

Covenant Congregational Church		
<i>Ninth Sunday After Pentecost</i>		
Worship Service	August 10, 2025	10:30 a.m.
PRELUDE	<i>Guide Me, O thou Great Jehovah</i>	arr. Walz
WELCOME		
Announcements		
GATHERING		
*Call to Worship		
Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.		
Worship the LORD with gladness;		
Come before him with joyful songs.		
Enter his gates with thanksgiving and praise!		
*Gathering Song	<i>Holy Forever</i>	screen
*Invocation		
Greet One Another		
PROCLAMATION		
The Sacrament of Holy Baptism		
The Rite of Baptism		
James Gordan Ferguson		
Jonathan Parker Ferguson		
Congregational Blessing		
<i>The Lord Bless You and Keep You</i>		
Carlson		
Scripture Readings		
Janet Linehan		
New Testament Reading: Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16		
Gospel Reading: Luke 12: 32-40		
Response: The Word of the Lord.		
Thanks be to God.		
Hymn	<i>Bless the Lord, O My Soul (2x)</i>	#6
Sermon	Ruth 4: 13-22	Pastor Ryan

RESPONSE		
Pastoral Prayer and 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 sins		
as we forgive those who sin against us.		
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil,		
for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.		
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory	<i>Take Me to Higher Ground</i>	Strommen
Summer Choir		
*Doxology		
Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;		
Praise Him all Creatures here below;		
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;		
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.		
*Prayer of Dedication		
SENDING		
*Closing Hymn	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	#412
*Benediction		
(Please be seated until the end of the Postlude.)		
POSTLUDE	<i>God Be With You</i>	arr. Pugh
*Please stand as able.		
**The flowers on the altar are given by the Choir in loving memory of Ed Burns for his birthday.		

Worship Participants

Co-Pastors.....	Rev. Dr. Devyn Chambers Johnson and Rev. Ryan Chambers Johnson
Greeters.....	Bob Hall and Heather Willis
Usher.....	Bonnie Hyde
Scripture Reader.....	Janet Linehan
Special Music.....	Summer Choir
Worship Band.....	Chris Allison, Vicky Papetti, Marlena Silva, Tony Ivaldi, Jeff Burton, Peter Fredericksen & Pastor Ryan
Violin.....	Vicky Papetti
Flute.....	Lou Ann Falls
Bass.....	Chris Allison
Piano.....	Alice Fu
Organ.....	Susan Santry
A.V. Tech Team.....	Jeff Burton, Dave Sproul, Adam Buckley and Andrew West
Sanctuary Keeper.....	Sara Papetti
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Children Are Welcome at CCC

- We welcome the movement and whispers (that are often louder than whispers) of children in the worship service. In addition:
- Children are welcome to stay in the worship service. There are clipboards with children’s bulletins and activities available in the narthex.
 - There is a viewing and play room available during the entire service with an audio feed and window into the sanctuary, second left in the Narthex.

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Covenant Congregational Church exists to build a welcoming community so that all generations can know God, participate freely and grow in faith together.

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