



COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH
Hospitality • Faith • Compassion

Covenant Community Church

Covenant Denomination Logo



The unique character of the Covenant is expressed in the design of the logo – people united in Christ, people serving people in God’s name, and people bringing people to Christ.

The basis of the design is symbolic of four people facing north, south, east, and west. Note that each one’s arms are outstretched, indicating the church’s outreach in mission and service to the world. The four are part of the whole, yet their hands do not touch, symbolizing their unity in the freedom and evangelical warmth that characterizes the Covenant. The geometric arrangement of the four figures results in a cross-like pattern, representative of the center of our faith. The center circle symbolizes the unity and the bond of fellowship which we call “the Covenant.”

TRUE SOCIAL JUSTICE
BEGINS
AND ENDS WITH THE
GOSPEL
OF JESUS CHRIST

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22nd Sunday after Pentecost

October 21, 2018

We Gather

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: As the rains pour from heaven, soaking the earth that it may produce good things...

People: So God pours God's love upon us, that we, too, may produce goodness and peace.

Leader: We have been blessed with many gifts and talents.

People: God desires that we use these gifts and talents for healing, peace, and hope.

Leader: Come, let us worship and celebrate the mighty love and power of God.

*Opening Hymn #685

I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

*Hymn #320

When Morning Gilds the Skies

*Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer (see insert)

We Hear the Word

*Scripture Lesson

Matthew 25:31-46

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Interlude

We Respond

Prayers of the People

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Offering Response:

He said, "Freely, freely, you have received; freely, freely give.

Go in my name and because you believe, others will know that I live."

*Prayer of Dedication

We Are Sent Into the World

*Closing Song (see insert)

Peace Like a River

*Benediction

*Response

(our tradition is to face and bless each other as we sing)

*The Lord bless you and keep you,
The Lord make his face to shine upon you
and be gracious, gracious, gracious to you,
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you,
And give you, give you, give you peace.*

Leader:

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

*Denotes all who are able, please stand

Helping Us to Worship

Ministers to the World:

The Congregation

Minister to the Congregation:

Rev. Jeannette Conver

Music Leader:

Peter Olson

Scripture Reader:

Jane Masenas

Greeter:

Laurie Prior

Church Cleaners:

Don and Susan Turner

Peace Like a River

I've got peace like a river
I've got peace like a river
I've got peace like a river
In my soul
I've got peace like a river
I've got peace like a river
I've got peace like a river
In my soul

I've got love like an ocean...

I've got joy like a fountain...

Sunday Worship—October 28, 2018

Greeter: Karen Zidovsky
Church Cleaners: Carolyn Carlson & Cindy Lindquist
(October 23-November 5)

Announcements

- **Annual Meeting on November 11, 2018** after Church. One of the items on the agenda will be voting on the 2016 proposed changes to our Constitution & Bylaws.

Welcome!

Greetings! And a warm welcome to you!

We are glad to have you here—we are better together.

If you are visiting us for the first time,
please sign our guest book at the entrance,
and complete a visitor's card

Please join us for coffee or tea after worship.
We would like to get to know you.

Child care (infant through pre-K) is provided
during the worship service.

We ask that you please pick up your child
promptly after church.

This Week at Covenant Community Church

Sunday, October 21st

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday, October 23rd

Tai Chi Basic – TC1, 10:00 a.m.

Tai Chi Continuing, 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, October 25th

Tai Chi Basic – TC1, 10:00 a.m.

Tai Chi Continuing, 11:00 a.m.

If you have announcements, prayer requests or other special needs
contact Pastor Jeannette Conner, 879-4313 (church) or Diane Border,
Church Administrative Assistant 879-4313

Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 28th

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday, October 30th

Tai Chi Basic – TC1, 10:00 a.m.

Tai Chi Continuing, 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, November 1st

Tai Chi Basic – TC1, 10:00 a.m.

Tai Chi Continuing, 11:00 a.m.

Community Soup & Bread Supper, 4:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 4th

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

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,
for ever. Amen.

Matthew 25:31-46 New Living Translation (NLT)

³¹ “But when the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit upon his glorious throne. ³² All the nations will be gathered in his presence, and he will separate the people as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. ³³ He will place the sheep at his right hand and the goats at his left.

³⁴ “Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the creation of the world. ³⁵ For I was hungry, and you fed me. I was thirsty, and you gave me a drink. I was a stranger, and you invited me into your home. ³⁶ I was naked, and you gave me clothing. I was sick, and you cared for me. I was in prison, and you visited me.’

³⁷ “Then these righteous ones will reply, ‘Lord, when did we ever see you hungry and feed you? Or thirsty and give you something to drink? ³⁸ Or a stranger and show you hospitality? Or naked and give you clothing? ³⁹ When did we ever see you sick or in prison and visit you?’

⁴⁰ “And the King will say, ‘I tell you the truth, when you did it to one of the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!’

⁴¹ “Then the King will turn to those on the left and say, ‘Away with you, you cursed ones, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his demons. ⁴² For I was hungry, and you didn’t feed me. I was thirsty, and you didn’t give me a drink. ⁴³ I was a stranger, and you didn’t invite me into your home. I was naked, and you didn’t give me clothing. I was sick and in prison, and you didn’t visit me.’

⁴⁴ “Then they will reply, ‘Lord, when did we ever see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and not help you?’

⁴⁵ “And he will answer, ‘I tell you the truth, when you refused to help the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were refusing to help me.’

⁴⁶ “And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous will go into eternal life.”