Hymn #731, *The Doxology

Pastoral Prayer (& *Lord's Prayer*), Rev. Brooks Pipher

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. *Amen.*

Reading of Scripture

2 Corinthians 4:16-18 (ESV)

¹⁶ So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. ¹⁷ For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, ¹⁸ as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

Sermon, Mr. Justin Corona

“What Becomes of the Brokenhearted”

Sing: Hymn #296, *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

GOD COMMISSIONS US

***Benediction, Rev. Brooks Pipher**

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

Sing: *Psalter #179

