

Announcements

VBS at Covenant Church is June 17–19 from 9–11. We still have many needs during the week of VBS, and most open positions do not require you to be there the full morning. Our biggest needs right now are Bible Story Tellers and Gospel Presenters. You will be fully supplied with all the materials you need.

Covenant is partnering with Loving Choices again this year for the annual Baby Bottle Campaign. It will be from May 10th – June 21st!

Covenant Kids Club and Wednesday night fellowship meal will be on hiatus starting May 20th. Prayer meeting and Youth Group will meet as usual!

Family Sunday School will take the place of all other Sunday school classes starting in June from 9:30-10! There will still be nursery for children under the age of 3 for those who would like to utilize it. Contact Liesl if you'd like to help.

Ladies are warmly invited to a Ladies' Tea on Saturday, May 16th, from 1-3pm at the church. Young girls and other women are invited to join!
Please RSVP to Tirzah Shaw by May 13th

Session of Covenant Church

Jeff Chewning, Stated Clerk of Session

Pete Golden

Harrison Howle

Nathan Jarvis

Rick 'Dow' Pursley, Emeritus

Paul Sagan, Moderator

Phil Schenewerk

Diaconate of Covenant Church

Darin Akerman

Ken Andersen

Jim Dooley, Emeritus

Mike Golden, Emeritus

John Smith

Dennis Smith, Emeritus

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Covenant Church

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Fayetteville, Arkansas

The Lord's Day

May 10th, 2026

Reverend Dr. Paul Sagan

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Reception of New Members
Sacrament of Baptism

Thomas Richard Sumner Gaesswitz

† Call to Worship

Psalm 68:4-5

Sing to God, sing praises to His name; lift up a song to Him who rides through the deserts; His name is the LORD; exult before Him! Father of the fatherless and protector of widows is God in His Holy habitation.

† Invocation & 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.

† Hymn of Praise

#239, Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Prayer of Confession in Unison

Holy and righteous God, we confess that like Isaiah, we are a people of unclean lips. But it is not only unclean lips we possess. We are people with unclean hands and unclean hearts. We have broken Your law times without number, and are guilty of pride, unbelief, self-centeredness, and idolatry. Affect our hearts with the severity of our sin and the glory of Your righteousness as we now acknowledge our sins in Your holy presence. We have had other gods before You. We have taken Your name in vain, We have not kept Your Day holy. We have murdered in our hearts. We have committed adultery with our eyes. We have stolen what is not ours and coveted what belongs to others. We have lied to You and to others.

Weekly Events

All events that do not have a specified location will meet at the church

Monday

6:00 pm - Spanish Bible Study at 100 S Gutensohn Rd, Springdale

Tuesday

12:00 pm - Men's Bible study (*zoom available*)

Wednesday

5:30 pm - Fellowship Meal

6:00 pm - Prayer Meeting, Youth Group & Covenant Kids Club

7:00 pm - Choir Practice (*childcare provided*)

Thursday

9:30 am - Women's Thursday Bible Study (*childcare provided*)

9:30 am - Men's Coffee at Rick's Bakery

6:30 pm - Men's Thursday Evening Study (*1st & 3rd Thursdays*)

Friday

6:00 am - Men's Breakfast & Larger Catechism Study

Sunday

9:00 am - Sunday School for all ages

10:30 am - Morning Worship (*nursery provided*)

5:00 pm - Evening Worship

Evening Worship

Opening Prayer

† Psalm of Praise #33, With Joy Let Us Sing to the Lord

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon – Rev. Dr. Paul Sagan Revelation 1:1-3
Pew Bible page number 1874

† Hymn of Preparation #198, Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

† Hymn of Response #513, Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

† Benediction

“The Revelation of Jesus Christ”

1. What is Revelation? (v. 1)
2. John's Witness to the World (v. 2)
3. The Blessings of Reading Revelation (v. 3)

God, we have sinned against Your mercy times without number. Our iniquities have gone over our heads. If You, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? How shall we answer You? We lay our hands on our mouths. We have no answer to your righteous wrath and just judgment, except for the one you have provided for us through the death of Christ. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon Isaiah 55:6-7
Seek the Lord while He may be found, Call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts; Let him return to the Lord, And He will have mercy on him; And to our God, For He will abundantly pardon.

† Psalm of Assurance #68B, O Lord, Thou Hast Ascended

† Confession of Faith in Unison WSC Q. 63-65

Q. Which is the fifth commandment?

A. The fifth commandment is, Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

Q. What is required in the fifth commandment?

A. The fifth commandment requireth the preserving the honor, and performing the duties, belonging to every one in their several places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.

Q. What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?

A. The fifth commandment forbiddeth the neglecting of, or doing anything against, the honor and duty which belongeth to every one in their several places and relations.

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon – Rev. Dr. Paul Sagan

Matthew 7:24-29

Pew Bible page number 1500

Offertory

**#427, I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew
v. 1**

† Doxology

#571, Gloria Patri, v. 1

† Prayer of Dedication

† Closing Hymn

#459, My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

† Benediction

“A Firm Foundation”

Introduction

1. The Results of Hearing and Doing (v. 24-25)

2. The Results of Hearing and Not Doing (v. 26-27)

3. The Authority of Jesus (v. 28-29)

Conclusion