

Covenant Song

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- 1** Brought by God the Holy Spirit to trust Jesus Christ the Son,
We, the church of God the Father, as his people join as one.
Having been, our faith professing, baptized in the Triune name,
We, in joy and holy earnest, do this covenant now proclaim.
- 2** We will work with love and patience for the Spirit's bond of peace.
As we pray, we will endeavor to see holiness increase.
We will warn, exhort, encourage, as occasion may require.
We will seek to love each other, ever quick to reconcile.
- 3** We will not forsake assembling, nor neglect to serve in prayer.
We will seek to teach the gospel to those God puts in our care.
We will bear each other's burdens and in sorrow share our tears.
We will celebrate God's blessings, sharing in each other's cheer.
- 4** We will strive to walk in newness, free from worldly lust and sin,
As proclaimed in our immersion, "Dead to sin and raised with Him!"
We, our presence, gifts and service, to this church do now commit.
We will keep her faith and practice; to her discipline submit.

5 Should the Lord be pleased to move us, we will seek to
quickly find
An assembly of like doctrine with a covenant of like kind.
May the grace of the Lord Jesus with God's love upon us
fall;
May the Spirit's sweet communion be forever with us all.