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For the glory of God, Covenant Presbyterian Church
exists to worship God and equip His people for service.

January 18, 2026 | 10:45 AM

Preparation for Worship

Prelude *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* arr. Carolyn Hamlin
Brett Levi, organ

For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. Romans 8:13-14

And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit.
Galatians 5:24-25

"I have now concentrated all my prayers into one, and that one prayer is this, that I may die to self, and live wholly to Him." C.H. Spurgeon

"Godly living centers not on what we avoid, but on Whom we embrace. Anytime we talk more about dos and don'ts than about Jesus, something's wrong." Randy Alcorn

“One should also count the cost of *not* following Jesus.” David Garland

"Cross bearing means to fully embrace, identify with and follow Jesus wherever that will take us and with whatever that will cost us." Tim Keesee

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for Rod and Vicki Caldwell's faithful and willing hearts of service to our Covenant Church family.

Worship for the Lord's Day – January 18, 2026

Welcome and Announcements

Adoration of God

***Hymn of Praise No. 598** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

Invocation Elder John Sutton

Affirmation of Our Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 103. What do we pray for in the third petition?

***Hymn of Discipleship** No. 707 *Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken*
(stanzas 1,2,4,5)

Confession of Sin and Means of Grace

Pastoral Prayer

Choral Reflection *Lead Me to Calvary* arr. Jantz A. Black

***The Reading of God's Word** Luke 9:23-27

The Message from God's Word **"Following Jesus"**
Pastor Steve Mirich

***Hymn of Response** *Our God Will Go Before Us*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory *He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought* arr. Gayden Sikes
Katie Stuckey, piano, and Brett Levi, organ

Response and Blessing

***Sending Hymn** *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

***Benediction** 1 Peter 5:10-11
And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

***Doxology**

Postlude *Lead On, O King Eternal* arr. David Lowe
Brett Levi, organ

***Indicates when the congregation stands (if able)**