

October 15	
Provide Bread & Prepare	
Communion	Paul Witmer
Greeter	
Candle Lighter	
Worship Leader	Drue Cavanaugh
Deacons	Tom Small Linda Small
Communion Prayer	
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	
Fellowship Refreshments	
Church Transportation	Drue Cavanaugh 986-3737

October 22	
Provide Bread & Prepare	
Communion	Lundys
Greeters	Lundys
Candle Lighter	
Worship Leader	Linda Yeoman
Deacons	
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	
Fellowship Refreshments	
Church Transportation	Drue Cavanaugh 986-3737

Oct. 15	Oct. 16	Oct. 17	Oct. 18	Oct. 19	Oct. 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 22
Adult SS 8:45 p.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Food Pantry Sunday	Office Closed		Out-to-Lunch 11:30 a.m. Centering Prayer 12-12:30 p.m. Choir 7:30 p.m.	Bible Study 10:00 a.m.			Adult SS 8:45 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m.

Financial Notes	
October 8, 2017	
Total Deposit	\$4,200.00

covenant christian church



october 15, 2017

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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October 15, 2017
Worship 10:00 a.m.

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A WORD OF WELCOME

Please take a moment to sign the attendance register in the pew and pass it along your row.
If you have prayer requests you'd like lifted up in prayer, please write them on the insert provided on the back of the pew.

PRELUDE "Over the Rainbow" Arlen/D. Coates

***OPENING HYMN #622** "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

***GATHERING WORDS (Responsive)**

Drue Cavanaugh

When my spirit is pressed and harried,
You provide space for slowing down.

**When my body is weary and worn,
You provide rest and rejuvenation.**

When my emotions overwhelm me,
You provide balancing perspective.

**When my mind fills with criticism,
You provide teachings on nonjudgment.**

When my heart sags with defeat,
You provide needed sources of support.

Today, may we accept gratefully all that is provided. Amen.

***RESPONSE OF PRAISE #63** "How Majestic Is Your Name"

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

O Lord, we praise your name.

O Lord, we magnify your name: Prince of Peace, Mighty God; O Lord God Almighty.

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

WITNESS THROUGH MUSIC "Hush, Somebody's Calling My Name"

TIME WITH THE YOUNG

(Please join us in supporting the DMARC Food Pantry with a special offering.)

WITNESS OF THE ANCIENT WORD Exodus 16:4-12 pg. 63

Drue Cavanaugh

*Appropriate time for standing, if able.

WITNESS OF THE MODERN WORD

"How Much is Enough?"

Rev. Paul Witmer

deepening our connection to each other . . .

MORNING PRAYERS/PASTORAL PRAYER (Please share your prayer concerns in writing.)

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

SUNG RESPONSE "More Than We Can Ask"

**More than we can ask, more than we can ask, more than we can ask or imagine.
. . . hear, oh hear our prayer.**

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

We will come forward to the communion table as a sign of our commitment and response to Christ's gracious invitation and loving presence. If you are unable to come forward, a deacon will bring the elements to you.

INVITATION AND CALL TO GIVING

Drue Cavanaugh

COMMUNION PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

FEAST OF JOY "We Are An Offering" Liles/arr Hayes

All are invited to the table of the Lord. You may come forward to the table to receive the gift of communion and make your gift in response.

. . . and sharing with the world our passion for justice and peace.

***SONG OF SENDING FORTH #636** "Abide with Me"

***POSTLUDE** "Over the Rainbow" (Reprise)

***BENEDICTION**

Please join us downstairs for fellowship and refreshments following worship.

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