

September 18	
Provide Bread & Prepare	
Communion	Russ & Betty Lou Lundy
Greeters	Ron & Sue Stookey
Candle Lighter	Addison Chambers
Worship Leader	Erin Hiscox
Deacons	Linda Yeoman Marsha Ratashak Hal Rusk
Sunday School Teacher	Donna Rusk
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	Hal & Donna Rusk
Fellowship Refreshments	Hal & Donna Rusk
Church Transportation	Hal Rusk 277-7574

September 25	
Provide Bread & Prepare	
Communion	Olin & Jane Shane
Greeter	
Candle Lighter	Shelby Warwick
Worship Leader	
Deacons	Tom & Linda Small
Sunday School Teacher	Jay Sohn
Fellowship Set Up/Clean Up	
Fellowship Refreshments	
Church Transportation	Hal Rusk 277-7574

Sept. 18	Sept. 19	Sept. 20	Sept. 21	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	Sept. 24	Sept. 25
Adult SS 8:45 a.m. Children's SS 10:15 a.m. Food Pantry Sunday			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.		Women's Group 8:30 a.m.	Adult SS 8:45 a.m. Children's SS 10:15 a.m.
	Office Closed						

Financial Notes	
September 4, 2016	
Total Deposit	\$3,514.75
September 11, 2016	
Total Deposit	\$1,287.00



Please note that our sound system is equipped with a T-Coil hearing loop. If you are wearing hearing aids, please turn on "T Coil" mode for best hearing assistance.

covenant christian church



september 18, 2016

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 . . .

September 18, 2016
Worship 10:00 a.m.
A Service of Psalms, Singing and Prayer

Psalm 150 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.

Psalm 100 PRELUDE "The Solid Rock" Bradbury/arr Wolaver

Psalm 91 *OPENING HYMN #77 "On Eagle's Wings"

Psalm 42 *GATHERING WORDS (Responsive) Erin Hiscox

As the deer thrills for the fresh brook so do I thrill for you.

I am thirsty for you—for my life—

When will I go there? When will I be seen?

When will I enter your utter presence?

My hope is in you.

One day I will thank you, when in you I find wholeness.

And my anguish is gone.

Deep calls out to deep

In your towering waterfall waves and billows drench me

My hope is in you

One day I will thank you when I am whole.

Psalm 42, Opening to You

Psalm 8 *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.

Psalm 24:1-2 WITNESS THROUGH MUSIC "For the Beauty of the Earth"

Psalm 34:11 TIME WITH THE YOUNG

(Please join us in supporting the local food pantry with your gifts.)

Psalm 119 WITNESS OF THE WORD Psalm 139:1-12 pg. 577 Erin Hiscox

Response #759

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Psalm 63 MORNING PRAYERS/THE LORD'S 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

O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you.

O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you.

I will seek you in the morning, and I will learn to walk in your way, and step by step you'll lead me, and I will follow you all of my days.

Psalm 19 WITNESS OF THE MODERN WORD "Connections" Rev. Paul Witmer

Psalm 96 RESPONSIVE PSALM #748

Psalms 23/34 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

Erin Hiscox

COMMUNION PRAYER/LITANY

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

O taste and see that God is good. Happy are those who take refuge in God.

You lead me beside still waters; You restore my soul.

You lead me in right paths for your name's sake.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;

You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

O taste and see that God is good. Happy are those who take refuge in God.

Sure goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,

And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord, my whole life long.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

FEAST OF JOY "Variations on "Ash Grove" arr J. Martin

Psalm 90 *SONG OF SENDING FORTH #67 "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

Psalm 131 *POSTLUDE "Sonata in G" Scarlatti

Psalm 1 *BENEDICTION

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

*Appropriate time for standing, if able.