



# COVENANT Bible-Presbyterian Church

Preaching Christ for His Glory and His Kingdom

## Order of Worship – 4 October 2020

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Prelude	The Lord Is in His Holy Temple
Call to Worship	
*Opening Hymn	14 - Praise Him! Praise Him!
*Invocation & †Gloria Patri	
Scripture Reading	Psalm 147:1-12
The Lord's Supper	
Hymn	268 - I Will Sing the Wondrous Story
Hymn	233 - By Christ Redeemed, in Christ Restored
Tithes & Offering	
**Doxology & Offertory Prayer	
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 12:1-8, Acts 2:41-47
Hymn	462 - Be Thou My Vision
Confession of Faith and Pastoral Prayer	
Sermon	The Communion of Saints
*Closing Hymn	220 - Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken
*Benediction & <i>Threefold Amen</i>	
Silent Prayer & Postlude	
Announcements	<i>*Congregation standing</i>
†Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: And to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, Is now and ever shall be: World without end. Amen.	††Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Covenant Bible-Presbyterian Church meets every Sunday at 10:00am  
at 47 Davis Road, Attadale, Western Australia

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### Westminster Shorter Catechism

Question 17 - Into what estate did the fall bring mankind?

A: The fall brought mankind into an estate of sin and misery.

### Worship Service Roster

Service	This Week (4.10.2020)	Next Week (11.10.2020)
Speaker	Glen Lock	Arthur Van Delden
Worship Leader	Jeff Chong	John Chandran
Pianist	Ian Tay	Jerome Ng
Welcomers	Eraldo Carvalho Andressa Carvalho	Sandra Pee Cheryl Nannup
Offering Stewards	William Portillo Johnny Orchard	Kim Leow Ian Read
Ushers	Josephine Austin	August Ng
Kitchen Duty	Florence Orchard August Ng Sandra Pee	Eileen Tay Ida Lee Siew Kim Chandran
PA Duty	David Chandran	Ian Tay

### Announcements

1. A warm welcome to all worshippers. May God richly bless you. Please stay behind after the service for fellowship and morning tea.
2. **11th Annual Congregation Meeting** - To be held at 11:30am sharp on 18th October at 47 Davis Road, Attadale, WA 6156. Please be reminded that attendance is a constitutional requirement for all communicant members resident in Australia. If you are not a communicant member and wish to attend the meeting as an observer, please see one of the committee members.
3. Melville Women's League Day - Saturday 10 October, 9am - 1pm to be held at Blue Gum Community Centre (33 Moolyean Road, Brentwood). All ladies are encouraged to attend. For those interested, please speak to Florence Orchard or Alison Tan.

Appointments for the Week		Last Lord's Day Tithes & Offering, & Attendance
SAT 9:00am	Melville Women's League Day	General Fund - \$2289.28 (ET \$464.48)
SUN 9:30am	Prayer Meeting	Mission Fund - \$100.00
10:00am	Worship Service	Building Fund - \$300.00 (ET \$300.00)
		Total Tithes & Offerings - \$2689.28
		*ET: Electronic Transfer Attendance - 64

## **The Communion of Saints (Hebrews 12:1-8, Acts 2:41-47)**

As Christians:

### 1. We Have Communion with Christ

In 1 John 1:1-4, the church is a fellowship of men and women who have a personal relationship with Christ.

### 2. We Have Communion with the Saints on earth

Once we grasped this, all our relationships will be radically changed.

### 3. We have Communion with the Saints in heaven are you?

Hebrews 12:1 "Therefore, since we have so great a cloud of witnesses surrounding us, let us also lay aside every encumbrance, and the sin which so easily entangles us, and let us run with endurance race that is set before us."

Can the Saints in heaven really see us on earth?

I don't know the precise answer to that question, but Hebrews 12:1 at least allows us to think of them as cheering us on. And that image is part of the Communion of Saints.