



KING'S COVENANT

REFORMED CHURCH

The Covenant Renewal Service

September 14, 2025 · Trinity Season

Welcome to King's Covenant!

We're so glad you're joining us this morning. The most powerful thing the church does is worship. Every single week on the Lord's Day, God Himself graciously gathers His people together renewing His covenant with them and serving them. Yes, we are gathered to be served by God! When God serves His people in this way, he leads them through the voice of his Word:

God **Calls** us into his presence, and we respond with praise and with confession of our sin.

God **Cleanses** us of our sins, and we respond with thanksgiving.

God **Consecrates** us by the instruction of his Word, and we respond by giving ourselves to Him.

God **Communes** with us as He invites us to His table to enjoy a fellowship meal, the Eucharist, with Him.

God **Commissions** us after we have been renewed, refreshed, and strengthened. We receive a blessing to enjoy His rest for the remainder of the Lord's Day. We are to confidently enter into our various vocations during the rest of the week as holy callings from God serving the world in His name.

✠ **At points in the worship service so annotated, please stand if able.**

Your Children

We gladly welcome children in the service! If they are becoming disruptive (and we have a high tolerance) feel free to take them out for correction. Although, we do not currently offer childcare, we encourage you to please stay in the Service and train your children to worship with us! Please monitor your children at the refreshments table.

Communion

We welcome to the table all baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone for their salvation. Parents, please assist your baptized children in receiving the Lord's Supper. If you are not a Christian or are not yet baptized, we ask, respectfully, that you refrain from partaking of communion, and instead use this time to consider your relationship with God. If you have any questions about our practice of communion or would like to know how to become a Christian, please talk to one of the pastors after the service.

Trinity Season or Ordinary Time is the six months of the church year between the major seasons. Trinity Season takes us to the end of the church year where the new year begins with Advent that launches four Sundays before Christmas.

Advent | Christmas | Epiphany | Lent | Easter | **Trinity**

Please prepare your heart, mind, and body for worship

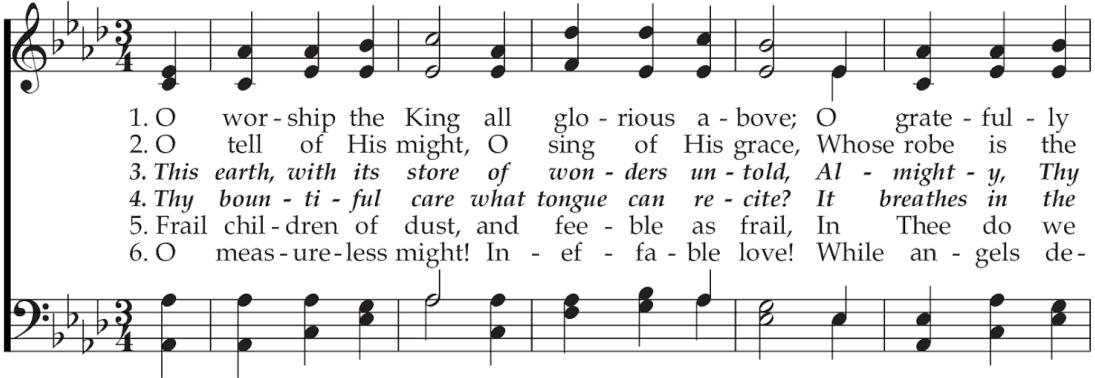
GOD CALLS US

Call to Worship

✠ Processional

Psalm 95:5-7

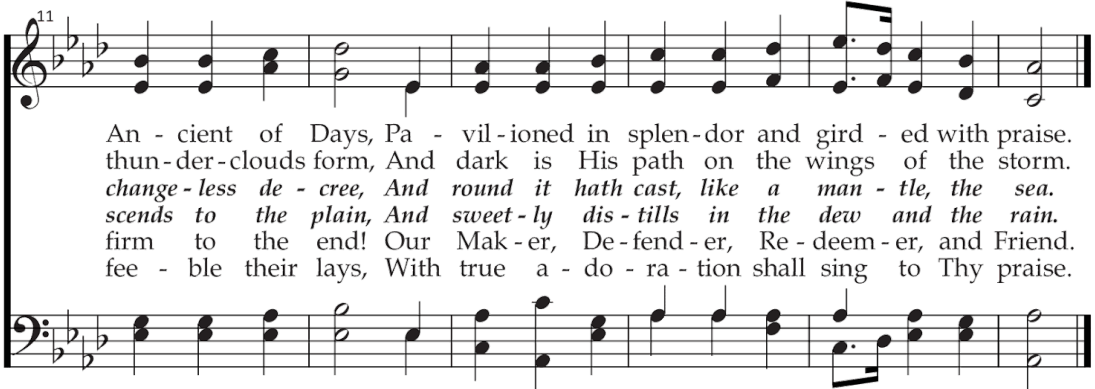
O Worship the King



1. O wor-ship the King all glo - rious a - bove; O grate - ful - ly
2. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the
3. *This earth, with its store of won - ders un - told, Al - might - y, Thy*
4. *Thy boun - ti - ful care what tongue can re - cite? It breathes in the*
5. Frail chil - dren of dust, and fee - ble as frail, In Thee do we
6. O meas - ure - less might! In - ef - fa - ble love! While an - gels de -



sing His pow'r and His love— Our Shield and De - fen - der, the
light, whose can - o - py space. His char - iots of wrath the deep
pow'r hath found - ed of old, Hath stab - lished it fast by a
air, it shines in the light, It streams from the hills, it de -
trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mer - cies how ten - der! how
light to hymn Thee a - bove, The hum - bler cre - a - tion, though



¹¹
An - cient of Days, Pa - vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ed with praise.
thun - der - clouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
change - less de - cree, And round it hath cast, like a man - tle, the sea.
scends to the plain, And sweet - ly dis - tills in the dew and the rain.
firm to the end! Our Mak - er, De - fend - er, Re - deem - er, and Friend.
fee - ble their lays, With true a - do - ra - tion shall sing to Thy praise.

* Salutation & Responsive Scripture

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

People: Amen!

Matthew 28:19

Pastor: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Ruth 2:4

Pastor: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely,

People: And let us run with endurance the race that is set before us!

Hebrews 12:1



1. ¹God, the LORD, from whom is ven-geance, God, A - veng - er, O shine forth!
 2. ⁵They, O LORD, beat down Your peo - ple, And Your her - i - tage op - press.
 3. ⁹Who the ear made, can He hear not? Who formed eyes, can He not see?
 4. ¹³Give him rest from days of trou - ble Till the wick - ed are brought down.
 5. ¹⁶Who for me with - stands the wick - ed? Who against wrong pleads for me?
 6. ²⁰Can de - struc - tive rul - ers join You, And by law dis - or - der build?




2. Judge of all the earth, O rise up! Pay the proud what they are worth.
 6. They kill for - eign - er and wid - ow; They have slain the fa - ther - less.
 10. Who warns na - tions, will He strike not? Who men teach - es, knows not He?
 14. For the LORD stays with His peo - ple, He will not for - sake His own.
 17. If the LORD were not my help - er, Soon my soul would si - lent be.
 21. They con - spire a - gainst the right - eous, Sent - ence just ones to be killed.




3. O LORD, how long will the wick - ed, How long will the wick - ed gloat?
 7. They have said, "The LORD does not see, Ja - cob's God has closed His eyes."
 11. All the thoughts of men the LORD knows; Knows that but a breath are they.
 15. Right - eous judg - ments will be ren - dered, Jus - tice will re - turn a - gain;
 18. If I say, "My foot is slip - ping!" LORD, Your mer - cy will up - hold.
 22. But the LORD is still my strong - hold; God, my ref - uge, will re - pay.




4. From their mouths they pour out vio - lence, Of them - selves all wick - ed boast.
 8. Un - der - stand, you sense - less peo - ple; When, O fools, will you be wise?
 12. Blest the man whom You re - prove, LORD; Through Your law You point his way.
 Those of up - right heart will fol - low In the way of jus - tice then.
 19. When my anx - ious thoughts are ma - ny, How Your com - forts cheer my soul!
 23. He'll for sin wipe out the wick - ed; Them the LORD our God will slay.



GOD CLEANSSES US



Pastor: Let us humbly confess our sins by kneeling before our God:

**People: God, our heavenly Father,
We confess to You,
that we have surely sinned against You
in thought, word, and deed;
Not only in outward transgressions,
but also in secret thoughts and desires
that we are unable fully to understand,
but which are all known to You.
We are in need of deliverance
from Your enemies and our infirmities.
For this reason we flee for refuge
to Your infinite mercy,
seeking and imploring
your forgiveness and deliverance,
Through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.
*Silent Prayer***

GOD CONSECRATES US



* Declaration of Absolution

Pastor: Please stand and lift up your heads to hear the good news:
... Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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

People: It is good and right to do so.

Pastor: Truly it is fitting, right, and beneficial to give thanks to You at all times and in every place, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, and with the church on earth, we praise and magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing...

✠ The Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of hosts: Heav'n and earth are

full of Thy glo - ry, Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry.

Glo-ry be to Thee, glo-ry be to Thee, glo-ry be to Thee, O Lord most high!

The musical score is written for two staves (treble and bass clef) in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of three systems of music. The first system covers measures 1-7, the second system covers measures 8-13, and the third system covers measures 14-20. The lyrics are written below the notes. The score includes various musical notations such as chords, single notes, and rests.

The Old Testament Reading

Exodus 32:7-14

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

The Epistle Reading

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

✠ The Gospel Reading

Luke 15:1-10

Leader: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ!

People: Praise be to You, O Christ!

✠ The Gloria Patri

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.

✠ We Confess our Faith

Nicene Creed

Leader: People of God, what do you believe?

People: WE BELIEVE IN ONE GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

AND IN ONE LORD JESUS CHRIST, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who, for us men, and for our salvation, came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin, Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into Heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

AND WE BELIEVE IN THE HOLY GHOST, the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the Prophets. And we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Seeking Saviour

Luke 15:1-10

The Offering

✠ The Doxology

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise Him, all crea-tures here be - low;

Praise Him a - bove, ye Heav'n-ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

✠ The Passing of the Peace

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

Pastor: Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

Pastor: The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof.

People: The world, and all that dwell in it.

✠ Pastoral Prayer

✠ The Lord's Prayer

With hands upraised

**Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done in 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.**

GOD COMMUNES WITH US



Prayer and Words of Institution

The Bread

My Sins, My Sins, My Savior!

The Wine

Come Down, O Love Divine

1. My sins, my sins, my Sav - ior! They take such hold on me,
 2. My sins, my sins, my Sav - ior! How sad on Thee they fall;
 3. My sins, my sins, my Sav - ior! Their guilt I nev - er knew
 4. There - fore my songs, my Sav - ior, E'en in this time of woe,

I am not a - ble to look up, Save on - ly, Christ, to Thee;
 Seen through Thy gen - tle pa - tience, I ten - fold feel them all;
 Till with Thee, in the des - ert, I near Thy pas - sion drew;
 Shall tell of all Thy good - ness To suf - f'ring man be - low;

In Thee is all for - give - ness, In Thee a - bun - dant grace,
 I know they are for - giv - en, But still, their pain to me
 Till, with Thee, in the gar - den, I heard Thy plead - ing pray'r,
 Thy good - ness and Thy fav - or, Whose pres - ence from a - bove,

My shad - ow and my sun - shine The bright - ness of Thy face.
 Is all the grief and an - guish They laid, my Lord, on Thee.
 And saw the sweat - drops blood - y That told Thy sor - row there.
 Re - joice those hearts, my Sav - ior, That live in Thee and love.

12

1. Come down, O Love di - vine; Seek Thou this soul of mine And vis - it it
 2. Oh, let it free - ly burn Till earth - ly pas - sions turn To dust and ash -
 3. Let ho - ly char - i - ty Mine out - ward vest - ure be; And low - li - ness
 4. And so the yearn - ing strong With which the soul will long Shall far out - pass

with Thine own ar - dor glow - ing. O Com - fort - er, draw near; With - in my
 es in its heat con - sum - ing; And let Thy glo - rious light Shine ev - er
 be - come mine in - ner cloth - ing - True low - li - ness of heart, Which takes the
 the pow'r of hu - man tell - ing. No soul can guess His grace Till it be -

heart ap - pear, And kind - le it, Thy ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.
 on my sight And clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.
 hum - bler part, And o'er its own short - com - ings weeps with loath - ing.
 come the place Where - in the Ho - ly Spir - it makes His dwell - ing.

✠ The Song of Simeon

Luke 2:30-32

Lord, now let-test Thou Thy ser - vant de-part in peace, ac-cord-ing to Thy word;

For mine eyes have seen Thy sal - va - tion, which Thou hast pre-pared

be - fore the face of all peo - ple; A light to light - en the Gen - tiles

and the glo - ry of Thy peo - ple Is - ra - el. 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

GOD COMMISSIONS US



† Pastor: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

† **People:** **And His mercy endures forever!**

God the Sender,

Send us,

God the Sent,

Come with us,

God the Mighty One of those who go,

Empower us, that we may go with you and

find those who will call you,

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

† Departing Hymn

Behold the Glories of the Lamb

1. Be - hold the glo - ries of the Lamb A - midst His Fa - ther's throne,
 2. "Worth - y the Lamb that died," they cry, "To be ex - alt - ed thus,
 3. Thou hast re - deemed us with Thy blood And set the pris - 'ners free,
 4. To Him who sits up - on the throne, The God whom we a - dore,

A - midst His Fa - ther's throne. Pre - pare new hon - ors for His name
 To be ex - alt - ed thus! "Worth - y the Lamb," let us re - ply;
 And set the pris - 'ners free; Thou mad'st us kings and priests to God,
 The God whom we a - dore, And to the Lamb that once was slain,

13. **SOPRANO**

And songs be - fore un - known, And
 "For He was slain for us, For
 And we shall reign with Thee, And
 Be glo - ry ev - er - more, Be

ALTO

And songs be - fore un -
 "For He was slain for
 And we shall reign with
 Be glo - ry ev - er -

TENOR

And
 "For
 And
 Be

BASS

And songs be - fore un - known, And songs be - fore un -
 "For He was slain for us, For He was slain for
 And we shall reign with Thee, And we shall reign with
 Be glo - ry ev - er - more, Be glo - ry ev - er -

17

songs be - fore un - known, And songs be - fore un - known.
He was slain for us, For He was slain for us."
we shall reign with Thee, And we shall reign with Thee.
glo - ry ev - er - more, Be glo - ry ev - er - more.

known, And songs be - fore un - known.
us, For He was slain for us."
Thee, And we shall reign with Thee.
more, Be glo - ry ev - er - more.

8 songs be - fore un - known, And songs be - fore un - known.
He was slain for us, For He was slain for us."
we shall reign with Thee, And we shall reign with Thee.
glo - ry ev - er - more, Be glo - ry ev - er - more.

known, And songs be - fore un - known.
us, For He was slain for us."
Thee, And we shall reign with Thee.
more, Be glo - ry ev - er - more.

✠ Charge

Colossians 3:16-17

✠ Benediction

2 Corinthians 13:14

✠ Three-fold Amen

Postlude

A - men, a - men, a - - - men.



SCRIPTURE REFERENCES



Exodus 32:7-14

⁷ And the Lord said to Moses, “Go down, for your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have corrupted themselves. ⁸ They have turned aside quickly out of the way that I commanded them. They have made for themselves a golden calf and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it and said, ‘These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!’” ⁹ And the Lord said to Moses, “I have seen this people, and behold, it is a stiff-necked people. ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them, in order that I may make a great nation of you.” ¹¹ But Moses implored the Lord his God and said, “O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you have brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? ¹² Why should the Egyptians say, ‘With evil intent did he bring them out, to kill them in the mountains and to consume them from the face of the earth’? Turn from your burning anger and relent from this disaster against your people. ¹³ Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, to whom you swore by your own self, and said to them, ‘I will multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your offspring, and they shall inherit it forever.’” ¹⁴ And the Lord relented from the disaster that he had spoken of bringing on his people.

1 Timothy 1:12-17

¹² I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service, ¹³ though formerly I was a blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, ¹⁴ and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵ The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. ¹⁶ But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. ¹⁷ To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Luke 15:1-10

Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him. ² And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, “This man receives sinners and eats with them.” ³ So he told them this parable: ⁴ “What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it? ⁵ And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. ⁶ And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’ ⁷ Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance. ⁸ “Or what woman, having ten silver coins, if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp and sweep the house and seek diligently until she finds it? ⁹ And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’ ¹⁰ Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, September 19	6:30pm	Men's Fellowship (Taylor Home)
Wednesday, September 24	6:00 pm	Youth Group (Dickinson Home)
Thursday, October 9	6:00 pm	Beer & Psalms (309 Coffee)

Please see the weekly email for the most up-to-date information about our events!



Connect



Give



King's Covenant Reformed Church
CREC

kingscovenantchurch.org | office@kingscovenantchurch.org |
Meeting: 3 Indian Meadows Drive Round Rock, TX 78665
Mailing: 404 W 9th Suite 204, Georgetown TX 78626
