

For pastoral care please contact Katie Kinnison at 614-625-1335

PRAYER REQUESTS

Rick Cosgray	Charlie Friske's sister	Orlene Shimberg	Ellen Greegor
Kay Hantak	Madison Hanosek	Heather	Jenny Flynn
Maureen	Paul Danielson	Nate	Jessie
Elizabeth Remnant	Holden Keefer	Lanny Long	Kay Olson
4-year-old boy	Maria Felston	CPC Member & Brother	Disaster victims/responders
Chuck Winslow	Brenda Wheatcraft	Bill Carr	Joan Sanford
Thereza's baby nephew	Karen Owen	Ted Macosko	Stephanie McNally
Mary Doersam	Anne Rorapaugh	Sarah Eagleson	Amy Donohue
John	Susan Garmhausen	Brenda	May Summers
Cathy Spicer	Jutta	Renate & Craig Curtis	Anonymous Friend
Greta	Rick Buntain	Michael Racey	Jesse
Megan	Tiffany Epling	John McCarty	Manette Friske
Milissa Campbell	Lizzy, Sue, Len	Anonymous sister	Danielle Henry
Bob	Collin's family	Pat	Patty
Buck Newby	Holly Peterson	Mona Connolly	Lindsey Sosovac
Eddy Campbell	Edward VonDoesin	Adam Pellar	Alea Ramesey
Scott & Charla	Patrick	Thomas age 2	Anita & Nina
Shirley's family	Rudy Vazquez	Kay Fuller	Family who lost their baby
Cathy Morrison	Amy's brother-in-law Travis	Suzanne Green	Ashley and mom Dixie
Melody	Pam Archer	Matt	Manette Friske
Bobbie Ann	George Rader	Pastor Mikhail, Olga & baby	

HOMEBOUND/LIMITED MOBILITY

Margaret Robertson	Judy Sechler	Harrison Gardner	Maggie Broekema
Joanne Borrer	Sara Herfel	Peggy Dinger	

Call the office, 614-451-6677, or email JP when you want a name added or removed. New names will stay on the list for one month. If you'd like the name to remain on the list after that, please call the office.



OUR MISSION - Covenant Presbyterian Church is an open, accepting community awakening to God's life-giving love together.

OUR VISION - Covenant Presbyterian Church glorifies God and builds relationships with Christ and each other through: worship that inspires, nurture that embraces, education that challenges, fellowship that energizes, ministry that responds.

Sunday Worship Services:

Traditional: 8:30am and 11:00am, Sanctuary; Alternative *Gathering*: 10am, Fellowship Hall
Office Hours: Mon.-Thur. 8:30am-4:00pm; Fri. 8:30am-12:00pm



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Youth Sunday

Celebration of Worship
April 28, 2019 - 8:30am & 11:00am

- **Covenant Church welcomes children in worship.** There's a nursery for infants through age 2 in Rm 101 in the educational wing. Worship bags with quiet activities are inside the name tag cart.
- **Large print bibles and hymn books are on the credenza in the Narthex.**
- **Prayer request cards** are collected during Fellowship Moments.
- **Hearing devices** are available. Ask an usher. Also, the Sanctuary, Lounge and Fellowship Hall are wired with a system for digital hearing aids.
- **Please silence your cell phone**, but feel free to join the staff in Tweeting high points of the service: @CovenantGather, @katiekinnison
- **The 2nd Sunday of every month, you may officially join Covenant at any of our three services.** See our New Member brochure (in pews and on the welcome table) or contact Rev. Katie Kinnison.
- **Live stream 8:30 & 11:00 services:** www.youtube.com/user/Covenantpcusa/live
For past services, special music, other church videos: www.youtube.com/user/Covenantpcusa

LEADERS IN WORSHIP

Ushers 8:30 Donald Speas, Terry Kennedy Mancini, Charlie Bergmann, Jerry Annis, Dianne Annis
11:00 Donald Speas, Rusty Miller, Tom Ulry, Peg Zilles, Steve Zilles

Greeters: 8:30 Terry Kennedy Mancini, Jared McCune

11:00 Hazel Ginther, Lynn Gay-Roedel, Jeff Roedel

Musicians: Youth Vocal Ensemble: Ethan Coakley, Kate Dougherty, Emma Faulkner, Josh Faulkner, Matthew Lederer, Sylvie Lederer, Shelby Speas, Adrienne Wise; Youth Instrumental Ensemble: Ethan Coakley, Josh Faulkner, Matthew Lederer, Sylvie Lederer, Taylor Speas; Cello: Emma Vazquez; Piano: Emma Faulkner & Shelby Speas

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Flowers by the chancel are from Sara Clark in honor of Bryn Clark's 5th birthday!

PRELUDE “Air in d minor” Purcell, arr. Woolstenhulme
“Morning Has Broken” Gaelic Melody, arr. Goldston

GREETINGS & PASSING OF THE PEACE Sarah Kinnison
The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

CALL TO WORSHIP Ethan Coakley

Leader: Christ is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

Leader: Christ appeared to two disciples on the way to Emmaus.

People: They did not recognize him until he broke the bread.

Leader: As we journey through life, Christ appears to us too.

People: Indeed, we are called to carry Christ within us.

Leader: We are called to bear Christ’s love and peace and power to the world.

All: We are the body of Christ. Let us worship God.

***HYMN NO. 401** “Here in This Place” *EASTER HYMN*

INVOCATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Matthew Lederer

Holy One, we forget to pay attention to you and to your invitation into the fullness of life. We are distracted by so many things. We believe that we have to earn your love, that we have to achieve certain things in order to be of value. We become so engrossed in self-improvement that we forget to love. We do not see the people who are hungry, who are starved for affection, who need our presence. Pull us back into the way of Love. Resurrect our passion and renew our hope. We want to follow you. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

FELLOWSHIP MOMENTS Katie Kinnison

Sign the fellowship pad & pass it to your neighbor. (Prayer request cards collected.)

TALK WITH CHILDREN Katie Coakley & Natalie Wise

We encourage children to stay with us in worship. We try to keep the worship experience engaging and participatory for all ages. Some little ones who are too restless to remain in the Sanctuary for the full hour, with their grown-ups’ permission, at this time may go to Room 112 for Wiggle Worship.

MINUTE FOR MISSION *Stewardship Campaign* Jennifer & Pete LuPiba

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER Emma Vazquez
Our Father who art in heaven... (Hymnal pg. 35. We say “debts” & “debtors.”)

SPECIAL MUSIC “Bouree from *Water Music*” Handel, arr. O’Reilly

FIRST READING 1 Kings 19:1-9a, OT pg. 326 Kate Dougherty

MEDITATION Katie Kinnison

YOUTH REFLECTIONS

SECOND READING 1 Kings 19:9-16, OT pg. 326 Adrienne Wise, Josh Faulkner

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

CONFIRMAND FAITH STATEMENTS *Katie Coakley, Jack Dougherty, Meredith Hanosek, Charlie VanAman, Natalie Wise*

YOUTH VOCAL ENSEMBLE “You Say” (*see insert*) Lauren Daigle

MEDITATION

CONFIRMATION/AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

PRESENTATION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS Taylor Speas

Offertory “Kol Nidrei” by Max Bruch Emma Vazquez

*Doxology No. 607 *OLD HUNDREDTH*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication

***HYMN NO. 177** “I Will Come to You” *YOU ARE MINE*

***BENEDICTION AND SENDING** Sarah Kinnison

...Know this and go

In Christ’s love and peace and power.

POSTLUDE

**All who can comfortably do so, please stand.*

Today

- 8:30a - **Worship**, Sanctuary
- **Children:** Wiggle Worship
- 9:30a - **Men's Spirituality**, 120
- 10:00a - **Gathering**, Fellowship Hall.
Let's Not Betray Him Now, Luke 24:13-43,
Katie Kinnison preaching
- **Egg Hunt:** Easter is a season, not just one day! Children will start at the Gathering service at 10am and then head outside (or to the education wing if the weather is bad) for our Easter egg hunt. Bring empty baskets and join in the fun as we keep celebrating God's unstoppable love!
- 11:00a - **Worship**, Sanctuary
- **Children:** Wiggle Worship
- 6:30p - **Bible Study**, 120

Need childcare for a church event?

Email Erin Wise to schedule:
erinwise@covenantpcusa.org.

Week at a Glance

Mon., April 29

9:30a Children's Day Out, Nursery

Tues., April 30

9:30a Children's Day Out, Nursery

1:00p Mission Sewing, 121

6:00p Bell Choir

Wed., May 1

8:15a Centering Prayer, Lounge

9:15a Eunice-Lydia Circle, Lounge

9:30a Children's Day Out, Nursery

10:30a Staff Meeting

1:00p Bible Study, Lounge

4:00p Tutoring, Lounge

7:00p Naomi Circle, Friendship Village

Thur., May 2

9:30a Children's Day Out, Nursery

9:30a Miriam Circle, Lounge

11:00a CATCH Court, meet in parking lot

6:00p Worship & Arts, Lounge

7:00p Choir Rehearsal, Music Room

Fri., May 3

9:30a Women's Theology, 120

9:30a Children's Day Out, Nursery

April 29-May 4

Centering Prayer

Wednesdays, 8:15am, Lounge

Learn this way of being present with God and praying without words, bringing us deep peace and molding us into people who laugh easily and love well. Contact Katie Kinnison, Sandy Tullett, Cora Kuyvenhoven or Jeff Roedel.

Wednesday Bible Study: 2 Samuel:17)

Wednesdays, 1pm, Lounge

Led by Katie Kinnison. The real gift here is the wisdom and laughter and questions and possibilities that unfold. Enjoy community as we figure out together how to live all the way alive.

Connecting With God Men's Breakfast

Sat., April 27, 8am, Lounge

Breakfast and conversation. Watch the series "First Light: Jesus and the Kingdom of God" with Dom Crossan and Marcus Borg. Contact Steve St. Martin, skstmartin@hotmail.com.

Support Survivors of Human Trafficking

May 2, 11am, meet at church, (1st. Thur./Month)

Serve lunch at CATCH Court to women rebuilding their lives. Sign up at Mission & Social Concerns in the hall. Contact Katie Kinnison. **We also make toiletry kits.** 5-8 bags/month. \$15 each. Make checks out to *Covenant*, with *HT BAGS* on the memo line.

Covenant Softball League plays the end of April through July with a double elimination tournament in August. Contact Bob Lowery 614-326-2019.

May 5-11

Breakfast On the Beach with Jesus

Sun., May 5, 10am

Treasure Finders special event! Children will have a special gathering together during Treasure Finders time when we'll explore one of our favorite stories. It's fish sticks and donuts for breakfast. You won't want to miss this annual event!

Cinco de Mayo Concert - free admission

Sun., May 5, 3 pm, Sanctuary

Flautango and Friends (Rodolfo Vazquez, flute; Sean Ferguson, guitar; and Maria Andrade, vocals) will perform music from Mexico, Venezuela, Colombia, Argentina, and Brazil. Donations accepted.

CPW Birthday Luncheon & Program

Wed., May 8, 11:30am, Lounge

Lisa Dickson, a former foster child affiliated with Foster Action Ohio, will talk about what happens when youth age out of the foster care system. No cost for this salad luncheon but registration is requested. RSVP: at Circle meetings, between services May 5, call the office, or email e-mail Paula White, paulaw246@twc.com or Jan Schmidt, hartful44@yahoo.com. **Also**, we will be collecting baby items for the layette project. Need onesies all sizes, diapers size one, receiving blankets, bottles, baby shampoo, wipes, bibs. Checks can be made out to *Covenant Presbyterian Church*.

PASTOR UPDATE

On May 1st, our Interim Pastor, Jeri-Lynne Bouterse, will join our Covenant family for at least the next year. With joy, we will welcome her to our pulpit on Sun., May 5. Everyone is invited to share coffee and doughnuts with her in between services that day from 9:30 to 11:00am. (Hint: Bouterse rhymes with routers.)

Thanks be to God for all our many blessings. The Spirit is on the move, and our adventure of following the Living God into the Way of Love continues.

Parents' Night Out

Fri., May 10, 6-8:30pm (2nd Fri./month)

We host and feed children so that their parents can go be grown-ups and play. Please register by Tues., May 7 at <http://tinyurl.com/covenantpno>. Contact Erin Wise, erinwise@covenantpcusa.org.

Men's Breakfast

Sat., May 11, 8am, (2nd Sat./month)

First Watch, Kingsdale

Contact Allan Kennedy, 614-451-9318.

May 12+

Primetimers' Potluck & Program

Fri., May 17, 12pm, Lounge

Cathy Levi will speak about biking and *Pete's Ride*. Bring a dish to share and your table service. Questions? Call Jude McLean at 614-457-9177.

Spiritual Cinema

Mon., May 20, 6:30-9pm, Lounge

Zero Weeks is a documentary that lays out a compelling argument for a guaranteed paid family leave for every American, legislation that exists in some form in almost every developed country. Contact Beth Askue, 614-284-1767, or Susan Imel, 614-262-7444.

Jean A. Mortland Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: May 30. Jean Mortland left a bequest to us for a scholarship to reflect her love of music, higher education and the Christian faith. Find details on our website or contact Ingrid Smith, 614-451-6677.

Ongoing & Other News

Sunday Greeters Needed especially for 11am services. Contact Charlotte Sharpe, rcsharpe2@icloud.com, 614-486-1619.

Access Covenant Picture Directory Online

Church members and those in the Covenant directory received an access code that connects to the e-directory from their PC or phone any time, anywhere. Need to revise your info? Email marypathelvey@covenantpcusa.org.

Women's Theology

1st & 3rd Fridays, 9:30-11:30am, rm 120

We're continuing our discussion of "Inspired" by Rachel Held Evans. Contact Susan Imel or Louise Davidson.

To reserve a church room...

please contact Mary Pat Helvey, marypathelvey@covenantpcusa.org, and cc: Katie Kinnison.

Thank You, Boy Scouts...

...for your Easter mulching and beautification of our church flower beds and SOH Community Garden.

Volunteers Needed to Help Set Up Our

Labyrinth. To schedule a day and time to help please call Bob Tullett, 614-778-2641.



Vacation Bible School 2019: June 24-28, 9am-12pm

Ages 3 years old-5th Grade

Register today: tinyurl.com/covenantvbs2019

One small step for your kids...one giant leap for God's Kingdom! Blast off with the first VBS to land on Mars...and beyond! Children will discover the wonders of God's universe and become Voyagers on a journey through space, exploring where God's power can take them. They'll learn how God walked with heroes of the bible, and that God is always with them, too. Add out-of-this-world fun, learning, and bible stories that inspire children to give glory to God who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask...or imagine!

ALSO, Volunteers needed for VBS! Youth entering 6th grade and older and adults are needed to help teach, feed, entertain, craft, sing, dance and enjoy the children of our church and community. Sign up to help at <http://tinyurl.com/covenantvolunteer>.

COVENANT'S PRESCHOOL SIGN UP FOR FUN ALL YEAR ROUND!

Our low student/teacher 6:1 ratio, small class size (limited to 12), large bright classrooms and experienced degreed teachers make Covenant Preschool programs stand out from the rest.

- **SUMMER PRESCHOOL**, June 3-21; M/W/F; 9:30am-12:30pm. Spend as much time outside as possible, enjoy new adventures in play each week and fun food activities every Friday.
- **FALL, WINTER, SPRING PRESCHOOL**, Sept. 3 - May 15; M-F, M/W/F, or Tu/Th; 9-11:30am. Have fun getting ready for kindergarten. Indulge the love of learning new things, playing with friends, expressing creatively, and mastering new skills. Experienced, patient teachers provide encouragement and support.

Children must be 3 years old before June 3. More info: covenantpcusa.org/get-involved/children-families-and-childrens-center#childrenscenter or contact Caroline, childcenter@covenantpcusa.org, 614-451-6677 x23.

CHILDREN'S DAY OUT REGISTRATION

NOTE: Tuesday and Wednesday classes are now full. Our website, www.covenantpcusa.org, has information and forms under *Children, Families & Children's Center*.



Electronic giving options like *GIVE+Text* offer you the opportunity to give simply and securely from anywhere.

All of our E-giving options:

1. **Free mobile app:** *GivePlus Church*
2. **Zelle** - Through your bank using giving@covenantpcusa.org
3. **Text** to this dedicated Covenant number: 614-907-8226
4. **PayPal** on our website.
5. **Auto Debit** from your bank account. Fill out the Authorization Form on our website or welcome table.
6. **Credit and debit card** payments on our website.

Details and instructions on the welcome table and on our website www.covenantpcusa.org