

May 11	
Open/Close Church	Paul Witmer
Provide Bread	Betty Lou Lundy
Comm. Preparation	Lynn Heuss
Greeters	Derek Roberts Corby Roberts
Candle Lighter	Derek Roberts
Worship Leader	Donna Rusk
Diaconate	Jay Sohn Julie McClatchey Corby Roberts Don Cavanaugh Drue Cavanaugh
Communion Prayer	
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	
Fellowship Refreshments	Jay Sohn
Sunday School Teachers	VeeAnn Cartwright Sarah Hughes
Church Transportation	Drue Cavanaugh 986-3737

May 18	
Open/Close Church	Hal Rusk
Provide Bread	Betty Lou Lundy
Comm. Preparation	Doug Minear
Greeters	Jerry Bane Wanda Bane
Candle Lighter	Dillon Warwick
Worship Leader	Drue Cavanaugh
Diaconate	Erin Hiscox Doug Minear Tom Small Linda Small
Communion Prayer	Kristin Warwick
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	Jane Shane
Fellowship Refreshments	Jane Shane
Sunday School Teachers	Sarah Hughes
Church Transportation	Drue Cavanaugh 986-3737

May 11	May 12	May 13	May 14	May 15	May 16	May 17	May 18
Adult SS <u>8:45 a.m.</u> Children's SS 10:15 a.m.	Shofar 5-9:45 p.m. Office Closed		Centering Prayer 12-12:30 p.m. SPLASH 5:45-7:15 p.m.	Bible Study 10:00 a.m.	Paul on vacation	Journey Down Work Day 9-11:30 a.m. Shofar 3-10:00 p.m.	Adult SS <u>8:45 a.m.</u> Children's SS <u>10:15 a.m.</u> <u>Food Pantry</u> Senior <u>Recognition</u> Journey Out Meets after Worship

**Flowers are given by Paul Witmer
in celebration of Mother's Day.**

**Join us next Sunday for
Senior Recognition!**

Financial Notes
May 5, 2014
Total Deposit \$5,566.85

covenant christian church



may 11, 2014

We are spiritual seekers
working to grow in our love of God,
deepening our connection to each other and
sharing with the world our passion for justice and peace.

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come journey together...

May 11, 2014
Worship 10:00 a.m.

WORD OF WELCOME

(Please take a moment to sign the attendance register in the pew and pass it along your row.)

PRELUDE *“Morning Song”* arr J. Martin

***OPENING HYMN #91** *“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!”*
(verses 1-4)

***GATHERING WORDS** (Responsive) Donna Rusk

O God, because you are the source of all life and love and being,

We call you Creator;

Because we know the history of your presence among your covenanted people
and honor their tradition,

We call you Lord;

Because our Savior, Jesus Christ, your obedient child,
knew you intimately and spoke of you so,

We call you Father;

Because you are present in the act of birth and because you shelter, nurture, and care for us,

We call you Mother;

Because you are the means of liberation and the way to freedom,

We call you Redeemer.

Confident that you will hear, we call upon you with all the names that make you real to us, the names that create an image in our minds and hearts, an image that our souls can understand and touch. And yet, we know that you are more than all of these. Blessing and power, glory and honor be unto you, our God. Amen.

***RESPONSE OF PRAISE #91 vs. 5** *“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”*

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall!

We’ll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all;

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***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

WITNESS THROUGH MUSIC *“Soon and Very Soon”* A. Crouch

A TIME WITH THE YOUNG

WITNESS OF THE ANCIENT WORD Acts 2:42-47 pg. 120 Donna Rusk

*Appropriate time for standing, if able.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

WITNESS OF THE MODERN WORD *“Daily Disciples”* Rev. Paul Witmer

HYMN OF PREPARATION #599 *“Day by Day”*

OFFERING OF GIFTS

Call to Giving Donna Rusk

Offertory *“The Prayer”* Sager, Foster/arr T. Fettke

Response of Praise #526 vs. 2

**Though I may give all I possess,
and striving so my love profess,
but not be given by love within,
the profit soon turns strangely thin.**

*Prayer for the Consecration of Gifts

Donna Rusk

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

All are invited to the table of the Lord. We individually partake of the bread and cup.

Please serve the person next to you by holding the tray.

INVITATION

COMMUNION PRAYER

Drue Cavanaugh

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

FEAST OF JOY *“Turn Turn Turn”* Seeger/arr Lanz

***HYMN OF PRAISE AND COMMITMENT #490** *“Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant”*
(Verses 1-3)

***POSTLUDE** *“Great Is the Lord”* MW Smith/arr Tornquist

BENEDICTION

Please join us downstairs for fellowship and refreshments following worship.

*Rev. Paul Witmer, Minister
Judith Henry, Music Director*