

WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE! WE PRAY YOU'LL SENSE
GOD'S PRESENCE IN THIS PLACE AND
JOIN US IN OUR CALLING.

OUR CALLING:

KNOW JESUS.

Relationship with God is made possible when we put our confident trust in Jesus who died for us and rose again.

GROW WITH HIS PEOPLE.

We grow when we worship and pray together, study Scripture together, share life together and serve one another.

GO TO THE WORLD.

God calls us out of the world to be His, then equips us and sends us back into it proclaiming His Glory in our homes, our neighborhoods, our schools and our workplaces.

WHERE DO YOU START, OR WHAT'S YOUR NEXT STEP?

1. **Fill out** a Communicate Card and bring it to the Connections Desk.
2. **Come meet** David Henderson, our senior pastor, over lunch Sunday, May 5, and ask any question you have about Covenant Church. Stop at the Connections Desk to register.
3. **Come back** next Sunday and worship with us again.

Questions? Contact Brently Jordan, community life pastor,
bjordan@covenantpc.org, 765-412-2139.

SERMON NOTES

APRIL 14, 2019
Share Christ's Suffering
1 Peter 4:1-6, 12-19

Preaching Today: David Henderson, senior pastor



COVENANT CHURCH

HIS PEOPLE. HIS KINGDOM. HIS GLORY.

APRIL 14, 2019

SERVICE OPENING

Hosanna, Hosanna!
Hosanna (Praise is Rising)

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

ACTS 14 MOMENT

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

PETER'S STORY

Hosanna (Be Lifted Higher)
Is He Worthy?

PRAYER AND OFFERING

Our Story (Testimony)
I Am Not My Own

SERMON

Like a Rock - Part 3
Share Christ's Suffering

SONG OF RESPONSE

Blessed Be Your Name

BENEDICTION AND POSTLUDE

Spiritual leaders are available for prayer at the back of the Chapel.



IMPORTANT UPDATES

HEADLINES AND HAPPENINGS
FOR
LIFE AT COVENANT

Class Schedule for Easter Sunday

- **9:00am:** classes for babies through grade 5. No classes for grades 6 - adults.
- **10:45am:** classes for babies through PreK. No classes for grades K - 3.

Holy Week at Covenant

This year for Holy Week, we will follow Peter the disciple at the end of his life, as he looks back on the events that changed him forever:

- **Reflection & Prayer, April 15 - 18, daily:** A different prayer and scripture will be available each day to instruct your time of self-guided reflection. The Sanctuary will be open from 11:30am - 1:30pm.
- **Maundy Thursday, April 18, 7:00pm:** Peter shares memories of the night of Jesus' last supper and invites us into a Passover Communion of our own.
- **Good Friday, April 19, noon & 7:00pm:** A familiar service of silence and quiet reflection will challenge us to remember the journey Jesus took on our behalf. Both services will be similar; the evening service will include a devotion.
- **Resurrection Sunday, April 21, 9:00 and 10:45am:** We will join the church universal rejoicing in the good news that Jesus is Risen!

Easter Photo Booth

Next Sunday, bring your phone or camera and your family to the Covenant bookstore, down the stairs at the back of the Sanctuary. Michelle Leichty will be there to take your family photo, 10:15-10:35am and 12:00 - 12:30pm.

SWAMP 2019

Summer Worship, Arts, and Music Program 2019 will be June 24-28. Audition signups for speaking and solo parts open tomorrow, Monday, April 15, with auditions on May 6-7. Sign up online with the link on the SWAMP Facebook page or our website, covenantpc.org. Open registration begins May 1.

Young at Heart

Join us at Westminster Village Cardinal Room Monday, April 15, 11:30am for lunch, a program, and communion. Kay Mithoefer will be our guest sharing *Amish of North Indiana*. Make reservations with Nancy, 463-7303, nsanson@covenantpc.org.

Women's Event

Women's ministry invites ladies/girls of all ages to our May Day Mugs and Muffins event 6:30pm, Wednesday, May 1. We will have special music, fellowship, muffins/sweet treats and a coffee/tea/hot chocolate bar. We will gather and hear from a few Covenant ladies about their heart to serve in the community. Sign up at <http://bit.ly/mugsmuffins2019>. Register by April 28.

Women's Support Group Available

Have you been impacted by a family member or friend who is addicted to pornography or have you experienced the sorrow of infidelity? Covenant's Women's Support Group meets at 7:00pm, the first and third Tuesday of each month in Room 210A, offering a safe place of encouragement and healing. Questions? Contact Radonna, 463-7303, rfiorini@covenantpc.org.

Get more information at www.covenantpc.org or the Connections Desk.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

ONGOING AND HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS
FOR THE WEEK OF
APRIL 14 - 20

Today

9:00am / **Classes for infants thru grade 5** / See Connections Desk for locations
9:00am / **Junior High Sunday School** / Lower Retreat Center
9:00am / **Senior High Sunday School** / Upper Retreat Center
9:00am / **Prime Time Parenting** / Gathering Place 1
9:00am / **Knowing God** / Rooms 204-205
9:00am / **The Heart of Jesus** / Gathering Place 3
9:00am / Finding God on Campus / Gathering Place 2
9:15am / **Friendship Class** / Teens & Adults w/ Cognitive Impairments / Conference Room
10:15am / **Connect over Coffee** / Gathering Place, Chapel
10:45am / **Classes for infants thru Grade 3** / See Connections Desk for locations
10:45am / **World Welcome** / Gathering Place 1
7:00pm / **Junior High Youth Group** / Lower Retreat Center
7:00pm / **Senior High Youth Group** / Lower Retreat Center
8:30pm / **College Age Group** / Gathering Place 3

Monday

11:00am / **Young at Heart** / Westminster
11:30am / Time of Personal, Self-Guided Reflection / Sanctuary
6:00pm / **Trail Life** / Retreat Center
7:00pm / **Monthly Prayer Gathering** / Chapel

Tuesday

11:30am / Time of Personal, Self-Guided Reflection / Sanctuary

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4:00pm / NO EPIC Children's Choir
7:00pm / NO Jr, Sr High Bible Study

Thursday

11:30am / Time of Personal, Self-Guided Reflection / Sanctuary
7:00pm / Maundy Thursday Service / Sanctuary

Friday

12:00pm / Good Friday Contemplative Service / Sanctuary
7:00pm / Good Friday Service / Sanctuary

Orange Highlight: New or unique event this week

PRAYER GUIDE

DEVOTE YOURSELVES TO PRAYER,
BEING WATCHFUL AND THANKFUL.
COLOSSIANS 4:2

Praises and Concerns

Jerry Dewey - shingles
Henry Shockey - cancer (Bob Shockey's dad)
Charlotte Walker - compression fracture in her back
Marvin Maule - surgery for broken hip (Michael Maule's Dad)
Louella Shade - recovering from a broken hip
Mary Beth Guard - recovering from a stroke
Trudi Horner - treatment for return of Multiple Myeloma
Dale Best - Multiple Myeloma
Heater family - grief journey
Hyde family - grief journey
Jim Hankins - cancer
Sally McIntire - rehab for back & leg pain
Doug Fidler - pray for the circulation in his leg & foot
Lisa Overstreet - struggling with vision in eye
Carl Clayton - cancer
Ernie Beck - Alzheimers (Betsy Homan's father)
Our military personnel and leaders: Ben Clevenger, Elijah Myers, Devin Rouhier, Douglas Sutton, Schuyler Toth, David Wilcox, Calvin Woodard

We rejoice in the birth of:

Julia Doris, daughter of Mike and Deborah Reppert, granddaughter of Mat and Leslie Sutton, born April 5
Levi Charles, son of Isaac and Shelby Heath, grandson of Andi Heath, born April 10

We extend sympathy to:

Roger & Nancy Rodibaugh upon the death of his mother, Wilda Rodibaugh, who passed away April 5
The family of Jo Ann Bloodgood, who passed away April 11

Monthly Congregational Prayer

Join the Covenant family for a time of prayer for our congregation, our nation and the world at 7:00pm, Monday, April 15, in the Chapel.

Prayer Focus

Please join us in praying the follow prayer - "Lord Jesus, the journey you took to the cross was full of betrayal, grief, torture, and darkness, yet your love for us, your people, propelled you onward. Help us to comprehend just how powerful that love is, that you would suffer such a cruel death to make a way for us to be with you in glory forever." - *Rachel Dawson, Crosswalk.com*