

**The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, July 18, 2010 – 10:00 AM**

Welcome Pastor Peter Morris

Families with children are welcome in worship.  
Nursery care is also available for infants and toddlers  
downstairs throughout the service.

Prelude Amy Ackerbeg-Hastings, Pianist

*Be Thou My Vision*

\*Call to Worship

Leader: We gather this day from a week filled with needs and  
demands.

**People: We come to find rest and renewal of our spirits.**

Leader: Open your hearts in love to hear the voice of God.

**People: We want to quietly rest in God's presence, free from the  
clamor of the world.**

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made.

**People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it. AMEN.**

\*Songs of Praise

*Great is the Lord* (Hymn 5)  
*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* (Hymn 267)  
*Where Justice Rolls Down* (Hymn 727)

\*Prayer of Invocation

\*The Lord's Prayer

First Lesson Amos 8:1-12 Carl Rodgers, Reader

Second Lesson Colossians: 1:15-28

Life Together: Announcements and Prayer Requests

Time of Prayer

Offertory Amy Ackerbeg-Hastings, Pianist

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

Hymn (Insert)

*All I Once Held Dear*

The Gospel Lesson Luke 10:38-42

Sermon

“ONE THING NEEDFUL”

\*Hymn 412

*Be Thou My Vision*

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

\*Those who are able please stand.

## SERVING TODAY

Greeters: Youth Group  
Ushers: Robert Hamilton  
Reader: Mark Enstrom  
Nursery/Assistant: Aaron Knowles  
Snack: None Scheduled  
Sound Technician: Jim Hamilton

## SERVING NEXT WEEK: July 25

Greeters: Carl & Rose Rodgers  
Ushers: Gordon Sloat  
Reader: Lynda Seguin  
Nursery/Assistant: Mary Hamilton  
Snack: To Be Announced  
Sound Technician: None Scheduled

## Birthdays and Anniversaries Celebrated this week:

Wednesday Gene Sokolowski  
Friday Sandy Benson

## When you come to church on Sunday, remember to . . .

*Bring your Bibles* – It's not all in the bulletin

*Bring canned goods* for outreach to those in need through the food pantries at ECHO and Rising Hope

*Bring change* for the change box to fund capital improvements

*Bring a dollar or two* to help our Youth Group support Yohannes Makalew, our Compassion international sponsored child in Indonesia

## COMMUNITY COVENANT CHURCH

*Celebrating our 38<sup>th</sup> year of Ministry*

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*Our mission as a congregation is calling people from this community and around the world into communion with Christ. Our communion with him and with each other grows as we enter into the promises and challenges that a covenant with Christ includes.*

**Welcome!** Whether this is your first time with us, a return visit, or something you do every week, we're happy that you're here! Families with children are welcomed in our worship services and nursery care for infants and toddlers is also available downstairs. We hope your experience here today will be encouraging and helpful to you spiritually.

## THIS WEEK

Today	10:00 AM	Worship Service Rev. Peter Morris Interim Pastor
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**Remember that this building is regularly used** by many other groups. If you are planning an activity, please check the complete calendar in the church office and contact Aaron Knowles, our Administrative Assistant, before scheduling an event. Aaron can be reached by calling the church office or 703-425-5633. The deadline for bulletin announcements is 9 AM Friday

**Our Summer Sunday Morning Schedule:** Continuing through Labor Day Weekend, the worship service will be held at 10 AM. In July and August, the congregation will be served by Interim Pastor, Peter Morris of Seattle. Rev. Morris is a graduate of North Park Seminary and recently served for 22 months as the Interim Pastor for Christ Covenant Church in Harleysville, PA. His Profile is posted on the bulletin board. Sunday School will resume in the fall.

### **Triennial – HELP!!!**

We need help the week of July 19-25 setting up for the Triennial which will be at the Omni Sheraton Hotel in DC. We especially need drivers with vans. Some specific needs are:

- delivering boxes that are in the sanctuary on Monday, July 19th
- help setting up displays in 3 different exhibit halls at the hotel on Monday and Tuesday
- people at Reagan airport directing participants to the shuttle on Wed 12-8:00 and Thurs. 9-7:30
- transportation for keynote speakers
- transportation for Natalie Grant and her equipment
- transportation for Michael Donley arriving Sat PM and leaving early Sunday and his equipment from Reagan
- artificial Christmas trees
- prayer, prayer, prayer
- **please see Claire if you can help.**

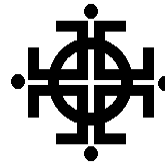
**In the Covenant Companion:** “A Joyful People” – History professor Kurt Peterson challenges the characterization of pious Christians as cranky people and offers a truer account of pietists who founded the Evangelical Covenant Church. Subscriptions to our award-winning denominational magazine are \$19.95 a year. Call 773-784-3000.

**Need to contact Pastor Peter Morris?** He can be reached by calling the parsonage (703-451-6624) or his cell phone (773-387-3962). Pastor Morris can also be contacted by email at [pjmorris79@gmail.com](mailto:pjmorris79@gmail.com)

**The Church Profile** is now on the website. You can take a look at [www.covenantchurchva.org](http://www.covenantchurchva.org). Thanks to the search committee for their hard work and dedication.

**Did you miss last week’s sermon?** Hear it and read the bulletin each week on the church website. It is updated weekly. Please visit us at [www.covenantchurchva.org](http://www.covenantchurchva.org).

***Covenant World Mission Prayer Line: 1-800-FON-PRAY***



*The character of the Evangelical Covenant Church is expressed by our logo: at the center is the cross. Next is a circle – the symbol of our unity in Christ. Then four different people, joined together, reach out to the world in love. Find out more about the Covenant at [www.covchurch.org](http://www.covchurch.org)*

