

## THE WORSHIP SERVICE

### Leading Worship this Morning

Bob Henderson, senior minister  
Julia Watkins, pastoral resident  
Grady Moseley, interim minister of congregational life, pastoral care  
Heather Potter, director of traditional music  
Robert Dicks, associate director of traditional music & organist  
Kenney Potter, choral conductor  
Katie Cornwell, carillonneur  
Randy Kixmiller, usher team leader

### Audio and Visuals

Cleveland Elam (video), Joel St. Onge (visuals),  
Dave Welchman (audio)

### Leading Other Services

Ian Clark, pastoral resident  
Jason Graffis, director of contemporary worship and arts  
Jessica Patchett, associate minister

### Members of the Session Class of 2021

Susan Billmire, Allen Brown, Deana Cooper<sup>+</sup>, Sarah Crowder<sup>+</sup>,  
Anna Ferone (Youth Elder), Sarah Gaston, Jessica Hindman, Jerry  
Jernigan<sup>+</sup>, Alan Morrow, Katherine Roehrig (Youth Elder), Joe Taylor,  
Derek Thomas<sup>+</sup> *+Installed only, having previously served as elder.*

### Cover Image

*The Service of Ordination and Installation* is located in the Sanctuary in the left-most lancet of the large window in the west transept. Persons elected to the office of ruling elder of the church, following a period of study and preparation, are examined by the Session to inquire into their faithfulness in fulfilling their responsibilities to serve the mission of the universal church. The candidates are thereafter installed in the context of worship focused on the joy of serving Christ through the ministry of the church. Part of this service includes the laying on of hands by members of the Session, after which the elected persons become members of the Session and serve thereon as counsel to the church, authorizing observance of the Lord's Supper, all Baptisms, and examinations of ruling elders-elect, among many other matters. Photo © 2014 JonSilla.com.

### Note to Parents

During the school year, Sunday School is offered in the Education Wing for preschool and elementary-aged children at 9:30 a.m. Child care is offered on the First Floor during 11 a.m. services; elementary-aged children may go to the Kindergarten room (EW120).

## WELCOME TO COVENANT

Join us for fellowship and refreshments in the Circle, where today's preaching minister will be glad to greet you. You also may learn more about our life of faith together at our website or on Facebook.

Interested in joining Covenant? We welcome new members every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. in the Parlor, located downstairs in the Sanctuary building. We also welcome new members on the 4th Sunday of each month in the Fellowship Hall Library at 12 p.m.

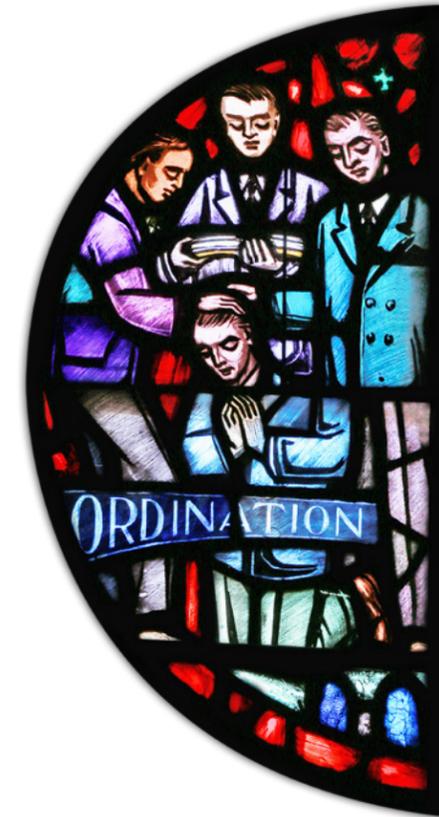
Each Sunday, we offer education and fellowship opportunities in the mornings and evenings for children, youth and adults in the Education Wing and Fellowship Hall. Please see the digital signs in each building for details.

Covenant expects and gladly welcomes many first-time and repeat visitors. By introducing ourselves and sharing a warm greeting, we express the hospitality of our congregation. Please share a smile and welcoming word with those around you.

## CONGREGATIONAL NOTES (AS OF JANUARY 10)

### In Need of Healing Prayer

Judy Gaffney  
Edna Hamilton  
Lamont Hudson  
Frank Mansfield  
Lillian Neal  
Joe Pool  
Bob Taylor  
Barbara White



*To the Greater Glory of God*  
A SERVICE OF WORSHIP  
Sunday, January 13, 2019  
11 a.m.  
SANCTUARY

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Covenant Presbyterian is a dynamic Christian community that gladly invites all people into a transformational experience of faith; boldly proclaims the gospel; bravely works toward a whole and just world; and passionately nurtures discipleship.

# A SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, January 13, 2019

11 a.m.

*Welcome to Covenant, we are glad you are here.*

*Children are always welcome in worship. Child care and children's programs (ages 6 weeks to fifth grade) are offered in the Education Wing.*

*Infant soothing rooms with live video of the worship service are available in the balcony and parlor. See an usher for assistance.*

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## PRELUDE

*Prelude & Fugue in D Major* . . . . . J.S. Bach

## CALL TO WORSHIP

### \*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 2

*Come, Thou Almighty King* . . . . . ITALIAN HYMN

### \*PRAYER OF ADORATION

### CALL TO CONFESSION 444

*Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive* . . . . . DETROIT

*(choir and congregation)*

"Forgive our sins as we forgive,"  
you taught us, Lord, to pray,  
but you alone can grant us grace  
to live the words we say.

Silent Prayer

Corporate Prayer of Confession

God of unending love,  
we confess our incapacity to reconcile  
the world's brokenness and your goodness.  
In our confusion, we either focus on you,  
and pretend nothing is wrong,  
or we focus on what is broken while ignoring you.  
Forgive us, we pray.  
And equip us to live faith-fueled lives  
that actively address this world's needs.  
Through Christ, the Lord of all, we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

### \*Congregational Response 394 *(choir and congregation)*

*Christ is Made the Sure Foundation* . . . . . WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Laud and honor to the Father,  
laud and honor to the Son,  
Laud and honor to the Spirit,  
ever three and ever one.  
One in might and one in glory,  
while unending ages run!

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

## TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

## SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 6:1-8 . . . . . Old Testament, p. 597

## SERMON

"Send Me?" . . . . . Bob Henderson

## \*HYMN OF RESPONSE 726

*Will You Come and Follow Me?* . . . . . KELVINGROVE

## CONGREGATIONAL LIFE & CONCERNS

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors,  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power  
and the glory, forever. Amen.

### OFFERING & OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*Here I Am, Lord* . . . . . J. Schrader

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I, who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send? Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.  
I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain,  
I have wept for love of them; they turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them.  
Whom shall I send?  
I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

~ Covenant Choir ~

\* You are invited to rise in body or spirit

## ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELDERS

Constitutional Questions to Those to be Ordained/Installed

Constitutional Questions to the Congregation

Prayer of Ordination/Installation

Charge to the Newly Ordained/Installed

## \*CLOSING HYMN 432

*How Clear is Our Vocation, Lord* . . . . . REPTON

## \*BENEDICTION

## \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE 14

*For The Beauty of The Earth* . . . . . DIX

For thyself, best gift divine,  
to the world so freely given;  
For that great, great love of thine,  
peace on earth and joy in heaven:  
Lord of all, to thee we raise,  
this our hymn of grateful praise.

## POSTLUDE

*Dialogue sur le Mixtures* . . . . . J. Langlais

