



COLE MILL ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

COVENANT RENEWAL SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2020

9:00am Gathering Songs: *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing; A New Anointing;
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name; Cornerstone; Just As I Am*

9:30am Worship

GATHERING

Welcome, Announcements, Covenant Renewal Introduction – John Beyer

Opening Prayer – Vadim Kochetkov

Now To Him

In Christ Alone

SERVICE OF THE WORD

2 Timothy 2:8-13 – Lisa Clay

Sermon – Ben Fike

“God Remains Faithful”

Covenant Renewal

THE TABLE OF THE LORD

Shine On Us

Communion Meditation – Charles Holton

Taking of the Bread and Fruit of the Vine

SENDING

We Are the Body of Christ

Benediction – Ben Fike

Song Selection – Priscilla Russell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coming Up

Sunday, November 22

9:30am Worship via Zoom

10:45am Children 3yrs-5th Grade Bible Class via Zoom

Wednesday, November 25

6:15pm Care Groups via Zoom

7pm Youth Meeting via Zoom

Condolences Our sympathy goes out to former members Mae McPherson, Bart and Dawn in the passing of Andy last Monday. A viewing will be at McClure funeral home in Mebane today/Friday from 3:30-5:00pm, and on Saturday from 9:00am to noon prior to the funeral. Visitation with the family will be graveside at 1:00pm on Saturday November 21st at Hawfields Presbyterian Church Cemetery followed by a memorial service at 2pm.

Covenant Renewal Service Our worship this Sunday will focus on the theme of God's faithfulness from 2 Timothy 2:8-13. **If you haven't already done so, please fill out your online [Covenant Renewal form](#) (each adult and youth should complete a separate form) and [Contribution Planning form](#) (one per household) before Sunday. Also please have a candle ready to light at home, as we will all light them together as a sign of renewing our covenant with God and each other in the coming year.**

Season of Advent from November 29-December 20 The four Sundays leading up to Christmas Day give us an opportunity to prepare our hearts and lives to receive the good news of Christ's birth. Our theme for Advent this year is "Do Not Be Afraid!" (Luke 1-2). We have an Advent Home Devotional Guide for those who are interested. If you would like a guide that includes activities for children, please [email Sharon Hilliard](#), and/or if you would like a guide for all ages, please [email Ben Fike](#).

Christmas Cards Cards are ready to be picked up at the church office to write messages of blessing, hope, and encouragement to our friends and neighbors, returned no later than December 4 to be included with our poinsettia deliveries. – Jo Wall

Christmas Prayer Walk Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 12, beginning at 5:30pm in the church parking lot. We will hear the Christmas story through various multimedia “stations” that prayerfully and thoughtfully allow us to receive and respond to the good news of Jesus’ birth. We need scripture reader volunteers to record a video, and we also need Christmas decorations and lights, projectors, and extension cords (contact [John Beyer](#) if you can help with any of those requests).

Dough Holy Night is a fun and interactive experience designed for your family to do at home. Together, you'll bake a batch of Christmas cookies and along the way, hear the story of the very first Christmas. Best of all, there is a video that walks you step-by-step through the experience. A familynews email will be sent the Monday before Thanksgiving with the video link access information, so that you can gather with your family anytime thereafter to enjoy this experience. Support materials for children in the form of scripture and color pages will be mailed/delivered as well as a gingerbread house sticker craft and a preview of the cookie recipe that the *GO!* team suggests to use so that you can gather ingredients, friends and family to enjoy an evening of fun! –Sharon Hilliard

Bible Study Every Tuesday, 7-8am in the Fellowship Hall. Open to everyone. Masks required. –Tim Wood

Elder-on-Call This Week (Sunday-Saturday) Contact John Beyer with any concerns, needs for prayer, or any other way he can be a source of support and pastoral care.

Giving You can give [online](#), use automatic bank draft, or mail a check to 1617 Cole Mill Road, Durham, NC 27705.

Contribution from November 15 : \$2,565

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Friday: Monica Peterson, Chris & Brenda Felder