



## 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

October 28, 2018

### We Gather

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, take refuge in the Lord, for God is good.

**People: From the storms and struggles of life we come.**

Leader: Come, rejoice in the Lord, for God will provide peace for you.

**People: From fear and anxiety, we come to find peace.**

Leader: Come, open your hearts to the Lord and you will be given blessing.

**People: Thanks be to God for the many ways in which we are blessed. AMEN**

\*Opening Hymn #94

*Sometimes A Light Surprises*

\*Hymn #412

*Be Thou My Vision*

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

### We Hear the Word

\*Scripture Lesson

Luke 10:25-37

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

Sermon

Neighbors and Neighborhoods

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 Hymn #72

*To God Be The Glory*

\*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

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\*Denotes all who are able, please stand

### Helping Us to Worship

Ministers to the World:

The Congregation

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Rev. Jeannette Conner

Music Leader:

Peter Olson

Scripture Reader:

Alice Marsh

Greeter:

Benita Lord

Church Cleaners:

Carolyn Carlson and Cindy Lindquist

## Announcements

- **Community Soup and Bread Supper, Thursday, November 1, 4:30-6:30 p.m.:** What do we need? 7-8 crock pots of soup; a variety of 4-6 breads (artisan, savory, sweet, and a gluten free choice). Watch for the sign up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex. and let them know what you will provide. Any questions, talk with Billie Hall or Benita Lord.
- **Senior Lunch at Covenant Community Church, Monday, November 5, 10:30 a.m.:** Talk with Marcia Morrell if you would like to help with this outreach.
- **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 28<sup>th</sup>

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup>

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

Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>

Leadership Team Meeting, 2:30 p.m.

### Sunday Worship—November 4, 2018

Greeter: Billie Hall  
Communion/Bread Provider: Billie Hall  
Church Cleaners: Carolyn Carlson & Cindy Lindquist  
(October 23-November 5)

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, November 4<sup>th</sup>

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>

Sr. Lunch at CCC, 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Annual Meeting, 11:15 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.

## Luke 10:25-37 New Living Translation (NLT)

<sup>25</sup> One day an expert in religious law stood up to test Jesus by asking him this question: "Teacher, what should I do to inherit eternal life?"

<sup>26</sup> Jesus replied, "What does the law of Moses say? How do you read it?"

<sup>27</sup> The man answered, "'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your strength, and all your mind.' And, 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'"

<sup>28</sup> "Right!" Jesus told him. "Do this and you will live!"

<sup>29</sup> The man wanted to justify his actions, so he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"

<sup>30</sup> Jesus replied with a story: "A Jewish man was traveling from Jerusalem down to Jericho, and he was attacked by bandits. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him up, and left him half dead beside the road.

<sup>31</sup> "By chance a priest came along. But when he saw the man lying there, he crossed to the other side of the road and passed him by. <sup>32</sup> A Temple assistant walked over and looked at him lying there, but he also passed by on the other side.

<sup>33</sup> "Then a despised Samaritan came along, and when he saw the man, he felt compassion for him. <sup>34</sup> Going over to him, the Samaritan soothed his wounds with olive oil and wine and bandaged them. Then he put the man on his own donkey and took him to an inn, where he took care of him. <sup>35</sup> The next day he handed the innkeeper two silver coins, telling him, 'Take care of this man. If his bill runs higher than this, I'll pay you the next time I'm here.'

<sup>36</sup> "Now which of these three would you say was a neighbor to the man who was attacked by bandits?" Jesus asked.

<sup>37</sup> The man replied, "The one who showed him mercy."

Then Jesus said, "Yes, now go and do the same."