

## This Coming Week at Covenant

### Monday ~

**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

**Youth Group**, 6:00 pm Youth Room

**Chancel Choir Rehearsal**, 6:30 pm Sanctuary

**The Truth Project**, 6:30 pm FLC Dining Room

### Thursday ~

**Men's Prayer & Bible Study**, 6:00 am Fireside Room

**Griefshare**, 7:00 pm Fireside Room

### Friday ~

**AA Meeting**, 7:30 pm FLC Dining Room

### Sunday (April 17) ~

**Red Cross Blood Drive**, 8:00 am FLC Parking Lot

**Mission Festival & Brunch**, 9:45 am FLC Gym

**Douglas County Jail Worship**, 2:30 pm Douglas Co. Jail

## STAFF

The Congregation . . . . . Ministers  
 Interim Pastor . . . . . Rev. John Quigley  
 Associate Pastor . . . . . Rev. Dr. Kevin McDonald  
 Director of Children's Ministries . . . . . Dan Gruber  
 Director of Youth Ministries . . . . . Anton Reginald  
 Director of Music Ministries . . . . . Karen Gengenbach  
 Director of Congregational Care . . . . . Cindy Waldo  
 Business Administrator . . . . . Stephanie Hawks  
 Administrative Assistant . . . . . Lanett Keller  
 Nursery Supervisor . . . . . Sandra Hansen  
 Covenant Kids Preschool Director . . . . . Diane Fangmeyer  
 Covenant Kids Preschool Teacher . . . . . Karen Rosse  
 Custodian . . . . . Charlie Womack  
 Evening Janitor . . . . . Pat Carr  
 Evening Janitor . . . . . Garrett Fangmeyer  
 Wedding Coordinator . . . . . Jeanne Murphy

## SESSION

Steve Johnson  
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 Marilyn Meyer  
 Larry Lubeck

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 Dave Burdick  
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## TRUSTEES

Ron Steiner  
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 Ron Kretchmer  
 Harlan Fangmeyer  
 Ross Scholz

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 Rolly Goodman  
 Joe Tourek

## DEACONS

Stephanie Hughes  
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 Sara McCroden  
 Tom Penney  
 Pam Schutz

Paul Anderson  
 Lee Lundeen  
 Sherrie Schaich  
 Bart Fillbach  
 Linda Oliver  
 Renee Barbe

Judy Peterson  
 Jackie Hartman  
 Toddy Manson  
 Renee Young

## GREAT PLAINS PRESBYTERY

Boys Town/Protestant Pastor . . . . . Rev. Curt Wegley, *Teaching Elder*  
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**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.*

~ April 10, 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.*  
"He Knows My Name" - arr. Lamb Unbroken Circle Ringers

### Welcome

### Singing in Praise

#512 - "Jesus Is All the World to Me"  
Invocation  
#506 - "I'd Rather Have Jesus"

### Message Through Music

"Beautiful Savior"- arr. Stephenson Unbroken Circle Ringers

### Time With Children

Dan Gruber

### Proclaiming God's Word

John 3:1-4, 10, 16, 17(page 1129, 1130) Rev. John Quigley  
"Everybody Wins When Free Stuff is Really Free"  
Rev. Anton Reginald

### Hymn of Response

#321 - "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

### Pastoral Prayer

### Sharing Our Tithes and Offerings in Faith

"As the Deer" - arr. Thompson Unbroken Circle Ringers  
#815 - "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

### Singing in Joy

#526 - "The Solid Rock"

### Benediction & Passing the Peace of Christ

### Music As We Depart

## Connecting: Bringing God and People Together

**THE DEACONS** are collecting for the Deacons' Assistance Fund in April. This fund helps CPC members with "emergency" financial needs. There are green envelopes especially marked for the Deacons' Fund in your pews, or you can mark in the memo line of your check "for the Deacons' Asst. Fund." Thanks so much for your continued support and generosity.

**CALLING ALL ADULTS 55+ !** Looking for fellowship and a great meal? Consider checking out the JOY (Just Older Youth) Group. We will meet this **Wednesday, April 13**, at 12:00 noon in the FLC Dining Room. Come join us!

**THE MISSION FESTIVAL BRUNCH AND WORSHIP** will be held next **Sunday, April 17**. Following the 8:30 am service, join us in the FLC Gym for presentations by CPC Mission partners and to enjoy a brunch. Mike Becker will be speaking at both services about his recent mission trip with Healing Kadi to South Sudan.

**COVENANT'S SPRING BLOOD DRIVE** is scheduled for next **Sunday, April 17** from 8:00 am to 12:30 pm. Our goal for this drive is 20 units. You can sign up on the Red Cross website at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org). You can also call 1-800-Red-Cross to schedule your appointment or contact Pam Schutz at [www.pamelaschutz56@gmail.com](mailto:www.pamelaschutz56@gmail.com) or at 402-651-4273. We look forward to seeing you at the Drive!!

**Baseball Tickets are HERE!** Children's Ministries is selling tickets for the **Tuesday, April 26**, 6:35 pm, baseball game at Werner Park. Covenant's Children's Choir will sing the *Star Spangled Banner* to begin Presbyterian Night at the Omaha Storm Chasers. Tickets are at a discount price of only \$10 each. Come support our children and let's all fellowship at Werner Park!

**SHARE YOUR WISHES** in making your healthcare preferences known. See Cindy Waldo, Director of Congregational Care in the Fellowship Hall for more information and forms on Advanced Directives for organ, eye and tissue donation.

**IF YOU WISH TO CONTACT** the church office you may now use the email [office@cpcomaha.org](mailto:office@cpcomaha.org). Use this address for general questions, prayer requests or to contact the front desk.

**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](mailto: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** for Kindergarten through grade 3 children meets 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.

**The VBS Prop Party has been rescheduled to Sunday, April 24** from 12:15-2:30 pm in the FLC Dining Room. Pizza lunch and snacks will be provided for volunteers!

### ~ Youth Ministry ~

**Combined Youth Sunday School** continues to meet in FLC 108 at 9:45 am. All students who have recently been confirmed are invited to join this class!

**Youth Group** meets Wednesday evenings from 6:00-8:00 pm in the FLC Gym. Anyone in grades 6-12 should join us! This is going to be exciting! **Check out our website at [www.covenantteen.org](http://www.covenantteen.org).**

**Ice Skating** for all interested on **Saturday, April 23**, from 2:00 - 4:00 pm at Moylan IcePlex, 12550 W Maple Rd.

**Our Annual 30 Hour Famine & Lock-in** is happening on **Friday, April 29**. Lock-in begins at 7:00 pm

### Adult Discipleship ★ Sunday Morning Classes ★ 9:45

- **I & 2 Peter**, *Chris Klinefelter* FLC 114
- **The Persecuted Church**, *Dr. Joseph Ulphani* FLC 113

### ~ 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