

2024 Congregational Worship Plan

Each year, we work to improve worship - to make it more faithful to Scripture - and enhance our fellowship with one another. Following are a few things to anticipate for the year ahead.

Fifth Sunday Hymn Sings

In 2024, four months have five Sundays: March, June, September, and December. With one exception, on the fifth Sunday of those months, we will enjoy singing some of our favorite Psalms and hymns by request during evening worship. We've scheduled five hymn sings for this year: 1/28, 3/31, 6/30, 9/29, and 12/29. If you have a favorite Psalm or hymn you'd like to sing, please email it to Brian: brian@newcovenantpres.org.

Lord's Supper Covered Dish

We will continue to partake of the Lord's Supper the first Sunday of each month during morning worship. After worship, we'll stick around to have lunch. This will take place four times this year: 2/4, 4/7, 7/7, and 10/6. To keep things simple, the meal plan will alternate based on the first letter of your last name. For instance, for our February meal, we ask that last names beginning in A through M bring a main dish. Last names beginning with N through Z are asked to bring a side or dessert. Please bring enough for your family and one more. On these Sundays, we will not meet for evening worship.

Song Books

Last year, we printed Psalms and hymns in the bulletin. This year, we are introducing a new Psalms & Hymns book that will be located in the chair backs along with the Bibles and hymnals. When you see a title listed with a PH in the bulletin, this refers you to the new booklet.

Scripture Reading

In Deuteronomy 31:11, God charged the priests to "read this law before all Israel in their hearing." They were to do this "at the end of every seven years" (Deuteronomy 31:10). In the spirit of this command, our corporate Scripture reading will begin working through the Pentateuch, the first five books of the Bible, with a plan to complete this reading in seven years. [A copy of the reading plan is found on the church website.](#)