

The Evangelical Covenant Church believes the Bible is the Word of God and the only perfect rule for faith, doctrine, and conduct. We believe in the necessity of the New Birth, and a continuing life in fellowship with our Living Lord, Jesus Christ.

We believe that the fellowship of Christians strengthens us for the ministry of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ, which is our task until the return of our Lord.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Triennial will take place July 28 - 31, 2016 in Kansas City, MO, and so far seven ladies have signed up to attend. There is still room for more and we would love to have you join us. For more information speak to Maxine Lewin or Nancy Seeman. This is a great experience not to be missed!

Next Sunday, May 1st we will have a representative from the Gideons here to give a brief presentation during the worship service.

For several summers now Miranda Monter has had the opportunity to be a part of the summer ministry program at Covenant Cedars. She is raising support not only financially but also in prayer for the ministry God has called her to. For more information on how you could become a ministry partner, please see the letter in your church mailbox.

Reminder: Next Sunday we take up our collection for the Food Pantry.



April 24, 2016

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

# Welcome

## We Gather in God's Name

Welcome and Announcements

## Preparing Our Hearts

\*Gathering Songs            *He Keeps Me Singing*  
   *Since Jesus Came Into My Heart*  
   *He Has Made Me Glad*

\*Invocation

## We Hear God's Word

Psalm 148            *Responsive Reading #860*  
John 13:31-35  
Acts 11: 1 - 18

## Choral Praise

Song                    *O What a Wonderful, Wonderful Day*

**Message**    **"Jesus' New Commandment"**  
(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

## We Respond to God's Grace

Prayer/Offering

## Sending Song

\*Blue Hymnal #662    *Take the Name of Jesus With You*

## Blessing

\*Stand if you are able

# Update

Week of April 24 - May 1, 2016

## Sunday, April 24, 2016

8:30 AM..... Adult Sunday School  
10:00 AM.....Worship / Children's Sunday School  
11:00 AM..... Coffee Hour  
11:30 PM.....Diaconate Meeting

## Wednesday, April 27, 2016

7:00 PM.....No Choir

## Sunday, May 1, 2016

8:30 AM.....Adult Sunday School  
10:00 AM .....Worship/Communion  
.....Children's Sunday School  
11:00 AM.....Coffee Hour  
Nursery - Greeters - Roy and Carol Thomas

## Serving In Worship

Pastor - Karl Larson    Worship Leader - Butch Lewin  
Choir Director - Ashley Lawton  
Scripture Reader - Nancy Seeman  
Pianist - Maxine Lewin  
Projection - Jeri Willis                    Sound -  
Greeters - Jo and Mo Gakemeier  
Nursery - Nancy Seeman