



## Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Because of the LORD'S great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail.  
They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lam. 3:22, 23

G D G A7 Dsus D7 G

1. Great is thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther; there is no  
2. Sum-mer and win-ter and spring-time and har-vest, sun, moon, and  
3. Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thine own dear

shad-ow of turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com-  
stars in their cours-es a-bove, join with all na-ture in  
pres-ence to cheer and to guide, strength for to-day and bright

Em D Gmaj7 Em7 Bdim D A7 D

pas-sions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou for-ev-er wilt be.  
man-i-fold wit-ness to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy, and love.  
hope for to-mor-row, bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be-side!

REFRAIN

A D B7 Em A7

Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by

D Bdim A E7 A A7 D Em D

morn-ing new mer-cies I see; all I have need-ed thy hand hath pro-

GOD:

## HIS UNCHANGEABLENESS

G Bdim D A7 D7

vid-ed— Great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me!

Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923

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William M. Ruyter, 1923

PROVIDENCE

## Children of the Heavenly Father

As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those  
who fear him. Ps. 103:13

G D A7 D7

1. Chil-dren of the heav'n-ly Fa-ther safe-ly  
2. God his own doth tend and nour-ish, in his  
3. Nei-ther life nor death shall ev-er from the  
4. Praise the Lord in joy-ful num-bers, your Pro-

in his bo-som gath-er; nest-ling bird nor star in  
ho-ly courts they flour-ish; from all e-vil things he  
Lord his chil-dren sev-er; un-to them his grace he  
tec-tor nev-er slum-bers; at the will of your De-

Em D G

heav-en such a ref-uge e'er was giv-en.  
spares them, in his might-y arms he bears them.  
show-eth, and their sor-rows all he know-eth.  
fend-er ev-'ry foe-man must sur-ren-der.

D Bdim A E7 A A7 D Em D

5. Though he giveth or he taketh,  
God his children ne'er forsaketh;  
his the loving purpose solely  
to preserve them pure and holy.

6. More secure is no one ever  
than the loved ones of the Savior;  
not yon star on high abiding  
nor the bird in home-nest hiding.

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Carolina V. Sandell Berg, ca. 1855  
Tr. by Ernst W. Olson, 1925

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TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA I.M.  
Traditional Swedish melody  
Arr. by Marc Hedlin, 1975

## Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

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To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood ... to him be glory  
and power for ever and ever! Rev. 1:5, 6

1. Let us love and sing and won-der, let us praise the Sav-ior's name!  
2. Let us love the Lord who bought us, pit-ied us when en-e-mies,  
3. Let us sing, though fierce temp-ta-tion threat-en hard to bear us down!  
4. Let us won-der; grace and jus-tice join and point to mer-cy's store;  
5. Let us praise, and join the cho-rus of the saints en-throned on high;

He has hushed the law's loud thun-der, he has quenched Mount Si-nai's flame:  
called us by his grace, and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes:  
• For the Lord, our strong sal-va-tion, holds in view the con-qu'ror's crown:  
when through grace in Christ our trust is, jus-tice smiles and asks no more:  
here they trust-ed him be-fore us, now their prais-es fill the sky;

he has washed us with his blood, he has brought us nigh to God.  
he has washed us with his blood, he pre-sents our souls to God.  
• he who washed us with his blood soon will bring us home to God.  
he who washed us with his blood has se-cured our way to God.  
"You have washed us with your blood; you are wor- thy, Lamb of God!"

John Newton, 1774  
Mod.ALL SAINTS' OLD 8.7.8.7.7.7.  
Darmstadt Gesangbuch, 1698

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

We rejoice with Connor and Caroline Smith on the birth of their son Nico Robert James, born Sunday, October 25 at 8:57 p.m. weighing 7 pounds and 14 ounces, and measuring 22 inches long . Mother and son are doing well. A basket for gifts and cards may be found in the narthex.

Trailblazer Boys will meet today at 2:30 p.m. at Upper Salford Park located at 559 Salford Station Rd, Schwenksville.

The Operation Christmas Child shoebox drop-off will take place curbside at Covenant this week, November 16-23. Church members may drop their boxes this morning or on November 22, using the carts positioned by the entrances. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Anna Strickland. For \$25 you can also build a shoebox online, which includes the \$9 shipping. Check *Covenant Update* for more details about this additional opportunity.

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will meet this Wednesday, November 18 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. at Forrest Meadow Park, located at 128 Forrest Rd, Telford. The group will enjoy a "Walk and Talk" themed meeting. Please dress warmly and wear sneakers.

Our ongoing food donation baskets are receiving contributions once again, and there will also be a special holiday meal collection at the church on Saturday, December 5 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Henry Schultz will receive frozen turkeys, hams or other roasts as well as any items you wish to donate to the clients of Manna on Main Street in Lansdale. This is a wonderful opportunity to involve children in ministry as you shop and deliver food for members of our community who are in need.

Next Sunday, thirteen new members will be recognized during the worship service. Colleen Taylor will also receive the sacrament of baptism. Please check your church mailbox that morning for brief biographies of the newest members of our church family.

## THIS WEEK AT COVENANT

<b>Sunday 11/15</b>	8:30	a.m.	Adult Sunday School (virtual)
	9:00	a.m.	Gr. 3-6 Sunday School (virtual)
	9:00	a.m.	Sr High Sunday School (virtual)
	9:30	a.m.	Age 3-Gr.2 Sun School (virtual)
	10:30	a.m.	Worship Service
	11:45	a.m.	Heart Hiders (playground)
	2:30	p.m.	Trailblazers (Upper Salford Pk)
	4:00	p.m.	Youth Group Small Groups
<b>Monday 11/16</b>	8:30	a.m.	OCC Collection (to 10:30 a.m.)
<b>Tuesday 11/17</b>	3:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 5:00 p.m.)
	7:15	p.m.	Men's Bible Study (far narthex)
	7:30	p.m.	Women's Bible Study (virtual)
<b>Wednesday 11/18</b>	10:00	a.m.	MOPS (Forrest Meadow Park)
	3:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 5:00 p.m.)
<b>Thursday 1/19</b>	3:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 5:00 p.m.)
	7:00	p.m.	Missions Meeting (virtual)
	7:00	p.m.	Women's Ministry Mtg (virtual)
<b>Friday 11/20</b>	2:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 4:00 p.m.)
<b>Saturday 11/21</b>	3:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 5:00 p.m.)
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	11:45	a.m.	Heart Hiders (playground)
12:00	p.m.	OCC Collection (to 2:00 p.m.)	

For a complete listing of events at Covenant, or for more information on ministries, please visit [www.covpreschurch.org](http://www.covpreschurch.org)

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**CONGREGATIONAL MATTERS  
FOR PRAYER AND PRAISE**

***Health Related***

*Winnie Bikle*

*Ethel Castor*

*Rich Fisher*

*Peg Hasson*

*Herb McCarter*

*Fred Putnam*

*Dennis Stager*

*Sally Tomlinson*

***Expecting***

*Ashely Benoit*

*Brianne Heffron*

***Grieving***

*Nagy Family*

***Missions***

Bruce and Anne McDowell are PCA missionaries serving the new Theological Seminary in Santiago, Dominican Republic (DR), where Bruce is co-founder and professor. They are praising God for a great course on Church Planting that was taught at the seminary in September. It has opened the eyes of many of the students as to what they can be doing in their own countries. Their November course, Counseling in Crisis, will be open to the wider public. They are also thankful that they have been able to ship around 800 English books to their library, and have also purchased over 700 theological books in Spanish that are ready to ship. During the pandemic, Bruce has had an opportunity to work on a book that he has thought about for years. The book, *A Journey in Understanding: Mubammad and 'Isa al-Masih*, is now ready as soon as a publisher is found. On a personal note, the McDowells continue fostering a 2-year-old little girl along with her 3 siblings that arrived unexpectedly in August. They have seen God's grace and transformation in the children's lives already, from professing faith in Christ, to going from daily fighting, crying and fears to peace and joy.

Please pray for clarity on how to move forward with the education of the foster children, recruitment of new students for the seminary and funding to construct a classroom, for the DR as COVID has had a devastating effect on their economy, and for the seminary's executive director and his family who all got sick with COVID.

**SUNDAY MORNING  
VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**

	November 15	November 22	November 29	December 6
<b>Worship Service Nursery</b> Room 120	Julia Smith Asher Smith *Carolyn Ford	Cathy Schmidt Hayley Fenchel *Jess Fenchel	Laura Wambold Maggie Wambold *Emily Waltenbaugh	Kerri Hoogenhuis Amy Muhlfeld *Cathy Schmidt
<b>Heart Hiders</b> (playground)	Diane Dietterich Sarah Keating	Ashely Benoit Ella Clement	Sharon Muhlfeld	Nancy Hillman Derek Dietterich
<b>Deacons</b>	Jeff Currier Steve Rutkowski	George Schmidt	TBD	David Schmidt Ken Markwalter
<b>Greeters</b>	Derek Dietterich Bob McClurken	Byron Phillips Dan Benoit	Tom Buhay	Henry Schultz Byron Childs

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grow together in the grace of Christ,  
and advance the kingdom of Christ,  
all to the glory and worship of God forever.*