

~ Litany of Confession ~

Leader: Lord, you said, "If you love me, you will obey what I command."

People: Forgive us our lukewarm love and our disobedience.

Leader: Lord, you said, "You may ask for anything in my name"

People: Forgive us when we think we need to solve our own problems.

Leader: Lord, you said, Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

People: We confess that our lives are often consumed by worry and anxiety.

Leader: Lord, you said, "If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit."

People: Forgive us our barren lives, Lord.

Leader: Lord, you said, "Be my witnesses."

People: We confess, Lord that we have been too often silent.

Leader: Lord, you said, "Love each other as I have loved you."

People: In this and so many other ways, we confess our failures and shortcomings. Amen.

~ The Apostles Creed ~

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
the Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:*

*Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;*

He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead;

*He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic Church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.*

This Coming Week at Covenant

Monday ~

Session Meeting, 7:00 pm	Fireside Room
AA for Women, 7:00 pm	FLC Dining Room
Virtuous Men, 7:00 pm	FLC 114

Tuesday ~

CBS Women's Group, 9:00 am	Sanctuary, FLC
Fresh Start, 7:00 pm	FLC Dining Room

Wednesday ~

JOY Group, 12:00 pm	FLC Dining Room
Children's Bible Classes, 6:00 pm	Various
Youth Group, 6:00 pm	Youth Room
Chancel Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 pm	Sanctuary
The Truth Project, 6:30 pm	FLC Dining Room
Children's Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 pm	FLC 103

Thursday ~

Men's Prayer & Bible Study, 6:00 am	Fireside Room
Bell Choir rehearsal, 6:30 pm	Sanctuary
Griefshare, 7:00 pm	Fireside Room

Friday ~

AA Meeting, 7:30 pm	FLC Dining Room
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Sunday (March 13) ~

New Member Welcome Lunch, 12:00 pm	FLC Dining Room
Douglas County Jail Worship, 2:30 pm	Douglas Co. Jail



COVENANT
Presbyterian Church

To know Christ and to make Him known

Celebrating Worship at Covenant!

For every worship experience, we seek to glorify God and share the Good News and love of Jesus Christ as Savior, Lord, and Head of the Church.

This is done through the preaching of the Word & Spirit of God, celebrating the Sacraments of the Lord's Supper & Holy Baptism, the hymns, songs, and prayers. We include multiple styles of worship music for all ages.

~ March 6, 2016 ~

We're so glad you're here!

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Worship Times: 8:30 & 11:00 am - Sanctuary
Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Covenant's 11:00 am Sanctuary worship service is broadcast live and is rebroadcast at 6:00 pm on KCRO AM 660 and 94.5 FM radio.

Welcome to Worship!

8:30 & 11:00 am

Music As We Gather

We invite you to enjoy this time of reflection to prepare your hearts and minds for worship.
"Bluegrass Praise"

Welcome

Gideon Ministry - Dr. Greg Eakins

Singing in Praise

"There Is Power In the Blood"
#575 - "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"
Invocation
#630 - "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Message Through Music

"When He Was On the Cross"

Time With Children

Dan Gruber

Proclaiming God's Word

Leviticus 16:29-34(page 121); Romans 3:21-27(page 196)
"The Mighty Cross: Atonement and Propitiation"
Rev. Anton Reginald

Singing in Response

"Amazing Grace"

Sharing Our Tithes and Offerings in Faith

"If That Don't Make You Want To Go"
#815 - "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

Welcoming of New Members

Singing in Joy

#779 - "I'll Fly Away"

Benediction & Passing the Peace of Christ

Music As We Depart

Connecting: Bringing God and People Together

THE ANNUAL EGG STUFFING PARTY is **today**, in the FLC Dining Room immediately following the second service. Hy-Vee will provide pizza lunch for anyone helping stuff eggs with candy for the Easter Egg Hunt.

THE JOY (Just Older Youth) **GROUP** will resume this **Wednesday, March 9**, at noon in the FLC Dining Room. Please join us for a great catered meal and fellowship!

BETH MOORE CONFERENCE TICKETS are on sale now! Join us at the Baxter Arena on **Friday, April 15** from 7:00-9:00 pm and **Saturday, April 16** from 8:30 am -12:15 pm. Tickets are \$63.13. Questions? Call Marcene Johnson, 402-334-7729.

TYLENOL DONATIONS are now being accepted for the Healing Kadi mission trip to South Sudan. Please leave your donation in one of the buckets in the Fellowship area. Donations will be accepted through next Sunday, **March 13**.

EASTER FLOWERS - Orders are being taken for Easter lilies or Kalanchoes to decorate the Sanctuary. Order forms are available in the Fellowship Area. Cost is \$10. Please place in the collection plate using the flower envelope.

FREE COLON CANCER SCREENING KITS are available today in the Fellowship Area. If you are 50 or over, don't wait. It's safe; simply follow the directions in the take home kit. Contact Cindy Waldo to pick up a kit or if you have questions.

USHERS ARE NEEDED for the 11:00 am service during the month of March. Contact Pam Schmitt if you can help, 402-660-3902.

THANK YOU to **Sally Goodman** for assisting with our music ministry today.

Serving: Expressing Christ's Love In Community

PRAYER CHAIN. You may email your prayer requests to our electronic prayer chain coordinator, Mary Sue Hyland at mshyland@cox.net. For telephone prayer requests, call the church office, 402-498-9000.

Please pray for those in our **Armed Forces from CPC: U.S. Army** - Patrick & Carole Tanner, Kevin Boughton; Matthew Foldenauer; **U.S. Marine Corps** - Aaron Cubrich, Grant Lubeck, Matt Samson, Paul Bidlack, Kristyn Hyland; **U.S. Air Force** - Michael Olson, Jerod Hausmann, Dan Ecklebe, Derek Ecklebe, Kyle Kimberlin, Jennifer Jamison-Gines; Kevin Lindsey; **U.S. Navy** - Shane Tweedy, Dustin Ecklebe

Growing: Learning to Live Like Jesus

~ Children's Ministry ~

Children's Sunday School for ages two through grade 5 meets from 9:45 to 10:45 am each week. 3 years - Pre-K meets in FLC 101; Kindergarten & Grade 1 meets in FLC 105; Grades 2 & 3 meet in FLC 102; and Grades 4 & 5 meet in FLC 104.

Children's Church - Kindergarten through grade 3 children meet during 8:30 & 11:00 am services, after Time With Children in FLC 103. Children in grades 4 & 5 may assist in Children's Church as Junior Helpers. Preschool children go to FLC 101.

~ Youth Ministry ~

Combined Youth Sunday School meets in FLC 108 at 9:45 am.

Confirmation Class meets in FLC 112 at 9:45 am.

Youth Group meets Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm in the FLC Gym.

Adult Discipleship ★ Sunday Morning Classes ★ 9:45

- **I & 2 Peter**, Chris Klinefelter FLC 114
- **The Persecuted Church**, Dr. Joseph Ulphani FLC 113
- **New Members Class**, New Member Support Team Fireside Room

~ Where Do I Take My Children? ~

- **Little Blessings Nursery** - outside Sanctuary (6 weeks to 18 months)
Open from 7:45 am to 12:30 pm
- **Noah's Ark Nursery** - next to FLC Gym (18 months to age 3)
Open from 7:45 am to 12:30 pm
- **Noah's Rainbow Room** - next to FLC Gym (children 3-Pre-K)
Open from 7:45 am to 12:30 pm
- **Children's Church** downstairs in FLC 103 for K-3rd grade following
Time With Children at the 8:30 and 11:00 am services

~ Holy Week Events ~

Palm Sunday
Sunday, March 20
8:30 & 11:00 am ■ Sanctuary Worship

Maundy Thursday
Thursday, March 24
7:00 pm ■ Sanctuary Worship

Good Friday
Friday, March 25
7:00 pm ■ Sanctuary Worship

Easter Egg Hunt
Saturday, March 26
10:00 am

Resurrection Sunday
Sunday, March 27
Services
8:30 & 11:00 am ■ Sanctuary Worship
No Sunday school
Easter Brunch between services

* **Church Office Closed ***
Monday, March 28