

# Order of Worship

## October 8, 2017

*Good Morning and Welcome to Evangelical Covenant Church.  
We invite you to spend some time in quiet reflection as you prepare  
for worship.*

### **Gathering**

Prelude  
Opening Prayer  
Praise & Worship

### **Giving**

Offerings/ Doxology

### **Children's Time**

### **Passing of the Peace**

### **Announcements**

### **Listening**

**Ezekiel 47: 1-6; Psalm 42: 1-8 Liturgist Jason Peña**  
***The Living Waters of God:  
As Deep Calls to Deep, Part 1***

### **Praying**

Prayers for Our Community  
Prayers of the People  
The Lord's Prayer

### **Leaving to Serve**

Blessing

# Calendar of Events

## **Today**

9:30 AM  
10:30 AM

## **Family Sunday**

**Sunday School**  
**Worship Service**

## **Monday**

## **Tuesday**

6:15 PM  
7:00 PM

**Diaconate Board**  
**Council Board**

## **Wednesday**

5:45 PM

***The Blitz at Olson Park***

## **Thursday**

6:00 PM

**Devotional/Prayer Time**

## **Friday**

10:30 AM  
6:00 PM

**Prayer Time**

**The Blitz @ The County Line Apple Orchard**

## **Saturday**

## **Next Sunday**

9:30 AM  
10:30 AM

**Sunday School**

**Worship Service**

## **Sunday School- 9:30 AM**

- Adult Bible Study led by John Gilbert.

***Today's Greeters: Ken, Nancy, Ashley Corbeille & Summer  
Bateman***

### Covenant Women

Thank you to our wonderful hostesses' Ruth Dean & Lana Kalman, for making our last meeting so much fun!

### Congregational Vote

On October 22, following the worship service, our path forward vote will take place. It is very important that all active members are present to vote. If you know you will be absent on this day, please have your absentee ballot in before Wednesday, October 18.

### Covenant Women

"Covenant Women are collecting Shoebox Gifts for Operation Christmas Child this year in lieu of the Angel Tree. This is an opportunity to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way and spread the gospel to children in need around the world. Gifts should be brought in no later than November 12. Please see Cheryl Leach for more information."

### Income Report of 10/01/17

Attendance: 37  
Offering Receipts \$2,562.00  
Monthly Receipts \$2,562.00  
Monthly Budget: \$8,433.33  
YTD Receipts: \$65,012.00  
Annual Budget: \$101,200.00  
All Other Income: \$13,711.97  
Total Income: \$78,723.97

### Expense Report of 10/01/17

MTD Expense \$2,447.00  
Monthly Budget: \$8,433.33  
YTD Expenses: \$73,696.80  
Annual Budget: \$101,200.00  
All Other Expense: \$11,063.88  
Total Expenses: \$84,760.68

### Family Concerns-Prayers

Health Concerns: Please pray for Dave & Carol Foster, Steve Kurzdorfer, Bonnie Redd, Eva Udick, Bobby Strasburg, Mike Bain, Donna Kidwell, Cheryl Leach, Alice Nedoff, Joan Yetsko, Lynn Ingram, Sandy Elkins, our church and our country.

### Hire A Teen

Need a job done? Let our CHICsters help you out for a donation towards their trip. Forms are located on the Narthex table. See Jason if you have any questions.

### Youth Rally

ECC is hosting our next youth rally for all MS and HS students! Friday, October 20, 6:30-9:30pm! Be here or be square! You DO NOT want to miss out!

### KC at the Orchard

The Blitz will be heading to the County Line Apple Orchard this Friday at 6 PM. Check out our Facebook post for more details! Please see Mellisa Corbeille if you have any questions.

### KC @ The Park

KC will be at Olson Memorial Park (6199 Sunrise Ave, Portage) on October 11. 5:45-7pm!

### Board Meetings

The Diaconate will meet this Tuesday, October 10, at 6:15 PM, followed by the Council at 7 PM. Reports are available on the information table in the Narthex.

### Capital Campaign of 10/01/17

Goal: \$15,000.00  
YTD Receipts: \$10,669.43  
Balance Needed: \$4,330.57

# Welcome to Evangelical Covenant Church of Portage



The Evangelical Covenant Church of Portage,  
In obedience to Christ's call,

exists to exalt God:

- ❖ By joining together in worship
- ❖ By proclaiming the gospel
- ❖ By sharing in His ministry of reconciliation
- ❖ By encouraging each other to live as His disciples
- ❖ By reaching out to others in love, fellowship and compassion

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