



# Covenant Presbyterian Church

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## Covenant Update

July 10, 2026

**Welcome to Covenant's  
Newest Members**

This Sunday we will recognize our newest members during the worship service, followed by light refreshments in the far narthex. Please check your mailbox for brief introductions and pictures of our new members (or click on the document). Each member will be wearing a white carnation so that you may easily identify and welcome them. Praise the Lord for these newest additions to our church family!

**The Newest Members of Covenant**  
Recognition Sunday, July 12, 2026



**Samuel & Sarah Im**, along with their two communicant children, Nadie and Cade, were received by reaffirmation of faith, having most recently attended Trinity Central Church in Landis. Samuel is the Director of Technology at Westminster Theological Seminary and in his free time he enjoys technology, movies, and baseball. Sarah is a homemaker and homeschool teacher who enjoys sewing, Montessori education, and learning languages. They learned of Covenant through member Michael Nowling. Sam's former seminary experience – after the dissolution of their former church, and they appreciate its solid preaching and service to the community.



**Bill & Melissa Mann** were received by reaffirmation of faith. Bill previously attended LCB in Harleysville while Melissa attended St. Lawrence Church in Berwynville. Bill is a carpenter who enjoys practicing jiu jitsu in his free time. Melissa is a PA, a "baker" (breads which you've probably seen parked in our church parking lot on Sunday mornings), listening to our live-stream. When off duty, she enjoys being outdoors, gardening, caring for her pets, helping with wildlife rehabilitation, and spending time with her husband. Bill was familiar with Covenant, having grown up in the area. Guided by the Holy Spirit to return to regular church attendance, they both already feel at home at Covenant.



**Gale Mann** was received by reaffirmation of faith, having previously attended Faith Baptist Church in Sellersville. After being called to find a new church family, she discovered Covenant through her son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Melissa Mann, where she already felt at home. In her free time, Gale enjoys spending time with her family and grandchildren.



## Congregation Connection

### Women's Ministry Sow, Grow, & Gather Event Saturday, August 1, 2026 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. at Covenant

All ladies are invited to join us for a special time of fellowship, planting, and lunch! We'll plant herbs and edible plants together, and then listen to a devotional titled "Feasting on the Word of God" while eating lunch. All plants, drinks, and desserts will be provided for you. Please bring an 8" to 10" pot and a brown bag lunch. Please sign up in the narthex by Sunday, July 26. Please contact Liana Potgieter at [pennie17@outlook.com](mailto:pennie17@outlook.com) with any questions.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

## Sow, Grow, & Gather

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 2026**  
**11:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

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310 Covenant Lane  
Harleysville, PA 19438

All ladies are invited to join us for a lovely time of fellowship, planting, and lunch! We'll be planting herbs and edible plants together, followed by listening to a devotional titled "Feasting on the Word of God" while eating lunch.

**Please bring:**  
An 8" to 10" pot & a brown bag lunch

**Provided for you:**  
Plants, drinks, & desserts

**RSVP:**  
In the narthex by July 26

**Questions?**  
Contact Liana Potgieter at  
[pennie17@outlook.com](mailto:pennie17@outlook.com).

## Young Adult Women & Youth Group Girls Picnic

Saturday, August 8, 2026  
11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.  
at Green Lane Park  
2144 Snyder Road  
Green Lane, PA 18054

All young adult women and youth group girls are invited to join us for a picnic at Green Lane Park. Please pack a sandwich, a snack to share with the group, and a picnic blanket. Please sign up in the narthex by Sunday, August 2 and contact Joy Malysz at 610-789-4993 with any questions.



## Upcoming Events

### Moving Help Needed:

Jake and Melanie Medendorp need 4–6 strong volunteers to help them move heavy furniture.

- **When:** Saturday, July 18th from 8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
- **Where:** From 461 Berkshire Dr. (Souderton) to 328 Courtland Ave. (Harleysville)
- **Trucks:** They have a U-Haul rental, but extra trucks are a huge bonus!

Please contact Jake (484-437-7848) or Melanie (484-716-7045) directly if you are able to help them out!

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### If you have a question or need assistance, the office is here to help!

Please contact our church administrative assistant Kimberly Roberts at 215-256-1007 or [information@covpreschurch.org](mailto:information@covpreschurch.org) during office hours (Monday–Friday, 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.), and she will respond to you as soon as possible.

\*Please note that the **office will be closed on Mondays during the summer.**  
Office hours may vary day to day and week to week. Please contact the office prior to arriving.

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Please check [past Covenant Updates](#) for additional information on items below:

#### OCC Items of the Month:

- **July** - Socks: Girls size L (shoe size 4-10); Boys size L (shoe size 3-9)
  - full list [here](#) or shop our Amazon wish list [here](#)

#### Current Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:15 a.m. (June 14–July 19):

- **Video Series: Learning to Love the Psalms** - Sanctuary - facilitated by Dan Benoit & Dave Fenchel
- **Book Discussion: *The Pursuit of God* by A.W. Tozer** - Room 107 - led by Rob Barbadoro

#### July

- 7/11 at 11:00 a.m. - **Celebration of Life Service for Glenda Childs (at Calvary Church of Souderton)** with a family greeting hour beginning at 9:00 a.m.; obituary [here](#); bulletin [here](#)
- 7/12 at 12:45 p.m. - **New Members Lunch** at Muhlfield's
- 7/26 - Last day to submit **updated directory pictures and contact information**

#### August

- 8/1 from 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. - **Women's Ministry Sow, Grow, & Gather Event** - sign up in the narthex by July 26; more information [here](#)
- 8/8 from 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. - **Young Adult Women & Youth Group Girls Picnic** at Green Lane Park - sign up in the narthex by August 2; more information [here](#)

#### September

- 9/20 at 9:15 a.m. - **Communicants' Class begins** - sign up in the narthex
- 9/25 at 6:40 p.m. - **Phillies Game** - RSVP in the narthex by July 26 - more info [here](#)

This Sunday Pastor Muhlfield will preach from **Romans 15:5–7** and his sermon title is ***A Theology of Welcome***. He writes, "There are many good reasons to welcome people warmly. It is a nice thing to do, it builds community, it makes us feel good, and it is something that we appreciate when we are on the receiving end. But beyond even these good things, God's Word provides a theology of welcome that grounds our

reception of others in the grace of Jesus Christ Himself. Through the mercy of the Savior who welcomed us when we were His enemies, we now have supernatural power to welcome those around us for the glory of God and the strengthening of His Church."

[Live Stream](#)

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*We look forward to worshipping with you  
this week!*

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