

Announcements

Summer Psaltry is continuing from 9:30 to 10 Sunday Mornings. This coming Sunday we will hear from Lee Gaesswitz! Childcare is provided to those who need it for children 3 and under.

Ladies, please join us in celebrating Ailee Watson's Baby shower on August 1st from 2:00 to 4:00 PM at Bethany Taylor's home. Kindly RSVP to Bethany Taylor. Ailee is registered at Babylist.

The Constitution Class will continue its 10-week Rick Green video series this Monday at 6:30!

Men of Covenant are invited to join our book study, run by Doug Domer, on the first and third Thursdays of the month! They are currently studying the book Precious Remedies by Thomas Brooks to learn how Satan introduces circumstances to lessen the effects of sin and the 7 remedies Brooks presents to combat it.

Please join us for a farewell reception for the Carr family immediately following service today! Cake and punch will be served.

Session of Covenant Church

Jeff Chewning, Stated Clerk of Session

Pete Golden

Harrison Howle

Nathan Jarvis

Rick 'Dow' Pursley, Emeritus

Paul Sagan, Moderator

Phil Schenewerk

Diaconate of Covenant Church

Darin Akerman

Ken Andersen

Mike Golden, Emeritus

John Smith

Dennis Smith, Emeritus

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A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America
Fayetteville, Arkansas

The Lord's Day

July 5th, 2026

Reverend Dr. Paul Sagan

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† Call to Worship

Isaiah 26:2-3

Open the gates, That the righteous nation which keeps the truth may enter in. You will keep him in perfect peace, Whose mind is stayed on You, Because he trusts in You.

† Invocation & Lord's Prayer

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.

† Hymn of Praise

#248, All Creatures of Our God and King

Prayer of Confession in Unison

Matthew Henry

We confess and bewail the workings of pride in us. We have all reason to be humbled for the pride of our hearts; we have thought of ourselves more highly than we ought, and have not thought soberly, nor walked humbly with our God. We have leaned to our own understanding; and trusted in our own hearts; and have sacrificed to our own favor. We have sought our own glory more than the glory of Him that sent us; and have been puffed up for that for which we should have mourned. The breaking out of passion and rash anger. We have not had the rule which we ought to have had over our own spirits, which have therefore been as a city that is broken down, and has no walls. We have been soon angry, and anger hath rested in our bosoms. Create in us a clean heart O God and renew us with the grace of the Holy Spirit. We ask this in Your holy name, Lord Jesus. Amen.

Silent Confession

Weekly Events

All events that do not have a specified location will meet at the church

Tuesday

12:00 pm – Men's Bible study (*zoom available*)

Wednesday

6:00 pm – Prayer Meeting, Youth Group

- Covenant Kids Club & Fellowship meal on hiatus

6:00 pm – Spanish Bible Study at 100 S Gutensohn Rd, Springdale

7:00 pm – Choir Practice (*childcare provided*)

Thursday

On hiatus – Women's Thursday Bible Study (*childcare provided*)

9:30 am – Men's Coffee at Rick's Bakery

6:30 pm – Men's Thursday Evening Study (*1st & 3rd Thursdays*)

Friday

6:00 am – Men's Breakfast & Larger Catechism Study

Sunday

9:30 am – Family Sunday School

10:30 am – Morning Worship (*nursery provided*)

5:00 pm – Evening Worship

Evening Worship

Opening Prayer

RE Nathan Jarvis and Harrison Howle to give update from the 53rd General Assembly.

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 53:6

All we like sheep have gone astray; We have turned, every one, to his own way; And the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

† Psalm of Assurance

#1B, How Blest the Man

† Confession of Faith in Unison

WCF Ch. 23 Section 1

God, the Supreme Lord and King of all the world, hath ordained civil magistrates to be under him, over the people, for his own glory and the public good, and to this end hath armed them with the power of the sword, for the defense and encouragement of them that are good, and for the punishment of evil-doers.

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon – Rev. Dr. Paul Sagan

Galatians 5:1

Pew Bible page number 1792

Offertory

#220, Give Praise to God, v. 1-2

† Doxology

#567, Doxology

† Prayer of Dedication

† Psalm of Preparation

**#77, I Cried Aloud to God
for Help, v. 5-7**

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Grape juice: outer rings in the clear cups

Wine: purple cups in the inner rings

† Hymn of Response

**#557, Great King of Nations,
Hear Our Prayer**

† Benediction

Our Liberty in Christ

Introduction

1. Freedom from the Demands of the Law

2. The Price of Liberty

3. Keeping Our Liberty

Conclusion